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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1403.

GENERAL.—*The 27th September* 1873.—With reference to the retirement of Mr. R. P. Jenkins, Commissioner of Patna, announced in the *Gazette* of the 24th September last, the Lieutenant-Governor must express his sense of the loss to the service of an Officer who has so long and so efficiently presided with much tact and judgment over the affairs of this very large and important division, comprising a great variety of interests.

The 24th September 1873.—Mr. Charles Deslandes Church Winter is appointed to be an Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of Moorshedabad, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class. Mr. Winter will officiate as Joint-Magistrate of the Second Grade.

Moonshee Bhooyan Abdur Ruhuman Khan is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in the Bhuddruck Division of Balasore, subject to his passing the Native Civil Service Examination of February 1874.

Moonshee Janki Pershad is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Sasseram.

Moonshee Rughoonundun Pershad is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Durbhungah.

The following persons are appointed temporarily to be Sub-Deputy Collectors of the First Grade, during the absence on duty of Baboos Rajendronath Roy and Bhoobuneshur Dutt and Mr. Baptiste :—

Baboo Gunganath Roy.
,, Indro Behary Sing.
Moonshee Sadiq Ali.

The following persons are appointed to be Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Second Grade :—

Moonshee Attur Hossein.
,, Mohumud Tuqi.
Baboo Dwarka Pershad.

The following persons are appointed temporarily to be Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Second Grade, during the absence on duty of Baboos Gunganath Roy and Indro Behary Sing :—

Baboo Ram Churn Lall.
,, Shama Churn Das.

The 25th September 1873.—Mr. William Henry Maffett Gun, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Pooree, in charge of Khoordah, is transferred to the Sudder Station of Cuttack, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved at Khoordah by Mr. W. C. Taylor.

Mr. Charles Arthur Kelly, M.A., is appointed to officiate as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Pubna from the date of his relief by Mr. T. F. Bignold.

The following members of the Subordinate Executive Service are promoted in the vacancy caused by the retirement of Baboo Hurro Chunder Ghose :—

From the Fourth to the Third Grade.

Moulvee Tujjummul Ali, Madareepore.

From the Fifth to the Fourth Grade.

Baboo Sham Chunder Nath, Kendraparah.

From the Sixth to the Fifth Grade.

Baboo Parbutty Churn Roy, B.A., Moonsheegunge.

Baboo Mohiny Mohun Chuckerbutty, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is confirmed in the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service.

The 27th September 1873.—The following Sub-Deputy Collectors are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

Moulvi Salamut Ali, Purneah. Baboo Danesh Prosad, Monghyr.

The 29th September 1873.—The following arrangements have been made from the 1st July last, consequent upon the retirement of Mr. Robert Alexander, Judge of Cuttack :—

Mr. John Frederick Browne to be Judge of Cuttack in the Second Grade, but to continue to officiate in the First Grade of Judges.

Mr. Henry Wallis Alexander to be a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade.

,, Frederick Barnes Peacock to be a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade.

,, James Sutherland Drummond to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade, but to continue to officiate in the Second Grade.

Mr. Charles Bazett Garrett to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Fourth Grade, but to continue to officiate as Judge of the Second Grade at Dacca, until further orders.

Mr. John Boxwell to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade, but to continue to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Mr. Reginald Porch to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade.

,, William Sutherland Wells to officiate as a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade from the 1st July to the date on which his substantive appointment to that Grade takes effect, viz., the 30th September 1873.

Mr. J. Beames officiated as a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade from the 1st July last to the date on which he took charge of the office of Commissioner of Orissa.

The following arrangements have been made from the 30th September 1873, the date of Mr. R. P. Jenkins' retirement :—

Mr. Steuart Colvin Bayley to be Commissioner of the Patna Division.

,, Alexander Abercrombie to be Commissioner of the Dacca Division.

,, William James Money, C.S.I., to be Judge of the Second Grade in Mymensing, but to continue to officiate in the First Grade of Judges.

Mr. William Sutherland Wells to be Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade in Furreedpore.

Mr. Francis James Alexander to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade, but to continue to officiate in the Second Grade.

Mr. John Geoghegan to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Fourth Grade, but to continue to officiate as a Secretary to the Board of Revenue until further orders.

Mr. James O'Kinealy is appointed to officiate as Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, during the absence on leave of Mr. F. R. Cockerell, or until further orders.

Mr. Frederick William Joseph Rees, B.A., is allowed the usual subsidiary leave from the 26th instant, the day following the date of his arrival at Bombay on his return from furlough, to enable him to join his appointment at the 24-Pergunnahs, to which district he has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed.

Mr. Frederick William Joseph Rees, B.A., is appointed to be an Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs, and to officiate as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade. Mr. Rees is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

Mr Samuel Charles Hampton, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rampore Haut, is allowed privilege leave for two months, under Section 18, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code, from the date he may be relieved of the charge of the sub-division. Mr. Hampton is transferred to Rungpore, and will join his appointment in that district on the expiry of his leave.

Mr. John Chamberlain Williamson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Maldah, is appointed to have charge of the Sub-Division of Rampore Haut, and vested with the powers of a Magistrate, Second Class, in Rampore Haut, Beerbhoom and Moorshedabad.

Mr. Frank Robert Stanley Collier is appointed to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate of Dum-Dum and Judge of the Court of Small Causes of that cantonment during the absence of Captain Hopkinson on other duty, or until further orders.

REGISTRATION.—*The 25th September* 1873.—Baboo Bogola Prosunno Mozoomdar is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Noakhally.

EDUCATION.—*The 25th September* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District School Committee of Sylhet:—

Mr. Charles Jennins.
Baboo Tarinee Churn Roy Chowdry.

The 27th September 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District School Committee of Tirhoot, in addition to the members previously notified:—

Lieutenant-Colonel James Burn.
Mr. G. Anderson.
,, M. Lloyd.
,, C. Pope.
,, R. J. Richardson.
Dr. E. J. Gayer.
Baboo Burma Dutt.
Rai Ishree Proshad.
Baboo Bishendro Narain Sahee.
,, Sheo Prosunno Singh.
,, Bhikam Khan.

MEDICAL.—*The 18th September* 1873.—Surgeon-Major Francis Nottidge Macnamara, M.D., Professor of Chemistry, Medical College, and Chemical Examiner to Government, is allowed one month's privilege leave from the 26th instant, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

The 27th September 1873.—Surgeon Henry Cayley, Civil Surgeon of Cuttack, is allowed one month's privilege leave under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code, from the 15th November 1873, or any other date on which he may take it.

ROAD CESS.—*The 27th September* 1873.—Mr. Charles Jennins is appointed to be a member of the District Road Committee in the Sylhet District.

ERRATUM.—*The 25th September* 1873.—In the notification dated the 9th June last, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, regarding the appointment of the Sub-Registrar of Satkaneah:—

For	*Read*
Moonshee Abdool Wasey Ahmed,	Moulvi Abdool Wasey Ahmed.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th September 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the authority vested in him for that purpose by Section 35, Act III (B.C.) of 1864, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that, subject to the limitations therein contained, a tax shall, from the 1st April 1874, be imposed upon all carriages, horses, and elephants kept within the limits of the Chittagong Municipality.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd September 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare public the Ferry at Bhelamari on the Brahmaputtra River, where the road leading from Rungpore to the Garo Hills is intersected by the river.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 25th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the site of the sub-divisional head-quarters at a place called Korigram, in District Rungpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land on what is commonly called "Mudun Beebee's Chur," measuring more or less 800,000 superficial feet, equal to 55 beegahs 11 kattas and 1 chattack, or 18 acres 1 rood and 18 poles, situated in Mouzah Madhubram, Pergunnah Bahirbund, District Rungpore, is required within the aforesaid pergunnah. The boundaries of the land are as follows :—

On the north is the public road and the old bed of the River Dhurla.
On the south is the village Chundalpara.
On the east is the newly formed chur of Dhurla River; and
On the west are the old bed of the Dhurla River and the village Kansareepara.

A plan of the land made by the Executive Engineer of the district has been deposited in the Collector's Office, and is open to inspection there.

This declaration is made, under provision of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 25th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Police Station and Post Office at Dhamnagar, in the Village of Sampore, Pergunnah Dhamnagar, Zillah Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring more or less 3 roods 17 poles of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the jal land of Matawali Mahomed Mazzar Ali; on the south by the arable land of Kanungo Harihar Harichundun; on the east by the waste land of Matawali Mahomed Mazzar Ali; and on the west by the Jogu Sagar tank, is required within the aforesaid Village of Sampore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th September 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare public the Ferry over the River Bhagirathi at Siluri, in the Sub-Division of Cutwa; the Ferry over the River Durkessar at Ekloki, in the Sub-Division of Jehanabad, intersecting the road from Burdwan to Midnapore; and the Ferry over the Khal Sodpur, on the road from Sulkea Ghât to Jehanabad, in the Sub-Division of Jehanabad.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

Rules for the Election of Municipal Commissioners in the Town of Serampore sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor under Section 1 of Bengal Act II of 1873.

Number of elective commissioners.

1. THERE shall be eighteen municipal commissioners for Serampore, of whom fifteen shall be elected by the rate-payers, and three shall be appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor.

Qualification of candidates.

2. Any man of full age who is a resident within municipal limits, or within three miles thereof, who is himself a rate-payer, who can read and write, and who has never been convicted of a non-bailable offence, may be proposed for election.

3. The municipal jurisdiction of Serampore shall be divided into three quarters or wards which shall return members as follows:—

In Serampore, with Chattra and Bullubpore ...	9
„ Konnagar	3
„ Risherah and Mohesh	3
Total ...	15

Notice of candidature.

4. Any two rate-payers may nominate a candidate and may inform the sub-divisional officer of his candidature on any date not later than the 31st November. The sub-divisional officer shall ascertain if the candidate accepts the nomination and is qualified under the rules; and if so, he shall notify such candidature at the sub-divisional cutcherry, and at one or more police stations and school-houses in the town, as he may see fit. Such notification shall state the name, residence, and qualification of the candidate.

Objection against candidates.

5. If any rate-payer object to the eligibility of any candidate, he may on some date not later than the 6th December, notify such objection in writing to the sub-divisional officer, who shall hear and finally decide any question of eligibility. On the 10th December the final list of candidates shall be notified at the sub-divisional cutcherry, and in at least one conspicuous place in each quarter.

Election sub-committee of commissioners.

6. The municipal commissioners shall appoint a sub-committee of three of their number to assist the sub-divisional officer in carrying out the following rules regarding elections.

Time and place of polling.

The sub-divisional officer shall decide on what day, not later than the 25th December, and at what places in the town, the poll shall be held; and he shall notify such decision at the sub-divisional cutcherry, and in at least one place in each quarter.

List of electors.

7. As soon as possible after the publication of these rules, the sub-divisional officer shall prepare a list of all the persons who paid any rate on houses or lands in each ward during the year ending on the 30th September next preceding. A copy of the list shall be exposed to view at the sub-divisional and at the municipal office; and a copy of so much of the list as relates to each quarter in some police-station, school-house, or other accessible public place in each quarter of the town. All persons mentioned in the list shall be entitled to a vote in the election of municipal commissioners for the ward.

Number of votes.

8. No rate-payer shall have a vote for more than one person, or in more than one ward.

Recording of votes.

9. Votes shall be recorded by such polling clerks as may be appointed by the Chairman of the Commissioners; there shall be at least one polling clerk for each polling place, who shall stay at the polling place for such hours as the Sub-Divisional Officer may fix on the day of the poll. Each rate-payer who desires to record his vote shall attend at the polling place, and shall state his name and residence; the polling clerk shall verify from the list of voters of the quarter whether the intending voter is entitled to a vote for that quarter; and if he is so entitled, he shall record his vote against the rate-payer's name in the list of electors for the ward. The election sub-committee of the commissioners shall, acting under the Sub-Divisional Officer's instructions, make such arrangements as they may see fit for identifying voters in cases of doubt, and in any case of doubt as to the validity of a vote, or as to the identity of a voter, the decision of the sub-committee and the Sub-Divisional Officer shall be final.

Identification of voters.

Scrutiny of poll registers.

10. At sunset on the day of the poll the poll shall be closed, and the registers of the polling clerks shall be scrutinised by the Sub-Divisional Officer and the election sub-committee, whose decision upon any doubtful point shall be final. The candidates who may stand highest on the poll of their quarter shall be declared to be duly elected.

11. The result of the poll shall be notified at the sub-divisional cutcherry and in each ward, and shall be reported to Government for publication in the *Gazette*. The candidates declared to be duly elected shall hold office from the 1st January next succeeding the day of their election.

Membership to commence.

12. The cost of erecting temporary sheds, of paying polling clerks, or taking any other necessary action under these rules, shall be paid by the commissioners out of the municipal fund.

Cost of municipal elections.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, Home Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 2966.—*Simla, the* 16*th September* 1873.—*Notification.*—*Public.*—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. C. E. C. Merington to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service from the 25th September 1873.

No. 2995.—*The* 19*th September* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. R. Alexander to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service, with effect from the 1st July 1873.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, Financial Department, are republished for general information :—

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

No. 3079.—*Simla, the* 17*th September* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following Note be inserted under the heading of Chapter XXII of the Civil Pension Code :—

NOTE—The Rules in this Chapter are analogous to the Regulations for the grant of pensions to soldiers wounded and to the heirs of soldiers killed in action.

No. 3177.—*The* 18*th September* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be prefixed to Rule 1, Section 47 of the Civil Pension Code :—

"To pension an officer still capable of useful service is a waste of public money, and every endeavour should always rather be made to employ the officer otherwise. Accordingly"—

His Excellency in Council also directs that the following be inserted in Rule 2, Section 47 of the Civil Pension Code after the words "cost of the appointment":—

"Particulars of the saving effected should be fully set forth in every application for compensation, pension, or gratuity. The saving should always exceed the cost of the pension or gratuity. Otherwise, it might be better to postpone the reduction of establishment or abolition of appointment."

No. 3182.—*The* 19*th September* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the words "or when the pensioner's half is found to be worn or torn" be inserted after the words "filled up" in Rule 2, under Section 80 of the Civil Pension Code.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 979.—*Simla, the* 16*th September* 1873.—As some misapprehension appears to exist on the subject, it is notified for general information that leave preparatory to retirement does not reckon as service towards pension. An officer must therefore complete the period of service prescribed for the scale of pension on which he desires to retire before quitting his station on such leave.

No. 983.—The services of 1st Class Assistant Apothecary J. A. Elliot, of the Subordinate Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 984.—The services of Surgeon H. W. Hill, M.B., of the Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 995.—In supersession of paragraph 3 of Government General Order No. 945, dated the 7th October 1868, the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to direct that Committees examining Hospital Assistants for promotions under the provisions of Government General Order No. 399 of 1854 and No. 968 of 1870, shall, in addition to testing the professional acquirements of candidates for promotion, also examine the proficiency and progress in their knowledge of the English language of those Hospital Assistants who have been drawing the higher rates of pay sanctioned by Government General Order No. 550 of 1868, on account of being qualified in English. The Committee should, in such cases, report distinctly whether they consider that the Hospital Assistant "has not only maintained his previous knowledge, but also made fair progress in his acquaintance with the English language." The rules laid down in Clause 1 of Government General Order No. 945 of 1868 should be the guide in conducting this part of the examination.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th September 1873.—Under Section 3 of Act XX of 1856, it is hereby notified that the group of the five villages noted in the margin will from this date be added to the Chagdah Chokeedaree Union, and that the said Act will take effect therein.

1. Gorepara.
2. Palpara.
3. Khoosh bash Mahulla.
4. Kazipara.
5. Bhabanipore.

Under Section 4 of the Act it is further notified that the limits of the Chagdah Union will in future be as follows,—namely, on the north bounded by Hariar Khal; on the south by the villages Mousupotha and Ektarpore; on the east by Ukhindee Beel, the village Parulea, the village Khederpore, and the imperial road; and the west by Chharuk Ganjo, Palpata Baar.

Under Section 10 of the Act it is also notified that the tax to be levied in the said five villages will be, as it has hitherto been in the Chagdah Union, an assessment according to the circumstances and property to be protected of the persons liable to the same.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road in continuation of the Strand Bank road and of wharves on the east bank of the River Hooghly, between Permit Ghât, situate in the Town of Calcutta, and Daveê Roy's Ghât, situate in the 24-Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land is required bounded as follows:—

On the south by Permit Ghât, situate in the town of Calcutta; on the north by Davee Roy's Ghât, situate in the 24-Pergunnahs; on the west by the River Hooghly; and on the east by a line running parallel to the River Hooghly, more or less 20 feet above high water mark.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 18th September 1873.—The following declaration is published for general information in modification of that portion of the declaration dated 31st May 1873, published at page 720 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 4th June 1873, which relates to the plot of land (No. 8) at Koshytollah.

Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for site of a public privy, it is hereby declared that a plot of land at Mahouttooly Bagdasur, in the town of Dacca, measuring 3,600 square feet in area, bounded on the north by the pucca wall of Goomany Kosye, and Messrs. Stephen's and others' land; south by the fence of Omra's mother's house; east by the public road and that of the waste land up to *Kodom* tree of Messrs. Stephen and others is required.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 18th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for extension of the Moishkhali Strand Road passing through the villages Madarbari, Moishkhali, Halishohur, and Goaildenga, in the District of Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land is required measuring 16 acres 1 rood and 5 poles, more or less, and bounded as follows:—

North—by cultivated lands of village Halishohur.
South—by cultivated lands of village Goaildenga.
West—by Abdool Maloom's road.
East—by Madarbari Strand Road.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 of the Government of India, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare the Kastosali ferry, on the Bhagirutty river, in the Sub-Division of Culnah, in the district of Burdwan, to be a public ferry.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1873.—Under the provisions of Act XXIX of 1837, and Section 337 of the Criminal Procedure Code, it is hereby notified that Hindee is the Court language to be used in Judicial and in Revenue Proceedings, and is the ordinary language of the hill portion of the Darjeeling District.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd September 1873.—It is hereby notified for general information that from 1st of October next the provisions of Act VI (B.C.) of 1868, (The District Town's Act) shall be extended to Khabashpore Mullah, which will thereafter be within the limits of the Town of Furreedpore.

The revised boundaries of the Town will be as specified below :—

North—Ramkanthpoor, Satora, Khada, Alipore, and Shabharampore.
South—Harokandi, Chur Komolapore, and Dhole Sumunder.
East—Pudda.
West—Brahmunkanda and Boderpore.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication]

DECLARATION.

The 23rd September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, the expense being met from the donation of Khajeh Assanollah, for a public purpose, viz., for a site for a Madrasah in the town of Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land measuring about 4 *b.* 10 *c.* 19 *d.*, more or less, of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Church Lane ; on the west by the Racket Court Maidan ; on the south by the Lukhi Bazaar Road ; and on the east by the houses of Peero Mahi Farash, Kadir Durzee, Rahim, and Kadir Buksh, and a narrow lane west of the house of Koonjoo Behari Bysack, is required in the town of Dacca.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

RULES REGARDING AGE-CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDATES FOR THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE RE-PUBLISHED FOR GENERAL INFORMATION :—

RESOLUTION.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

EDUCATION.

Fort William, the 3rd July 1871.

READ letter No. 2893, dated the 10th ultimo, from the Government of India, in the Home Department, forwarding a set of rules regarding the age-certificates of candidates for the Indian Civil Service, and requesting their promulgation if His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor sees no objection.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to adopt the rules which, as applied to Bengal, are as under :—

I.—Candidates for admission to compete in England for the Indian Civil Service are required, before leaving India, to obtain a certificate of age signed by the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the General Department.

II.—In order to obtain a certificate, candidates are required to prove the date of their birth before the Magistrate of the district in which the candidate's family resides; or, if the family residence is in Calcutta, before the Magistrate of Police in either the Northern or Southern Division.

III.—Candidates will signify their desire to compete not less than three months before the date on which they propose to go to England to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the General Department, who will then forward each application for the purpose of inquiry to the Magistrate to whose district it belongs.

IV.—The Magistrate will call upon the candidate to appear and give evidence of the date of his birth within one month. He will carefully examine into the value of the evidence given, and forward a summary of it, with certified copies of all documents tendered, and with his comments and opinion, to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the General Department.

V.—The documentary evidence which the candidates may be expected to produce comprises—

(*a*) The horoscope.
(*b*) Family books.
(*c*) Tradesmen's account books showing entries relating to the birth.
(*d*) The record of admission in the registers of the school in which the candidate was educated, and the record of the candidate's age at various periodical school examinations.
(*e*) If the candidate is matriculated, a certified copy of his application to the Registrar in form A.
(*f*) Oral testimony of persons acquainted with the candidate's family and others will also be taken, and the candidate is required to comply to the best of his power with any requisition the Magistrate may make in order to clear up any doubt as to the purport of the documentary proofs.

VI.—If the Secretary shall be satisfied by the papers submitted by the Magistrate that the candidate has stated the date of his birth correctly, he will issue a certificate declaring that the candidate has submitted the proofs of his birth to the Magistrate of the———— district, and has satisfied him that he was actually born on or about the date stated by him viz. the————day of————18—.

VII.—If the Secretary finds reason to doubt that the candidate was born on the day asserted by him, the certificate will be refused, and the candidate will be unable to obtain admission to the competitive examination for the Indian Civil Service.

VIII.—Where the date of a birth has been formally registered in a register kept by any public officer, an extract from the register duly certified by the proper official shall be accepted as sufficient proof of the date of the birth.

IX.—Any declaration of age made after the application of these rules on occasion of seeking admission to any university examination, educational institution, or Government office or otherwise recorded in a formal and deliberate manner, will be taken as conclusive evidence in disproof of the subsequent assertion by the same person that he is of a different age to that so declared or recorded.

3. The age-certificates are at present submitted to Government by the Director of Public Instruction. In future they will be submitted by the District Magistrates under the above-mentioned rules, but an opportunity will be given to the Director of Public Instruction to compare them with the school and college entry certificates of candidates.

Ordered that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to all Commissioners of Divisions for communication to District Magistrates for their guidance.

Also that a copy be forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for information.

Also that a copy be forwarded to the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, for communication to the Police Magistrates.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th September 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare the Kushba, Shilla, and Coolpara ferries over the river Damoodah, and situated within the Sub-division of Bood-Bood, Burdwan district, to be public ferries.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF RAJSHAHYE.

The 12th September 1873.—It is notified under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (The District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the District of Rajshahye have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the ensuing year beginning on the first of October next, at the following rates, being half the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I.—Three pie or one pice on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II.—The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100	but less than Rs.	500 ...	0	8	0
,, ,,	500	,, ,,	1,000 ...	1	8	0
,, ,,	1,000	,, ,,	2,000 ...	2	4	0

,, ,, 2,000 and upwards, one rupee and eight annas for every Rs. 1,000, or part thereof of estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100 to pay a yearly tax of eight annas.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF HAZAREEBAUGH.

The 15th September 1873.—It is notified under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (The District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the District of Hazareebaugh have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act at three-fourths of the maximum rates for the ensuing Road Cess year. The cesses payable in the Hazareebaugh district for the year beginning on the first of October 1873 will therefore be at the following rates :—

I.—Four and half pie or one and half pice on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II.—The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of —

				Yearly cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100	but less than Rs.	500 ...	0	12	0
,, ,,	500	,, ,,	1,000 ...	2	4	0
,, ,,	1,000	,, ,,	2,000 ...	3	6	0

,, ,, 2,000 and upwards, two rupees and four annas for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100 to pay a yearly tax of twelve annas.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF NUDDEA.

The 16th September 1873.—It is notified under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (The District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the District of Nuddea have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the ensuing year beginning on the 1st of October next, at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I.—Six pie or two pice on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II.—The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100	but less than Rs.	500 ...	1	0	0
,, ,,	500	,, ,,	1,000 ...	3	0	0
,, ,,	1,000	,, ,,	2,000 ...	4	8	0

,, ,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100 to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1409.

JUDICIAL.—*The 24th September* 1873.—Baboo Judoonath Roy, Judge of the Small Cause Court and Subordinate Judge of Midnapore, is allowed privilege leave for one month during the ensuing Dusserah vacation under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Prosunno Coomar Sen, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Olipore in Rungpore, during the absence on leave of Baboo Hurropershad Sen, or until further orders.

The 25th September 1873.—Baboo Sreenath Pal, B.L., is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Chittagong, on the re-opening of the Civil Courts after the vacation till relieved by the permanent incumbent, Moonshee Hushmutoollah, now on leave, or until further orders.

The following Munsifs are promoted in the vacancies caused by the retirement of Baboo Mohesh Chunder Roy, and the promotion of Baboo Gungakant Mookerjee, to the grade of Subordinate Judges :—

From the Second to the First Grade.

Baboo Chunder Prosunno Dutt, Dhamnuggur (Jajpore) Cuttack.
" Kali Churn Chatterjee, Noakhally.

From the Third to the Second Grade.

Baboo Uma Churn Dutt, B.L., Maldah
" Mohesh Chunder Chuckerbutty, Bholepore, Beerbhoom.

Baboo Nilmadhub Shamunt, B.L., is appointed to be a Munsif of the Third Grade, and to be Munsif of Phenchoogunge, in Sylhet.

Baboo Sarbeshwar Mozumdar, L.L., is appointed to be a Munsif of the Third Grade, and to be Munsif of Jamalpore, in Mymensing. This cancels the orders of the 1st instant, appointing him to officiate as Munsif of Bood-Bood.

Baboo Beharilall Mullick, B.L., is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Bood-Bood in East Burdwan during the absence on leave for two months from the 1st October next, of Baboo Sreenath Dutt, or until further orders.

Baboo Rajcoomar Moitro is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Budergunge, in Rungpore, after the Dusserah vacation, during the absence on duty of Baboo Promothonath Mookerjee, or until further orders.

Baboo Otool Beharee Ghose, B.L., is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Seebgunge, in Dinagepore, during the absence on leave of Baboo Jogesh Chunder Mitter, or until further orders.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

Regulations made by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, pursuant to the provisions of Section 6, Act XX of 1865, *for conducting the examination of applicants for admission as Pleaders or Mookhtars in the Mofussil Courts subordinate to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.*

1. In order to the ascertainment of the qualifications of candidates for admission as Pleaders and Mookhtars in the Mofussil Courts subordinate to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal will from time to time appoint Examiners in Law, who shall have a President and a Secretary.

2. The examination of candidates shall be held on such dates within the month of January or February in each year, as shall be appointed and duly notified by the Examiners in Law.

3. The examination shall be conducted by the Examiners in Law, and shall be held under the superintendence of the person or persons appointed for that purpose.

4. The examination of candidates for pleaderships of the higher grade shall be held in Calcutta; the examination for lower grade pleaders and for mookhtars shall be held at Calcutta, Patna, Dacca, Cuttack and Gowhatty.

5. The examination for higher grade pleaders shall be conducted in English; for lower grade pleaders and for mookhtars, in English or in the vernacular of the district, at the option of the candidate, as declared in his application for admission to the examination.

6. The examination shall be in part by written questions, the answers to which shall be in writing, and in part *vivâ voce*. But the Examiners in Law, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, shall have power to dispense with the *vivâ voce* examination in the vernacular if it so seem fit.

7. The Examiners shall prepare the written questions, of which there shall be not less than four papers for the pleaders' and mookhtars' examinations respectively.

8. Each paper shall contain twelve questions, and shall bear a full value of 160 marks.

9. The full number of marks for the *vivâ voce* examination, in which candidates shall be asked at least five questions, shall be 50.

10. The questions shall be so framed as to test the knowledge of the candidates in the subjects mentioned in the rules passed by the High Court for the qualification, admission, and enrolment of pleaders and mookhtars in Mofussil Courts; and they shall be so prepared that a candidate may be able to pass by studying the regulations, enactments, and text books there specified.

11. The number of marks to which each candidate shall be entitled for his answers to the written or oral questions shall be determined by the Examiners in Law.

12. To be entitled to pass, candidates must obtain not less than the marks hereunder specified :—

	In each of the written papers.	In the *viva voce* examination.
Higher Grade Pleadership	100	30
Lower ,, ,, ...	80	26
Mookhtarship	100	30

13. No candidate will be allowed to enter the examination room with any books or private memoranda, and any one detected doing so, will forfeit all fees paid by him, and will not be permitted to undergo examination. Any candidates detected in the act of using unfair means, such as communicating with each other, or copying from their neighbours, or from private memoranda or books, &c., will be summarily ejected from the examination room, and shall forfeit all benefit to be derived from the previous portion of the examination and all right to proceed further, together with all fees paid by them.

14. When the examination shall have been concluded, the Examiners in Law shall submit the names of those candidates who have passed, together with a report of their proceedings to Government.

15. The names of the successful candidates shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and certificates, to be granted by the Examiners in Law under the signatures of the President and Secretary, shall be forwarded for distribution to the successful candidates by the Judges of their respective districts.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 13th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., site of a pound, it is hereby declared that a plot of land at Lalbag, in the town of Dacca, measuring 1,457 square feet in area, bounded on the north by the property of Mirzah Golampir; south by the road leading to the Government Philkhanah; east by the property of Gopee Mohun, Bungshee Mohun, and Dwarka Nath, and the pucca wall of Baboo Radha Charan; and west by the property of Moonshee Kamal, is required.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1873.—Under Section 3, Regulation I of 1872 (A Regulation for the peace and good government of the territory known as the Sonthal Pergunnahs), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that in addition to the Regulations and Acts mentioned in the Schedule of that Regulation, Act VI of 1864 (The Whipping Act) shall have force and effect in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1873.—It is hereby notified that with the approval of the Government of India the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to modify Rule 4, Clause (c) of the rules for regulating the payment of expenses of complainants and witnesses in criminal trials notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th June last. The rule will stand as follows:—"For Europeans and Natives of superior rank, Second Class Railway fare, and an allowance according to the circumstances, not to exceed in any case Rs. 3 per diem for subsistence."

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

RESOLUTION.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Calcutta, the 10th September 1873.

THE Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the accompanying notification regarding the duties imposed by law upon landowners and others, and upon the public generally, with reference to giving information of offences, the consorting of bad characters, and other matters of a like character, be translated into the vernaculars and circulated widely for the guidance of those concerned.

2. A copy of the notification will be given to all considerable landholders and their agents. It will, when possible, be delivered by the police at the residence of the landholder, and a receipt be taken for it; otherwise it will be handed over by the towjih nuvis to the agent of each landholder when paying in revenue or zemindary dâk tax, a receipt being taken as above directed. The district officers will determine how best to give effect to this order.

3. Copies will be affixed and renewed from time to time in some conspicuous place in each village of Bengal. The report of such proclamation having been made, shall be signed by the local representative of the zemindar and some of the principal men of the village. The report should also certify that the notification has been read in the presence of the village chowkeedar or chowkeedars. This will not exempt police officers in charge of stations from fully and regularly explaining their duty in connection with crime to chowkeedars when they visit the stations.

4. Copies will also be supplied to the managers of estates under the Court of Wards, who will be responsible for communicating them to their subordinates.

5. It will rest with Magistrates now to enforce the provisions of the law. If this is done vigorously in one or two cases, the Lieutenant-Governor has no doubt a great improvement will follow in the working of the district police.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Calcutta, the 10th September 1873.

THE following provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure set forth the duty of landholders, village police, and others, in the matter of aiding the Magistrate and police by giving early information respecting the commission of crime and co-operating in the apprehension of criminals.

2. By Section 89 of the Code of Criminal Procedure *every person* aware of the commission of any offence made punishable under the sections of the Indian Penal Code mentioned in the accompanying schedule is bound to give information of the same to the nearest police officer or Magistrate.

Sections 89 and 91 refer to *all persons.*

3. By Section 91 *every person* is bound to assist a Magistrate or police officer demanding his aid in the prevention of a breach of the peace, or in the suppression of a riot or an affray, or in the taking of any other person whom such Magistrate or police officer is authorized to arrest.

4. By Section 90 every village headman, village watchman, owner or occupier of land, or the agent of any such owner or occupier, and every native officer employed in the collection of revenue or rent of land on the part of Govern-

Section 90 refers specially *to landlords, village police,* and others holding cognate positions.

ment or the Court of Wards, is (in addition to the obligations imposed on him by sections 89 and 91) bound forthwith to communicate to the nearest Magistrate, or to the officer in charge of the nearest police station, any information which he may obtain respecting—

(*a*) the residence of any notorious receiver or vendor of stolen property at the village of which he is headman or watchman, or in which he owns or occupies land or collects rent or revenue, as the case may be;

(*b*) the resort to any place within the limits of such village of any person or persons known or reasonably suspected of being a thug or robber;

(*c*) the commission or intention to commit suttee *or other non-bailable offence* at or near such village;

(*d*) the occurrence of any sudden or unnatural death.

5. Besides those set out in the schedule attached to this notification, the principal non-bailable offences in regard to which the persons described in paragraph 4 above are *specially* bound to give information are the following:—

Penal Code Sections.

Sections 194 and 195.—Giving or fabricating false evidence in order to get any person convicted of a capital offence or of an offence punishable with transportation or imprisonment for more than seven years.

Section 226.—Unlawful return from transportation.

Sections 231 to 254.—All offences connected with counterfeit coin.

Section 307.—Attempt to murder.

Sections 313 to 316.—Causing miscarriage or abortion without the woman's consent or when death ensues.

Sections 326 to 329.—Causing grievous hurt by dangerous means for purposes of extortion, and administering stupefying drugs in order to cause hurt.

Sections 331 to 333.—Causing grievous hurt to extort confession, or to deter a public servant from his duty.

Sections 363 to 369 and 371-373.—Kidnapping, dealing in slaves, selling and buying children for purposes of prostitution.

Sections 376 and 377.—Rape and unnatural offences.

Sections 379 to 382.—Theft.

Sections 386 to 389.—Extortion by putting in fear of death or grievous hurt, or by threat of accusing of heinous crime.

Sections 400 and 401.—Association of persons for habitual dacoity or theft.

Sections 411 to 414.—Receiving, dealing in, or concealing stolen property.

Sections 466 to 468. } Forgery of records, wills, and such like, or of Govern-
" 471 " 477. } ment notes, counterfeiting seals, dies, plates, &c.

Section 505.—Circulating false statements to cause mutiny or breach of the public peace.

Offences under Special Laws.

N.B.—All offences under special laws, when punishable with three years' imprisonment or upwards, are not bailable. Hence information must be given of the following offences:—

Act XXXI of 1860, Sections 2, 18, 23.—Unlicensed manufacture of cannon and unlicensed importation or transportation of arms or military stores.

Act XIV of 1866, Section 48.—Theft, destruction, or secretion by a post office employé of any article sent by post, or the abetment of such an offence.

Act XVIII of 1854, Section 25.—Any wilful act or omission endangering the safety of railway passengers.

6. Neglect of the duties imposed by the above quoted sections (86, 90, and 91 of the Criminal Procedure Code), *i.e.*, intentionally omitting to give the information or assistance prescribed, is punishable under several sections of the Indian Penal Code by sentences varying in severity with the precise nature of the neglect involved: but the punishment may in certain cases amount to six months' rigorous imprisonment or fine unlimited, or both. (Sections 176,

187, 202 of the Penal Code.) The punishment for giving false information is still more severe.

7. Owners or occupiers of, and persons interested in land, are liable to special penalties for failing to give information of an impending riot or for failing to do all they can to prevent it. The following sections of the Penal Code bear upon this point :—

Offences against the Public Tranquillity.

Owner or occupier of land on which an unlawful assembly is held.

(154.) Whenever any unlawful assembly or riot takes place, the owner or occupier of the land upon which such unlawful assembly is held, or such riot is committed, and any person having or claiming an interest in such land, shall be punishable with fine not exceeding one thousand rupees, if he or his agent or manager, knowing that such offence is being or has been committed, or having reason to believe it is likely to be committed, do not give the earliest notice thereof in his or their power to the principal officer at the nearest police station, and do not, in the case of his or their having reason to believe that it was about to be committed, use all lawful means in his or their power to prevent it, and in the event of its taking place, do not use all lawful means in his or their power to disperse or suppress the riot or unlawful assembly.

Liability of person for whose benefit a riot is committed.

(155.) Whenever a riot is committed for the benefit or on behalf of any person who is the owner or occupier of any land respecting which such riot takes place, or who claims any interest in such land, or in the subject of any dispute which gave rise to the riot, or who has accepted or derived any benefit therefrom, such person shall be punishable with fine, if he or his agent or manager, having reason to believe that such riot was likely to be committed, or that the unlawful assembly by which such riot was committed was likely to be held, shall not respectively use all lawful means in his or their power to prevent such assembly or riot from taking place, and for suppressing and dispersing the same.

Liability of agent of owner or occupier, for whose benefit a riot is committed.

(156.) Whenever a riot is committed for the benefit or on behalf of any person who is the owner or occupier of any land respecting which such riot takes place, or who claims any interest in such land or in the subject of any dispute which gave rise to the riot, or who has accepted or derived any benefit therefrom, the agent or manager of such person shall be punishable with fine, if such agent or manager, having reason to believe that such riot was likely to be committed, or that the unlawful assembly by which such riot was committed was likely to be held, shall not use all lawful means in his power to prevent such riot or assembly from taking place and for suppressing and dispersing the same.

8. Landholders, farmers, and managers of land should also be aware that under section 162 of the Criminal Procedure Code, the Magistrate of the district may direct a warrant to any of them for the arrest of any escaped convict, proclaimed offender, or person who has been accused of a non-bailable offence, and who has eluded pursuit. The landholder or other person to whom the warrant is directed is bound to acknowledge its receipt, and to execute it, should the person for whose arrest it is issued enter on or be in his estate, farm, or land under his charge, and must then hand over the prisoner with the warrant to the nearest police officer.

9. Under sections 22 and 23 of Act XIII of 1857, all landholders, farmers, gomashtahs, and managers of land, and all village police, are bound under penalty to give information of any illegal cultivation of poppy within the estates or farms held or managed by them.

SCHEDULE

OF

Offences under the Penal Code of which every person must give information.

Section 121.—Waging or attempting to wage war or abetting the waging of war against the Queen.

Section 121A.—Conspiring to commit the above offence, or to deprive the Queen of her sovereignty in India, or to overawe by criminal force, or the show of criminal force, the Government of India or local Government.

Section 122.—Collecting men, arms, or ammunition, &c., with intention of waging war against the Queen.

Section 123.—Concealing a design to wage war against the Queen with intent to facilitate such design.

Section 124.—Assaulting or attempting to overawe or restrain the Governor-General of India, Governor of Presidency, Lieutenant-Governor, or Member of Council, with intent to compel or restrain the exercise of any lawful power.

Section 124A.—Attempting in any way to cause feelings of disaffection to the Government.

Section 125.—The waging war, or attempting or abetting the waging of war, against Asiatic powers, allies of the Queen or at peace with the Queen.

Section 126.—Committing depredation on the territories of any power in alliance or at peace with the Queen.

Section 130.—Aiding the escape of or rescuing any State prisoner, or harbouring such prisoner.

Section 302.—Murder.

Section 303.—Murder by a life convict.

Section 304.—Culpable homicide not amounting to murder.

Section 382.—Theft after preparation for causing death or hurt in order to the theft.

Section 392.—Robbery.

Section 393.—Attempt to commit robbery.

Section 394.—Causing hurt in attempt to commit robbery.

Section 395.—Dacoity.

Section 396.—Dacoity with murder.

Section 397.—Robbery or dacoity with attempt to cause death or grievous hurt.

Section 398.—Attempt to commit robbery or dacoity when armed with a deadly weapon.

Section 399.—Preparation to commit dacoity.

Section 402.—Assembling for the purpose of committing dacoity.

Section 435.—Mischief by fire or explosive substances with intent to cause damage to property of the value of Rs. 100 or upwards.

Section 436.—Mischief by fire or explosive substances with intent to destroy a place of worship, dwelling-house, store-house, &c.

Sections 449 and 450.—House-trespass in order to the commission of an offence punishable by death or transportation for life.

Sections 456 to 460.—Lurking, house-trespass, or house-breaking by night, whether simple, or in order to the commission of an offence, or accompanied by preparations for causing hurt or fear of hurt, or by grievous hurt, or attempts to cause death or grievous hurt.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 24th September 1873.

No. 351.—*Appointment.*—Mr. R. C. McKennie, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, to officiate as Executive Engineer of the Dinagepore and Maldah Districts.

No. 352.—*Transfers.*—Mr. T. Beatty, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, from the Dinagepore and Maldah to the Moorshedabad Districts.

No. 353.—Mr. E. Moriarty, Overseer, First Grade, joined the Dinagepore and Maldah Districts on the 9th September 1873, before noon.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 24th September 1873.

No. 399.—*Leave.*—Baboo Mutty Lall Mozoomdar, Overseer, Third Grade, Cossye Division, is granted sick leave for two months under Supplement F, Section 3 of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 400.—Mr. G. H. Faulkner, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, Cuttack Workshop Division, is granted privilege leave for one month under Supplement F, Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 8th May 1873.

Mr. Faulkner returned to duty on 8th June 1873.

No. 401.—Baboo Pearymohun Gossamy, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, Western Sone Survey Division, is granted privilege leave for one month under Supplement F, Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the forenoon of the 25th July 1873.

The Sub-Overseer returned to duty on 26th August 1873.

No. 402.—Baboo Soodam Chunder Patnaik, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, Western Sone Survey Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted on the forenoon of the 15th September 1873.

No. 327, dated 18th August 1873.

No. 403.—*Notification.*—Mr. E. R. Middleton, Deputy Collector of Serampore, received charge of the Dancuni Survey works on the 19th May 1873.

The 25th September 1873.

No. 404.—*Transfer.*—Mr. A. Hayes, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, from the South Western to the Sone Circle.

No. 405.—*Leave.*—Baboo Hurrish Chunder Mookerjee, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, Dehree Division, availed himself of the privilege leave previously granted him on the 17th September 1873.

No. 406.—*Leave.*—Mr. L. A. Mendes, Supervisor, First Grade, Hidgellee Division, is granted privilege leave for six weeks under Supplement F, Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code.

H. W. GULLIVER, *Lieut.-Col.*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

TRANSFERS.

BABOO SHIBPROSAD SING, Sudder Moonsiff of Cuttack to Pooree, District Cuttack, as Moonsiff of that Station.

Baboo Harakishen Chatterjee, Moonsiff of Pooree, Zillah Cuttack, to Cuttack, as Sudder Moonsiff of that Station.

By order of the High Court,
J. H. BELCHAMBER, *Dy. Registrar for Registrar.*

HIGH COURT, the 25th September 1873.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The following rules are published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FORT WILLIAM,
The 11th September 1873.

Rules drawn up in accordance with Section 4, Act XX of 1865, for the qualification, admission, and enrolment of Pleaders and Mooktears in Mofussil Courts.

1. Pleaders in the Mofussil Courts of the Regulation provinces, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the High Court, shall, as regards qualification, be of two grades.

2. Those of the higher grade shall be competent to appear, plead, and act in any Civil or Criminal Court subordinate to and within the limits of the general jurisdiction of the High Court, and also before the Board of Revenue or in any Revenue Court or Office within the said limits: Provided that they shall not appear, plead, or act in the High Court.

3. Those of the lower grade shall be competent to appear, plead, and act in the Courts of Moonsiffs, and in Small Cause Courts, and in the Courts of Officers in the District of Cachar, and the Divisions of Assam, Chota Nagpore, and Cooch Behar, exercising the powers of Moonsiffs under the Bengal Civil Courts' Act, 1871.

4. Mooktears duly admitted and enrolled, may, subject to the conditions of their certificates as to the class of Courts in which they are authorized to practise, appear and act in any Civil Court, and may appear, plead, and act in any Criminal Court within the same limits: Provided that they shall not appear, plead, or act in the High Court.

5. The Examiners hereinafter mentioned shall be the persons appointed to be Examiners by the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal under the provisions of Act XX of 1865.

Qualifications for Pleaders of the Higher Grade.

6. Every person may be admitted as a pleader of the higher grade who shall be qualified as hereinafter prescribed, that is to say—

1st.—If he shall have obtained the Degree of Bachelor of Law of one of the Universities of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, or shall be Licentiate in Law of one of the said Universities: Provided that his application for admission as a pleader be made within one year from the time of his obtaining such degree or license, or within such further time as the High Court shall for any special reason allow; or

2nd.—If he produce a certificate from the Examiners that he has passed, in the first class, an examination in the subjects prescribed from time to time by the High Court for such examination.

Such subjects shall until further orders by the Court, be as follows:—

HIGHER GRADE.

Subjects.	*Regulations, Enactments, and Text-Books.*
1st.—The law of property current in Bengal—	
A.—With reference to the permanent settlement; to the Government lien on land; to claims to hold land exempt from the payment of revenue; and to the mode in which estates can be brought to sale for arrears of revenue.	Regulations (Bengal) I, VIII, X, XIV, XIX, and XLIV of 1793, and the Regulations and Acts by which the same have been altered; Act XI of 1859, and the preamble to Regulation (Bengal) II of 1793.
B.—The law of under-tenures, and the mode in which the same can be brought to sale for arrears of rent.	Regulation (Bengal) VIII of 1819; Act VIII of 1865 (Bengal Council); Act VIII of 1869 B. C. (Except as to candidates to practise in Orissa, Chota Nagpore, and Assam, who will be required, as heretofore, to pass in Act X of 1859).
C.—The relation of landlord and tenant.	Act VIII of 1869, B. C., except as above.
D.—Mortgages, Registration of Assurances.	Macpherson on Mortgages; Act VIII of 1871.
E.—The Hindoo Law of Inheritance, Succession and Adoption.	Dayabhage and Mitakshara; Dattaka Chundrika, and Macnaghten's Principles of Hindoo Law, first seven Chapters.
F.—Mahomedan Law.	Macnaghten's Principles of Mahomedan Law, except chapter 9.
G.—The Indian Succession Act.	Act X of 1865; Act XXI of 1870.
2nd.—Obligations arising from contracts.	Macpherson on Contracts; Act IX of 1872.
3rd.—Civil Procedure.	Act VIII of 1859; Act XXIII of 1861; Act XI of 1865.
4th.—The Law of Evidence.	Act I of 1872.
5th.—The Law relating to Stamps.	Act XVIII of 1869, and Act VII of 1870.
6th.—The Law of Limitation.	Act IX of 1871.
7th.—Criminal Law and Procedure.	The Indian Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860 and Act XXVII of 1870), and the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act X of 1872.

7. The application to the High Court for admission shall be made within one year from the time of the applicant's passing the examination, or within such further time as the Court shall for any special reason allow.

8. In order to qualify a person to present himself for the examination required by these rules for the higher grade—

1st.— He must hold a certificate of having passed the Firts Arts Examination of the University of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, or the first public examination before Moderators at Oxford, or the previous examination at Cambridge, or the preliminary examination in Arts in one of the Scotch Universities, or the examination in Arts for the second grade at Durham, or the matriculation at the University of Dublin, or a certificate of having passed some other public examination which shall be certified by not less than three Judges of the High Court, as being in their opinion equivalent to one or other of the above-mentioned examinations.

2nd.—He must hold a certificate of having regularly attended a full course of Lectures in Law at one of the Colleges affiliated to the Calcutta University, or such Law Lectures elsewhere as shall be deemed by the High Court to be sufficient.

3rd.—He must produce a satisfactory certificate of good moral character, and be above the age of 20 years.

9. Every candidate for examination for the higher grade shall, on or before the 1st of November in each year, give notice to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners of his intention to present himself at the ensuing examination, and he shall establish to their satisfaction that he possesses the qualifications declared by Rule 8 to be nesessary for such candidates.

10. The Examiners, if satisfied that the candidate possesses such qualifications, shall thereupon enter his name, the name of his father, his place of residence, and his age, in a register, with a certificate to the effect that the Examiners are satisfied that he possesses the necessary qualifications.

11. Before the date of examination, every candidate for the higher grade shall pay a fee of Rs. 30 into the Government Treasury at Calcutta, and shall produce to the Examiners the receipt for the said sum of Rs. 30.

12. Any person who shall have passed the examination as a pleader of the higher grade, or who shall have obtained the degree of Bachelor in Law of one of the Universities of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, or of Licentiate in Law of one of the said Universities, and who shall desire to be admitted to practise, shall pay into the Government Treasury of the district in which he shall intend to practise Rs. 25, and shall on presentation of the certificate of the Examiners or of his Diploma, and the receipt for the said sum of Rs. 25, be entitled to apply to the High Court for admission and enrolment.

13. The application, together with the certificate and receipt required by Rule 12, shall be presented to the Judge of the district in which the applicant intends ordinarily to practise, and shall be forwarded by the Judge to the Registrar of the High Court, with such remarks as he may think fit to make thereon.

14. The name of the applicant and his place of abode, together with his father's name and place of abode, shall be affixed in some conspicuous place in the Court House of the Judge to whom the application is sent, and also in the High Court, at least six weeks before the applicant is admitted to practise.

15. The High Court may call for evidence of the respectability of the applicant in any case in which it may be deemed necessary.

16. Upon the applicant's being admitted and enrolled by the High Court, a certificate to that effect shall be forwarded by the Registrar of the High Court to the Judge of the district, who, upon the applicant's delivering and leaving with him a declaration in writing signed by the said applicant in conformity with the recital in the form of certificate given in the 2nd Schedule to Act XX of 1865, shall grant him a certificate as required by the said Act.

Qualifications for Pleaders of the Lower Grade.

17. Every person may be admitted as a pleader of the lower grade who shall produce a certificate from the Board of Examiners that he has passed, in the second class, an examination in the same subjects as are prescribed for pleaders of the higher grade under the provisions of Rule 6.

18. The application to the High Court for admission shall be made within one year from the time of the applicant's passing the examination, or within such further time as the Court shall for for any special reason allow.

19. In order to qualify a person to present himself for examination for the lower grade—

1st.—He must hold a certificate of having passed the entrance examination of the University of Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, in the First or Second Class, or the first public examination before Moderators at Oxford, or the previous examination at Cambridge, or the preliminary examination in Arts in one of the Scotch Universities, or the examination in Arts for the second grade at Durham, or the matriculation examination at the University of Dublin or London, or a certificate of having passed some other public examination which shall be certified by not less than three Judges of the High Court as being in their opinion equivalent to one or other of the above-mentioned examinations.

2nd.—He must produce a satisfactory certificate of good moral character, and be above the age of 20 years.

20. Every candidate for examination for the lower grade shall, on or before the 1st November in each year, give notice to the Examiners of his intention to present himself at the ensuing examination, and shall establish to the satisfaction of the said Examiners that he possesses the qualifications declared by Rule 19 to be necessary for such candidates.

21. The Examiners, if satisfied that the candidate possesses such qualifications, shall thereupon enter his name, the name of his father, his place of residence, and his age in a register, with a certificate to the effect that they have been satisfied that he possesses the necessary qualifications, and shall furnish the candidate with a copy of, or an extract from the said register.

22. Before the date of examination every candidate for the lower grade shall pay a fee of Rs. 20 into the Government Treasury, and shall furnish to the Examiners the receipt for the said fee of Rs. 20.

23. Any person who shall have passed for the lower grade under the preceding rules, and who shall desire to be admitted, shall pay into the Government Treasury of the district in which he shall intend to practise Rs. 15, and shall on presentation of the Examiners' certificate and of the receipt for the said sum of Rs. 15 be entitled to apply to the High Court for admission and enrolment.

24. The application, together with the certificate and receipt mentioned in Rule 23, shall be presented to the Judge of the district in which the applicant intends ordinarily to practise, and shall be forwarded by him to the Registrar of the High Court, with any remarks which he may think fit to make thereon.

25. The name of the applicant and his place of abode, together with his father's name and place of abode, shall be affixed in some conspicuous place in the Court House of the Judge to whom the application is sent, and also in the High Court, at least six weeks before the applicant is admitted to practise.

26. The High Court may call for evidence of the respectability of the applicant in any case in which it may think it necessary.

27. Upon the applicant's being admitted and enrolled by the High Court, a certificate to that effect shall be forwarded by the Registrar of the High Court to the Judge of the district, who, upon the applicant's delivering and leaving with him a declaration in writing signed by the said applicant in conformity with the recital in the form of certificate given in the 2nd Schedule to Act XX of 1865, shall grant him a certificate as required by the said Act.

Rules for Mookhtears.

28. Every person may be admitted as a mookhtear who shall be qualified as hereinafter prescribed, that is to say :—

(1). If he shall be qualified to be admitted as a pleader of either grade: Provided that his application to be admitted as a mookhtear shall be made within one year from the time of his obtaining such degree or license, or within such further time as the Court shall for any special reason allow; or

(2). If he shall produce a certificate from the Examiners that he has passed an examination in the subjects prescribed from time to time by the High Court for the examination of mookhtears. Such subject shall until further notice be as follows :—

Code of Civil Procedure.	Code of Criminal Procedure.
Law of Limitation.	Registration Act.
Stamp Laws.	Evidence Act.
Small Cause Court Act.	Contract Act.
Penal Code.	

29. In order to qualify a person to present himself for the examination required by these rules for mookhtears—

(1). He must hold a certificrte of having passed the Entrance Examination of the University of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, or a certificate of having passed the vernacular or minor scholarship examination, or some other public examination certified by the Director of Public Instruction or by an Inspector of Schools to be equivalent thereto.

(2). He must produce a satisfactory certificate of good moral character, and be above the age of 20 years.

30. Every candidate for examination as a mookhtear shall, on or before the 1st of December of each year, give notice to the Examiners of his intention to present himself at the ensuing examination, and shall establish to their satisfaction that he possesses all the qualifications declared by Rule 29 to be necessary for such candidates.

31. The examiners, if satisfied that the candidate possesses such qualifications, shall thereupon enter his name, the name of his father, his place of residence, and his age in a register, with a certificate to the effect that they have been satisfied that he possesses the necessary qualifications, and shall furnish the candidate with a copy of or an extract from the said register.

32. Before the date of examination every candidate shall pay a fee of Rs. 15 into the Government Treasury of the district, and shall furnish to the Examiners the receipt for the said fee of Rs. 15.

33. Any person who shall pass the examination as a mookhtear, and who shall desire to be admitted, shall pay into the Government Treasury of the district in which he shall intend to practise Rs. 10, and shall on presentation of the certificate of the Examiners and of the receipt for the said sum of Rs. 10 be entitled to apply to the High Court for admission and enrolment.

34. The application, together with the certificate and receipt required by Rule 33, shall be presented to the Judge of the district in which the applicant intends ordinarily to practise, and shall be forwarded by the Judge to the Registrar of the High Court, with such remarks as he may think fit to make thereon.

35. The name of the applicant and his place of abode, together with his father's name and place of abode, shall be affixed in some conspicuous place in the Court House of the Judge to whom the application is sent, and also in the High Court, at least three weeks before the applicant is admitted to practise.

36. The High Court may call for evidence of the respectability of the applicant in any case in which it may think it necessary.

37. Upon the applicant's being admitted and enrolled by the High Court, a certificate to that effect shall be forwarded by the Registrar of the High Court to the Judge of the district, who upon the applicant's delivering and leaving with him a declaration in writing signed by the said applicant in conformity with the recital in the form of certificate given in the 2nd Schedule to Act XX of 1865, shall grant him a certificate as required by the said Act.

38. If any person having passed the examination entitling him to be admitted and enrolled as a mookhtear shall fail to apply for such admission and enrolment for a period of one year, he shall not be admitted and enrolled, unless by special order of the High Court the time for such application shall be extended.

39. If any person having been admitted and enrolled as a pleader or mookhtear shall neglect to take out a certificate, or, having obtained a certificate, shall fail to renew it for a period of three years, he shall be suspended, and shall not be entitled to receive a certificate or to have his certificate renewed without further orders of the High Court.

40. Any person who, having been admitted as pleader or mookhtear, shall accept any appointment under Government, or shall enter into any trade or other business, shall give notice thereof to the High Court, who may thereupon suspend such pleader or mookhtear from practice, or pass such orders as the said Court may think fit.

41. Any person who shall hold any appointment under Government, or shall carry on any trade or other business at the time of his application for admission as a pleader or mookhtear, shall state the fact in his application for admission, and the High Court may refuse to admit such person, or pass such orders thereon as it thinks proper.

42. Any wilful violation of any of the above rules shall subject a pleader or mookhtar to suspension or dismissal.

43. These rules shall come into force on the 1st day of January 1874, except so far as they relate to the qualifications required by clause 1 of Rules 8, 19 and 29, respectively, as to which the rules now in force shall continue until the 1st of January 1875.

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Rules for admission of Vakeels in the High Court.

1. Every person, before being admitted to practise as a vakeel in the High Court shall have obtained the Degree of Bachelor of Laws in the University of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay.

2. Except as mentioned in Rules 20 and 23, every person, before being admitted as a pleader in the High Court, shall serve a regular clerkship to some attorney or vakeel of the High Court to be approved by the Court before the contract is entered into, under articles of clerkship by contract in writing pursuant to the rules hereinafter contained, for the full period of two years.

3. The term of service required by the last preceding rule need not be all under one and the same contract, nor to one and the same person, but may be to different persons by virtue of an assignment or assignments, or by virtue of successive independent contracts, upon the dissolution of the original or succeeding contract.

4. The person under whom the articles shall be served shall during the whole period of the service, be actually practising as an attorney or vakeel in the High Court.

5. No person who is himself acting as clerk to an attorney or vakeel shall be able to take any clerk for service under articles.

6. No person shall be capable of service under these rules until he shall have passed he B. A. examination of the University of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay.

7. The contract in writing whereby a person shall engage as aforesaid to serve as a clerk to any attorney or vakeel shall be filed with the Registrar of the High Court on the Appellate

Side within one calendar month after the execution of the same, together with an affidavit by such attorney or vakeel that he has been himself duly admitted, and has been practising for five years as an attorney or vakeel, and that such contract has been duly executed by himself and by the clerk therein mentioned. And in every such affidavit shall be specified the name of the attorney or vakeel and his place of abode or business, and the name of the clerk and his place of abode, together with the day on which the contract was actually executed.

8. In case the articles of clerkship shall be assigned, the assignment shall be in writing, and shall be in like manner filed within one calendar month after the execution thereof, together with an affidavit that the same has been executed by all the necessary parties. And in every such affidavit shall be specified the name of the attorney or vakeel to whom the articles are assigned and his place of business, together with the day on which the assignment was actually executed.

9. If by reason of death or for any other good and sufficient reason an assignment of the articles cannot be obtained, a fresh contract in writing shall be entered into by the clerk with the person under whom the service is continued, which shall be filed in the manner and with the affidavit prescribed by Rule 8.

10. In case the contract or assignment, together with the necessary affidavit, be not filed within the time specified, the same may be filed with the said Registrar after the expiration thereof; but the service of such clerk shall be reckoned to have been commenced or renewed from the date of filing such contract or assignment unless the Court shall otherwise order.

11. Every person who shall be articled to serve as a clerk to a vakeel or attorney for the purpose of being admitted as a vakeel shall, during the whole period of such service, continue, and be really and actually employed by such attorney or pleader in the proper business, practice and employment of an attorney or vakeel.

12. Before any person shall be admitted as a vakeel in the High Court, he shall sign and file with such Registrar as aforesaid answers to the questions contained in the Schedule A, hereunto annexed; and the person or persons under whom he shall have served his articles shall sign and file answers to the questions contained in the Schedule B, hereunto annexed, as also a certificate in the form given therein.

13. In case the applicant should shew sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the Court why the last rule cannot be fully complied with, it shall be in the power of the Court to dispense with any part of this rule which it may think fit and reasonable.

14. The applicant shall in all cases produce satisfactory testimonials as to his good character.

15. The applicant shall also, if required, sign and leave with the said Registrar answers in writing to such other questions as shall be directed by the Court touching the service and conduct of the applicant, and also, if required, attend the Court personally for the purpose of giving further explanation touching the same; and shall also, if required, procure the attendance of the person or persons with whom he shall have served his clerkship as aforesaid to answer either personally or in writing any questions touching such service or conduct, or shall make proof to the satisfaction of the Court of his inability to procure the same.

16. Upon compliance with the aforesaid rules, if the Court shall be satisfied as to the fitness and capacity of the applicant, a certificate shall be granted to him in the following form:—

In pursuance of the rules of the High Court relative to the admission of vakeels, it is hereby certified that A. B. has complied with the requirements of the said rules, and that he is a fit and proper person to be admitted to practise as a vakeel in the High Court.

(Signed) C. D.,
A Judge of the High Court.

17. Any person intending to apply to be admitted to practise as a pleader in the High Court shall also give one month's notice in writing to the Registrar aforesaid stating his intention, and shall also insert in the *Calcutta Gazette* a like notice for four successive weeks prior to his application.

18. Any person who has been admitted to the Degree of B. L. in the University of Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, and who shall produce the certificate mentioned in Rule 16, shall, after giving the notice required by Rule 17, be enrolled as a vakeel of the High Court.

19. Any person who has been admitted to the Degree of B. L. in the University of Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, and who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Court that he has *bonâ fide* practised for four years as a pleader in one or more of the Courts of the mofussil subject to the jurisdiction of the High Court, and that he is a person of good character, may, after giving the notice required by Rule 17, be admitted to practise in the High Court as a vakeel without service under articles.

20. Every person applying to be admitted under the last rule shall, one month prior to admission, leave with such Registrar, as aforesaid, answers to the questions contained in the Schedule C hereunto annexed, and also a certificate or certificates in the form contained in Schedule D hereunto annexed.

21. In case the applicant should shew sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the Court why the last rule cannot be complied with, it shall be in the power of the Court to dispense with any part of this rule upon such terms as it may think fit and reasonable.

22. An applicant under Rule 19, shall in all cases produce satisfactory testimonials as to his good character; and shall also, if required, leave with the said Registrar answers in writing to such questions as the Court shall direct touching the qualification of such person to be admitted as a vakeel in the High Court; and shall, if required, attend the Court personally for the purpose of giving further explanation touching the same.

23. Any attorney of the High Court who shall establish to the satisfaction of the Court that he has *bonâ fide* practised as such for the period of three years, and that he is a person of good character and ability, may be admitted to practise in the High Court as a vakeel.

24. These rules shall come into force on the first day of January 1874.

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SCHEDULE A.

Questions as to due service of articles to be answered by the applicant.

1. What was your age at your last birthday?

2. Have you served the whole term of your articles at the place where the person or persons to whom you were articled or assigned carried on his or their business? and, if not, state for what reason.

3. Have you at any time during the term of your articles been absent without the permission of the person or persons to whom you were articled or assigned? and, if so, state the length and occasions of such absence.

4. Have you during the period of your articles been engaged, or concerned, in any, and, if any, what profession, business or employment, other than your professional employment as clerk to the person or persons to whom you were articled or assigned?

5. Have you since the expiration of your articles been engaged or concerned, and for how long a time, in any, and if any, what profession, trade, business or employment, other than the profession of an attorney or vakeel?

SCHEDULE B.

Questions to be answered and certificate to be given by the person or persons with whom the clerk may have served any part of his time under articles.

1. Has A. B. served the whole period of his articles at the place where you carry on your business? and, if not, state the reason.

2. Has the said A. B. at any time during the period of his articles been absent? and, if so, state the length and occasions of such absence.

3. Has the said A. B. during the whole period of his articles been engaged or concerned in any, and, if any, what profession, business, or employment, other than his professional employment as your articled clerk?

4. Has the said A. B. during the whole period of his clerkship, with the exceptions abovementioned, been faithfully and diligently employed in your professional business of an attorney [*or* vakeel, *as the case may be*]?

5. Has the said A. B., since the expiration of his articles, been engaged or concerned, and for how long a time, in any profession, trade, business or employment, other than the profession of an attorney or vakeel?

And I do hereby certify that the said A. B. has duly and faithfully served under his articles of clerkship [*or* assignment of articles, *as the case may be*] bearing date, &c., for the term therein expressed, and that he is a fit and proper person to be admitted as a vakeel of the High Court.

SCHEDULE C.

1. What was your age last birthday?

2. What is the date of your enrolment as a pleader, and where were you enrolled?

3. Have you practised in one or several Courts? State the periods during which you practised in each, and the dates of the beginning and end of each period.

4. Have you at any time been engaged or concerned in any, and, if any, what profession, business, or employment, other than that of a pleader? If so, when and for what period?

SCHEDULE D.

I, C. D., District Judge [*or* Subordinate Judge, *or* Munsiff, *as the case may be*] do certify that to the best of my belief, A. B. practised in my Court regularly as a pleader from the day of 18 to the day of 18 , and that he was diligent and faithful in the performance of his duties, and that he is a fit and proper person to be admitted as a vakeel of the High Court.

(Signed) C. D.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Kishnaghur and Ranaghat, will, during the month of October 1873, hold sittings in the two Courts on the dates mentioned below:—

In the Kishnaghur Court ... ... 24th and 25th October 1873.
In the Ranaghat Court ... ... 27th to 29th idem.

KISHNAGHUR SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 17th September 1873. J. S. BELL, *Offg. Judge.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 727B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 9th October 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 Chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares ,, ...	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertized will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 14th and 24th October respectively; that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 14th October 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 24th October 1873.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

DATES.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 6th Nov. 1873 ...	2,125	1,375	3,500
On or about Thursday, 4th Dec. ,, ...	2,125	1,375	3,500
Total ...	4,250	2,750	7,000

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 2nd September 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 790B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 6th November 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares ,, ...	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 21st November respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 21st November 1873.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 4th Dec. 1873 ...	2,125	1,375	3,500

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 23rd September 1873.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of lands no longer required by the Government, situated in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Railway Deputy Collector's Office at Cyntheea, adjoining the East Indian Railway Station, at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 10th day of November 1873, corresponding with 26th Kartic *B.S.*

The purchasers of these plots will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plots will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

4th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt of the orders of the Collector confirming the sales. But such possession shall be liable to be disturbed in case the final sanction of the Member of the Board of Revenue in charge should not be accorded to the proceedings.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara.	131	West ...	11 2 8	3 2 28	Occupied by Nulla.	0 0 20	Commences on 2,765 feet of mile 131 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan. South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
2	ditto ...	ditto ...	131	East ...	11 7 8	3 3 2	ditto ...	0 0 6	Commences on 2,680 feet of mile 131, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan. South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
3	ditto ...	ditto ...	132	West	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 131, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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4	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara.	132	East ..	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 131, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
5	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara and Dangal.	132	West ..	11 9 8	3 3 7	.....	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 132, as per plan. South—By railway level cross-ing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
6	ditto ..	ditto ...	132	East ...	11 9 8	3 3 7	.....	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 132, as per plan. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
7	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Dangal and Pulsa.	133	West ..	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	North—By a nullah. South—By end of mile 132, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
8	ditto ...	ditto ..	133	East ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	North—By a nullah. South—By end of mile 132, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
9	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Cheetoree and Majcund.	133	West ...	10 8 10	3 1 32	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 11. South—By a nullah. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
10	ditto ...	ditto ...	133	East ...	10 8 0	3 1 31	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 12. South—By a nullah. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
11	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Majcund.	133	West ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 133, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 9. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
12	ditto ...	ditto ..	133	East ...	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133, and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 133, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 10. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
13	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	West ...	6 14 10	2 0 36	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 15. South—By end of mile 133, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
14	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	East ..	6 18 0	2 1 5	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 16. South—By end of mile 133, as per plan. East—By zemindaree. West—By railway fencing.
15	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ..	7 15 11	2 2 12	.....	...	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 17. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 13. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
16	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoo·ka and Burrisal.	134	East ...	7 18 0	2 2 18	.....	.....	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 18. South—By northern boundary of No. 14. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
17	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,450 feet of mile 134 and terminates at end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 15. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
18	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	East ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 16. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
19	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Burrisal.	135	West ..	6 13 4	2 0 13	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 134, as per plan, and terminates on 1,400 feet of mile 135.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
20	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	6 14 0	2 0 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
21	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Pakooredh.	135	West ...	8 2 0	2 2 29	.....	.....	Commences on 1,440 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 3,240 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
22	ditto ...	ditto ..	135	East ...	8 15 0	0 3 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
23	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	West ...	8 14 8	2 3 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,290 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 5,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
24	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	9 2 8	3 0 3	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
25	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Chandpore and Ramrampore.	137	West ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	Commences on 1,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates on 3,080 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary No 27. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
26	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Rampore, Chandpore, and Ramrampore.	137	East ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No 28. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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27	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Ramrampore.	137	West	6 16 2	2 1 0			Commences on 3,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates at end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 173, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 25 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land.
28	ditto	ditto	137	East	6 16 2	2 1 0			ditto	North—By end of mile 137, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 26 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
29	ditto	Pergunnah Russulpore and Coumpurta, Mouzah Ramrampore	138	West	8 5 10	2 2 38			Commences at the end of mile 37 as per plan and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 138	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 31 South—By end of mile 137, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
30	ditto	ditto	138	East	8 5 10	2 2 38			ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No 32 South—by end of mile 137, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
31	ditto	Pergunnah Russulpore and Coumpurta, Mouzah Telaye	138	West	7 3 1	2 1 18			Commences on 2 650 feet of mile 138 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 138, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 29 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
32	ditto	ditto	138	East	7 3 1	2 1 18			ditto	North—By end of mile 138 as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 30 East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
33	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaon and Bonehaut, Mouzah Telaye and Kaheelpore	139	West	6 15 4	2 0 38			Commences at end of mile 138 and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 139 as per plan	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 138, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
34	ditto	ditto	139	East	6 15 4	2 0 38			Commences at the end of mile 138, as per plan and terminates on 1,430 feet of mile 139.	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 138, as per plan East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
35	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaon and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore	139	West	8 5 8	2 2 38			Commences on 1,515 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,615 feet of same, as per plan	North—By southern boundary of lot No 37 South—By railway level crossing East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
36	ditto	ditto	139	East	8 5 8	2 2 38			Commences on 1,445 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,570 feet of same, as per plan	North—By southern boundary of lot No 38 South—By railway level crossing East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
37	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaon and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore and Shadinpore	139	West	5 8 5	1 3 6			Commences on 3,615 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 35 East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land

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38	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzahs Kaheelpore and Shadinpore.	139	East ..	5 8 5	1 3 6	...	...	Commences on 3,570 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 36. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
39	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab, Mouzah Shadinpore.	140	West .	6 10 8	2 0 25	..	...	Commences at the end of mile 139, as as per plan and terminates on 1,950 feet of mile 140.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
40	ditto .	ditto	140	East ..	6 7 0	2 0 16	... ..	.	ditto	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
41	ditto .	ditto ..	140	West	6 10 3	2 0 24		...	Commences on 1,970 feet of mile 140 and terminates on 3,580 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 43. South—By railway level crossing. East—by railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
42	ditto .	ditto ..	140	East	7 0 8	2 1 11	... ..		ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 44 South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
43	ditto .	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab. Mouzahs Shadinpore and Lukheebatee	140	West .	7 7 2	2 1 29	... ..	..	Commences on 3,580 feet of mile 140 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 41. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
44	ditto ...	ditto .	140	East	7 6 0	2 1 26		...	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 42. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
45	ditto	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ..	9 7 12	3 0 17	... ..	..	Commences at the end of mile 140. as per plan, and terminates on 2,280 feet of mile 141.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 47. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
46	ditto	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazaripore.	141	East ..	9 9 8	3 0 21	.		ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 48. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
47	ditto	ditto	141	West .	7 11 8	2 2 1	.	...	Commences on 2,280 feet of mile 141 and terminates on 4,215 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No 45. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
48	ditto .	ditto ..	141	East ..	7 16 8	2 2 14	.	..	ditto	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 46. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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49	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	5 1 6	1 2 28	.....	.....	Commences on 4,240 feet of mile 141 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 141, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 47 and 49. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
50	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpoor.	141	East ...	5 5 8	1 2 39	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 141, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 48 and 50. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
51	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Horishara.	142	West ...	6 12 4	2 0 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 141, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 142.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 53. South—By end of mile 141, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
52	ditto ...	ditto ..	142	East ...	7 14 8	2 2 9	.....	...	ditto ..	North—By a nulla. South—By end of mile 141, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
53	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Harishara.	142	West ...	10 19 8	3 2 21	.....	.....	Commences on 1,500 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 55. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 51. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
54	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Tighatee.	142	East ...	10 14 4	3 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 1,575 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 56. South—By a nullah. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
55	ditto .	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Tighatee and Ghosematee.	142	West ..	10 7 10	3 1 29	.....	.....	Commences on 3,310 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 142, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 53. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
56	ditto ..	ditto ...	142	East ...	10 9 4	3 1 31	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 142, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No 54. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
57	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Ghosematee and Pantia.	143	West ..	10 15 8	3 2 10	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 142, as per plan, and terminates on 2,025 feet of mile 143.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 59. South—By end of mile 142, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
58	ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East	9 12 8	3 0 29	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 60. South—By end of mile 142, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
59	ditto ...	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	West ...	9 15 0	3 0 36	.....	...	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 57. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B	C	Ch	A	R	P	Reasons for exclusion	A	R	P		
60	Moorshedabad	Pergunnah Koomurprotab, Mouzah Bantia	143	East	9	0	0	2	3	36					Commences on 2 025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3 985 feet of same, as per plan	North—By village road South—By northern boundary of lot No 58 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
61	ditto	Pergunnah Koomurprotab Mouzah Banti	143	West	6	18	0	2	1	5					Commences on 4,010 feet of mile 143 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan South—By village road common to lots Nos 59 61 East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
62	ditto	ditto	143	East	6	3	0	2	0	5					ditto	North—By end of mile 143 as per plan South—By village road common to lots Nos 60-62 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
63	ditto	Pergunnahs Koomurprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Banti	144	West	13	1	12	4	1	12					Commences at the end of mile 143, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 144	North—By Brahminee River South—By end of mile 143, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
64	ditto	ditto	144	East	11	5	10	3	2	37					ditto	North—By Brahminee River South—By end of mile 143, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
65	ditto	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore Mouzah Jugdharee	144	West	8	10	0	2	3	1	Occupied by road	0	0	6	ommences on 1,900 feet of mile 114, and terminates on 3,180 feet of same, as per plan	North—By southern boundary of lot No 67 South—By Brahminee River East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
66	ditto	ditto	144	East	7	3	8	2	1	20	ditto	0	0	5	ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No 68 South—By Brahminee River East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
67	ditto	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Hureepore & Kurimpore	144	West	4	16	8	1	2	16					Commences on 3 180 feet of mile 144 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 141, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 65. East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
68	ditto	ditto	144	East	5	10	8	1	3	12	...				ditto	North—By end of mile 144 as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 66 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
69	ditto	Pergunnahs Dhaka and Nowmagger, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee	145	West	12	12	8	4	0	28					Commences at the end of mile 144, as per plan and terminates on 2,900 feet of mile 145	North—By railway level crossing south of Nulhatte station lands South—By end of mile 144, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
70	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaka and Nowmagger, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee	145	East	11	1	0	3	2	25					ditto	North—By railway level crossing south of Nulhatte station land South—By end of mile 144, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
71	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanagger, Mouzahs Beersumbur and Lushkerpore.	145	West ...	5 11 0	1 3 14	.....	...	Commences on 4,105 feet of mile 145 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 145, as per plan. South—By fencing of Nulhatte station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
72	ditto ...	ditto ...	145	East ..	5 2 8	1 2 31	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 145, as per plan. South—By fencing of Nulhatte station land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
73	ditto ..	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzahs Lushkurpore and Paikparah.	146	West ...	10 4 6	3 1 20	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 145, as per plan, and terminates on 3,15 feet of mile 146.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 75. South—By end of mile 145, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
74	ditto	ditto ...	146	East ...	11 13 3	3 3 17	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 176. South—By end of mile 145, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
75	ditto ..	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Paikparrah.	146	West .	8 16 0	2 3 26	Occupied by road.	...	Commences on 3,150 feet of mile 146 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 146, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 73. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
76	ditto ..	ditto ...	146	East ...	9 11 7	3 0 20	ditto ...	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 146, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 74. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
77	ditto ...	ditto ..	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 146, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 147.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 79. South—By end of mile 146, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
78	ditto ..	ditto ...	147	East ..	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 80. South—By end of mile 146, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
79	ditto ...	ditto ..	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 147 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 147, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 77. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
80	ditto ...	ditto .	147	East ..	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 147, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 78. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
81	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Shajadpoor, Mouzahs Dhaoa and Deeha.	148	West ...	11 14	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 83. South—By end of a mile 147, as per plan. East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
82	Moorshedabad. ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa and, Shajadpore Mouzah Paikparah and Deeha.	148	East ...	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at end of mile 147, as per plan and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 84. South—By end of mile 147, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
83	ditto ...	Ditto Mouzah Deeha.	148	West ...	7 0 0	2 1 10	Occupied by nullah. Occupied by road.	0 0 7 0 0 4	Commences on 3,825 feet of mile 148, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 81. East—By Railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
84	ditto ...	ditto ...	148	East ..	7 15 0	2 2 10	ditto ... ditto ...	0 0 7 0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 82. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
85	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzah Denonauthpore.	149	West ..	10 14 10	3 2 8	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 148 as per plan and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 149.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 87. South—By end of mile 148, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
86	ditto ..	ditto ...	149	East ...	10 14 0	3 2 6	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 88. South—By end of mile 148, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
87	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Denonathpore and Soojanpore.	149	West ...	10 3 13	3 1 19	.....	.....	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 149 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 85. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
88	ditto ...	ditto ...	149	East ...	9 3 14	3 0 6	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 86. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
89	ditto .	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Habishpore, Kool gachee and Sahara.	150	West ...	16 1 0	5 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 149 and terminates at the end of mile 150, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
90	ditto ...	ditto ...	150	East ..	16 0 12	5 1 8	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
91	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Chatra.	151	West ..	14 4 4	4 2 32	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 150 as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 151.	North—By southern boundary of lot 93. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
92	ditto ...	ditto ...	151	East ..	14 3 8	4 2 30	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No 94. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
93	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Chotra and Bootea.	151	West ..	13 9 0	4 1 32	Occupied by nullah	0 0 9	Commences on 3,050 feet of mile 151 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 151, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 91. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
94	ditto ...	ditto ...	151	East ..	13 9 0	4 1 32	ditto ...	0 0 9	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 151, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 92. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway, fencing.
95	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Bhoteea and Doorea.	152	West ...	12 8 0	4 0 16	Occupied by road.	0 0 4	Commences at the mile 151, as per plan, and terminates on 3,330 feet of mile 152.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 151, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
96	ditto ...	ditto ...	152	East ...	12 5 0	4 0 8	ditto ...	0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of the mile 151, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
97	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Doorea.	152	West ..	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	.....	Commences on 3,360 feet of mile 152 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 152, as per plan. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
98	ditto ...	ditto .	152	East ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 152, as per plan. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
99	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	West ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 101. South—By end of mile 152, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
100	ditto ...	ditto ..	153	East ..	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 152, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 102. South—By end of mile 152, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
101	ditto .	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Doorea, Dadpore, and Bahadoorpore.	153	West ...	14 5 2	4 2 34	.....	.....	Commences on 1,725 feet of mile 153 and terminates on 4,270 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By Pugla nullah diversion. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 99. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
102	ditto ..	ditto	153	East ...	14 11 10	4 3 11	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Pugla nullah diversion. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 100. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
103	ditto ..	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Bahadoorpore and Dadpore.	153	West ...	14 0 0	0 4 0	Occupied by nullah.	4 2 21	Commences on the outer boundary of the B. lands situate on the west facing of the Pugla Bridge, and runs in a westerly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South— By zemindaree land. East—By land of lots Nos. 101 and 105. West—By Pugla nullah.

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					B. C. Ch	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P		
104	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Dadpore and Gooskeera.	153	East ...	6 3 0	2 0 5	Occupied by nullah.	0 3 26	Commences on the outer boundary of the B. land situate on the east facing of the Pugla Bridge, and runs in an easterly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By ditto. East—By ditto. West—By land of lots Nos. 102 and 106.
105	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	West ...	5 12 0	1 3 16	.....	.....	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 153 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 153, as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
106	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	East ..	5 15 8	1 3 26	Nullah between lots 101 and 105. Nullah between lots 102 and 106.	0 0 21 0 0 21	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 153 as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
107	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	West ..	13 16 8	4 2 11	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 153, as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 154.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 109. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
108	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Nowanugger and Rajshahye, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	East ...	17 4 14	5 2 32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 110. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
109	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Nowanugger and Rajshahye, Mouzahs Gooskeera and Gopalpore.	154	West ..	20 14 12	6 3 17	.....	.....	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 154 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 107. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
110	ditto ...	ditto ...	154	East ...	21 12 8	7 0 24	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 108. East—By zemindare land. West—By railway fencing.
111	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Gopalpore.	155	West ...	11 11 6	3 3 12	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 154, as per plan, and terminates on 1,720 feet of mile 155.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 113. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
112	ditto ..	ditto ...	155	East ...	11 3 8	3 2 31	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By the southern boundary of lot No. 114. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
113	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	West ..	6 15 8	2 0 39	.....	.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,000 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Mooraroaee station land. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 111. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
114	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	East ...	7 16 10	2 2 14	.....	.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,045 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Mooraroaee station land. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 112. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
115	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Bhadisur and Dhetora.	155	West ...	8 4 11	2 2 36	.....	.....	Commences on 3,870 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 155, as per plan. South—By a public road. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
116	ditto ..	ditto ..	155	East ..	4 8 4	1 1 34	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Mooraroaee station.	0 1 14	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 155, as per plan. South—By A. class land of Mooraroaee station tank. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
117	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Dhetora.	156	West ...	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 155, as per plan, and terminates on 3,215 feet of mile 156.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 119. South—By end of mile 155, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
118	ditto ..	ditto ..	156	East ..	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 120. South—By end of mile 155, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
119	ditto ..	ditto ..	156	West ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	.....	.....	Commences on 3,215 feet of mile 156 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 156, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 117. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
120	ditto ...	ditto ..	156	East ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	..	.. ...	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 156, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 118. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
121	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Dhetora and Pulsa.	157	West ...	15 2 9	5 0 0	.. ..	.....	Commences at the end of mile 156, as per plan and terminates on 2,475 feet of mile 157.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 123. South—By end of mile 156, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
122	ditto ..	ditto ..	157	East ..	15 8 0	5 0 15	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 124. South—By end of mile 156, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
123	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	157	West ...	17 8 8	5 3 2	.....	.....	Commences on 2,457 feet of mile 157 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 157, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 121. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
124	ditto ...	ditto ...	157	East ..	16 10 9	5 1 34	... ..	.....	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 157, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 122. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
125	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	158	West ...	18 3 0	6 0 0	Occupied by road.	0 0 22	Commences at the end of mile 157, as per plan, and terminates on 1,775 feet of mile 158.	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
126	ditto ...	ditto ...	158	East ...	19 8 5	6 1 27	ditto ...	0 0 22	ditto ...	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
127	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Ruttonpore and Pulsa.	158	West ...	36 12 10	12 0 18	.....	.....	Commences on 2,405 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
128	ditto ...	ditto ...	158	East ...	36 9 8	12 0 9	.....	.....	Commences on 2,525 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
129	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Pulsa, Sumbulpore, and Macwa.	159	West ...	15 16 5	5 0 37	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 158, as per plan, and terminates on 2,500 feet of mile 159.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 131. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
130	ditto ..	ditto ...	159	East ...	20 9 11	6 3 3	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 132. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
131	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Macwa.	159	West ...	21 3 8	7 0 0	.....	.....	Commences on 2,500 feet of mile 159 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 129. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
132	ditto ...	ditto ...	159	East ..	18 0 0	5 3 32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 130. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
133	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Macwa and Bhatra.	160	West ...	8 17 13	2 3 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 159, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 160.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 135. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
134	ditto ...	ditto ...	160	East ...	9 3 5	3 0 5	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 136. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
135	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	West ...	12 7 10	4 0 15	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 133. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
136	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	East ...	13 13 0	4 2 2	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 134. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
137	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra and Rajgaon.	161	West ...	9 5 15	3 0 12	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 160 as per plan and terminates on 2,465 feet of mile 161.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 139. South—By end of mile 160 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
138	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ..	11 0 9	3 2 24	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 140. South—By end of mile 160 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fenc. ing.
139	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon.	161	West ..	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	Commences on 2,465 feet of mile 161 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 161 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 137 East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
140	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ..	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 161 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 138. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
141	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon and Amhooa.	162	West .	9 16 8	3 1 0	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 161 as per plan and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 162.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 161 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
142	ditto ...	ditto ...	162	East ..	10 17 9	3 2 15	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 161 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
143	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Amhooa.	162	West ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	.....	.....	Commences on 2,690 feet of mile 162 and terminates on 3,970 feet of same as per plan.	North—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company for Rajgaon Station Extension. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
144	ditto ..	ditto ..	162	East ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	2 2 20	ditto ...	North—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. South—By Railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
145	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Amhooa and Goorsa.	163	West ..	17 0 0	5 2 19	.....	.....	Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3,840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 147. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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146	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Amhooah and Goorsa.	163	East ...	17 0 0	5 2 19	.....	.....	Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 148. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
147	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye Mouzah Goorsa.	163	West ...	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,840 feet of mile 163 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 145. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
148	ditto ...	ditto ...	163	East ...	10 10 10	3 1 37	B land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	0 1 10	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 146. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
149	ditto ...	ditto ...	164	West ...	13 0 0	4 1 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 163 as per plan and terminates on 1,650 feet of mile 164.	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
150	ditto ...	ditto ...	164	East ...	12 6 0	4 0 11	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

W. HEYSHAM, *Offg. Railway Deputy Collector.*

CYNTHEA, RAILWAY DY. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 19th September 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Monghyr, will be put up to sale at the Monghyr Collectorate on Monday, the 10th November 1873, corresponding with 6th Aughan 1281, F.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The estate will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
111	4462	Khana Sakunat Dheraj Lal, Sepoy, and Khanabari of Khajah Ali, Havildar, in Mouzah Punsara Kadampur, Pergunnah Monghyr, Thannah Dharahra.	0 1 2	42 0 0	

E. LOCKWOOD, *Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام *

اس تحریر کے رو سے خاص و عام کو اطلاع دیجاتي هی که حقیقت ملکیت سرکار بہادر محال مفصله ذیل واقع ضلع مونگیر بتاریخ دهم ماه نومبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ ع مطابق ۶ ماه اگهن سنه ۱۲۸۱ فصلے روز دوشنبه کو کلکٹري ضلع مونگیر مین نیلام هوگا *

خریدارونکو ان محالات کے پابندي شرایط ذیل کي کرني هوکي *

۱— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید نهو تو کل زر نیلامي فورا داخل کرنا هوگا *

۲— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید هو تو ایک ربع کل زر نیلامي کا فورا داخل کرنا هوگا اور اگر بقیه زر ثمن پندرهوین روز دو پهر تک که اوس مین روز نیلام بهي محسوب هی یا اگر اوس روز تعطیل عام هو تو اوسکے بعد جس روز کچهرے پہلے کہلے دو پهر تک داخل نکیا جائي تو زر امانتے ضبط سرکار هوکر بعد اجراے اشتہار مطابق نیلام اول بجواب دهي خریدار خطا کار محال مذکور ثانیا نیلام کیا جایگا *

۳— محال مذکور بصورت لاخراج بیچا جایگا اور جو خریدار قیمت مظهره سرکار پر سب سے زیاده ڈاک بولیگا نیلام اوسکے نام ختم کیا جایگا *

نمبر مندرجه نقشه محالات سرکار	نمبر توزیع	نام محال بقید پرگنه	رقبه تخمیني بحساب ایکر	قیمت مظهره سرکار	کیفیت
۱۱۱	۴۴۶۳	خانه سکونتے دیهراج لعل سپاهي و خانه باري خواجه علے چوبدار واقع موضع پنسارا خادم پور تهانه دهرهرا پرگنه مونگیر	ایکر روڈ پول ۳ ۱ ۰	۴۲	

اي : لکوڈ وفیسي اٹینگ کلکٹر

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned land, situate in the District of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Moorshedabad Collectorate, on the 15th October 1873, corresponding with 30th Assin 1280.

2. The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plot will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres	Upset price	REMARKS
			A R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	77	A plot in Bajarpara, Mouzah Gopjan, Pergunnah Mahalandi, bounded on the east by a road in Chainpara; on the north by the land of Baboo Sheikh, a ryot of Chainpara, on the west by the lands of Moti Chain and Gopal Chain, and on the south by the land of Shiban Chain Zemindar, Jogut Chunder Roy Chowdhoori Ryots, Moti Chain and Gopal Chain and Shiban Chain ..	1 3 39	150 0 0	

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
The 29th August 1873.

W. WAVELL,
Offg. Collector.

জিলা মুরশিদাবাদ।

ইস্তাহারনামা কাছারি কালেক্টরী জেলা মুরশিদাবাদ এই যে,

ইহার দ্বারা সম্বাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে অত্র জেলার মধ্যস্থিত নিম্নলিখিত ভূমিখণ্ডে গবর্ণমেন্টের যে মালিকি স্বত্ব আছে তাহা অত্র জেলার কালেক্টরি কাছারিতে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ১৫ই অকটোবর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সালের ৩০শা আশ্বিন বিক্রয় হইবেক।

এই ভূমি যাঁহারা খরিদ করিবেন তাঁহারা নিম্নলিখিত নিয়মের অধীনে থাকিবেন।

৩। এক শত টাকার অনধিক পণ হইলে সেই সমুদয় টাকা তৎক্ষণাৎ দিতে হইবে।

৪। একশত টাকার অধিক পণ হইলে ডাকপণের চতুর্থাংশের একাংশ তৎক্ষণাৎ দাখিল করিতে হইবে বিক্রয়ের দিবস এক দিন ধরিয়া গণনা করিলে বিক্রয়ান্তর পঞ্চদশ দিবসের মধ্যাহ্নকালে কিম্বা সেই দিবস বন্দের দিন হইলে তৎপরে প্রথম যে দিন কাছারি খোলা যাইবে সেই দিনের মধ্যাহ্ন কালে যদি অবশিষ্ট টাকা দাখিল না হয় তবে বিক্রয় রহিত ও গচ্ছিত টাকা গবর্ণমেন্টে জব্দ হইবে ও প্রথম স্থলীয় বিক্রয়ের ন্যায় পুনর্ব্বার বিজ্ঞাপন প্রকাশ পূর্ব্বক ঐ ত্রুটীকারি ক্রেতার ঝুঁকিতে এই খণ্ড ভূমি পুনরায় বিক্রয় হইবে।

নিম্নলিখিত ভূমি যে কেহ নিলামের প্রথম ডাক হইতে সর্ব্বাপেক্ষা অধিক ডাকিবেন তাঁহার নিকট ঐ ভূমি লাখেরাজ রূপে বিক্রয় করা যাইবে ইতি। সন ১৮৭৩ সাল তারিখ ২৬শা আগষ্ট মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সাল তাং ১১ই ভাদ্র।

রাজকীয় মাহালের কৈফিয়তের নম্বর।	জেলার বহিতে নম্বর।	মাহাল এবং পরগনা।	পরিমাণ যত একর।	ধার্য্য করা রাজস্ব।	নীলামের প্রথম ডাক।	মন্তব্য।
	৭৭	পরগনে মহনন্দীর অন্তঃপাতি মৌজে গোপজানের সামিল বাজার পাড়ার মধ্যে চাক্রী পাড়ার রাস্তার পশ্চিম চাক্রী পাড়ার প্রজা বাবু সেখের জমীর দক্ষিণ মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রীর জমীর পূর্ব্ব শিবন চাক্রীর জমীর উত্তর জমিদার জগচ্চন্দ্র রায় চৌধুরির প্রজা শিবন চাক্রী মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রী	১।৩।৩৯		১৫০৲	

W. WAVELL,
Offg. Collector of Moorshedabad.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, corresponding with 27th Kartic 1280, B.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The estate will be sold revenue free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. As. P.	
75	7	Katahkoree, Pergunnah Ajmutshahur.	2 2 30	123 0 0	
76	27	ditto	0 3 28	151 0 0	

E. WHINFIELD,
Offg. Collector.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT BURDWAN, the 12th September 1873.

For sale.

AT the Meteorological Office, No. 22 Chowringhee, the following official publications :—

Meteorological Report of 1867	...	...	... 0	12 per copy.
Ditto ditto 1868	...	...	... 1	8 ,,
Ditto ditto 1869	...	...	... 2	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1870	...	...	... 2	6 ,,
Ditto ditto 1871	...	...	... 2	8 ,,
Ditto ditto 1872	...	...	... 3	0 ,,
Administration Report of 1870-71	...	...	... 0	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1871-72	...	...	... 0	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1872-73	...	...	... 0	4 ,,

The above are also to be obtained at the same prices at Messrs. Thacker Spink and Company, No. 5, Government place.

HENRY F. BLANFORD, *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

Notice

Is hereby given that a lot of Waste Land, consisting of about 1,772 acres, situate in Mouzah Oojan Nowkhankhola, in the district of Luckimpore, Assam, and bounded as shown at the foot of this Notice, having been applied for under the Rules for the sale of Unassessed Lands in the Lower Provinces of Bengal, and having been properly surveyed and demarcated, and the sale of the same having been sanctioned by Government in letter No. 1359 of the 17th May 1873, to the address of the Commissioner of Assam, will be put up to sale by auction to the highest bidder above the upset price of Rs. 5 per acre, on the 2nd January 1874, at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Luckimpore, should no objection be preferred such as to render it necessary to defer the sale under the provisions of Act XXIII of 1863. The sale will be made in the manner and subject to the conditions prescribed by the Rules above cited, and to the provisions of Act XXIII of 1863.

DEBROOGURH, the 28th August 1873.

W. J. CLARKE, *Depy. Commr.*

Boundaries.

West.—By a straight line through the jungle from a pillar (A) to a pillar (B) crossing the Hurroop stream, measuring 2,200 yards, bearing 155° 30'.

South.—By a straight line through jungle from a pillar (B) to a pillar (C), measuring 3,960 yards, bearing 67° 30'.

East.—By a straight line through jungle from a pillar (C) to a pillar (D), measuring 2,200 yards, bearing 336°.

North.—By the southern boundary of the Singlijan grant, *i.e.* a line through the jungle from a pillar (D) to a pillar (A), measuring 3,960 yards, and bearing 2,470°.

NOTE.—The pillars are marked A, B, C, D on the map filed in the office of the Deputy Commissioner.

Notice

Is hereby given that a lot of Waste Land, consisting of about 318.09 acres, situated in Mouzah Oojan Nowkhankhola, in the district of Luckimpore, Assam, and bounded as shown at the foot of this Notice, having been applied for under the Rules for the sale of Unassessed Waste Lands in the Lower Provinces of Bengal, and having been properly surveyed and demarcated, and the sale of the same having been sanctioned by Government in letter No. 1359 of the 17th May 1873, to the address of the Commissioner of Assam, will be put up to sale by auction to the highest bidder above the upset price of Rs. 2-8* per acre, on the 2nd January 1874, at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Luckimpore, should no objection be preferred such as to render it necessary to defer the sale under the provisions of Act XXIII of 1863. The sale will be made in the manner and subject to the conditions prescribed by the Rules above cited, and to the provisions of Act XXIII of 1863.

DEBROOGHUR, the 28th August 1873. W. J. CLARKE, *Depy. Commr.*

Boundaries.

South.—By a line of jungle about 1,027 yards in length, parallel to and 50 feet from the Suddya Road, from pillar No. 1 to pillar No. 2, bearing 68°.

East.—By a line of jungle about 1,435 yards in length from pillar No. 2 to pillar No. 4, bearing 349°.

North.—By a line of jungle about 990 yards in length from pillar No. 3 to pillar No. 4, bearing 264°.

West.—By a line about 1,685 yards in length from pillar No. 3 to pillar No. 1, bearing 168°.

NOTE.—The pillars are marked Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 in the map filed by the Surveyor in the Deputy Commissioner's Office.

Notice

Is hereby given that a lot of Waste Land, consisting of about 2,106·75 acres, situate in Mouzah Oojan Nowkhankhola, in the district of Luckimpore, Assam, and bounded as shown at the foot of this Notice, having been applied for under the Rules for the sale of Unassessed Waste Lands in the Lower Provinces of Bengal, and having been properly surveyed and demarcated, and the sale of the same having been sanctioned by Government in letter No. 1359 of the 17th May 1873, to the address of the Commissioner of Assam, will be put up to sale by auction to the highest bidder above the upset price of Rs. 2-8* per acre, on the 2nd January 1874, at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Luckimpore, should no objection be preferred such as to render it necessary to defer the sale under the provisions of Act XXIII of 1863. The sale will be made in the manner and subject to the conditions prescribed by the Rules above cited, and to the provisions of Act XXIII of 1873.

DEBROOGURH, the 28th August 1873. W. J. CLARKE, *Depy. Commr.*

Boundaries.

North.—By the stream known as the Hopjan from pillar A to where the Suddya Road crosses that stream, and by a line of jungle about 2,255 yards in length, parallel with, and 50 feet from, Suddya road to pillar B.

West.—By a line of jungle about 2,832 yards in length, running in a south-east direction from pillar B to pillar C, bearing 160°.

South.—By a line of jungle about 3,052 yards in length, running from pillar C to pillar D, bearing 70°.

East.—By a line of jungle about 2,120 yards in length, running from pillar D to pillar A, bearing 343°.

NOTE.—The pillars are lettered A, B, C, D on the map filed by the Surveyor in the Deputy Commissioner's Office.

Time Ball.

DURING the Doorgah and Lukhee Poojah holidays, the time Ball will be dropped on the following days:—

Saturday the 27th September.
Saturday the 4th October.

GOPEINAUTH SEN, *In charge of the Observatory.*

SURVEYOR GENERAL'S OFFICE, the 24th September 1873.

* This application having been made prior to the *ad interim* rules, the upset price is fixed at Rs. 2-8 per acre.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the undermentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Sept. 23rd ...	1 Iron Shaft, no mark	... Order	...City of Cambridge.
„ 23rd ...	4 Pieces Broken Brackets, or R. M. & Co.	... „	... Ditto.
„ 23rd ...	1 Plate Iron, E E	... „	... Ditto.
„ 23rd ...	1 Plate Iron, no mark	... „	... Ditto.
„ 23rd ...	1 Angle Iron, A 4	... „	... Ditto.
„ 23rd ...	2 Iron Bars, no mark	... „	... Ditto.
„ 23rd ...	1 T Iron	... „	... Ditto.
„ 23rd ...	1 Plate Iron, no mark	... „	... Ditto.
„ 23rd ...	2 Iron, pieces	... „	... Ditto.
„ 22nd ...	3 Cases, [355] or no mark	... „	...Lumby Castle.
„ 25th ...	4 Cases, A G S] W B D M	... Ram Gopaul	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	4 Cases, [132] A. B. & Co.	... Order	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, [A W] A C S B	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	5 Cases, [A J B]	... Colvin Cowie & Co...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, A. H. & Co., Madras	... Order	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	4 Cases, [B B]	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, addressed	... H. Blockman, Esq., Honarary Secretary Bengal Asiatic Society.	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Tin Box, addressed	... Dr. Birch, Barrackpore	... Ditto.
„ 25th ..	1 Case, [B C S]	... Order	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	4 Cases, [B I S N C L A D]	... M. Mackenzie	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, [B] N M, Madras	... Order	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, C N C & Sons	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Bale, [C. A. & Co.] Madras	... „	... Ditto.
„ 35th ...	1 Case, [C. P. & Co.]	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	3 Cases, D U C	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	7 Cases, D V C	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, [E E M] D C	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Cask, [25] E W G	... M. Lyall & Co.	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, [E S B] Madras	... Order	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	3 Cases, F L	... W. H. Fitze & Co....	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	3 Cases, F P H, Madras	... Order	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	80 Cases, F V J F	... W. Wilman & Co. ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, G. F. K. & Co.	... G. F. Kelner & Co.	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	3 Cases, G V A J L D, Madras...	Order	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	67 Casks, [H S]	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	100 Cases, [H J]	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	3 Cases, [H. & Co.]	... „	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Dr. G. Henderson, care of King, Hamilton & Co., F. T. Brooks & Co.	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Plate Iron, N	... Mohendro Nath Dey.	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, C A	... Officer Administrating Government, Ceylon.	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, J N F C	... J. N. Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, K B S	... Order	... Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Cask, K C S	... Kartic Churn Sing	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	17 Cases, J N G or L Y D S or no mark.	Kissory Mohun Dey	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1873.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Sept. 25th ...	1 Case, [M] ...	Order ...	Lumby Castle.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, [M R C C] Madras ...	„ ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	10 Cases, N. M. & Co., Bangalore	„ ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	5 Packages, no mark ...	„ ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, R. D. & Co. ...	„ ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Cask, R G K & Sons, Madras	„ ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, R P ...	„ ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	4 Packages, S & F ...	„ ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	6 Cases, T B ...	T. Brooks ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Case, [W S] ...	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	40 Casks, addressed ...	R. Williams, or no mark, Raneegunge.	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Sample Truss, Y. G. & Co. ...	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 25th ...	1 Sample, [E & O] S. P. & Co. ..	„ ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 26th September 1873. (383—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Vice-Chairman.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
5997 ...	A/96 57694 ...	10 ...	Gopal Chunder Ghose.
6005 ...	A/99 22960 ...	20 ...	Gooroo Doss Sen.
6015 ...	A/87 82078 ...	1,000 ...	Jolodhur Shaw.
	„ 61197 ...	1,000 ...	
	A/89 27968 ...	500 ...	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
5963 ...	L/12 64095 ...	20 ...	Moonshi Ibrahim.
	L/7 28658 ...	20 ...	
5964 ..	A/92 74705 ...	50 ...	Preonath Mookerjee.
5965 ...	L/93 70654 ...	20 ...	Fouyoung, Lemaun & Co.
5967 ...	A/7 95578 ...	10 ...	Fyzally Khan.
5999 ...	A/97 56444 ...	10 ...	Revd. T. F. Kirby.
6000 ...	„ 54476 ...	10 ...	C. Gould.
6006 ...	L/9 22025 ...	5 ...	Messrs. Beak & Co.
6009 ...	A/78 98063 ...	10 ...	Bamachurn Mookerjee.
6010 ...	L/11 11174 ...	5 ...	Khetternath Mukerjee.
6011 ...	L/8 01384 ...	100 ...	Ram Podarut.
6012 ...	L/12 77100 ...	20 ...	Anath Bhaudhi Roy.
	L/2 73306 ...	10 ...	
6013 ...	L/19 10151 ...	50 ...	Mochooloodeen Mullick.
	A/92 85461 ...	50 ...	
6014 ...	„ 34672 ...	50 ...	The District Superintendent of Police, Jessore.
	„ 83937 ...	50 ...	

Wrongly joined.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
5998 ...	A/97 47438 ...	10 ...	Messrs. Pearce Macrae and Co.
	A/98 47438 ...		
6001 ...	L/6 03753 ...	10 ...	S. Nujeeboollah.
	„ 03754 ...		
6008 ...	L/9 57426 ...	5 ...	Ramkomull Mozoomder.
	„ 57429 ...		
	„ 90126 ...	5 ...	
	„ 90130 ...		
	L/4 31325 ...	10 ...	
	„ 31332 ...		

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 15th September 1873.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 23rd September 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		15,47,696	8	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ..	Rs. 1,59,64,799 2 10	3,77,53,917	9	2
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	„ 2,17,89,118 6 4			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		3,07,98,561	15	6
Bank Post Bills, &c.		3,39,178	5	3
Sundries		6,27,741	13	5
		9,30,67,096	4	1

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P
Government Securities		1,75,58,980	4	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		48,82,992	3	7
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities at Head Office and Branches .		24,48,265	10	9
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,22,25,386	12	10
Dead Stock		11,37,954	7	4
Stamps		12,880	0	0
Balances with other Banks .. .		9,48,113	9	1
Sundries		1,02,006	14	3
Bullion		5,58,757	12	3
		4,98,75,337	10	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ..	Rs. 1,15,93,894 7 7	4,31,91,758	10	0
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches .	„ 3,15,97,864 2 5			
Rupees ...		9,30,67,096	4	1

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 25th September 1873

F. A. GILLAM,
Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(382—1)

Calcutta Municipality.

THE Special General Meeting of the Justices of the Peace for Calcutta, will not be held on the 13th October as advertised. The business which was to have been brought forward at that Meeting will be considered at the Quarterly Meeting on the 15th idem.

By order of the Chairman of the Justices of the Peace.

ROBERT TURNBULL, *Secy. to the Justices of the Peace.*

The 30th September 1873.

(380—1)

Citation.

UNDER SECTION 250, ACT X OF 1865.

WHEREAS an application for Probate of the Last Will and Testament and Codicil of Mrs. Anne Deborah Rees, deceased, late of Monghyr, in the district of Monghyr, within this judgeship, has been made by Henry Christian, the executor named in the Will and Codicil above alluded to, and whereas the 25th day of October 1873, has been fixed for the hearing of this case, notice is hereby given that any person having any interest in the estate of the said deceased may, if he desire, appear in this Court on the said day before noon, and show cause why the application of the said Henry Christian (who is an Indigo planter, of Chupron Factory, Tuppa Suronja, Pergunnah Phurkya, district Monghyr,) should not be granted.

In default of such appearance Probate will be granted under the Indian Succession Act to the said Henry Christian.

J. M. LOWIS, *Offg. Judge.*

BHAUGULPORE JUDGE'S COURT, the 20th September 1873.

(379—3)

Notice.

THE Office of the Official Trustee of Bengal, will be closed from Friday 26th September to Saturday the 8th November, both days inclusive; with the following exceptions:—

Friday and Saturday, 10th and 11th October, for payments of the interest on the Mysore Fund, and other sums then due for September.

Monday, 3rd November, for the payment of the sums then due for October.

TOWN HALL, the 25th September 1873. (381—1) F. J. FERGUSSON, *Official Trustee.*

Notification.

Found by Kali Prosad Dutt of Meerbazar in the town of Midnapore, second-half of an old bank note, No. 00719, dated 15th August 1855 for Rs. 1,000, owner not known. Any one claiming this half note will apply to the Magistrate of Midnapore and produce the first-half.

(271—3) H. L. HARRISON, *Magistrate.*

Notification.

Messrs. Michael Desterro daSilva of Calcutta, and Philip daCruz of Kidderpore in the Suburbs of Calcutta, aforesaid, gentlemen, have by indenture of transfer bearing date the 13th day of September instant, and executed under the provisions of Section 30 of Act XXIV of 1867, appointed Lewis Price Delves Broughton, Esquire, the Administrator-General of Bengal, and his successors in the office of Administrator-General, to be executor of the will of Sally Murray, deceased, in the place and stead of them, the said Michael Desterro daSilva and Philip daCruz, and have assigned and transferred to the said Lewis Price Delves Broughton, Esquire, his successors and assigns, all the estate, effects, and interests vested in them, the said Michael Desterro daSilva and Philip daCruz, by virtue of the probate granted to them as executors to the estate of the said deceased, of, in, belonging to, and concerning the house and premises situate in, and numbered 4 (now 16), Chandney Choke 1st Lane, in Calcutta aforesaid.

W. T. GRAHAM, *Solicitor.*

CALCUTTA, No. 3, HARE STREET, the 13th September 1873. (368—3)

Notice.

MR. WILLIAM BLEECK is authorized to sign our Firm by procuration.

ERNSTHAUSEN AND OESTERLEY.

CALCUTTA, the 10th September 1873. (360—3)

Kalacherra Tea Company, "Limited."

WARRANTS for the *ad-interim* dividend of 6 per cent. declared at the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, held on 20th instant, will be delivered on presentation of scrip.

BORRADAILE, SCHILLER AND CO., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873. (376—*f.n.*)

Jokai (Assam) Tea Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the Registered Office thereof, No. 103, Clive Street, Calcutta, on the 28th day of October 1873, at noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration the several matters hereunder mentioned, and for passing such resolutions as may be necessary to be passed in relation thereto.

Namely—

1.—The confirmation of the purchase by the Managing Directors of the Atta Barrie Garden or plantation.

2.—The increase of the capital of this Company from Rs. 1,80,000 to Rs. 2,30,000 by the issue of five hundred new shares of Rs. 100 each.

3.—The appointment of a Board of Directors, and the vesting of the management, and control of the Company's affairs in them.

4.—The adoption of fresh articles of Association in lieu of the present articles.

BALMER, LAWRIE AND CO.,
Managing Directors and Secretaries.

CALCUTTA, the 29th September 1873. (384—4)

Notice.

A CERTAIN sum of money being sale proceeds of the effects of one Eliza Grey, who died at Dinapore, in July 1871, is in deposit in this Court, any one having any claim to the same must apply to this Court, within two months from this date.

PATNA JUDGES' COURT, the 18th September 1873. (375—3) W. F. MCDONELL, *Judge.*

Bengalee Edition of the Acts of Government.

THE Acts of the Government of India, and those of the Government of Bengal, will, after publication in the *Bengalee Government Gazette,* be printed, in pamphlet form, for sale to the public, at a price which will be fixed in each instance to cover the cost of printing and paper. The first of the series will be the Criminal Procedure Act, now *ready,* the price of which is Rs. 1-4 per copy.—Postage 5 annas.

Central Provinces Gazetteer.

EDITION OF 1870 in one VOL.

A LIMITED number of the above work, strongly bound in cloth, octavo size, for sale at Rs. 12 per vol., exclusive of postage charge. Apply to—

MESSRS. THACKER, VINING, *Bombay*,
MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK & CO., *Calcutta*, or
TO SUPDT., CHIEF COMMR.'S OFFICE, *Nagpur*.

Notice.

COPIES of Act VII of 1871, the Indian Emigration Act, in Urdoo and Hindee, can be obtained on application at the Bengal Secretariat at 8 annas per copy.

Army List—Reduced Price.

The price of the next and subsequent Numbers of the Bengal Official Quarterly Army List will be reduced from Rs. 5 to Rs. 4 per copy for town subscribers, and from Rs. 5-8 to Rs. 4-8 for copies sent by post.

Copies of the Number published on the 1st July are still available at present rates—Rs. 5 and Rs 5-8.

Just Published—New Edition.

Public Works Department Classified List and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 1st June 1873. *Price Rs 2; packing and postage annas 4; payable in advance.*

Now ready.

Revised (Indian) Army Regulations, Part II. Regulations and Orders for the Army of the Bengal Presidency. Published by authority. Royal 8vo., cloth boards. *Price, Rs. 4; packing and postage, Re. 1. Interleaved copy, Rs. 5; packing and postage, Re. 1-12; payable in advance*

Book of Forms referred to in the above. Foolscap folio, enclosed in stiff covers. *Price, Rs. 2; packing and postage, Re. 1-8; payable in advance.*

Superintendent Government Printing, 8, Hastings' Street, Calcutta.

New Criminal Procedure Code.

OFFICERS under the Bengal Government, who wish to have copies of the New Criminal Procedure Code, *for sale*, are requested to apply to the Superintendent of Government Printing, Calcutta.

Just Published.

A Report on the Expedition to Western Yunan *via* Bhamo. By John Anderson, M.D., Medical Officer and Naturalist to the Expedition. *Price Rs. 8. Apply at the Office of Superintendent Government Printing Calcutta.*

Report of the Commissioners appointed by the Government of India to inquire into the Origin, Nature, &c., of Indian Cattle Plagues. With Appendices, Calcutta, 1871. Fol. pp. xxx and 999, with Maps. *Price Rs. 10. Packing 4 annas.*

Selections from Unpublished Records of Government for the years 1748 to 1767 inclusive. Relating mainly to the social condition of Bengal. With a Map of Calcutta in 1784. By the Rev. J. Long, Member of the Government Record Commission. *Price Rs. 5. Packing and postage 1 Rupee extra.*

Selections from Calcutta Gazettes of the years 1816 to 1823 inclusive, showing the political and social condition of the English in India upwards of fifty years ago. By Hugh David Sandeman, C.S., Accountant-General, Bengal, and Member of the Record Commission. Volume I, Rs. 3, and Volumes II, III, IV, and V, at Rs. 5 each; packing and postage Re. 1 extra.

The above to be had at the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, 8, Hastings Street, Calcutta.

WASTE LAND RULES,

Being Chap. XXVI of the Rules of the Board of Revenue

Price, 4 annas. Packing and postage charges, 2 annas extra.

Calcutta: Office of Supdt. of Government Printing,
No. 8, Hastings Street.

Just Published.

Rules for the Qualification, Admission, and Enrolment of Pleaders and Mooktears in Mofussil Courts. *Price 4 annas; by post, 5 annas.*

Just Published.

Rules for Admission of Vakeels in the High Court. *Price 4 annas; by post 5 annas.*

Will be published on the 1st October.

Bengal Army List—New Number

The Official Quaterly Army list of H. M.'s Forces in Bengal, corrected to 1st October 1873. To which is added a Non-Official supplement containing the latest corrected Civil List, &c., &c. *Price Rs. 4; packing and postage 8 annas.*

The price of the next and subsequent Numbers of the Bengal Official Quarterly Army List will be reduced from Rs. 5 to Rs. 4 per copy for town subscribers, and from Rs. 5-8 to Rs. 4-8 for copies sent by post.

Copies of the Number published on 1st July are still available at present rates—Rs. 5 and Rs. 58.

IN THE PRESS.—WILL SHORTLY BE PUBLISHED.

New authorized edition of the Pension, Leave, and Acting Allowance Codes corrected to September 1873.

The Civil Pension Code, authorized edition, octavo size, with every alternate page blank for entering notes and alterations. *Price Rs. 1-4; packing and postage 4 annas extra.*

The Civil Leave Code. *Price Re. 1; packing and postage 3 annas extra.*

The Acting Allowance Code. *Price As. 8; packing and postage 2 annas.*

The above to be had at the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, 8, Hastings Street Calcutta.

Notification.

OVERLAND MONEY ORDERS.

ON and after the 1st October next, the charge for Overland Money Orders will be regulated by Schedule 8 (exchange rate of 1*s.* 10¼*d.* per rupee) instead of Schedule 9 (exchange rate of 1*s.* 10*d.* per rupee) of the revised Tariff which accompanied the notice issued by this office under date the 23rd January 1873.

G. BATTYE,

SIMLA, the 20th September 1873. *Offg. Director General of the Post Office of India.*

Postal Notices.

SEA OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo ...	7 P.M. ...	5th Oct. ...	*Busheer.*
Rangoon, Moulmein and Straits ...	7 „ ...	5th „ ..	*Chaldea.*

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 3rd October 1873.

2. Book post and pattern packets must be posted on the 2nd.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M., or, bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, up to 8 P.M., and after 8 up to 9 P.M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

CALCUTTA, the 29th September 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Postmaster of Calcutta.*

List of Remaining and Unclaimed Letters accumulated in the Calcutta Post Office on the 29th September 1873.

Abreo, Mrs. S.
Abuiron, Mr. C. U.
Abraham, J. T.
" A Friend."
Aviet, Mrs. L. S.
Avirt, Mrs. L. S.
Bartlett, Mr.
Bengal Mohillier Credit Company.
Bouchey, J. B.
Cassey, W.
Chiarini, G.
Commins, W. T.
Commings, F.
Deveria, L.
Dymes, Cootwright.
Francis, Mrs. E.
Goodman, Mrs.
Gray, Mrs. A. G.
Green, D.
Greenfield, Rev. J.
Gunnerson, N.
Hall Selina, Mrs.
Halsted, St. Le er.
Hupton, Mrs.
Inbert, Miss L. C.
Johnstone, Mrs. E.
Kruger, W. F.
Lane, Mr. C.
Mabert, L.
McSwaney, C. D.
Madge, C. S.
Martin, R.
Millard, Mrs.
Pantum, Mrs. P.
Pemberton, F. B.
Phillips, C. A. B.
Prussia, Mr. G.
Radha Mohun Gossain.
Robertson, R.
Reily, E. M.
Rodrick, J.
Roe, M. G.
Sandeman, D.
Seton, G.
Sequiera, S. Se.
Shouldham, H. D.
Smith, Mrs.
Smith, D. D. S.
Smith, J.
Stevenson, Mr. E. C.
Taylor, Mr. W.
Thomson, H. E.
Tinguin, J. G. B.
Vanguline, E.
Viwlas, V.
White, J.
Williams, R.
Weight Samuel, Mr.

Letters marked " Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

Barnes, Mrs. E.
Barnes, Mrs. E.
Beck, R. A.
D'Connie, W.
Michell, Col.
Soloman, Tocubie.
W. L. T.

E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Postmaster of Calcutta.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of RAMDOSS MULLICK AND KANNOY LALL MULLICK, Insolvents.

ON Friday, the 12th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 18th day of November next, and that the said Insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. F. Pittar, *Attorney.*

In the matter of JADUB CHUNDER NUNDY, lately carrying on business as Cloth Merchant, at Tereeputty, Burra Bazar, in the Town of Calcutta, an Insolvent.

ON Monday, the 8th day of September instant, it was, on the petition of Tariney Churn Bose, a creditor of the said Insolvent, adjudged that the said Jadub Chunder Nundy hath committed an act of Insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Woomes Chunder Bonnerjee, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 15th day of September 1873.

In the matter of KRISHTO LALL GOSSAIN, an insolvent.

ON Wednesday, the 17th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday the 18th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said court.

Kadernauth Mitter, *Attorney.*

In the matter of SHOBBARAM, of Banstollah Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

ON Thursday, the 18th day of September instant, it was on the petition of Ram Chunder Dey, a creditor of the said insolvent, adjudged that the said Shobharam has committed an act of insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, and by another order of the sams date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bolye Chund Dutt, *Attorney.*

In the matter of TARINEY CHURN GHOSE, an insolvent.

ON Tuesday the 16th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday the 18th day of November next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

W. C. Bonnerjee, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 22nd day of September 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1873.

PART III.

Acts of the Bengal Council.

Government of Bengal.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

THE following Act passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, received the assent of His Honor on the 16th August 1873, and having been assented to by His Excellency the Governor General on the 13th September 1873, is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. V OF 1873.

An Act to provide for the levy of a lighting-rate in Howrah.

WHEREAS it is desirable to make further provision for lighting the town of Howrah with gas, by imposing a rate on those persons who benefit thereby,—

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Limits of the Town of Howrah.

1. The expression "the town of Howrah" in this Act shall be taken to mean the area of the Howrah Municipality as defined by the Lieutenant-Governor under the provisions of Section 3 of the District Municipal Improvement Act, being Bengal Act III of 1864.

Municipal Commissioners may submit to the Lieutenant-Governor a plan for lighting.

2. It shall be lawful for the Municipal Commissioners from time to time to submit to the Lieutenant-Governor for his sanction, a plan for lighting with gas any portion of the town of Howrah, whether so lighted already or not, such portion of the said town having been previously defined by the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting held for that purpose. The Lieutenant-Governor shall cause the plan to be published for one month in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and the Municipal Commissioners shall publish it in the vernacular in the town of Howrah; and after such publication, and after consideration of any objections which may be raised to it, or alterations suggested in it, the Lieutenant-Governor may, if satisfied that the lighting proposed in the plan is proper and sufficient, sanction such plan; or may refuse his sanction thereto; or may return it to the Municipal Commissioners for alteration in certain particulars to be specified by him, and, when altered, may sanction it as altered. The Lieutenant-Governor shall cause his sanction to any plan to be notified in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall at the same time cause the plan sanctioned to be published in the said *Gazette*.

Lighting-rate not exceeding three per centum may, after sanction of plan, be imposed on houses, buildings, and lands.

3. After notification by the Lieutenant-Governor as in the last preceding section mentioned, it shall be lawful for the Municipal Commissioners to impose an annual rate not exceeding three per centum of their annual value upon all houses, buildings, and lands situated within such portion of the said town for the purpose of defraying the whole expense of lighting.

Proviso as to portions already lighted.

Provided that, as regards any portion of the said town already lighted with gas, and for the future lighting of which a plan shall have been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor

under the provision of the last preceding section if it shall appear that the estimated proceeds of the said rate at three per centum will not be sufficient, to defray the whole expense of such lighting, it shall be lawful for the Municipal Commissioners to impose a rate sufficient to defray the whole expense of lighting such portion.

Rate payable by occupiers quarterly in advance.

4. The rate imposed under section 3 upon houses, buildings, and lands shall be paid by the occupiers thereof by quarterly instalments in advance; but no rate shall be leviable until the lamps in the portion of the town to be lighted shall have been lighted; nor shall any rate be leviable for any quarter or portion of a quarter antecedent to such lighting. Arable lands and lands used for pasturage, and buildings used exclusively as places of public worship or applied solely to charitable purposes, shall not be liable to the rate.

Arable lands, &c., exempted from rate.

Annual valuation how to be made.

5. The annual value of the said houses, buildings, and lands shall be the value fixed by the Municipal Commissioners year by year under the provisions of Section 27 of the District Municipal Improvement Act. And all the provisions of the said Act, and of Bengal Act VII of 1867, relating to the assessment and collection of the rate on houses, buildings, and lands shall, except so far as they are modified by the provisions of this Act, be applicable to the assessment and collection of the lighting-rate.

Assessment and collection.

Power to assess owners in certain cases.

6. If any house, building, or land shall be occupied by more than one tenant holding in severalty, or shall be of less annual value than one hundred rupees, it shall be lawful for the Municipal Commissioners to recover the rate from the owner of such house, building, or land.

Owner to recover from the occupier rates paid by owner.

7. Whenever any rate shall be recovered from any owner of any house, building, or land under the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be lawful for such owner, if there shall be but one occupying tenant of such house, building, or land, to recover from such tenant the entire amount of the rate which shall have been so paid by such owner; and if there shall be more than one occupying tenant of such house, building, or land, then to recover from each of such tenants such sum as shall bear to the entire amount of rate which may have been so recovered from such owner the same proportion as the value of the portion of such house, building, or land in the occupation of such tenant bears to the entire value of such house, building, or land, subject however to the provisions of Section 8 of this Act.

Owner may recover rate so paid as rent.

8. Every owner who under the provisions of the last preceding section may be entitled to recover any sum from any occupying tenant of any house, building, or land, or of any portion thereof, shall have for the recovery of such sum all such and the same remedies, powers, rights, and authorities as if such sum were rent payable to such owner by such tenant in respect of so much of such house, building, or land as may be in the occupation of such tenant.

Occupier liable to the rate for time of occupation only.

9. Every occupier shall be liable to the lighting-rate for the time of his occupation. When any person shall have been an occupier for a part only of any quarter, he shall be liable only for so much of the rate for that quarter as may be proportionate to the number of days during which he shall have been an occupier. If he shall have paid the rate in advance, the amount paid in excess of the sum due under this section shall be refunded.

Excess paid in advance to be refunded.

No rate to be charged during vacancy.

No such rate shall be chargeable to any person on account of any unoccupied house, building, or land for the time during which it may remain unoccupied.

Notice of cessation of occupancy to be given within seven days.

Provided always that when any person ceases to be the occupier of any house, building, or land upon which the rate has been assessed, he shall give the Municipal Commissioners notice thereof within seven days from the date of the cessation of his occupancy. If the occupier fail to give such notice within such period, he shall be liable to the rate assessed on such house, building, or land for the whole quarter, although he may have occupied for a part only of such quarter; and in cases to which the provisions of Section 6 of this Act apply, the rate assessed on such house, building, or land for the whole quarter shall be recoverable from the owner, if such owner has failed to give notice that such house, building, or land is unoccupied, within seven days from the date on which it ceased to be occupied.

Unknown owner or occupier how to be designated.

10. When the name of the owner or occupier of any house, building, or land is not known, it shall be sufficient to designate him in any notice served, or proceeding held under this Act, as the owner or the occupier of the house, building, or land on which the rate is assessed, and without further description.

Situation of gas-pipe or other gas-work to be altered at the expense of the Commissioners.

11. If the Municipal Commissioners deem it necessary, for the purposes of this Act, to raise, sink, or otherwise alter the situation of any gas-pipe, or other gas-work, laid in any portion of the said town, they may from time to time, by notice in writing, require the person to whom any such pipe or work belongs, or under whose control it may be, to cause forthwith, or as soon as conveniently may be, any such pipe or work to be raised, sunk, or otherwise altered in position, in such manner as the Commissioners may direct; provided that such alteration be not such as permanently to injure such pipe or work, or to prevent the gas from flowing as freely and conveniently as before; and the expenses attending such raising, sinking, or altering, and full compensation for the damage

done thereby, shall be paid by the Commissioners out of the municipal fund as well to the person to whom such pipe or work belongs as to all other persons.

If owner, &c., neglect to make alterations, the Commissioners may cause the same to be made.

12. If the person to whom any such pipe or work belongs, or under whose control it may be, do not proceed forthwith, or as soon as conveniently may be, after the receipt of such notice, to cause the same to be raised, sunk, or altered in such manner as the Municipal Commissioners require, the Commissioners may themselves cause such pipe or work to be raised, sunk, or altered as they may think fit provided that such works be not permanently injured thereby, or the gas prevented from flowing as freely and conveniently as before.

Construction.

13. This Act shall be construed with, and as part of, the District Municipal Improvement Act

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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THE following Bill as settled by the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, on the 13th September 1873, is by order of the President published for general information.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Embankments and Watercourses.

WHEREAS it is expedient that provision should be made for the better construction, maintenance, and management of embankments and water-courses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows:—

PART I.

Preliminary.

1. This Act may be called "The Bengal Embankment Act, 1873."

It extends to the whole of the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the province of Orissa and the Soonderbuns as defined under the provisions of Clause 2, Section 13, Regulation III of 1828.

And it shall come into force on the day of the passing thereof.

Repeal of former Acts.

2. From such day Act No. XXXII of 1855 (*relating to embankments*) and Bengal Act No. VII of 1866 (*to make better provision for the acquisition of land for embankments and other matters relating thereto*) shall, except so far as relates to the province of Orissa and the said Soonderbuns, be repealed.

Interpretation.

3. The following words shall, for the purposes of this Act, have the meanings hereby declared, save where, from the context, a contrary intention appears:—

"Estate."

"Estate" means—(1) Any land or share in land subject to the payment to Government of an annual sum, in respect of which the name of a proprietor is entered on the register, known as the general register of all revenue-paying estates, or in respect of which a separate account may, in pursuance of Section 10, or Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, have been opened;

(2) Any land entered in the register of revenue-free tenures;

(3) Any land acquired under any rules issued by or under authority of Government for the sale, grant, or clearance of waste lands.

"Embankment."

"Embankment" includes every bank, dam, wall, and dyke, made or used for excluding water from, or for retaining water upon, any land, and every sluice, spur, groyne, training wall, or other work annexed to or portion of any such embankment, and every bank, dam, dyke, wall, groyne or spur made or erected for the protection of any such embankment or of any land from erosion or overflow by or of rivers, tides, waves, or waters; and also all buildings intended for purposes of inspection and supervision.

"Watercourse."

"Watercourse" includes a line of drainage, weir, culvert, pipe, or other channel for the passage of water, whether natural or artificial.

"Zemindar" means all or any of the holders of an estate; and where two or more zemindars are jointly holders thereof, they shall be jointly and severally liable under this Act.

"Zemindar."

"Tenure" includes all interests in land other than estates as above defined, held permanently at a fixed rental, or held lakhiraj.

"Tenure."

"Proprietor" means the holder of a tenure.

"Proprietor."

"Public Embankment" means an embankment maintained by the officers of Government.

"Public Embankment."

"Public watercourse" means any watercourse under the charge of the officers of Government.

"Public watercourse."

"The Engineer" means the District Engineer or any Engineer specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of an Engineer under this Act.

"The Engineer."

"Collector" means any Collector, Deputy Collector or other Revenue Officer in independent charge of any district or portion of a district, or specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of a Collector under this Act.

"Collector."

"District" means the portion of territory throughout which any person vested with the powers of a Collector is authorized to exercise such powers.

"District."

"Land" includes interests in land and benefits arising out of land and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth.

"Land."

PART II.

Powers of Collector and procedure thereon.

Powers of Collector.

4. Under the conditions and in the manner hereinafter provided—

Power to take charge of embankments.

(1.) The Collector may cause any embankment which connects public embankments, or forms, by junction with them, part of a line of embankments, or any embankment or watercourse which is necessary for the protection or drainage of the neighbouring country, to be taken charge of and maintained by the officers of Government.

Power to remove embankments and obstructions.

(2.) The Collector may cause to be removed or altered any embankment which endangers the stability of a public embankment, or any obstruction of any kind which interferes with the general drainage of any tract of land.

Power to change line of embankment.

(3.) The Collector may, when necessary, change the line of or lengthen any public embankment; or make a new embankment in the place of or renew any public embankment; or make an embankment in any place in which he may deem such embankment required for the protection of any lands, or for the improvement of any watercourse; or make a sluice in any public embankment.

Power to improve drainage.

(4.) The Collector may construct any sluice or watercourse, or effect any alteration in any public watercourse, when such construction or alteration may be required for the improvement of the health, or for the protection of any village or cultivable land.

Power to alter roads and construct watercourses.

(5.) The Collector may call upon the person in charge of any road which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land to alter such road, or to construct any watercourse under or through such road. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Collector shall prescribe, the said Collector may cause the road to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the person in charge of the said road.

Applications for sluices to be made to Collector.

(6.) If any landholder, farmer, or cultivator be desirous of having a sluice made in any public embankment for the purpose of drainage or irrigation, he shall make an application in writing to the Collector of the district in which such embankment is situate. The application shall contain such particulars of the land to be drained or irrigated as may enable the Collector to judge of the advantage which may be derived from the work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Application for new embankment or drainage to be made to Collector.

(7.) Whenever any person is desirous that any new embankment be erected, or that any new watercourse be made, or that any watercourse be obstructed or diverted, if such work is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede any public embankment or any public watercourse, he shall apply to the Collector, and at the time of making such application shall deposit with him a statement of the proposed work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Procedure.

5. When it shall appear expedient to the Collector that any of the works specified in the last preceding section should be executed, he shall cause to be prepared plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said works, and he shall cause a proclamation to be issued giving notice of his intention to cause such works to be executed. Such proclamation shall be in the form, and state the particulars mentioned in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act; and the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as aforesaid, shall be kept at the office of the Collector and shall be open to the inspection of any interested persons who shall be allowed to take copies thereof. The Collector shall not commence any of such works until final order made in respect thereto under the provisions of Sections 8, 59, and 60 of this Act.

Publication of proclamation.

6. Every such proclamation shall be published by affixing the same at the cutcherry of the Collector, and in the manner provided in the third clause of Section 57.

7. Every such proclamation shall be published not less than thirty days before the day appointed for hearing the persons interested.

Proclamation to be published for thirty days.

8. The Collector shall, on the day appointed for the hearing, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing shall be adjourned, hear the objections of any persons who may appear, and, after recording any evidence which they may adduce, shall pass an order in regard to the execution of the proposed works. Notice of such order shall be served on such persons as may have appeared in pursuance of the proclamation.

Hearing of objections to works.

9. If the lands, which are likely to be affected by any such proposed works, are situated within the limits of different districts, the Collector of any district, within which any portion of such lands is situated, shall apply to the Commissioner of the division for authority to proceed in such matter; and the Commissioner of the division, if all the lands are situated within his division, may give authority to such Collector, or to any other Collector within whose district any portion of such lands is situated, to proceed in respect of all the lands likely to be affected by such works.

Authority to take proceedings where lands likely to be affected by the works are in different districts;

If the districts, within which the lands likely to be affected by any such works are situated, are subject to the Commissioners of different divisions, the Collector shall apply to the Commissioner of the division within which his district is situated, and such Commissioner may, with the concurrence of the Commissioner to whom the other district is subject, give authority to proceed in such matter.

or different divisions.

10. All the powers vested in the Collector by Section 4. of this Act, may be exercised by the Engineer in cases referred to him by the Collector subject to the general orders of the Collector.

The Collector may delegate certain powers to Engineer.

PART III.

Procedure in cases of imminent danger to life or property.

11. Whenever the Collector shall be of opinion that the proceedings commenced by notice under Sections 5 to 8 of this Act would cause delay in the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon him by Clauses 2, 3, and 4 of Section 4, likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to commence to exercise such powers. Provided that he shall forthwith cause to be prepared the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as provided in Section 5, and shall cause a proclamation to be issued as provided in that section giving notice that the work mentioned therein has already been commenced, and thereupon such proceedings and inquiries shall be had as in and by Part II of this Act are directed.

Proceedings in emergencies.

12. Whenever any land, or earth from any land the property of any person, is required for the purposes of any works commenced in pursuance of the provisions of the last preceding section, or for the purposes of Section 18 in cases where the Collector shall be of opinion that proceedings for the acquisition of such land according to the provisions hereinafter contained in Section 25, would cause delay as aforesaid, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act, giving notice thereof at convenient places in the locality in which such land is situated, and he may at the same time take possession of the same for the said purposes.

Power to take possession of land.

13. The Collector shall ascertain and record the nature and estimated value of the crops and trees (if any) standing on such land, and shall offer adequate compensation to the persons interested. If such offer is not accepted, the value of such crops and trees shall be allowed for in awarding compensation for the land under the provisions of Section 29.

Compensation for standing crops and trees.

14. The Collector may depute to the Engineer the powers described in Sections 11, 12, and 13 subject to his own general orders, and in that case when the Collector is not present the Engineer may, if he shall be of opinion that delay for the purpose of obtaining the orders of the Collector would be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, exercise the powers conferred on him by the Collector.

Power to Engineer to act in absence of Collector.

15. Whenever, upon an inquiry had under the provisions of this Part, it has been determined in the final order to be passed on such inquiry that anything done by the Collector, or by the Engineer under the last preceding section was unnecessary, the land or the embankments or drainage shall, so far as any alteration thereof shall appear to be unnecessary, be at the expense of the Government restored as nearly as possible to the state in which they were when the Collector commenced to act under the provisions of this Part; and any person who shall have sustained loss, damage, or injury by the execution of such works, shall receive compensation from the Government to be assessed according to the provisions contained in Part V of this Act.

Power to restore embankments, &c.

16. The provisions of Section 9 shall be applicable to proceedings taken under this Part.

Section 9 to apply to proceedings under this Part.

PART IV.

Powers of Engineer.

17. The power conferred on the Engineer under this Part shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Collector.

Engineer subject to control of Collector.

18. The Engineer may make any repairs in, and may do all acts necessary and proper for the maintenance of any public embankment, public watercourse, or other work executed or taken charge of under the provisions of this Act, or of any of the Acts repealed by this Act.

Power to make repairs.

19. The Engineer may call upon the manger, or other person in charge of any railroad which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land, to alter such railroad or or to construct any watercourse under or through such railroad.

Power to alter railroads or construct watercourses.

In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Engineer shall prescribe, the Engineer may thereupon, with the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, cause the said railroad to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the said manager, or other person in charge of the said railroad.

Power to make temporary roadway, watercourse or dam.

20. Whenever any person is desirous that a temporary roadway should be made over, or that a temporary watercourse should be made through, any public embankment, or that a temporary dam should be constructed in any embanked river or public watercourse, he shall apply to the Engineer, who shall communicate the application to the Collector, and the Collector shall pass such orders thereon as he shall think fit. If the proposed work is to be executed by an officer of Government, the applicant, before the commencement of the work, shall deposit the amount estimated by the Engineer to be necessary to defray the expenses of, and incidental to, making and removing such roadway, or of, and incidental to, making and closing or removing such watercourse or dam. If the amount deposited is found insufficient, the Engineer shall recover from the said applicant the further amount required; and if it exceeds the amount required, such excess shall be returned to the said applicant.

Power to remove houses.

21. Whenever the Engineer shall be of opinion that the removal of any trees, houses, huts, or other buildings, situated between a public embankment and the river, is necessary, he shall make a report to that effect, accompanied by a detailed statement of the trees, houses, huts, or other buildings to be removed, to the Collector of the district in whose jurisdiction the land on which such trees, houses, huts, or other buildings stand, is situated; and the Collector shall report the same to the Lieutenant-Governor in order that proceedings may be taken, in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870," or other law for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes, for obtaining possession of such trees, houses, huts, and buildings. Provided always that in case the Collector be of opinion that the delay required by such proceedings is likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to cause such trees, houses, huts, or buildings to be removed, and in such case the compensation due therefor shall be ascertained and paid in the manner hereinafter provided.

Sluices to be opened or shut under authority of the Engineer.

22. Sluices constructed in any public embankment shall be opened or shut only by or with the general or special permission of the officer in the immediate charge of the embankment, under such orders, either general or special, as he may receive from the Engineer.

Power to appropriate land or earth for embanked towpath.

23. In any case where an embanked towpath has heretofore been maintained by Government alongside any canal, river, khal, or channel, the Engineer shall be entitled to appropriate without payment, as heretofore, land or earth for the maintenance, repair, or re-construction of such embanked towpath. If in any case the Engineer shall consider it necessary for the purposes of towing to enlarge an existing towpath, or to construct a new towpath, proceedings shall be taken in accordance with the subsequent provisions of this Act relating thereto.

Power to enter and survey land, &c.

24. It shall be lawful for the Engineer, or any person whom he may authorize in that behalf, in order to carry out any of the purposes of this Act,

to enter upon, and survey, and take levels of any land;

to dig or bore into the sub-soil;

to do all other acts necessary to ascertain whether the land is adapted to the purpose projected by such Engineer; or by the Collector;

Power to mark out line.

to set out the boundaries of the land proposed to be taken, and the intended line of the work proposed to be made thereon;

to mark such levels, boundaries, and line, by placing marks and cutting trenches;

Power to clear land.

and, where otherwise the survey cannot be completed or the levels taken, to cut down and clear away any part of any standing crop, fence, or jungle.

Previous notice of entry.

Provided that no person shall enter into any building or upon any enclosed court or garden attached to a dwelling-house (unless with the consent of the occupier thereof) without previously giving such occupier at least seven days' notice in writing of his intention to do so.

Payment for damage.

The Engineer or other person so authorized shall at the time of such entry pay or tender payment for all necessary damage to be done as aforesaid, and, in case of dispute as to the sufficiency of the amount so paid or tendered, he shall at once refer the dispute to the decision of the Collector, and such decision shall be final.

PART V.

Acquisition of lands.

Acquisition of land.

25. Whenever in the course of proceedings under this Act, save in those cases in which the Collector has proceeded under the provisions of Part III, it appears that land is required for any of the purposes thereof, proceedings shall be forthwith taken for the acquisition of such land in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being for the acquisition of lands for public purposes.

When land taken, proclamation to be published.

26. Whenever any land shall have been taken or used under the provisions of Part III, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (C) annexed to this Act at convenient places on or near the land so taken, stating that Government has taken possession of the land, and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land shall be made to him. Thereupon the land shall vest absolutely in the Government free from all incumbrances, subject, however, to the claims for compensation to

be ascertained in manner as in this Part is provided.

Contents of proclamation.

27. Such proclamation shall state the particulars of the land so taken, and shall require all persons interested in the land to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at a time and place therein mentioned (such time not being earlier than fifteen days after the date of issuing the proclamation), and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interest.

Further notice to be served on certain parties.

28. The Collector shall also serve notice to the same effect on the occupier (if any) of such land, and on all such persons known or believed to be interested therein, or to be entitled to act for persons so interested, as reside, or have agents authorized to receive service on their behalf, within the revenue district in which the land is situate.

Proceedings after notice.

29. After service of such notice proceedings shall be had and taken to determine the amount of compensation to be payable in respect of such land, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Compensation for consequential damage.

30. Whenever any land other than land required or taken by the Engineer, or any right of fishery, right of drainage, right of the use of water, or other right or property, shall have been injuriously affected by the due exercise of the powers or provisions of this Act, the person in whom such property or right is vested may prefer a claim by petition to the Collector for compensation.

Application to be made within a year.

31. No claim shall be entertained which shall be made later than one year next after the completion of the work by which such right is injuriously affected.

Procedure for such compensation.

32. When any such claim is made, proceedings shall be taken in view to determine the amount of compensation, if any, which should be made, and the person to whom the same should be payable, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Matters to be considered in determining compensation.

33. In determining the amount of compensation to be awarded in such cases, the Judge and Assessors shall take into consideration—

First, the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land;

Secondly, the damage sustained by the claimant by reason of such acquisition injuriously affecting the property or right;

Thirdly, the consequent diminution of the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land.

Matters not to be considered in determining compensation.

But the Judge or Assessors shall not take into consideration—

First, the degree of urgency which has led to the acquisition;

Secondly, any damage sustained by the claimant, which, if caused by a private person, would not in any suit instituted against such person justify a decree for damages.

Land, &c., taken possession of to vest in Government.

34. All buildings, land, earth, pathways, sluices, gates, bermes, hedges, belonging to, or forming part of, any embankment or watercourse, of which charge has been or may hereafter be taken by the officers of Government, shall vest in the Government, and shall be held on behalf of the Government in respect of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) annexed to this Act, and in respect of other works on behalf of the persons interested in the lands to be protected or benefited by such embankment or watercourse, subject to the provisions of Section 63; and all monies received on account of such lands shall be payable to the Engineer and credited to the cost of the construction and maintenance of such works respectively.

PART VI.

COST OF WORKS, PROCEEDINGS, &c.

1. *Ascertainment thereof.*

Embankments in Schedule (D).

35. The provisions in this Part contained shall not apply to any of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) to this Act annexed, save so far as any works or repairs are executed therein or in relation thereto under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act; or to any of such embankments as may hereafter be erected for the protection of lands which at the time of the passing of this Act are protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule, save so far as the erection of such embankments may protect lands not protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule. All sums payable in respect of any works or repairs executed therein, or in relation to the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule except under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act, shall be paid by the Government.

Exclusion from Schedule.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II of this Act, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interests to retain any embankment mentioned in Schedule (D), the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that the same shall be no longer included in the said schedule. Provided that the Lieutenant-Governor may restore the same to the said schedule if on any subsequent inquiry similarly conducted it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor that it is necessary so to do.

Addition to Schedule.

The Lieutenant-Governor may at any time after the passing of this Act, by a notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that any embankment not mentioned in Schedule (D) be included in the said schedule, and the provisions of this section shall apply to such embankment.

Contribution of public money towards the maintenance of the embankments in the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (F) to be continued.

36. In accordance with the custom heretofore in force in respect of the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) annexed to this Act, the Government shall continue to contribute annually the sum noted therein for each

pergunnah respectively towards the maintenance of the embankments thereof.

If the embankments maintained in any such pergunnah shall at any time be declared to be public embankments under the provisions of Section 4, the Collector shall, from the date of such declaration, keep a separate account for such pergunnah, in which the aforesaid sum shall be credited at the commencement of each financial year. The unexpended balance at the close of each year shall be carried on to the credit of the account in the next succeeding year, and shall be available for the cost of repairing or erecting all the embankments which it may be deemed necessary to maintain in such pergunnah.

If such embankments are declared to be public, Collector to keep a separate account.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on an inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interest to retain any embankment in either of the said pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that such contribution shall cease in respect of such pergunnah. Provided that such contribution shall again be made in accordance with the provisions hereinbefore contained, if it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor, on the report of an inquiry similarly conducted, that the maintenance of any embankment in such pergunnah has again become necessary for the public interest.

Contribution may be discontinued if it be found unnecessary for the public interest to maintain the embankments.

37. Specifications of any works or repairs to be executed under the provisions of this Act, and estimates of the expenses to be incurred therein or relating thereto, including such proportion of establishment charges as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, shall be prepared by the Engineer as soon after the month of October in each year as may be practicable. And whenever it appears that the actual expenses to be incurred will exceed the amount mentioned in the said estimates by one-tenth the Engineer shall forthwith prepare further estimates, and, if necessary, further specifications. Copies of all specifications and estimates shall be transmitted to the office of the Collector, together with vernacular translations thereof, or such abstracts thereof as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time direct, and may be examined by any person interested in such works or repairs. Notice of the receipt of specifications and estimates shall be served for all estates chargeable for, or likely to be affected by, the said works or repairs; and should any objection in regard to the amount of such expenses be preferred by any such person within a period of one month from the date of such notice, the Collector shall pass such orders as may appear to him reasonable and proper. Such order shall be subject in any case to an appeal by the person making such objection to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Estimates and specifications to be prepared.

38. The accounts of the actual expense incurred in executing any works or repairs shall be prepared as soon as possible after the completion thereof. The Engineer shall sign a certificate stating the true amount of all such expenses, and the names of the estates chargeable for, and of the estates and villages affected by, the said works and repairs. Copies of the said accounts and certificates shall be forwarded to the office of the Collector, and may be there examined by any person interested. Notice of the receipt thereof shall be served for the said estates and villages, and such others as in the opinion of the Collector are liable to contribute to the payment of the said amount; and if, within thirty days from the service of such notice, any interested person shall object to the accounts on the ground either that the work charged for has not been performed, or that the whole sum charged has not been expended, or that the rates of charge are higher than those mentioned in the estimates, the Collector shall inquire into such objection, and may pass any order thereon subject in any case to an appeal by the objector to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Preparation and settlement of accounts.

39. The Collector shall add to the amount appearing in the said certificate all sums which have been paid or have become payable in respect of compensation, costs and expenses under and incidental to any proceedings taken or directed to be taken under Parts II and V of this Act, including costs of all surveys and plans. He shall thereupon make an order specifying the total sum found payable, and in respect of works done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the persons by whom, or in respect, of other works the estates in respect of which, the same is payable to him. If the order is made in respect of work done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the same shall forthwith be served upon the party or parties liable to pay; otherwise the Collector shall proceed under the provisions in the next chapter contained.

Total sum payable.

Interest may be charged upon any sum paid as compensation from the date of payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding 5 per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct.

Interest.

40. The said total sum, save so far as is otherwise provided in this Act, shall be paid to the Collector by the zemindars of the estates in which are situated the lands benefited or protected by the repairs or works executed. Provided that where any specific sum has hitherto been annually demanded in respect of any embankment not included in Schedule (D), and when the said embankment is at the time of this Act coming into operation being maintained by Government, then such special payments shall, after the passing of this Act, thenceforth cease and determine.

Parties liable to pay.

Every zemindar, who is liable under this rule for the payment of the whole or a portion of such total sum, shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of every tenure which is declared to be a part of his estate, the sum apportioned to such tenure by the Collector, under the provisions of Section 45. And similarly, every proprietor shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of any subordinate tenure which is declared to be a part of his tenure, the sum apportioned to such subordinate tenure by the Collector, under the said provisions.

2. *Apportionment thereof.*

41. So soon as the total sum payable as aforesaid has been ascertained, the Collector shall cause a notice to be served for every

Notice to be given before apportionment.

one of the said estates and villages mentioned in Section 38. Every such notice shall specify the estates and villages aforesaid, and that an inquiry will be held at a day and place therein named for the purpose of apportioning amongst the zemindars and proprietors the said total sum, with interest and the costs of apportionment.

Mode of inquiry as to the proportion chargeable to each estate.

42. On the day fixed in the said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days later than the date of any service of such notice, the Collector shall proceed to make the said inquiry. In making this inquiry he shall receive such evidence as may be tendered by, or on behalf of, the said zemindars and proprietors, and by, or on behalf of, any other persons who may claim to be interested therein.

Names of proprietors.

43. In any such inquiry the Collector shall take down in writing the names of all persons who may claim, or who may be alleged by any party interested, to be proprietors of tenures within any of the estates mentioned in such notice. In default of appearance of any such person, the Collector shall issue and serve a notice calling on him to appear at a date and place therein mentioned, and to show cause against being included in the order of apportionment to be made therein, and shall adjourn the inquiry till such date.

Apportionment amongst zemindars.

44. At such or any subsequently adjourned inquiry, the Collector, if there be only one estate liable, shall charge the zemindar thereof with the total amount payable; and if there be two or more estates, he shall apportion the same amongst the zemindars thereof, rateably in proportion to the respective benefits derived by such estates from such works or repairs; or in proportion to the areas of the lands benefited or protected thereby, and comprised within such estates respectively; or with the sanction of the local Government in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates, if, before the passing of this Act, such proportion has been usually adopted.

Provided that the said total amount payable in respect of the embankments on the right bank of the river Gunduk shall be chargeable, in accordance with the custom in force for such estates, to the zemindars of all the estates situated in the district of Sarun, in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates.

Proviso in respect of the pergunnahs in Schedule (E.)

Provided also that the sum standing to the credit of a pergunnah in Schedule (E) in the account kept by the Collector, at the time when the total amount payable is fixed under the provisions of Section 39, shall be deducted from the total amount payable in respect of such portion of any embankment as is situated in such pergunnah; and that the zemindars of the estates situated therein shall be charged only with the balance of the amount (if any) which may remain payable.

Apportionment amongst proprietors.

45. The Collector shall, in like manner, apportion, except in respect of the said Gunduk embankments, the amount payable in respect of each estate amongst all the tenures therein rateably in the proportion of benefit so received or area so benefited or protected, first deducting therefrom such sum as, on the like principle of proportion, is payable in respect of such portion of the estate as is not included within any tenure.

Apportionment where the lands held without payment of rent, not being estates on the register of revenue-free tenures.

46. All lands held without payment of rent not being estates entered in the register of revenue-free tenures, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to form a part of the tenure within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any tenure, then to be a part of the estate within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any estate, then to be a part of such conterminous estate as the Collector, in whose district such conterminous estate is situated, shall, by an order under his seal and signature, declare.

Amount apportioned payable by instalments.

47. The amount apportioned to any estate or tenure shall be payable in equal instalments on such days as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, provided that no instalment shall exceed four annas for every acre of land in respect of which the same is payable, and that not more than four instalments shall be payable in any one year.

Interest.

Interest shall be charged on the unpaid portion of the said amount from the date of the same becoming due until payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding five per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time determine.

Final order of apportionment.

48. On the completion of the apportionment the Collector shall make an order specifying the estates and tenures, and the several sums payable in respect thereof, the instalments of such sums, and the dates on which the same are payable.

3. *Recovery thereof.*

Orders for payment.

49. The Collector shall, within thirty days from the final order of apportionment, make and serve for every estate therein mentioned an order, stating the amount with interest due in respect thereof, and that the same is payable to him, and the date or dates at which such amount or instalments thereof shall become payable to him.

Recovery from zemindars.

50. If such sum or any instalment thereof be not, pursuant to the said order, paid, the same with interest shall be recoverable as arrears of a demand under the provisions of Bengal Act VII of 1868 (*to make further provision for the recovery of arrears of land revenue and public demands recoverable as arrears of land revenue*).

Recovery by zemindars or proprietors.

51. Every zemindar or proprietor to whom any sum or instalment thereof is payable under the said order, may recover the same with interest as aforesaid in the manner provided for the recovery of arrears of rent in respect of putnee tenures by the provisions of Clauses 2 and 3 of Section 8, Sections 9, 10, 14, 15, and Clauses 1, 2,

and 3 of Section 17 of Regulation VIII of 1819, as amended by Bengal Act VIII of 1865; provided that the right or interest of any person holding from the proprietor of such tenure shall not be affected by any sale held under these provisions.

PART VII.

Miscellaneous.

Penalty for obstructing persons in exercise of powers of Act.

52. Whoever wilfully obstructs any person duly authorized under this Act in removing or levelling any embankment, house, hut, or other building, or in the lawful exercise of any of the powers in this Act conferred, shall, in case such obstruction shall not amount to an offence within the provisions of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for any period not exceeding six months, at the discretion of the Magistrate, or to fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, commutable, if not paid, to a period of imprisonment not exceeding six months.

Penalty on unauthorized interference with embankments or drainage.

53. Every person who, without the previous permission of the Engineer, shall erect, or cause or wilfully permit to be erected, any new embankment, or shall obstruct or divert, or cause or wilfully permit to be obstructed or diverted, any watercourse, if such embankment or watercourse is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede, any public embankment or any public watercourse, or shall abet any such act, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or in default of payment, to imprisonment of either description for a period not exceeding six months.

Penalties for injuring works under Act.

54. No person shall, without due authority, cut through, or attempt to cut through, any public embankment, or destroy, or attempt to destroy any such embankment, or open or shut, or obstruct any sluice in any such embankment, or any public watercourse; and every person who shall commit any breach of the provisions of this section shall, in case the act shall not amount to mischief within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding one month, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Penalties for diverting rivers or permitting cattle to graze on embankments.

55. Every person who shall make any dam or other obstruction for the purpose of diverting or opposing the current of a river, wherein or whereon there are public embankments, without the permission of the officer in immediate charge of the embankments, or shall refuse or neglect to remove any such dam or obstruction when so required by the Engineer, or shall cut or otherwise alter the banks of any embanked river, or shall remove the earth from any public embankment, or shall drive stakes into it, or by any other wilful act destroy or diminish the efficiency of such embankment; and every person who shall cause or knowingly and wilfully permit any cattle to graze upon any such embankment, or shall tether, or cause or wilfully permit any cattle to be tethered upon any such embankment, or who shall root up any grass or other vegetation growing on any such embankment, shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Obstructions to be removed and damage repaired.

56. Whenever any person is convicted of an offence under either of the three last preceding sections, the convicting Magistrate may order that he shall remove the embankment or obstruction, or repair the damage, in respect of which the conviction is held, within a period to be fixed in such order. If such person neglects or refuses to obey such order within the fixed period, the Engineer may remove such embankment or obstruction or repair such damage, and the cost of such removal or repair shall be levied from such person in addition to any other penalty in the manner provided in Section 307 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Service.

57. Every proclamation, notice or order in and by this Act required to be served may, unless when otherwise provided, be served—

(1) by delivering a copy of the same to the person to whom it is directed, or on failure of such service by posting a copy on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person resides, or by delivering a copy to any agent authorized to appear generally for the person to whom such proclamation, notice or order is directed; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing a copy of such proclamation, notice or order directed to the said person at his usual place of abode, or at the place where he may be known to reside; or

(3) by posting a copy of the proclamation, notice or order at the mal-cutcherry of the estate, village or tenure to which the same relates; or if no such mal-cutcherry be found, on some conspicuous place on the said estate, village or tenure, and by delivering, in the case of estates paying their annual revenue by four instalments, another copy thereof to the agent who shall have paid an instalment of revenue next before or after the preparation of such proclamation, notice or order. In all cases where two or more persons are holders of an estate, village or tenure service under this clause shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service on each and all of such persons.

No proceedings to be impeached for want of form.

58. No proceedings under this Act shall be impeached or affected by reason of any mistake in the name of any person thereby rendered liable to pay any sum of money, or in the description of any estate or tenure or land in respect of which he is rendered liable to pay; provided the directions of this Act be in substance and effect complied with; and no proceedings under this Act shall for want of form be quashed or set aside in any Court of Justice.

Appeal from orders made on objection.

59 Every order passed by the Collector in respect to applications under Section 4, Clauses 6 and 7, or under Sections 8, 39, and 48, shall be appealable to the Commissioner of Revenue, and every order of the Commissioner, except when otherwise directed by this Act, shall be appealable to the Board of Revenue, but no appeal shall lie under this section against any order unless the same be presented within one month from the date of the order.

60. Subject to the right of appeal above mentioned and to the order and control of Government, every order passed under the provisions aforesaid shall be final, and shall not be open to revision by any Civil Court.

Orders to be final.

61. In any inquiry or appeal held under this Act, the Collector and the Commissioner shall respectively have the same powers as those conferred on Courts by the Code of Civil Procedure of summoning and examining witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

Powers on inquiry and appeal.

62. All the powers of a Collector under this Act shall be exercised under the general control and orders of the Commissioner of the Division, and all the powers of Collectors and Commissioners shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Board of Revenue and of the Government.

General control of Commissioner and Government.

63. Whenever the maintenance of any public embankment, or the retention of any land appropriated to the purposes thereof, may no longer be required, and the permanent relinquishment of the same may be deemed expedient, such land shall be conveyed by the Collector to the proprietor of the land, within the limits of which it may be situated, on payment of the compensation, if any, which was paid for such land when the same was taken for the purpose of the embankment. If the proprietor of such lands refuse or neglect to pay such price within a reasonable time after demand, the same shall be sold by the Collector for such price as he can obtain for the same. All sums obtained for the conveyance of lands under the provisions of this section shall, after the payment of all expenses incurred on account of the same, be applied to the payment of the cost of any new embankment or drainage works affecting the said lands, and in such case the residue only of the cost of such new works shall be charged upon the zemindars of estates benefited as hereinbefore provided.

Disposal of lands no longer required for embankments.

64. A Collector may delegate any of his powers under this Act to a Deputy Collector, but from any order passed by a Deputy Collector to whom powers have been so delegated, an appeal shall lie to the Collector if presented within thirty days of the date of the order.

Collector may delegate any of his powers to a Deputy Collector.

65. All offences created by this Act shall be inquired into and tried by a Magistrate of the first or second class.

Jurisdiction.

66. Nothing in this Act shall affect the provisions of "the Hooghly and Burdwan Drainage Act 1871."

Saving of Bengal Act V of 1871.

SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

SCHEDULE A.—(*Referred to in Section* 5.)

All persons interested are hereby required to take notice that it is my intention to [*here state the nature of the work to be undertaken*] for the purpose of [*state the purpose*]. For the execution of this work the undermentioned land will be required to be taken up:—

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Area of land.

Plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed work, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said work, are open for inspection by any interested person at this office who is allowed to take copies thereof.

The total probable cost of such work will be the sum of Rs. , and the rate per acre of the area benefited or protected by the said work is estimated at Rs. .

The following estates and villages will probably be affected by the work proposed [*here set out a list of the estates and villages*]:

Any person interested and desirous of showing cause against the execution of the works specified, is hereby required to appear before the Collector for that purpose on the day of

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE B.—(*Referred to in Section* 12.)

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the land hereunder specified has been taken up and notice thereof has been given to the Collector of

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Approximate boundaries and area of land.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE C.—(*Referred to in Section* 26.)

All persons interested are required to take notice that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the Collector of has taken possession on account of the Government of [*here state particulars of the land taken*], and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land must be made to the Collector. All persons having any such claims are therefore required to appear personally or by agent on day of at , and to state the nature of their respective interests in such land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

The day of

A. B,
Collector of

SCHEDULE D.—(*Referred to in Sections* 34, 35, *and* 40.)

No. 1.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Isnagore to Kola.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 3 miles 4,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Isnagore of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kola in the said pergunnah.

No. 2.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Chota Roopram to Narooa.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 4 miles 770 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Chota Roopram of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Narooa in the said pergunnah.

No. 3.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Sirampore to Ganchia.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 7 miles 2,686 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Srirampore of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ganchia in the said pergunnah.

No. 4.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Kursi to Kulakuri.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 6 miles 5,265 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Kursi of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kulakuri in the said pergunnah.

No. 5.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Bagputta to Radhachuck.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 20 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bagputta of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Radhachuck of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 6.

Left Embankment of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers, 5 miles 250 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Ramnagur of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gasna of Pergunnah Jehanabad.

No. 7.

Right Embankment of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers, 6 miles 3,200 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Digra of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sowey of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 8.

Left Embankment on the Bukhshi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Bukhshi Khall, 6 miles 4,330 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bukhshi of Pergunnah Karijee Mundleghaut, and near the junction of the Roopnarain River and Bukhshi Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gyghattee in the said pergunnah where the Gyghattee Khall leaves the Damoodah.

No. 9.

Right Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the River Roopnarain, 29 miles 2,373 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground distant 57 feet south-east by compass from the Machnan masonry sluice on the right bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, in the village of Machnan of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the zero mile-post on the bank of the Tidal Canal, Reach I. This mile-post bears 500 feet south-west by compass from the Canal Toll-house, in the village of Camalpore of Pergunnah Mysadul.

No. 10.

Right Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,410 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 187 feet west of a temple on the Tumlook Road, in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 11.

Left Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,370 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, and on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 12.

Right Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 3,430 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soodhapore of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 675 feet east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice, in the village of Syedpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 13.

Left Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 1,670 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Mysda of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 170 feet north-east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, in the village of Rogonathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 14.

Right Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 3,990 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar, in the village of Jasamnathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 15.

Left Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 1,690 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Hugla in the said pergunnah.

No. 16.

Right Embankment on the Doobachutty Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Doobachutty Khall, 1 mile 3,510 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at a distance of 550 feet north north-east of the Bhoodah Factory Chimney in the village of Bhoodah of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 57 feet south-east of the Machnan masonry sluice, in the village of Machnan in the said pergunnah.

No. 17.

Mohunkhally Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 28 miles 3,258 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the village of Kooltigree where the Mohunkhally River runs into the Roopnarain River, and passing along the right bank of the Mohunkhally River through the villages of Joligunsam, Seetapore, Manoo to Basantopore, where the Mohunkhally and Doobachutty Rivers bifurcate, thence skirting the left bank of the Doobachutty River it passes through the villages of Shahpore, Bosorepore, and Barmogria to Kachara, thence skirting the Roopnarain, right bank, it passes through the village of Doodcoura and Bagchina, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 18.

Pannah Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 9 miles 3,640 feet more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its junction with the Cossye River near a temple, in the village of Bargobindoo, Pergunnah Barda. It passes through the villages of Baramdi and Raneebazar on the left bank of the Selye River and then along the right bank of the Kanta Khall through the villages of Bhaugadow, Parna, Baramdijheel, Tubli and Dhurmpore, and terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 19.

Ghattal Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 10 miles 1,850 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its bifurcation with the Argor River, and passing along the *left* bank of the Selye River and through the villages of Srirampore, Bassodebpore, and Singpore, it skirts the right bank of the Argora Khall through the villages of Ramchunderpore, Rogonathchuck and others, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 20.

Sheikpore Circuit Embankment.

This a circuit embankment 18 miles 5,108 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the bifurcation of the Rivers Sankra and Jhoomee in the village of Sheikpore of Pergunnah Boyrah, and passing along the left bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Srimantpore, Anandopore, and Thakooranchuck, thence along the right bank of the Sankra River through the villages of Nursingchuck, Koolat, Goozrat, and others, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 21.

Khasbar Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 5 miles 5,240 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the point of bifurcation of the Jhoomee and Amada Rivers in the village of Lalchuck, Pergunnah Barda, and passing along the right bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Parbuttichuck, Prosadchuck, and Joybag, and thence along the left bank of the Amada River through the villages of Khasbar, Sowoi, and Lalchuck, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 22.

Chetooa Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 45 miles 1,420 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and Mohunkhally Khall in the village of Moishgatta, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and passing along the left bank of the Mohunkhally Khall through the villages of Dukinbar, Gowreechuck, Gobindnuggur, and Bosuntopore, thence along the left bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Kola, Moheshpore, Gocoolnuggur and Islampore, thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the villages of Soorutpore, Rogonathpore, and Konagore to the junction of the Selye and Roopnarain Rivers at Protabpore, and thence along the right bank of the Roopnarain River through the villages of Hurrishpore, Joleconaram, Raneechuck, and Gopeegunge, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 23.

Doosaspore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 2,350 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the right bank of the Cossye River, distant 704 feet and bearing 20° from the Doosaspore sluice in the village of Doosaspore of Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the right bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Nobintasdeopore, Koonjpore, Mohespore, Telondse, and Brickobanupore, thence passing along the left bank of the Petooa Khall through the villages of Futtehpore, Godyepore, and Dhamkola, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Kritibaspore, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 24.

Narajole Embankment.

This is an embankment 7 miles 1,735 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye river in the village of Samat, Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the left bank of the Cossye River to the village of Mudunmohunpore, and thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the village of Ramdebpore, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Chandikhally, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 25.

Bindabunchuck Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry Pillar built in the ground in the village of Bindabunchuck, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and running along the *right* bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 26.

Dhangaria Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 2,520 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Dhangaria, Pergunnah Jehanabad, and running along the *left* bank of the Roopnarain River, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 27.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 7 miles 3,980 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Gourbazar of Pergunnah Sheregarh, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Toomnee Khall with the Adjai River in the village of Kejladee of Pergunnah Shanpaharee.

No. 28.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 4 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground near a masonry sluice near the junction of the Toomnee and Balpaharee Khalls in the village of Bistopore of Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Urjunboonee in the said pergunnah.

No. 29.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 11 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Satkonea, Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sagurposta of Pergunnah Gopeebhoom.

No. 30.

Left Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Adjai River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Singhee of Pergunnah Azmutshahi, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bamoonea in the said pergunnah.

No. 31.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 4,488 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sadipore of Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 32.

Left Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Damoodah River, 107 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry

pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sillia, Pergunnah Champanuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Allipore of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 33.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Lakea, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bergang in the said pergunnah.

No. 34.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 3,828 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bulrampore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 35.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the villlage of Zangirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Srekistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 36.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 18 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Oozirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Dehi Barsut of Pergunnah Barsut.

No. 37.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 29 miles 3,560 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Gyghattee Khall with the Damoodah River in the village of Gyghattee, Pergunnah Arsa, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Roopnarain and Hughli Rivers at the 32nd milepost on the Roopnarain left embankment in the village of Magrapathur of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 38.

Left Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Roopnarain, 31 miles 3,762 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and the Bakhsee Khall in the village of Bakhsee, Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Hughli and Roopnarain Rivers at the 32nd milepost of the Roopnarain embankment in the village of Magrapathur, Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 39.

This is a continuous line of embankment 41 miles and 155 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Khodalgobra, Pergunnah Birkul, and running generally parallel with the coast line of the Bay of Bengal, terminates at a masonry pillar on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal.

No. 40.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal, and running along the right bank of the Russulpore River as far as the Contai and Tumlook Road, and thence along the right bank of the Serpai River, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta.

No. 41.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Russulpore River, 2 miles 4,868 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Sanberia, Pergunnah Bahirimutta.

No. 42.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Serpai River as far as the village of Kessoorkunda on the Contai and Midnapore Road, and thence in a northerly direction to Chowmook on the Bagdah River, and thence along the right bank of the Balliaghye Khall to the east of the Dhoobda Jheel, terminates at a masonry pillar on the sand ridge in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi.

No. 43.

This is a continuous line of embankment 17½ miles, more or less, in length. It commences at the great sea dyke, east of the Peechabunnee sluice, on the left bank of the Peechabunnee Khall, and running along the said bank as far as the masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi, and thence along the right bank, terminates at the great sea dyke west of the Peechabunnee sluice.

No. 44.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Bagdah River, 3 miles 2,528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Astichuck, Pergunnah Paharpore.

No. 45.

This is a continuous line of embankment 95 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the left bank of the Iktiarpore Khall to its junction with the Madakhally River, thence running along the left bank of the Madakhally River to the Chowdachoolee Inspection Bungalow at the confluence of the Russulpore River and the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall, thence running along the left bank of the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall to its embouchure in the Bay of Bengal, thence running parallel to the coast line as far as the mouth of the River Huldee, thence following the right bank of this river as far as the junction of the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers, and lastly running along the right bank of the Kaliaghye River, terminates at a masonry pillar at the village of Nilkantapore, Pergunnah Jalamutta.

No. 46.

This is a continuous line of embankment 5 miles, more or less, in length on the right bank of the Kaliaghye River. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Kharan, Pergunnah Pataspore, and terminates at another masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 47.

This is a circuit embankment 34 miles 1,000 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground near the Barju Ghaut in the village of Barju, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the right bank of the Madakhally River, the left bank of the Bagdah River, and the right bank of the Chackbowani Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Barju, Simulbari, Dismila, Khamgara, Idalpore, Kalurathari, Lischintar, Ullalbara, Koniabar, Bhastagara, Khala Kalkadari, Sundarpore, Mallickpore, Ballabpore, Sukakhola, Udaypore, Gopalpore, Baro Adapore, Tamlapura, Chakbata, Calsai, Culbaria, Chakmathuri, Chakababani Bhayrabdari, South Chando, Manglepore, Dakhindara, Partabdigi, Bamanbasan, Sitadigi, Kistanuggur, Panesoori, Sardabar, Mathura, Chakrosal Khacura, Mangalchuck, Tonabila, Arjanuggur, Puruha, Mahesda, Khamgara, Malda, Barjee, and Pergunnahs Narnamutta, Kismat Pataspore, Kismat Danto, Kharaig, Partabjhan, Pataspore, and Bhatgar.

No. 48.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,541 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall in the village of Naturea, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and passing through the villages of Udbadal, Champainuggur, Conasdigi, Nathara, Khatmari, Etabaria, Naudigi, Manikjar, Hasgoria, Manikjor Basdebbaria, Patarbara, Pergunnah Narnamutta, terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 49.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,525 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Iktiarpore Khall, Madakhally River, and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Iktiarpore Khall in the village of Rogonathchuk, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Madakhally River, left bank of the Udbadal Khall, and right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Udbadal, Patna, Dumurdari, Podutardi, South Biada, Ichhapore, Pauchgaria, Bhupatinuggur, Rogonathchuck, Nandichuck, Khorinet, Gobindapore, Jogomohunpore, Champainuggur, Kanjadapore, Udbadal, and the Pergunnahs of Narnamutta and Koaal.

No. 50.

This is a continuous line of embankment 3 miles 3,255 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at a pillar in the village of Radhapore, Pergunnah Erinch.

No. 51.

This is a circuit embankment 7 miles 2,735 feet, more or less, in length, between the Kaliaghye River and the Bagui Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Kaliaghye River with the Bagui Khall in the village of Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, and passing through the villages of Gocoolpore, Gholahat, Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 52.

This is a circuit embankment 20 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the south side of the junction of the Thalputti Khall with the Russulpore River in the village of Gumgar, Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee, and running along the left bank of the Russulpore River to its confluence with the sea, then following the coast line to the embouchure of the Thalputti Khall in the Bay of Bengal, and thence running along the south bank of the Thalputti Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Gorabar, Debichuck, Dandchuck, Katka, Sampore, Baga, Padurbaria, Nenapata, Mohendranuggur, Kolagachia, Pauchbari, Osilchuck, Honabaria, Orukbaria, Salconda, Sahibchuck, Bamunchuck, Barabari, Phulbari and Mulichuck, all in the Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee.

No. 53.

This is a continuous line of embankment 60 miles 4,110 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye River in the village of Bargoda, Pergunnah Tumlook, and running along the left bank of the Cossye and Huldee Rivers to the confluence of the latter with the River Hooghly, and thence along the right bank

of the Hooghly and Roopnarain Rivers, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Banka, about one-fourth of a mile north of a Hindu temple, on the left bank of the Banka Khall.

No. 54.

This is a circuit embankment 12 miles 2,550 feet, more or less, in length, situated between the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the said rivers, and running along the left bank of the Kaliaghye River and the right bank of the Cossye River, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Purso, Nonakhari, Lachanpore, Narkuldi, Soonabhoy, Asnan, Chaundibarya, Machodal, Kholakhally, Kalkadari, Pauchpukhiria, Kistochuck, and Salugaria, all in the Pergunnah Tumlook.

No. 55.

Rampore Beauleah old Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 17,700 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kasubpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar to be fixed at the village Talliamuree, Pergunnah Laskarpore.

No. 56.

Rampore Beauleah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 8,130 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Bolanpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kudulkuttee, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, where it joins the road to Dinagepore.

No. 57.

Maldah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Mahanuddy River, 11,519 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kootubpore, Perguunah Ameerabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Moheshpore, Pergunnah Vatra.

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No. 58.

Left Embankment on the River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the River Hooghly, 5 miles 4,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at Munneekhallee Khall at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Juggonnathnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of the Hooghly River and Churrial Khall.

No. 59.

Right bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Churrial Khall, 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of Hooghly River and Churrial Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ghurbanmonea, on the north bank of Churrial Khall near the junction of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road.

No. 60.

Left bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Churrial Khall, 3,280 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Jovchundeepore near the junction of left bank of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village of Joychundeepore near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall.

No. 61.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 19 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore, near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall, and continues along the left bank of Hooghly River to Poojallee Khall, on both sides of Poojallee Khall, between the River Hooghly and the road leading from Calcutta to Atcheepore, and again down the left bank of the River Hooghly to the right bank of Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 62.

Right bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta, on the north side of the khall near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Fulta Khall in the village of Soharah.

No. 63.

Left bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,360 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Fulta Khall, in the village of Bosoodeapore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 64.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 11 miles 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemool-

gunge, on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River.

No. 65.

Right bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 3,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemulgunge on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the khall in the village of Durree Govindpore.

No. 66.

Left bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 4,800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, in the village of Jungalparah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Ramchundernuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall.

No. 67.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 3 miles 2,260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Ramchunderpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 68.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 7 miles 3,100 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek in the village of Dearnah.

No. 69.

Left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 6 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Dearnah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 70.

Left bank of the Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 71.

Right bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Janikeemaree.

No. 72.

Left bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Gourypore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 73.

Left bank of River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore.

No. 74.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 8 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore, and terminates at a masonry pillar near the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore.

No. 75.

Right bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah.

No. 76.

Left bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, 9 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee.

No. 77.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 26 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant.

No. 78.

Right Bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 602 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, near a drainage sluice

No. 79.

Left bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 2,040 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Kamaratha.

No. 80.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 19 miles, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Kharee Khall, in the village of Kamaratha, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee.

No. 81.

Right bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Pealee River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee.

No. 82.

Right bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Soorjipore, or Puschunbahum Khall, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee, and terminates at Puschunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah.

No. 83.

Left bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Soorjipore or Puschunbahum Khall, 4 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a Puchunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall, in the village of Ramnuggur.

No. 84.

Right bank of the Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left side of Pealee River, 9 miles 2,160 feet, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall in the village of Ramnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Saungur, near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 85.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 3 miles 3,960 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River in Soonderbun lot, No. 45, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Baugmaree Khall, in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River with Baugmaree Khall.

No. 86.

Left bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Baugmaree Khall, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River and Baugmaree Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Ath Ramdhur.

No. 87.

Right bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right side of Baugmaree Khall, 1 mile 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Koolauree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe.

No. 88.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Pealee River, 4 miles 2,460 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Povan, about a quarter of a mile north of the Calcutta and South-Eastern Railway.

No. 89.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Shrikishenpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 90.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree River.

This is a continuous embankment on the righ, bank of Biddiadhuree River, 8 miles, more or lesst

in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhurree River, in the village of Balleahpore, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the same river near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 91.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 2 miles 3,120 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar near the junction of the Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers, in the village of Saungur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near its junction with Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur.

No. 92.

South side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous embankment on south side of Tolly's Canal, 10 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, near the junction of Biddiadhuree River and Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the south side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Kurramabad.

No. 93.

North side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the north side of Tolly's Canal, 2 miles 4,020 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the north side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Nowabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the jungle in the village of Tehooraha.

No. 94.

Bhagiruttee Embankments.

This is a line of disconnected embankment on the left bank of the Bhagiruttee River, extending from Plassey Bazar, Pergunnah Plassey, District Nuddea, to Dadmootee, Pergunnah Rokunpore, district Moorshedabad, a distance of about 93 miles.

No. 95.

Katcheekuta Embankment.

This is a continuous line of embankment about 4,000 feet in length on the right bank of the Matahbanga River. It commences in the village of Luckimpore, Pergunnah Bajpore, District Nuddea, and terminates at the bottom of the new cut opposite the village of Radhakantpore, in the same pergunnah and district.

SCHEDULE E —*(Referred to in sections 36 and 44)*

Pergunnah.	District.	Amount of contribution.
		Rs A. P.
Futtehsingh ..	Moorshedabad	1,706 10 8
Rokunpore	Ditto	1,466 2 0

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THE following Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein, together with the Bill as amended by the Committee, is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee appointed to consider the Bill "to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," have the honor to make the following report :—

From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 7th March 1873.
From Offg. Secretary Landholders' Association, dated 6th March 1873.
From Secretary, India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited, dated 17th March 1873.
From the Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 11th March 1873.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 11th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Goalundo, dated 13th March 1873.
From Medical Inspector of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
Remarks and suggestions of the Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta.
From Offg. Magistrate of Sylhet, dated 20th March 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Seebsaugor, dated 21st March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 24th March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 31st March 1873.
Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 3rd April 1873.
From Under-Secretary, Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Revenue, and Commerce, dated 19th April 1873.
Notes by the Agent to the Governor-General, North-East Frontier, and Commissioner of Assam.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 9th June 1873, and enclosures.
Petition of certain contractors under Act II of 1870.
From Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 19th July 1873.

We have received and considered the papers noted in the margin.

We have made numerous alterations in the draft of the Bill, restoring in many cases the language of Act II of 1870, for instance, in Sections 11, 14, 35, 38, 62, 73, 84, 94, 97, 99, 109, 111, 116, 117, 122, and 125. We have altered the definition of "emigrant" and of "magistrate," and in reference to the latter we have specified in Section 93 the sections under which a Subordinate Magistrate may be deputed to act.

We have omitted the provisions relating to evidence in Sections 28, 62, 63, 66, 106, and 133, and the references to the Penal Code in Sections 13, 103, 108, and 132. We have omitted Section 12, the Council of India having brought in a Bill to deal with the subject of it. We have also omitted the definition of "servant" from Section 3; Clauses 4, 15, and 16 from Section 5; and the following sections or parts of sections :—Sections 26, 34 (last part), 42, 65, 67, 83 (last part), 97, 109 (last part), 112, 116 (last sentence), 122 (proviso), 124 (last sentence), and 140.*

We have not required that a garden-sirdar should pay a fee for having his certificate countersigned under Section 19, or that a recruiter should pay a fee to the medical officer for a certificate under Section 45. We have slightly altered the constitution of the Labor Transport Fund to meet the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code, Section 308.

We have given power to a Magistrate to advance any sum which a garden-sirdar may be ordered to pay to an emigrant under Section 31 and to recover the amount from the employer with interest; and we have provided that interest shall be recoverable on sums advanced by a Magistrate under Sections 79, 80, 81, and 86.

We have reduced the amount of fine which may be imposed under Sections 66, 67, 72, 75, 77, and 94. We have given power to the Lieutenant-Governor to affix penalties to the breach of rules framed by him under Section 5, and we have provided that the penalties (if any) shall be published with the rules.

We have required (in Sections 22, 46) that the garden-sirdar or recruiter, as the case may be, shall produce his certificate or license when he appears with a recruit before a

* In this paragraph the numbers of the sections refer to the Bill as preliminarily amended by the Select Committee. Elsewhere the numbers refer to the sections of the Bill as re-amended.

Magistrate for registration. We have struck out the provision that a recruiter shall wear a badge. We have given the same power of cancelling the license or certificate of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar under Sections 21, 36, and 41. We have substituted the word "rice" for "food" in Sections 5 (clause 13), 17, 23, 46, and 114.

We have slightly modified Sections 67, 119, 120, and 135.

We have annexed as Schedules to the Act forms of a garden-sirdar's certificate of a contract between emigrant and employer, and of a certificate of release on determination of contract. We have omitted Schedule D.

We have also made many verbal alterations.

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C. E. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

The 25th August 1873.

As I am going to England for three or four months, I shall be unable to sign the final report of the Select Committee, but having attended nearly all meetings up to this date, I wish to record my general assent to the Bill with the alterations and amendments agreed to by the Select Committee so far as they have at present been considered, *viz*, to Section 99.

25th June 1873. B. D COLVIN.

I agree to the report, but think that the objections raised to the Sections CV, CVIII, CIX, and CXI in Act II of 1870 (being part of the Bill, Sections 125, 126, 127, and 128,) still hold good.

T. M. ROBINSON.

RE-AMENDED BILL.

A Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law regulating the emigration of native inhabitants of India from or through the provinces subject to the Government of Bengal to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and the manner of engaging and contracting with native inhabitants of the said provinces to proceed to the said districts, and providing for the protection of the persons so proceeding, and for the enforcement of the contracts of service entered into by them; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Chapter 1.—Application and Miscellaneous.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Labor Districts Emigration Act."

Repeal of Act II of 1870.

2. Bengal Act II of 1870 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to the transport of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and their employment therein*) is hereby repealed. All contracts entered into, appointments made, and licenses granted, under the said Act or any of the Acts thereby repealed, shall be deemed to have been respectively entered into, made, and granted under this Act.

Interpretation clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

India.

"India" means the territories for the time being vested in Her Majesty by the Statute 21 and 22 Vic., cap. 106, entitled "*An Act for the better government of India,*" other than the settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore, and Malacca.

Labor Districts.

"The Labor Districts" means the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and "a labor district" means one of those districts.

Magistrate.

"Magistrate" includes a magistrate of a district or of a division of a district, and any magistrate of the first and second class, and any magistrate of police for the town of Calcutta.

Employer.

"Employer" means the chief person for the time being in charge of any lands upon which laborers may be employed.

Emigrant.

"Emigrant" means any native of India above the age of sixteen years who has engaged with any gardensirdar or recruiter to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and has been registered as hereinafter provided.

Laborer.

"Laborer" means any emigrant who has been conveyed to a labor district in accordance with a contract made under the provisions of Bengal Act III of 1863, Bengal Act VI of 1865, Bengal Act II of 1870, or this Act, during the duration of such contract.

Vessel.

"Vessel" includes a steamer, a flat, a boat, and anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property.

Master.

"Master" means the person for the time being in charge of a vessel.

Provisions regarding emigration not to apply to domestic servants, or to persons proceeding alone.

4. The provisions of part II of this Act regarding emigration shall not apply to domestic servants, or to any person proceeding alone, or accompanied by his family only, or to any persons not exceeding twenty in number proceeding to a labor district to labor for hire, without the intervention, direct or indirect, of any person employed to induce natives of India to emigrate to a labor district. In computing the number of persons two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

Power of the Lieutenant-Governor to make rules.

5. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act, and from time to time alter, vary, and revoke such rules:—

(1)—To regulate the subordination of the several officers of emigration to the superintendent.

(2)—To prescribe the periodical returns and reports to be made by the emigration officers, by magistrates, and by the inspectors of laborers.

(3)—To prescribe the amount of the several fees to be paid under the provisions of this Act.

(4)—To provide for the management and regulation of contractors' depôts and of hospital depôts.

(5)—To provide for the medical care of emigrants during their residence at the depôts and during transport to a labor district.

(6)—To prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be carried on vessels taking emigrants.

(7)—To prescribe the clothing to be supplied to emigrants while proceeding to a labor district.

(8)—To prescribe the description, quantity, and quality of provisions to be taken by vessels carrying emigrants, and the daily allowance to be issued to each emigrant during the journey.

(9)—To provide for the ventilation and cleanliness of vessels during the journey, to prescribe the number of officers, cooks, and other servants, and to provide for their control; and to provide generally for the accommodation of emigrants.

(10)—To provide for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of all emigrants detained at any place by order of a magistrate on account of sickness.

(11)—To provide for the periodical inspection of laborers, and the books to be kept by inspectors of laborers.

(12)—To provide for the house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and supply of rice to be provided by employers for their laborers.

(13)—To provide for the hospital accommodation and medical care of laborers, and to prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be provided for them.

The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time fix penalties not inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act for infringements of any such rules, which may be enforced and recovered as other penalties under this Act on conviction by a magistrate. Provided that no penalty shall exceed five hundred rupees.

All such rules, with the penalties (if any) for their infringement, shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall be separately printed and sold to the public at 4 annas for each copy.

Contract made with emigrant is a charge upon the land;

6. Every contract made with an emigrant, and all arrears of wages due under any such contract, and all fines imposed on any employer under the provisions of this Act, shall be a charge upon the lands upon which such laborer has been engaged to work.

and is transferred with the land.

The owner of such lands for the time being shall have all rights and remedies against such laborer, as if such owner had been originally the party executing such contract as employer.

Determination of ownership determines liability.

No person, after he has ceased to be the owner of such lands, nor his property nor effects, shall be in anywise liable or responsible for any breach of such contract which may have occurred after he has ceased to be such owner.

Any person above the age of 16 years may contract.

7. Any engagement or contract made under the provisions of this Act by a native of India, who is above the age of sixteen years, shall be held valid.

Procedure on trial of offences created by Act.

8. All offences against this Act committed without the town of Calcutta shall be inquired into and tried according to the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and all offences against this Act committed within the said town shall be inquired into and tried by a police magistrate of the said town according to the provisions of the laws regulating the investigation and trial of offences within the said town, which shall be for the time being in force.

Penalty for any offence not especially provided for.

9. For every offence against the provisions of this Act, for which no special penalty or amount of fine is prescribed, the offender shall on conviction by a Magistrate be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees. Wherever in this Act no special term of imprisonment is appointed in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall be liable to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding one month.

PART II.—EMIGRATION.

Chapter 2.—Restrictions and Appointment of Officers.

Power to prevent emigration of laborers.

10. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in case he shall be of opinion that the emigration of natives of India from any district, or to any particular part of any labor district, for the purpose of becoming laborers, is likely to be attended with danger to the health of any native so emigrating or others, or if the Lieutenant-Governor has reason to believe that a political disturbance is likely to occur in any labor district, to prohibit, by an order under his hand, the emigration of such natives from such district, or to such labor district or particular part thereof, and from time to time to revoke or vary any such order; and every such order or variation or revocation thereof shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Penalty on engaging natives contrary to such order.

11. Any person who shall knowingly engage native so to emigrate while any such emigration shall be prohibited under the provisions of the last preceding section, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees for every native who may have been so engaged.

Appointment of superintendent of emigration, embarkation agents, and medical inspectors.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a proper person to be the superintendent of emigration at Calcutta, and may also appoint proper persons to be embarkation agents and medical inspectors of emigrants at any places where he may think proper, and define by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* the local limits within which each such officer shall exercise the powers and authority conferred upon him by this Act. He may at any time suspend or remove any such officer.

Employer may recruit by garden-sirdar.

13. It shall be lawful for any employer to engage, by the agency of a garden-sirdar, or by the agency of a contractor, natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire upon lands of which such employer is in charge.

Superintendent may license contractors and recruiters.

14. It shall be lawful for the superintendent of emigration to grant to such persons as he may think fit licenses to act as contractors for engaging and supplying persons for the purpose of laboring for hire in the labor-districts, or to act in behalf of some contractor as recruiters for engaging persons to proceed to the said districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire.

Natives of India shall not be engaged to proceed to the labor districts, or be conveyed there, save under this Act.

15. From and after the commencement of this Act, whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, engage any native of India in any of the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to proceed to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire; and whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, convey any such native through any of the said provinces to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every person so engaged or conveyed.

Penalty.

No person not licensed as a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, may engage or contract to supply laborers.

16. Whoever, not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall otherwise than through or by the agency of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar engage any native of India to proceed to any of the labor-

districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and whoever, not being a contractor, shall enter into any contract to supply, or shall supply, or shall transfer or make over whether to a recruiter or any other person, any such native for the purpose of laboring for hire in any of the labor districts; and whoever not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall enter into any contract to engage, or shall attempt to engage, any such native to proceed to any of the labor-districts for the purpose aforesaid; and whoever shall employ or appoint any person other than a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, to engage any such native, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished for each offence with fine or imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding three months.

Penalty.

17. It shall not be lawful for any emigrant to be conveyed to any labor-district, unless and until he shall have entered into a duly registered contract with some person to serve such person there for a fixed period, which shall in no case exceed the term of three years from the date of his arrival on the estate of his employer in the said labor district. Every such contract shall be in the form in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act, and shall be reduced to writing, and shall specify the monthly amount of wages in money, the period of service, the name of the district in which the service is to be performed, and the price at which rice is to be supplied to the laborer.

Emigrant not to be conveyed to or towards a labor district until contract is executed.

Form and particulars of contract.

Chapter 3.—Garden-sirdar.

18. Every garden-sirdar, authorized by an employer under the provisions of section 13 to engage natives of India to proceed to a labor-district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, shall, before proceeding to engage any such native, personally present to the magistrate of the district, or division of the district within which is situate the estate of the employer, a certificate signed by such employer, in which shall be stated the name and description of such garden-sirdar, the name and description of the lands for the purpose of laboring upon which he is about to engage such natives, the district (or the town of Calcutta, as the case may be) in which he is about to engage them, the number which he is authorized to engage, and, if the number exceeds twenty, the name of the contractor to whose depôt they shall be conveyed. The certificate shall be in the form set forth in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act.

Garden-sirdar to obtain certificate from employer, and to present it to magistrate.

19. Such magistrate shall inquire into the facts stated in such certificate, and, upon being satisfied that the same are true, shall, unless it appears to him that the person so presenting such certificate is unfit to be employed for the purpose of engaging natives to proceed to a labor-district to labor therein for hire, countersign and date such certificate; and every such certificate shall be in force for six months from the date last mentioned, and no longer.

Magistrate after inquiry to countersign it.

20. If, under his certificate from his employer, any garden-sirdar is authorized to engage more than twenty natives of India, he shall be in all respects, save as regards his certificate, subject to the provisions of this Act which relate to recruiters. The following rules of this chapter shall apply to every garden-sirdar who is not authorized to engage more than twenty such natives.

Garden-sirdar authorized to engage more than twenty natives to be subject to provisions relating to a recruiter.

Garden-sirdar who is not a Recruiter.

21. A garden-sirdar shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant, until his certificate has been countersigned by the magistrate of such district or of such division of the district; or in Calcutta, until his certificate has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta.

Has no authority until certificate is countersigned by magistrate.

It shall be lawful for such magistrate, in case of misconduct or disobedience to or neglect of any of the provisions of this Act by a garden-sirdar, to cancel the certificate of such garden-sirdar.

Magistrate may cancel certificate.

22. Every native of India, who enters into an engagement with a garden-sirdar to proceed to a labor-district for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall appear with the garden-sirdar before the magistrate of the district or of the division of the district within which the engagement was made, or through which he shall first pass on the road to his destination. The garden-sirdar shall at the same time produce his certificate to the Magistrate.

Every native to appear before magistrate before removal from district.

23. On the appearance of such native the magistrate shall examine him with reference to his engagement; and, if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register, in a book to be kept for the purpose, the following particulars, viz.—

Magistrate to examine native, and if the examination is satisfactory, to register particulars;

(1)—The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2)—The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3)—The labor-district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(4)—The period of service;

(5)—The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

Provided that the magistrate may, if he thinks fit, require such native to appear before such medical officer as he may direct, and may refuse to register such native unless the medical officer certifies in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor-district.

but may require medical certificate.

Magistrate, &c., may refuse to register.

24. If the magistrate finds that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the garden-sirdar shall not have produced his certificate, he shall refuse to register such native.

Fee to be paid for registration.

25. For the registration of every such native the garden-sirdar shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Contract to be executed in duplicate and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by the magistrate;

26. When such registration has been made, the emigrant shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract. Such contract shall, in the presence of the magistrate, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the magistrate for the purpose; and after such abstract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant and the other to the garden-sirdar.

and copy to be sent to superintendent and magistrate.

The magistrate shall forward a certified copy of every such abstract so entered as aforesaid to the superintendent of emigration, by whom it shall be forwarded, after entry in his own register, to the magistrate of the district within which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

27. The provisions of the six last preceding sections shall be applicable to natives of India engaged by a garden-sirdar within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall appear for registration and execution of contract before the superintendent of emigration.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

28. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any garden-sirdar from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract to proceed to the labor-districts to labor therein for hire, shall be presented by the garden-sirdar for registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the said Lieutenant-Governor into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Garden-sirdar must personally accompany emigrants.

29. The garden-sirdar shall personally accompany natives of India engaged by him throughout their journey from the place in which the engagement was made to the place in which they are to be employed.

Garden-sirdar cannot proceed with more than twenty emigrants in one batch.

30. It shall not be lawful for two or more garden-sirdars to proceed together towards a labor-district accompanied by emigrants, if the total number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, or unless the permission of the superintendent of emigration or embarkation agent shall have been first obtained.

Garden-sirdar must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

31. Every garden-sirdar, by whom any emigrant is accompanied, shall provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging throughout such journey. If it shall appear to any magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant, at any place on the journey that he has suffered any ill-treatment during the journey or that the garden-sirdar has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging; or if it be found on examination by a medical officer appointed by a magistrate for such purpose, that any such emigrant is not in a fit state of health to proceed to or to labor in a labor-district; such magistrate may order the garden-sirdar to pay to such emigrant a sum of money by way of compensation, or may cancel the contract and order the garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged.

If such not provided, or if emigrant unfit, magistrate may award compensation, or cancel contract.

Recovery of fines ordered to be paid by Magistrate.

32. If any garden-sirder, who may be ordered under the provisions of the last preceding section to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the emigrant named in such order, and to recover from his employer the sum so advanced with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Agent in Calcutta may procure order from superintendent of emigration cancelling the contract on payment of expense of return.

33. On the arrival in Calcutta of any emigrant whose contract has been executed by a garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer, any person empowered to act as the agent or representative of such employer may require the emigrant to appear before the superintendent of emigration for the purpose of cancelling the contract. The superintendent of emigration shall, on the appearance of such emigrant, declare that the contract is cancelled, if a sum of money sufficient for his support during his return to the place at which he was engaged, be paid to him before himself, and not otherwise, and shall make an endorsement to that effect on the contract, and shall attest it with his signature. Provided that the contract of any husband or wife or parent or child of such emigrant, who may have executed a contract at the same time with the same employer, shall be cancelled at the request of such person, and in such case an equal sum of money shall be paid to such person.

Not to embark emigrants on any vessel containing more than twenty persons without a pass from the embarkation agent.

34. It shall not be lawful for a garden-sirdar to embark any emigrants on board a vessel for conveyance to or towards a labor district, if the total number of persons to be carried by such vessel, exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying the emigrants, exceeds twenty, unless such emigrants are furnished with a pass by the embarkation agent in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act.

The embarkation agent shall not grant any such pass without a certificate from the medical inspector that such emigrants may be allowed to embark without danger to the health of other persons on board the vessel.

Pass not to be granted unless medical inspector is satisfied in regard to health.

35. As soon as possible after the arrival of the garden-sirdar with emigrants at the place of disembarkation, or at the nearest civil station in the district within which the emigrant has engaged to labor, the garden-sirdar shall report himself to the magistrate of the district or division of the district or to any subordinate magistrate whom the magistrate may depute for that purpose, and such magistrate shall check the number of emigrants landed with the number of those registered, and shall report to the superintendent of emigration any deaths which may have occurred on the journey. Any garden-sirdar who neglects to report himself as aforesaid shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Must report arrival in labor-district.

Chapter 4.—*Contractor.*

36. The license granted to a contractor under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in the schedule (C) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding one hundred rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a contractor, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Form of license. Fee. Period.

37. It shall be the duty of every contractor to afford such information to the superintendent of emigration and to make such returns and reports to him as the superintendent, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may from time to time require.

To give information to superintendent.

38. Every contractor shall forthwith, upon obtaining his license, establish a depôt in a place to be approved of by the superintendent of emigration. Every such depôt shall be maintained by such contractor for the reception of natives of India to be supplied or forwarded by or through him. All such natives shall on their arrival at or in the neighbourhood of the depôt so established by the contractor, by, through, to, or for whom they were engaged or forwarded, be forthwith received therein; and shall receive in such depôt, at the expense of such contractor, suitable lodging, food, clothing, and medical attendance, until such native shall be declared by the superintendent to be no longer thereto entitled. Every such depôt as aforesaid shall be under the supervision of the superintendent, and shall be open to his inspection and the inspection of the medical inspector at all times.

To establish and maintain depôts.

39. A contractor may without other license act as a recruiter, and shall in such case be subject to all the provisions hereinafter contained with regard to recruiters.

May act as recruiter.

40. In addition to the depôts for the reception of emigrants which the contractors are required to establish and maintain, the Lieutenant-Governor may at any time direct that a separate depôt shall be established and maintained at any place for the reception of emigrants who are affected with cholera or other contagious disease. Whenever such hospital depôt is established, every contractor may be required to contribute to the expense of establishing and maintaining it in such proportion as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct. Such hospital depôt shall be under the charge of the medical inspector, who shall be competent at any time to direct the transfer thereto of any emigrants on or after their arrival at any depôt.

Establishment of hospital depôt. Contractor to contribute to expense. Under charge of medical inspector.

Chapter 5.—*Recruiter.*

41. The license granted to a recruiter under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in schedule (D) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding sixteen rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a recruiter, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Form of license. Fee. Period.

42. Every recruiter shall hold a written pass signed by the contractor on whose behalf he is licensed to act.

Recruiter must hold a pass.

43. A recruiter shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant until his license has been countersigned by the magistrate of the district or of the division of the district, or in Calcutta, until his license has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta; and such magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police shall, unless it appears to him that the person to whom a license has been granted is unfit to be employed as a recruiter, countersign such license.

No authority till license is countersigned by magistrate of recruiting district.

The magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police may at any time for any sufficient reason withdraw such license, provided that in any such case he shall record his reasons in writing and shall forward a copy thereof without delay to the superintendent of emigration.

Magistrate may withdraw license and suspend recruiting.

44. The magistrate or the commissioner or deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta, to whom any recruiter's license shall have been exhibited for countersignature, shall not countersign the same until he shall be satisfied that sufficient accommodation

Recruiter to provide accommodation for natives before license is countersigned.

has been provided and is available for such natives of India as may be engaged by such recruiter pending their removal to a depôt.

Magistrate charged with superintendence of accommodation.

The magistrate of the district, or division of the district, in which there may be any such accommodation provided, shall have, for the supervision, management, and regulation of such accommodation, all such and the same powers and authorities as are vested in the superintendent of emigration for the supervision, management, and regulation of depôts which are subject to the powers and authority of the superintendent.

Native to be taken for examination to medical officer, who may reject.

45. Every native of India who shall, in any place or town within the said provinces, enter into any engagement with any recruiter to proceed to a labor-district, for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall be brought by such recruiter before such medical officer as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time appoint to examine such natives within such place or town; or, if no such officer has been appointed, before such medical officer as the magistrate may direct. The medical officer shall thereupon examine the native brought by the recruiter, and shall reject him or shall certify in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and work for hire in a labor-district.

If certified to be fit, native to be taken to magistrate.

46. Every such native who is certified by the medical officer, as required in the last preceding section, to be fit to emigrate to a labor district, shall thereupon appear with the recruiter before the magistrate of the district or division of the district within which the place or town where the engagement was entered into is situate. The recruiter shall at the same time produce his license to the magistrate.

Magistrate to examine native respecting the engagement.

On the appearance of such native the magistrate, after inspecting the medical certificate, shall examine him with reference to his engagement, and if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate o wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register in a book to be kept for the purpose—

If satisfied, magistrate will register certain particulars.

(1.) The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2.) The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3.) The contractor's depôt to which it is intended that he shall proceed;

(4.) The labor-district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(5.) The period of service;

(6.) The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

If dissatisfied, will reject.

If the magistrate thinks that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the recruiter shall not have produced his license, he shall refuse to register such native.

Copy of registration to be given to emigrant.

47. A certified copy of his registration, written on substantial paper, shall be furnished by the magistrate to each emigrant.

Copy of registration and medical certificate to be sent to superintendent.

48. A certified copy of every such registration and the original certificate of the medical officer shall be forthwith forwarded by the magistrate to the superintendent of emigration.

Fee for registration.

49. For the registration of every such native the recruiter shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

50. The provisions of the five preceding sections shall be applicable to all natives of India engaged by recruiters within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall be brought for registration before the superintendent of emigration therein.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

51. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any recruiter from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract in a district under such control, shall be presented by the recruiter for medical examination and registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Penalty for forwarding natives without registration.

52. Every recruiter, who forwards or accompanies any native of India from the district or division of the district within which the place or town where he has been recruited, is situate, or into which, under the last preceding section, he has first come, or who induces any such native to leave such district or division of district for the purpose of proceeding to a labor district, without being duly registered as above required; or who forwards, accompanies, or induces any such native to proceed to any depôt other than the depôt registered under section 38, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished in respect of every such native so forwarded, accompanied, or induced, with a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to one month.

Recruiter must accompany emigrants to depôt, or depute person approved by magistrate.

53. All emigrants proceeding to a depôt shall be accompanied throughout the journey by the recruiter himself, or by a competent person appointed by him with the approval of the magistrate, by whom such emigrants have been registered. The magistrate shall give to the person so appointed a certificate under his signature stating that he has been appointed for the journey to the depôt.

Recruiter must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

54. Every recruiter, by whom any emigrant is forwarded or accompanied to a depôt, shall, throughout the journey, provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging. If it shall appear to a

magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant at any place on the journey, that the recruiter has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging at such place, such recruiter shall, on conviction by such magistrate, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees. The whole or any portion of such fine may be awarded to such emigrant as compensation. If the fine be not paid within twenty-four hours, the recruiter shall be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to one month.

Chapter 6.—Depôt.

Contractor to report arrival of emigrants.

55. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival at any depôt of any emigrant, the contractor by whom such depôt is maintained shall give to the superintendent of emigration a notice in writing of such arrival, which notice shall be in such form and shall contain such particulars as the superintendent shall prescribe.

Emigrants to be inspected by medical inspector immediately on arrival.

56. The copy of the registration and the medical certificate of every emigrant received by the superintendent as provided in section 48 shall be shown to the medical inspector; and all emigrants shall be inspected by the medical inspector at the depôt. If he be satisfied that an emigrant is in a fit state of health, and able in point of physical condition to journey to and labor in a labor-district, he shall countersign the copy of the registration; if he be not satisfied thereof, he shall give a certificate to that effect to the superintendent.

Medical inspector to examine emigrant if medical certificate not given.

The medical inspector shall examine any emigrant in regard to whom a medical certificate is not forthcoming, and shall certify whether such emigrant is in his opinion in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor-district; and if satisfied of his fitness, he shall countersign the copy of the registration.

Emigrant rejected by medical inspector to be sent back.

57. If the medical inspector shall certify that any emigrant so examined is in such a state of health that his journey to a labor-district would be dangerous to himself or to others, or that he is unfit for labor in a labor-district, the superintendent may order the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, if such emigrant has been forwarded or brought to the depôt by a garden-sirdar, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged. Provided that any such person, who from his state of health is, in the opinion of the medical inspector, unfit to undertake the journey back to the place where he was engaged, shall, until he is reported by the medical inspector fit to undertake such journey, be fed, clothed, lodged, and medically attended at the expense of such contractor, or of such garden-sirdar, as the case may be. If such contractor or garden-sirdar negligently or wilfully omits to provide food, clothing, lodging and medical attendance for such person, the superintendent may order such contractor or garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

58. Whenever an emigrant remains behind or is detained under the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so remaining behind or detained. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain behind with the father or mother.

Emigrant ill-treated during journey may obtain compensation.

59. If upon the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, it shall appear to the superintendent of emigration on the complaint of such emigrant, that he has suffered any ill treatment on the journey or that the recruiter or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging, the superintendent may cause him to be removed from the depôt, and may order the contractor or garden-sirdar, for or by whom he shall have been taken to such depôt, to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation, or sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged, and in such latter case he shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Contract to be explained by superintendent and executed in duplicate, and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by superintendent.

60. Every emigrant, who is passed by the medical inspector as in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and labor in a labor-district, shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract before he is forwarded from the depôt. Such contract shall, in the presence of the superintendent of emigration, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the employer with whom he intends to contract or his agent. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. Before the emigrant signs the contract, the superintendent shall personally explain it to him, and shall attest such contract and certify at the foot thereof that he has personally explained the same. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the superintendent for the purpose, and after such contract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant, and the other to the person with whom he has contracted or his agent.

The superintendent shall, within seven days after the entry of such abstract, send by post a certified copy of every such abstract to the magistrate of the district in which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Penalty on emigrant refusing to execute contract.

61. Any emigrant who, without reasonable cause, refuses to execute such contract in conformity with the engagement previously registered shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punished with a fine equal in amount to the entire cost incurred by, or on behalf of, the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, in engaging, registering, and bringing or forwarding him to the depôt, and shall forthwith be discharged from such depôt. Every fine levied under the provisions of this section shall be paid to the

contractor or garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom the person from whom such fine shall have been levied was originally registered.

Penalty on contractor failing to provide contract.

62. If within thirty days after the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, the contractor or, if he has been engaged by a garden-sirdar, the garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom such emigrant has been registered, shall not tender to him for execution such contract as under the provisions of the preceding sections he would be bound to execute, the superintendent may order the contractor or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place where he was engaged, and in such case such emigrant shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Money ordered to be paid by superintendent, may be advanced by him and recovered.

63. If any contractor or garden-sirdar who may be ordered, under the provisions of sections 57, 59, and 62, to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the superintendent to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the person named in such order, and to recover from such contractor or garden-sirdar or his employer the sum so advanced, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Chapter 7.—Transport.

Transport rules when applicable.

64. The provisions of this chapter excepting sections 70, 79, 80, 81, 82, and so much of section 97 as refers to sections 29, 31, 32, and 33, shall not apply to the transport of emigrants recruited by a garden-sirdar when the number of such emigrants does not exceed twenty, unless they have embarked under a pass from the embarkation agent in accordance with the provisions of section 34.

Emigrant to be forwarded to labor-district with permission of superintendent.

65. When the contract of any emigrant has been duly executed, he may, with the permission of the superintendent of emigration, be forwarded to the labor-district in which he has engaged to labor by the contractor in whose depôt he is residing, or by the employer with whom he has made the contract or his agent.

To be furnished with a pass.

Every such emigrant shall be furnished with a pass in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act, signed by the contractor or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and countersigned by the superintendent of emigration and by the embarkation agent at the place at which the laborer embarks, specifying his name and age, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer. Every such pass shall be entered in a book to be kept by the embarkation agent, and shall be dated and numbered in a consecutive series.

Vessel must be licensed to carry emigrants.

66. It shall not be lawful for the master of any vessel, without a license granted by the embarkation agent within the local limits of whose authority any emigrant may embark, to convey more than twenty emigrants at any one time to or towards any labor-district; provided always that the number of persons (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) carried by any vessel shall not exceed twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34.

Fee for license.

A fee not exceeding four annas for every emigrant shall be paid for every such license, and it shall be in the discretion of the embarkation agent to whom application is made to grant or withhold any such license. Such license shall be in force for only one voyage to one or more of the labor-districts, and shall specify the number of emigrants which the vessel is licensed to carry and the number of persons (including the crew) other than emigrants whom such vessel is licensed to carry.

Penalty for carrying without license.

The master of any vessel, in which at one time more than twenty emigrants are conveyed without a license having been obtained as aforesaid, or in which the number of persons on board (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for delay in despatching vessel.

67. Such license shall state the date on which the vessel shall leave the place at which the emigrants are to embark. If the vessel does not leave such place and proceed on its voyage within 24 hours of the day fixed, the master thereof shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each day during which the vessel remains at or within five miles of the place of embarkation. Provided that such penalty shall not be incurred if the delay is caused by or with the sanction of the embarkation agent or by any casualty incidental to or attending navigation, or is due to other reasonable and sufficient cause.

Fraudulent alteration of vessel after grant of certificate.

68. If the master of any vessel, after having obtained a license as aforesaid, fraudulently does or suffers to be done any act or thing whereby the state of the vessel is altered, so that such vessel is unfit for the accommodation of the number of emigrants mentioned in such license, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for receiving on board more passengers than number specified in license.

69. The master of any vessel licensed to carry emigrants, who receives on board his vessel a greater number of emigrants or other persons than the number specified in his license shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every emigrant or other person so received in excess of the licensed number.

Two children under ten to be counted as one person.

70. In computing under this Act the number of persons on board of any vessel, two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

No emigrant to be received on board without pass.

71. The master of any vessel, whether licensed or not, shall not take on board any emigrant, if the number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, unless such emigrant, or some person accompanying him, shall show the pass prescribed by section 65 countersigned by the embarkation agent; or if the

number of persons to be carried by such vessel (exclusive of the crew or of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34. The master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine not exceeding ten rupees for every emigrant illegally taken on board.

Embarkation agent to furnish the master with a list of emigrants on board.

72. The master of a licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall not proceed on the voyage towards a labor-district until he has received from the embarkation agent a list of all the emigrants on board.

List what to contain.

Such list shall contain all the particulars noted in the pass of each such emigrant; but if all the emigrants whose names are entered in any one pass embark on board the same vessel, it shall be sufficient if the number and date of such pass are noted in the list.

To be compared with emigrants by agent and master.

The embarkation agent and the master of the vessel shall together personally ascertain that the number of emigrants on board corresponds with the number entered in such list.

Penalty for admitting emigrants not in list.

If the master of such vessel allows any emigrant not entered in such list to proceed in the vessel, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Copy of list to be sent to magistrate.

The embarkation agent shall send a copy of the said list or an extract from it to the magistrate of the labor-district to which any of the emigrants are proceeding.

Provisions, medical and other stores, medical officers, cooks, &c.

73. There shall be laden under the supervision of the embarkation agent on board of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants to or towards any labor-district, at the time of the embarkation of such emigrants, such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required under the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act.

Penalty if master proceeds without.

The master of any such vessel who shall commence the voyage without having on board such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Vessel carrying 200 emigrants must carry a qualified medical officer.

74. No vessel carrying two hundred emigrants shall be allowed to proceed on the voyage unless a medical officer, who is a licentiate in medicine, or who is declared to be qualified for such charge by order of the Lieutenant-Governor, has been appointed to the charge of such emigrants. And any master who shall commence the voyage without having on board such medical officer as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, and, in default of payment, imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

Emigrant not allowed finally to leave vessel at any place other than that mentioned in pass.

75. If the master of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall, save as hereinafter is provided, cause or permit any emigrant finally to leave such vessel at any place other than that named as the destination of such emigrant in his pass, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each such offence. Provided always that this section shall not be deemed to prevent the master of any vessel from permitting emigrants to disembark at any place or places on the voyage so long as such disembarkation is not intended or known to be likely to be final; nor to prevent the final disembarkation of any emigrants in case of accident or other unavoidable necessity, if such accident or necessity be forthwith reported to the embarkation agent by whom the license of such vessel was granted, and to the nearest magistrate in the district within which such accident may occur or necessity arise.

Master to report arrival of emigrants at every intermediate station where there is a magistrate.

76. Every licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall stop at every place in which a magistrate is stationed, intermediate between the places of embarkation and disembarkation of such emigrants, and shall remain during not less than six hours of daylight. The master of every such vessel shall immediately on arrival report to the magistrate, or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 94, the number of emigrants on board, the general state of their health, and the number of deaths (if any) which have occurred among the persons who embarked on such vessel.

Any master who wilfully omits to comply with the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may at any time inspect vessel.

77. A magistrate may at any time go on board of any such licensed vessel carrying emigrants while within the limits of his jurisdiction, and may inspect the vessel, the emigrants, and all persons on board.

Master bound to give all information required.

The master and officers of such vessel shall be bound to afford to such magistrate all reasonable facility for such inspection, and to give him all such information respecting the emigrants or other persons on board as may be reasonably required, and respecting any deaths which may have occurred on board, and respecting any other facts which may affect the health of the emigrants.

Penalty for omission.

Any master or other officer, who wilfully omits to give any such information to such magistrate, shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may regulate communication between vessel and land.

78. On the arrival of such vessel, or at any time while it is within the limits of his jurisdiction, the magistrate may regulate the communication between such vessel and the land, and may prohibit all persons from leaving the vessel and all persons on land

from proceeding on board. And any person not complying with any order made under this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may detain vessel for inspection and for removal of disease, and may detain sick emigrants.

79. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that any emigrants on board any vessel within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such vessel, and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants on board such vessel, and to report on their health, and whether any or what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease. After the submission of such report the magistrate may detain the vessel for a further period not exceeding five days for the purpose of carrying out such measures, if any, recommended by the medical officer in his report, and he may further detain at such station for medical treatment any emigrant who is affected with any infectious or contagious disease.

Magistrate may detain emigrants proceeding by land.

80. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that a party of emigrants proceeding by land within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such party and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants and to report on their health, and whether any and what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease, and the magistrate may further detain for medical treatment such party or such emigrants of the party as are affected with any infectious or contagious disease for such period as the medical officer may certify to be requisite.

Magistrate may detain sick emigrants, and shall arrange for their accommodation and treatment.

81. If in any case whatever it appears to a magistrate expedient that any emigrant, in consequence of ill health, should not be allowed to proceed towards a labor district, he may order the detention of such emigrant; and in such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant.

Expenses how to be recovered.

82. All expenses incurred under sections 79, 80, or 81, by a magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the contractor by whom the emigrant has been engaged or forwarded; or in the case of an emigrant engaged by a garden-sirdar, from the employer from whom such garden-sirdar received his certificate.

Measures to be taken if excess number of emigrants is found on board.

83. If it appears to a magistrate making an inspection of any licensed vessel that the number of emigrants on board is larger than the number specified in the license, he may remove the excess number and detain them until another opportunity of forwarding them to their destination is found. The necessary expense of maintaining such emigrants, and of conveying them to their destination, shall be recoverable by such magistrate or other officer who may have been deputed as aforesaid from the master of such vessel.

Infraction of the Act and rules to be reported.

84. In any case in which, on making an inspection of a licensed vessel, a magistrate shall find that any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act have not been complied with, he shall report the same to the embarkation agent by whom the license to carry the emigrants was granted to such vessel; and, if the circumstances of the case are such as in such magistrate's opinion make it necessary so to do, he may detain the vessel until the provisions of this Act, or any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor as aforesaid, have been complied with, so far as to make it possible for the voyage to be further prosecuted with safety and reasonable comfort to the emigrants.

Vessel may be detained.

On arrival of licensed vessel at the place of disembarkation, the master shall give information to the magistrate.

85. Whenever any licensed vessel carrying emigrants arrives at a civil station at which it is intended that any of such emigrants shall disembark, the master shall immediately give notice of the arrival to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, and shall forward to him at the same time the list furnished to him by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72, or a copy of so much of the said list as relates to the emigrants who are to disembark. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate.

Magistrate shall send information to employer or agent, and direct medical inspection.

Immediately on the receipt of such notice the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. And he shall at the same time direct the civil medical officer of the station, or other qualified medical officer, to go on board such vessel and to inspect such emigrants.

Report of medical inspection.

Such medical officer shall, without delay, make a careful inspection of all such emigrants; and, after making such inspection, shall prepare and sign a report, in which he shall certify the state of health and general condition of each emigrant so inspected.

Sick emigrants to be detained at station.

86. The magistrate shall detain at the station for medical treatment any emigrant who is, in the opinion of the medical officer, in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the place at which he has contracted to labor. In such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant, and all expenses so incurred by the magistrate in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrant has contracted.

If necessary provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants, they shall be made over to employer or agent.

87. The magistrate shall also ascertain whether reasonable provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination. If he is satisfied that such reasonable provision has been made, the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted or his agent shall forthwith take charge of such emigrants except those, if any, detained under the provisions of the last preceding section. But if such reasonable provision has not been made, or if the employer or his agent shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, the magistrate shall order such arrangements to be made, and incur such expenses as under the circumstances may seem to him necessary; and the amount of expenses so incurred by him in the disembarkation, or in respect of the food, lodging, medicines, hospital attendance, or clothing of the laborers, shall, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted.

If not made, or if employer or agent not present, magistrate to make arrangements;

expenses recoverable from employers.

If emigrants are to disembark at a place other than a civil station, medical inspection to be made at the civil station last preceding.

88. If it is intended that the emigrants on board of any licensed vessel shall disembark at a place which is not a civil station, the master of such vessel shall report the arrival, as required in section 85, to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, at the last civil station which such vessel shall pass before arriving at the said place of disembarkation, and shall not proceed on his voyage until the medical inspection of such emigrants has been made as provided in the said section. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate. Immediately on the receipt of such notice, the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. When such inspection has been made, the magistrate shall, without delay, authorize the master to proceed on his voyage, provided that he may, if he thinks fit, detain any emigrant who is unfit to proceed under the provisions of section 81.

Disembarkation at such place.

89. On the arrival of any licensed vessel at a place of disembarkation which is not a civil station, the emigrants who are to disembark at such place shall, in case the employers with whom they have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, be present, be disembarked and given in charge to such employers or agents. Provided that in case the medical officer in charge of such emigrants, if there be any such medical officer, and if there be not, then the master of the vessel in which such emigrants have been conveyed, shall be of opinion that any of such emigrants are in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the places where they have respectively contracted to labor, or that reasonable provision for the support and lodging of such emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination has not been made, or in case the employers with whom such emigrants have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, then and in every such case the emigrants so unfit to proceed, or for whose support reasonable provision has not been made, or whose employers may not be present personally or by their agents, shall be further conveyed in the vessel to the next civil station, and shall be there disembarked, and the place at which they shall be so disembarked shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be their place of disembarkation.

If necessary provision not made, emigrants to be carried on to next station.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

90. Whenever an emigrant is detained under the provisions of sections 81, 86, or 88, or is further conveyed under the provisions of section 89, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so detained, or to be taken forward along with the emigrant so further conveyed. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain, or be taken forward with the father or mother.

Particulars to be entered in the reports of medical officers.

91. Every medical officer who is required to make a report under the provisions of this chapter, shall submit such report to the magistrate, and shall enter therein the name and age of each emigrant, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer, as set forth in the list prepared by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72.

Magistrate to report arrival of all emigrants, and all proceedings, to the superintendent of emigration;

92. The magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, shall make a detailed report to the superintendent of emigration, of the arrival of all emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, and of all proceedings taken and orders passed by him under the provisions of this chapter, and shall forward with such report a copy of every report made to him by a medical officer relating to emigrants proceeding to a labor-district. He shall also forward to the superintendent any observations which he or the medical officer may think fit to make in regard to the state of health and general condition of the emigrants. Whenever such reports or observations relate to emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, he shall forward them to the embarkation agent by whom such emigrants were despatched, and the agent shall transmit them to the superintendent with any remarks which he may desire to record.

in certain cases through the embarkation agent.

Magistrate may depute a subordinate magistrate to discharge the functions of the magistrate.

93. The magistrate of a district, or of a division of a district, may depute any subordinate magistrate to exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on a magistrate under the provisions of sections 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 83, 84, 85, 86, 88, and 92.

94. Every master of a vessel, or medical officer in charge of emigrants on board of any vessel carrying emigrants, who shall wilfully and knowingly neglect or refuse to obey or to enforce on board of such vessel any rule which may from time to time be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty, if master or medical officer neglects to enforce rules.

95. Any offence against any of the provisions of this chapter, or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act, committed on board of any vessel, may be tried by any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in any place at which emigrants may have embarked on board such vessel, or may have disembarked from such vessel, or in any place in which such vessel may be detained under the provisions of this Act.

Jurisdiction, if offence created by this Act is committed on board.

96. Any emigrant who deserts while in transit from the district in which he has been registered to the district in which he has engaged to labor may, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a period which may extend to three months. Such offence may be inquired into and tried in the district in which such emigrant is apprehended, or in the district in which the desertion took place, or in the district in which he was registered.

Punishment of emigrant for desertion.

97. The provisions with regard to engaged natives of India and emigrants contained in sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, and 88 of this Act, shall be applicable to such women, children, and aged relatives of such natives and emigrants as may, with the consent of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and with the written permission of the registering magistrate or superintendent, accompany them without having entered into an engagement.

Provisions of sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, 88 to apply to children, &c., accompanying emigrants.

PART III.—LABOR DISTRICTS.

Chapter 8.—Inland Labor Transport Fund.

98. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time, by order published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, fix a yearly rate, not exceeding one rupee and eight annas per laborer, for the purpose of defraying the expense of carrying out the purposes of this Act; and the sum or rate so fixed shall be paid half-yearly by each employer on the last day of July and the last day of January in each year for each laborer entered in the last return of laborers furnished (as is hereinafter provided) by such employer before such date.

Annual rate payable by employers.

99. If any employer shall fail to comply with the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to notify such default to him; and if within one month from the receipt of such notification, or such longer period as it may, under special circumstances, appear to the magistrate reasonable, such employer shall not so comply, the magistrate shall, by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer, levy the sum so payable.

If there shall be no such moveable property, or insufficient moveable property so found, the amount shall be recoverable by a civil regular suit from the person for whose benefit the laborers in respect of whom the same may be payable shall have been employed. In every such suit the Government shall be named as plaintiff, and the cause of action shall be taken to have arisen within the limits of the jurisdiction of any court having jurisdiction at any place where any such laborers may have been employed by such employer.

Payment of rate how to be enforced.

100. Subject to the powers conferred on a magistrate by this Act or by the Code of Criminal Procedure, of awarding fines in whole or in part as compensation to or for the benefit of any complainant or other person, all fines, fees, and rates levied and paid under this Act shall be credited to a fund which shall be called the "Inland Labor Transport Fund," and such fund shall be at the disposal of the Lieutenant-Governor for defraying the expenses of carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Fines, fees, and rates to be credited to "Inland Labor Transport Fund."

Chapter 9.—Inspector's Returns and Magistrates' Inspections.

101. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint in any labor district so many inspectors and assistant inspectors of laborers as he may think proper, and may define, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the local limits within which each such inspector and assistant inspector shall exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on him by this Act. Such inspectors and assistant inspectors may be by the said Lieutenant-Governor vested with all or any of the powers of a magistrate.

Appointment of inspectors and assistant inspectors.

102. The Lieutenant-Governor may authorize inspectors and assistant inspectors to entertain such establishment as he may think fit. An assistant inspector shall perform all such duties and exercise all such powers of an inspector as he is authorized in writing by the inspector to perform or exercise.

Establishment.

Duty of assistant inspector.

103. Every employer shall, on or before the last day of January and the last day of July in each and every year, make out in writing, and deliver to the inspector of laborers, a return of the number of all laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed by such employer on the last day of the preceding month, and return of the sickness and mortality among the laborers during the preceding six months.

Half-yearly report of laborers employed, of their state of health, and of mortality.

104. If any employer shall refuse or wilfully omit duly to send in any such return, or shall knowingly send in an incorrect return, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for omission to furnish such report or for submitting false report.

105. Every inspector of laborers shall once within each of such periods as may be fixed for such purpose by the Lieutenant-Governor, visit all lands within the limits of his authority on which there shall be employed any laborers, and inspect every hospital, tent, camp, or building in any way used by any such laborers, and investigate the condition of the laborers employed; and for such purpose the inspector may require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and may make such inquiries as may to him seem proper. Every such inspector shall keep books, in which from time to time shall be entered the number of laborers then under contract with each employer, the number who shall then be sick or missing, or who shall have complained of ill-treatment, the particulars of such complaints, and such other particulars regarding the laborers as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time direct. Each inspector shall annually make a written report to the Lieutenant-Governor through the Commissioner of the division of the aforesaid particulars; and every such report, as regards the laborers under any particular employer, shall, at all reasonable times, be open to the inspection of such employer or any person by him appointed in writing in that behalf, and the person so inspecting shall be entitled to take a copy of the report so far as it relates to such laborers.

Periodical inspection of laborers to be made by inspector.

Books to be kept by inspector.

Annual report.

Such report open to inspection by employer.

106. It shall be lawful for any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in the district, or any person authorized by him in writing in that behalf, at any time to enter and inspect any hospital, tent, camp, or building, wholly or partially used by or for laborers, and to require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and to make any inquiries which he may think proper touching the condition or treatment of any laborer.

Magistrate may at any time inspect laborers' buildings used by them, &c.

If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, wilfully obstructs or impedes any entry, inspection, or inquiry, made under either of the two preceding sections, such employer or other person as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees for each such offence.

Penalty for obstructing inspection or inquiry.

Chapter 10.—*Regulation of Labor.*

107. Every employer shall from time to time, with the sanction of the inspector previously obtained, fix the daily tasks to be executed by the laborers employed by such employer, and shall frame a schedule of such daily tasks, and publish the same by posting a copy thereof in the Bengali language upon the door of each place of payment of the laborers employed by such employer, and by sending a copy thereof in the English language to the inspector.

Schedule of daily tasks to be framed.

108. No laborer shall be bound to work under his contract more than six days in one week, or more than six hours consecutively, or more than nine hours on any one day.

Maximum amount of labor.

109. If at any time the inspector considers such schedule of daily tasks or any part thereof to be unreasonable, he shall refer the consideration of such schedule to a committee consisting of the inspector, of some employer to be nominated by him, and of some person to be nominated by the employer whose schedule is to be considered, or on his default by the inspector.

Inspector may submit schedule to a committee.

110. In case the said committee or the majority in number thereof are of opinion that the daily tasks in such schedule contained, or any of them, unreasonable, they shall modify and reduce such daily tasks in such manner as they shall deem reasonable, and such schedule so modified shall be published in manner aforesaid, and every schedule published as aforesaid shall have effect as between the employer and laborers in substitution for any former schedule.

Committee to revise schedule.

Chapter 11.—*Incapacity for Labor.*

111. It shall be lawful for the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority any laborer may be employed, to suspend, for such period as he shall consider advisable, the contract of such laborer, or any particular term thereof, if such laborer shall be, in the judgment of such inspector, temporarily unfitted for the performance thereof by reason of sickness, pregnancy, or other sufficient cause. Provided that every such suspension shall be endorsed by the inspector on the contract. Provided also that every such laborer shall, during such incapacity, receive such subsistence money from his employer as shall be considered sufficient by the inspector, and that the time during which the suspension continues shall not be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve.

Inspector may suspend contract of any laborer temporarily unfitted for labor.

112. If it shall be found that any laborer has been compelled to perform any species of labor for which he was at the time unfit, the employer by whom he was so employed shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for compelling laborer to perform work for which he is unfit.

113. If, in the opinion of the inspector of laborers, any laborer shall be permanently incapacitated for the performance of his contract or any material part thereof, the inspector shall certify to that effect in writing, and deliver such certificate to the employer of such laborer or some one on his behalf, and from the date of such certificate the contract of such laborer shall wholly cease and determine. The inspector shall make a return of all such cases of determination of contract in his report under section 105. Every laborer whose contract shall have been determined as aforesaid, shall be entitled to receive from his employer such sum, not exceeding three months' wages, as the inspector may award, and such sum shall be recoverable before a magistrate in the manner hereinafter provided for the recovery of wages.

Discharge of laborers permanently incapacitated.

Chapter 12.—Necessary Provision for Laborers.

114. Whenever any laborers shall be employed in any labor district, the employer of such laborers shall be bound to provide for them sufficient and proper house accommodation, water supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice.

Sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, and sanitary arrangements to be provided

115. Every employer shall be bound to provide for his laborers such sufficient hospital accommodation, and such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor; and if three hundred or more laborers shall be employed by any employer, it shall be the duty of such employer to place in medical charge of such laborers a medical officer holding a medical diploma as licentiate in medicine, from some Indian or European collegiate institution authorized to grant diplomas, or an officer for the time being licensed by the local Government to act in such medical charge of laborers.

Hospital, medicines, &c., to be provided.

116. It shall be lawful for any inspector or assistant inspector who is himself a magistrate, to institute within his jurisdiction, on the lands in charge of any employer, or at some place within his jurisdiction not more than ten miles distant from such lands, an inquiry whether such employer has provided for his laborers sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice. On the complaint of any inspector or assistant inspector a similar inquiry may be made by a magistrate

Inquiry whether employer has failed to provide as required by the rules

117. If the employer is convicted of gross neglect in not having provided sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, such employer shall be punished with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees. In any case where a magistrate shall find that proper or sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, has not been provided, he may order the employer to provide such proper and sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice. If the employer wilfully omits to comply with such order, he shall, on conviction, be punished with a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees a day for every day that such omission continues. In default of payment by the employer of the last mentioned fine, the person on whose account such employer has been acting shall be liable to pay the fine.

Punishment for gross neglect as to house accommodation, &c, and for wilfully omitting to comply with the order of the magistrate in such respect

118. Wherever such sufficient hospital accommodation or such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, or such medical officer as aforesaid, shall not have been provided, the employer or other person through whose wilful default the same shall not have been provided shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for every week during which any such default continues.

Penalty for failure to provide hospital accommodation, &c

Chapter 13.—Localities unfit for the Residence of Laborers.

119. If an inspector of laborers shall at any time have reason to believe that any estate or portion of an estate situated within the limits of his jurisdiction is by reason of climate, situation, or condition unfit for the residence of laborers, he shall give notice in writing of his opinion to the magistrate of the district, and such magistrate shall forthwith summon a committee to inquire into the fitness of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers. Such committee shall consist of the magistrate, the inspector of laborers, the medical officer of the district, and one or more employers of laborers, when such persons are available. If the magistrate is unable to procure the service on such committee of any employer of laborers he may, with the sanction of the commissioner of the division, appoint one or more persons whom he may deem qualified.

Inspector to report

Magistrate to summon committee

Such committee shall proceed, with as little delay as possible, to inquire into the healthiness of the estate or portion thereof to which the order appointing the committee has reference, and shall hear such information on the subject as the owner of the estate, or the employer or inspector, may desire to place before it; and if such committee, or the major part in number thereof, shall be of opinion that such estate or any portion thereof be unfit for the residence of laborers, it shall record a finding to that effect; and the contract of every laborer who shall have contracted to serve on such estate shall thereupon be void as regards such estate or portion of estate as may be found unfit for the residence of laborers.

Proceedings of committee.

If committee finds unfit, contract to be void as regards such locality.

Provided that every such contract shall continue valid with regard to any other portion of such estate or to any other estate of the same employer in the same district.

Proviso as regards other localities.

120. If it shall at any time appear that the number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on any estate or portion of an estate during the preceding twelve months, bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, or if the average annual number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on such estate or portion thereof during the preceding three years bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, it shall be lawful

Lieutenant-Governor how to proceed if mortality in past year exceeds 7 per cent, or if the average of 3 years exceeds 5 per cent.

for the Lieutenant-Governor to direct the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inquire into and report on the following matters :—

Matters to be inquired into.

(1) The cause or causes of such mortality.

(2) The want (if any) of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures, on the part of the owner of such estate or portion thereof or the employer, causing or contributing to such mortality.

(3) The fitness or otherwise of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers and the reasons thereof.

Medical officer to report.

Such medical officer shall proceed with as little delay as possible, and shall hear and record such information on the subject of the several matters aforesaid as the owner of such estate or portion thereof, or the employer, or inspector may desire to place before him, and shall visit and inspect such estate or portion thereof, and shall make his report expressing the reasons of his opinion and transmit the same with the recorded information and notes of his inspection of such estate or portion thereof to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Lieutenant-Governor may declare estate unfit for residence.

If the Lieutenant-Governor, after perusal and consideration of the said report, information, and notes, shall be of opinion that such mortality was caused by the want of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or the employer, and that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers by reason of the want of due care or precaution, and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or portion thereof or the employer, it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to declare in writing that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers. Such declaration of the Lieutenant-Governor shall have the same effect as the finding of a committee under the last preceding section.

Contracts to be void as regards that estate.

121. Every employer who shall cause or permit any laborer to reside upon any such estate or portion of an estate as under the provisions of either of the two preceding sections may have been found to be unfit for the residence of laborers, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine. Provided always that in case it shall appear to the inspector that any such estate, or portion of an estate, or any part of such portion, has become fit for the residence of laborers, he shall, with the sanction of the magistrate of the district, give under his hand a certificate of such fitness, and no employer shall be liable to fine by reason of his causing or permitting laborers to reside in any place respecting which such certificate of fitness shall have been given.

Penalty on employer permitting laborer to reside in locality declared to be unfit.

Chapter 14.—Offences committed by Laborers.

122. Any laborer, who shall absent himself from his labor without sufficient cause, may, on conviction by a magistrate, be sentenced to lose all claims to wages or allowances during the period of such absence, and also to forfeit to his employer a sum not exceeding four annas for each day during which such absence shall be continued ; and in case such absence shall have exceeded seven days, or in case such laborer shall have been already convicted of the same offence within a period of three months, such laborer shall be furthermore sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for fourteen days.

Penalty on laborer for absenting himself without sufficient cause.

123. If any laborer deserts or attempts to desert from his employer's service, such employer or any other person acting in his behalf may, without first procuring a warrant, and without the assistance of any police officer (who, nevertheless, shall be bound to give such assistance if called upon to do so), apprehend such laborer wherever he may be found. Provided, nevertheless, that if such laborer be found in the service of another employer, he shall not be arrested without a warrant. Provided also that such employer or other person shall without delay give the said laborer in charge at the nearest police station, and there enter the charge upon which he shall have apprehended such laborer.

Deserting may be apprehended without warrant.

Any laborer so given in charge shall be conveyed, without delay, to the nearest magistrate; and, if the place from which such laborer is charged with having deserted, be within the jurisdiction of such magistrate, he shall himself adjudicate upon the charge; but if not, he shall forward the said laborer, under custody, to the magistrate within whose jurisdiction such place may be situated, who shall adjudicate upon such charge.

To be taken to nearest magistrate.

Every laborer who deserts from his employer's service shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with rigorous imprisonment which may extend to one month; and every laborer, who after having been convicted of desertion, shall again desert from his employer's service, shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with rigorous imprisonment for a period which may extend to two months; and every laborer who, after having been twice convicted of desertion shall again desert shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Punishment.

124. On the expiry of any sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, save as is provided in section 125, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to make over such laborer to any person appointed on the part of his employer to receive charge of him; and no conviction under this Act, or imprisonment under such conviction, shall, save as is provided in section 125, be held to operate as a release to any laborer from the terms of his contract. Provided, nevertheless, that the period of imprisonment shall in no case be prolonged by reason of their being no person present on the part of the employer to take charge of the laborer at the expiry to his sentence; but such laborer shall in that case be sent to the principal place of business of such employer, and the expense of such conveyance shall be levied from the employer in the manner provided in section 99.

Conviction not to operate as a release.

Cancellation of contract by desertion.

125. Whenever any laborer shall have actually suffered imprisonment amounting in the whole to six months for desertion from his employer's service, it shall be lawful for the inspector, and he is hereby required, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and every such cancellation shall be certified by the inspector on the back of the contract.

Portion of sentence may be cancelled on application of employer.

126. The employer, or any person authorized to act for the employer, of any laborer imprisoned for any offence under this Act, may apply to a magistrate, at any time previous to the expiry of such sentence, that such laborer be made over to him for the purpose of completing his contract; and such magistrate may, if he see good cause, make over or forward such laborer to his employer; and in that case such magistrate shall cancel the remainder of the sentence passed on him, and shall endorse on the contract of such laborer a memorandum signed by him of such cancellation.

Expense of restoring deserting laborer to be paid by employer.

127. Every employer who obtains an order for the return or forwarding of any laborer who has deserted, shall pay the expense incurred in such return or forwarding, and shall, before the order is issued, deposit with the magistrate such sum as such magistrate may in his discretion deem to be sufficient for defraying the expense of such return or forwarding.

Time of unlawful absence or imprisonment to be excluded from contract period.

128. The duration of every unlawful absence from labor, of which any laborer may be convicted, and every sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, shall be endorsed on the contract, at the time of its being passed, by the officer passing it; and no such period of imprisonment or unlawful absence so endorsed shall be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve, but such term shall extend to such further period as shall be equivalent to the aggregate amount of the imprisonment and unlawful absence so endorsed.

Other person enticing away, harbouring, or employing laborer under contract

129. Any person who knowingly and wilfully entices away, harbours, or employs, or attempts to entice from his employment, any laborer, before such laborer shall have been lawfully released from his contract, shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with fine, the whole or any portion of which may be awarded to the employer of such laborer.

Chapter 15.—*Complaints mad by Laborers.*

Employer to give notice to inspector if laborer wishes to complain of personal ill usage or breach of contract.

130. If any laborer states to his employer, or to any person acting for such employer, that he desires to make a complaint to the inspector of laborers of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act on the part of such employer or other person, the person to whom such statement is made shall, within forty-eight hours, send notice thereof in writing to the inspector, and in default of so doing, such person shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Inspector how to proceed on receipt of notice, or if complaint is made to him,

or if he has reason to believe that there is ground for a complaint.

131. Whenever any inspector of laborers receives such notice in writing as aforesaid, or whenever any complaint of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid, is made to him by any laborer against his employer or any person acting for such employer, or whenever the inspector has other reasonable grounds for believing that any such personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid has been suffered by a laborer, such inspector shall forthwith, if the place in which such offence has been committed is not situated within the limits of his own authority, give notice thereof in writing to the inspector within the limits of whose authority such place is situated; and if such place be situated within the limits of his own authority, then such inspector shall, so soon as conveniently may be, proceed to some place not more than ten miles from the principal place of business of such employer, and make full inquiry into the matter complained of.

Procedure.

Penalty for obstructing service of, or disobedience to, summons.

132. For the purposes of such inquiry the inspector may summon such laborer and any witnesses. If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, in any way wilfully obstructs the service of, or obedience to, such summons; or if the laborer or any witness summoned intentionally omits to attend as required in such summons, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

If complaint is untrue or frivolous.

133. If, upon such inquiry made on the complaint of a laborer, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is untrue or frivolous, he shall enter in his book the particulars of such complaint, and a short statement of the grounds of his opinion respecting it, and shall dismiss the complaint, and in such case shall endorse on the employer's copy of the contract of such complainant the number of days during which such complainant has been absent from work in consequence of such inquiry, and such number of days shall be added to the period of the contract of such complainant.

If complaint is well founded.

134. If, upon inquiry as aforesaid, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is well-founded, he shall, if himself a magistrate, dispose of the case according to due course of law. If the inspector shall not be a magistrate, he shall without delay send the complainant and his witnesses to the nearest magistrate, and such magistrate shall thereupon dispose of the case according to due course of law.

Recovery of arrears of wages.

135. If, upon the complaint of any laborer, it is proved to the satisfaction of a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear for two months, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to award to such laborer the amount which shall appear to be then due to him; and also, by way of compensation, such further sum, not exceeding that amount, as shall appear to such

Compensation may be given if arrear is for two months.

magistrate to be just; and in case of default, the magistrate shall levy the entire sum by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer.

Contract may be declared cancelled, if employer is convicted of maltreatment by session court, or twice by magistrate;

136. If any employer, or any person placed in authority over any laborer by such employer, shall be convicted of any offence causing injury to the person or property of such laborer triable under the Code of Criminal Procedure by the court of session; or if any such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall be twice convicted of any such offence against such laborer triable under the said Code by a magistrate;

or if wages are in arrear for four months;

or if it shall be proved before a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear to an amount exceeding the total of such laborer's wages for four months; or if a magistrate shall, on the report of the inspector and after due inquiry, upon oath, in the presence of the parties, be satisfied that any laborer has been compelled to perform any labor while he was unfit for it, or has been subjected to ill-usage by such employer,

or if ill-usage is proved.

or any other person placed in authority over the laborer by such employer; it shall be lawful for the magistrate, if he think fit, on the application of the laborer, in each of such cases, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and award to him compensation not exceeding thirty rupees, and every such cancelment shall be certified by the magistrate on the back of such contract.

Chapter 16.—*Determination of Contract.*

Laborer may appear before the inspector to register completion of contract.

137. Every laborer who has completed the term of his contract shall be forthwith entitled to appear before the inspector or assistant inspector in order that the completion of his contract may be registered.

Penalty if employer detains, or omits to report.

If an employer detains such laborer after the completion of his contract, or fails to give notice of such completion to the inspector within one month after the date of such completion, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Power to redeem contract.

138. If any laborer is able and desirous to redeem the unexpired term of his contract of service by payment of a sum equivalent to the value thereof, such laborer may demand to be taken or allowed to go before the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority he may be employed, and on his depositing such sum in the hands of such inspector, such inspector shall give notice to the employer that such laborer requires him within one week to show cause why the contract of such laborer should not be released; and, in case no sufficient cause should be shown, such inspector shall require the production of the contract of such laborer, and endorse thereon a certificate of release by purchase, and shall hold the sum in deposit on account of the employer of such laborer. If any employer, or other person authorized to act for the employer, shall neglect to comply with such demand as aforesaid, such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Value of unexpired term of contract.

The value of the unexpired term of contract shall be deemed to be the aggregate amount of one rupee for every month of the unexpired portion of the first year, of three rupees for every such month of the second year, and of five rupees for every such month of the third year, of the original term of the laborer's engagement.

Certificate to be given of determination of contract.

139. Every laborer the period of whose contract has expired, or whose contract has been rescinded by the mutual consent of the parties thereto, or whose contract has been cancelled or redeemed under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to receive forthwith from the inspector a certificate of release in the form set forth in Schedule (F) annexed to this Act.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 17.)

FORM OF CONTRACT BETWEEN EMIGRANT AND EMPLOYER.

"THIS contract made under Bengal Act of 187 , between (*emigrant's name*) of the one part and (*employer's name*) of the other part. Whereas the said (*employer's name*) has promised the said (*emigrant's name*) (hereinafter called 'the emigrant') that, if he the said emigrant do proceed to the district (*name of*) in (*name of labor-district*) and do remain and labor therein on the estate of the said (*employer's name*) his successors, representatives and assigns (hereinafter called 'the employer'), he the said employer will from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, for years from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate, and that during such period he the said employer will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

Now this contract witnesseth that the said emigrant doth hereby, in consideration of the aforesaid promise by the said employer and of the agreement by him hereinafter contained, agree with the said employer that he the said emigrant will, so soon after the execution of these presents as he shall be required so to do, proceed to the said district (*name of*) in (*name of labor-district*), and will there remain and labor on the estate of the said employer for a period of years from the date of his the said emigrant's arrival on such estate. And this contract further witnesseth that the said employer doth hereby, on consideration of the said agreement by the said emigrant, agree with the said emigrant that he the said employer will with all convenient despatch after the execution of these presents, convey or cause to be conveyed the said emigrant free of all costs unto the estate of the said employer in the district aforesaid, and will from the date of his the said emigrant's arrival on such estate employ the said emigrant as a laborer for the period aforesaid, and will pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, and will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

In witness whereof the said parties to these presents

have hereunto set their hands the day of 187 ."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	RESIDENCE.			Period of service
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah	

Note.—If the contract is one under section 28, it must be signed by the garden-sirdar on behalf of the employer, if under section 61, by the person with whom the emigrant intends to contract, or his agent. It must, if under section 28, be executed before the magistrate; if under sections 29 or 61, before the Superintendent of Emigration. The execution of the contract, if under section 16, must be attested by the Superintendent of Emigration, who must also append to the foot thereof a certificate to the following effect:

"I hereby certify that before the within-mentioned (*emigrant's name*) signed this contract, I personally explained it to him.

(Sd.) ——————

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE B.

(*See Section* 18.)

FORM OF GARDEN-SIRDAR'S CERTIFICATE.

"*Garden-Sirdar's Certificate required under Section* 19 *of Bengal Act of* 187 .

Name of garden-sirdar.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	HEIGHT.		General appearance and characteristic marks.	Name of place and description of lands on which labor is to be performed.	District (or Calcutta) where natives are to be engaged.	Number of natives the bearer is authorised to engage.	*Name of contractor to whose depôt natives should be conveyed.	REMARKS.
				Feet.	Inch.						

* *N.B*—If the number of natives engaged exceed twenty, they will have to go to a contractor's depôt.

Countersigned (under Section 19) on the 187 , six months from which date this certificate ceases to be in force.

Magistrate of "

(Sd.)

Dated 187 . *Employer.*"

SCHEDULE C.

See Sections 14 *and* 36.

FORM OF CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.

"A. B is hereby licensed to act, throughout the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, as a contractor for engaging and supplying natives for the purpose of laboring for hire in the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE D.

See Sections 14 *and* 41.

FORM OF RECRUITER'S LICENSE.

"C. D. is hereby licensed to act on behalf of A. B., a licensed contractor, as a recruiter for engaging or inducing natives to proceed to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE E.

See Sections 34 *and* 65.

FORM OF EMIGRANT'S PASS.

Name of emigrant.	Age.	Father's name.	Name of employer.	Place in which emigrant has contracted to labor.	Place of disembarkation.

"The emigrants above described are permitted to embark on the , which will leave on the , for the purpose of proceeding to the district of .

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) R. M.,

Contractor [*or Garden-sirdar*].

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) G. D.,

Superintendent of Emigration.

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) A. L.,

Embarkation Agent."

Note.—When the pass is granted by the Embarkation Agent to emigrants brought to him by a garden-sirdar under the provisions of section 34, it need not be signed by the Superintendent of Emigration.

Note.—The names of any number of emigrants proceeding in the same vessel may be entered in one pass.

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 139.)

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE ON DETERMINATION OF CONTRACT.

"I hereby certify that the contract entered into on the day of 187 , under Act of 187 , between [*laborer's name*] of the one part, and [*employer's name*] of the other part, has been determined by effluxion of time (or 'by mutual consent,' or 'under the provisions of section of the said Act,' as the case may be).

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand day of 187 .

Inspector of Laborers."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	RESIDENCE.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

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Judicial and Legislative Depts.

THE following Supplementary Report of the Select Committee on the "Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee on the Bill "to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract-labor and service therein," have read and considered the correspondence noted in the margin relating to a proposal by the Lieutenant-Governor to provide for the gradual introduction of a system of free recruiting of laborers for the labor districts.

From Messrs. Whitney Brothers and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. W. Moran and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. Lyall, Rennie and Company, dated 4th July 1873
From Messrs. Steel, McIntosh and Company, dated 4th July 1873, and enclosure
From Dr. C. A. Kernot, M.D., dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs Robert and Charriol, dated 9th July 1873.
From R. J. Staunton, Esq, dated 10th July 1873.
From Messrs. Young, Gray and Company, dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs. Jardine, Skinner and Company, dated 12th July 1873.
Memorandum by the Collector of Sylhet, dated 8th July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 9th July 1873.
Extract from the *Englishman* of the 9th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Indian Daily News* of the 10th and 12th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Hindu Patriot* of the 14th July 1873.
From R Blechynden, Esq, dated 15th July 1873.
From Secretary, East India Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From Acting Secretary, Bengal Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From S. H. Robinson, Esq, dated 16th July 1873.
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th July 1873.
From Commissioner of Assam, dated 23rd July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner of Seebsaugor, dated 22nd July 1873.
From Messrs. Begg, Dunlop and Company, dated 31st July 1873
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 29th July 1873, and enclosures
From Directors of the Kanchunpore Tea Company, Limited
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 21st July 1873.
Memorandum by the Deputy Commissioner of Luckimpore, dated 30th July 1873
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 8th August, and enclosure.
Notes by the Officiating Magistrate of Bancoorah.
From Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 6th August 1873.
From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 16th August 1873, and enclosure
From Messrs. Borradaile, Schiller and Company, dated 19th August 1873.

The Committee are unanimously of opinion that the systems of free recruiting and recruiting under the Act cannot work side by side. They do not feel themselves able, on the materials before them, to recommend that Cachar or any other district should be exempted from the operation of the Act, or to make any specific recommendation to the Council on the general subject.

G. C. PAUL.
V. H. SCHALCH.
C. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

The 27th August 1873.

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PART VI.

Bills of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

The following further report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as now settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor-General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 11th September 1873:—

We, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee on the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to appeals to the Privy Council from decrees of the Civil Courts, have considered the papers noted in the margin, and have now the honor to present this further report.

Minute by the Hon'ble A. Hobhouse, dated 5th September 1872.
From Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, No. 104, dated 16th September 1872, and enclosures.
From Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, No. 119, dated 13th November 1872, and enclosure.
From Chief Secretary to Government of Bombay, No 2823, dated 20th May 1873, and enclosure.
Office Memorandum, Home Department, No. 1399, dated 13th August 1873, and enclosures.

We have provided in clause 5 that, when the decree appealed from affirms the decision of the Court immediately below, the appeal must involve some substantial question of law. This will limit the number of appeals in cases where there have been concurrent judgments on questions of fact.

The question as to whether the Court admitting an appeal under the proposed Act should have power to allow a decree to be executed without demanding security, notwithstanding the pendency of the appeal, must, we think, be answered in the affirmative. We are further of opinion that stay of execution ought to be the exception and not the rule, and that it is by no means a matter of course to take security from the respondent.

We have, therefore, struck out clause 17 of the Bill as re-amended in September 1872, and we have altered what was then clause 16 so as to enable the Court *(a)* to let the decree take its course, or *(b)* to take security from the respondent for the performance of the order of the Privy Council, and meanwhile permit him to enjoy the fruits of decree appealed against, or *(c)* to take like security from the appellant, and meanwhile to stay execution of the decree appealed from, or *(d)* to give any other direction that it thinks fit respecting the subject-matter of the appeal.

As the law stands, no time is limited for applying for execution of a decree or order of Her Majesty in Council. This is not reasonable, and may prove very inconvenient. The object of the appeal to the Crown is to correct the errors of inferior Courts, not to give unlimited, or more extended time to the parties for inforcing their rights. We have accordingly, in clause

twenty, by adding six words to No. 169 of the second schedule annexed to the Indian Limitation Act, 1871, provided a period of twelve years, the same period as is fixed in the case of applications to enforce decrees of High Courts in the exercise of their Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

We have struck out the clause amending a portion of Bombay Regulation XIX of 1827, for that portion has been repealed by Act XII of 1873.

We have made one or two verbal alterations; and we think that the Bill as now amended might be passed. But as the Privy Council have expressed a desire to see the Bill, which now makes substantial alterations in the law, we recommended that its passage be postponed, and that in the meanwhile the Bill and this report be published in the *Gazette of India* and sent Home for submission to the Judicial Committee.

SIMLA,
The 2nd September 1873.

A. HOBHOUSE.
B. H. ELLIS.
E. C. BAYLEY.

THE PRIVY COUNCIL APPEALS BILL, 1873.

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SCHEDULE.

A Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to appeals to the Privy Council from decrees of the Civil Courts.

[AS RE-AMENDED BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE IN SEPTEMBER 1873.]

Preamble.

Whereas it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law regulating the admission of appeals to Her Majesty in Council from certain judgments, decrees, and orders, of the Civil Courts; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

I.—PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Privy Council Appeals Act, 1873."

Extent.

It extends to the whole of British India; but it does not apply to any matter of criminal, or admiralty, or vice-admiralty jurisdiction; nor to appeals from orders and decrees of Prize-courts.

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the passing thereof.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The enactments specified in the schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column thereof.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context, the expression "decree" includes also judgment and order.

II.—ADMISSION OF APPEALS.

When appeals lie to Queen in Council.

4. Subject to such rules as may, from time to time, be made by Her Majesty in Council regarding appeals from the Courts of British India, and to the provisions hereinafter contained—

an appeal shall lie to Her Majesty in Council,

(*a*) from any final decree passed on appeal by a High Court or other Court of final appellate jurisdiction,

(*b*) from any final decree passed by a High Court in the exercise of original civil jurisdiction, and

(c) from any decree, when the case, as hereinafter provided, is declared to be a fit one for appeal to Her Majesty in Council.

Value of subject-matter.

5. In each of the cases mentioned in clauses (a) and (b) of section four,

the amount of value of the subject-matter of the suit in the Court of first instance must be ten thousand rupees or upwards,

or the decree must involve, directly or indirectly, some claim or question to, or respecting, property of like amount or value,

and where the decree appealed from affirms the decision of the Court immediately below the Court passing such decree, the appeal must involve some substantial question of law.

Bar of certain appeals.

6. Notwithstanding anything contained in section four,—

no appeal shall lie to Her Majesty in Council from the judgment of one Judge of a High Court established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, chapter one hundred and four, or of one Judge of a Division Court, or of two or more Judges of such High Court, or of a Division Court constituted by two or more Judges of such High Court, wherever such Judges are equally divided in opinion, and do not amount in number to a majority of the whole of the Judges of the High Court at the time being;

and no appeal shall lie to Her Majesty in Council from any decree which, under Act No. XXIII of 1861, section twenty-seven, is final.

Application to Court whose decree is complained of.

7. Whoever desires to appeal under this Act to Her Majesty in Council must apply by petition to the Court whose decree is complained of.

Time within which application must be made.

8. Such application must ordinarily be made within six months from the date of such decree.

But if that period expires when the Court is closed, the application may be made on the day that the Court re-opens.

Certificate as to value or fitness.

9. Every petition under section seven must state the causes of appeal, and pray for a certificate either that as regards amount, or value and nature, the case fulfils the requirements of section five, or that it is otherwise a fit one for appeal to Her Majesty in Council.

Upon receipt of such petition, the Court may direct notice to be served on the opposite party to show cause why the said certificate should not be granted.

Refusal of certificate.

10. If such certificate be refused, the petition shall be dismissed:

Provided that if the decree complained of be a final decree passed by a Court other than a High Court, the order refusing the certificate shall be appealable within thirty days from the date of the order, to the High Court to which the former Court is subordinate.

Security and deposit required on grant of certificates.

11. If the certificate be granted, the applicant shall, within six months from the date of the decree complained of, or within six weeks from the grant of the certificate, whichever is the later date,

(a) give security for the costs of the respondent, and

(b) deposit the amount required to defray the expense of translating, transcribing, printing, indexing, and transmitting to Her Majesty in Council a correct copy of the whole record of the suit, except

(1) formal documents directed to be excluded by any order of Her Majesty in Council in force for the time being;

(2) papers which the parties agree to exclude; and

(3) accounts, or portions of accounts, which the officer empowered by the Court for that purpose considers unnecessary, and which the parties have not specifically asked to be included.

Admission of appeal and procedure thereon.

12. When such security has been given and deposit made to the satisfaction of the Court, the Court shall

(a) declare the appeal admitted,

(b) give notice thereof to the appellant and respondent, respectively,

(c) transmit to Her Majesty in Council, under the seal of the Court, a correct copy of the said record, except as aforesaid,

(d) give to either party one or more authenticated copies of any of the papers in the suit on his applying therefor, and paying the reasonable expenses incurred in preparing them, and

(e) give to either party an authenticated copy of any local Regulation, Act or Ordinance which he may require in the appeal.

Revocation of acceptance of security.

13. At any time before the admission of the appeal, the Court may, upon cause shown, revoke the acceptance of any such security, and make further directions thereon.

Power to order further security or payment.

14. If at any time after the admission of the appeal, but before the transmission of the record, except as aforesaid, to Her Majesty in Council, such security appears inadequate,

or further payment is required for the purpose of translating, transcribing, printing, indexing, or transmitting the record, except as aforesaid,

the Court may order the appellant to furnish, within a time to be fixed by the Court, other and sufficient security, or to make, within like time, the required payment.

Failure to comply with order.

15. If the appellant fail to comply with such order, the proceedings shall be stayed,

and the appeal shall not proceed without an order in this behalf of Her Majesty in Council,

and in the meantime execution of the judgment, decree or order appealed against shall not be stayed.

Refund of balance of deposit.

16. When the record, except as aforesaid, has been transmitted to Her Majesty in Council, the appellant may obtain a refund of the balance, if any, of the amount which he has deposited under section eleven.

III.—PROCEEDINGS PENDING APPEALS.

Powers of Court pending appeal.

17. Notwithstanding the admission of any appeal under this Act, the decree appealed against shall be unconditionally enforced unless the Court admitting the appeal otherwise directs.

But the Court may, if it think fit, on any special clause, to be shown by any party interested in the suit, or otherwise appearing to the Court—

(a) impound the property in dispute, or any part thereof, or

(b) allow the decree appealed against to be enforced, taking such security from the respondent as the Court thinks fit for the due performance of any decree which Her Majesty in Council may make on the appeal, or

(c) stay the execution of the decree appealed against, taking such security from the appellant as the Court think fit for the due performance of the decree appealed against, or of any decree which Her Majesty in Council may make on the appeal, or

(d) place any party seeking the assistance of the Court under such conditions, or give such other direction respecting the subject-matter of the appeal, as it thinks fit.

Increase of security found inadequate.

18. If at any time during the pendency of the appeal the security so furnished by either party appears inadequate, the Court may on the application of the other party, require further security.

In default of such further security being furnished as required by the Court, if the original security was furnished by the appellant, the Court may, on application of the respondent, issue execution of the decree appealed against as if the appellant had furnished no such security.

And if the original security was furnished by the respondent, the Court shall, so far as may be practicable, stay all further execution of the decree, and restore the parties to the position in which they respectively were when the security which appears inadequate was furnished.

IV.—EXECUTION OF DECREES OF HER MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

Certified decrees of Queen in Council to be executed.

19. The decrees of Her Majesty in Council when duly certified shall be enforced and executed, subject to the directions of the High Court or other Court as aforesaid, by the Court by which the suit was originally tried, and in the manner and according to the rules applicable to the execution of its original decrees.

Amendment of Act IX of 1871, schedule II, No. 169.

20. To the first column of No. 169 of the second schedule annexed to the Indian Limitation Act, 1871, the following words shall be added (that is to say), "or of Her Majesty in Council."

Petition for execution.

21. Whoever desires to enforce or obtain the execution of any such decree of Her Majesty in Council, shall present an application to the Court which made the first decree appealed from, and the said application shall be accompanied by a certified copy of the decree made in appeal and sought to be enforced or executed.

Appeal against order relating to execution

22. An appeal shall lie from any decree made by such last-mentioned Court relating to the enforcement or execution of any such decree of Her Majesty in Council, in the same manner and subject to the same rules as an appeal from a decree made upon an application for the enforcement or execution of the decree first appealed from.

V.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Power to make rules.

23. The High Court may, from time to time, make general rules consistent with this Act to regulate—

(a) the service of notices under section nine,

(b) the grant of refusal of certificates, under sections ten and eleven, by Courts of final appellate jurisdiction subordinate to the High Court,

(c) the amount and nature of the security required under sections eleven, fourteen and eighteen,

(d) the testing of such security,

(e) the estimate of the cost of transcribing the record,

(f) the preparation, examination, and certifying of such transcript,

(g) the revision and authentication of translations,

(h) the preparation of indices to transcripts of records and of lists of the papers not included therein,

and all other matters connected with the enforcement of this Act.

Publication of rules.

All such rules shall be published in the local official *Gazette*, and shall thereupon have the force of law in the High Court and the Courts of final appellate jurisdiction subordinate thereto.

Rules heretofore made.

All rules heretofore made and published by any High Court relating to appeals to Her Majesty in Council and in force immediately before the passing of this Act, shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, be deemed to have been made and published hereunder.

Recorder of Rangoon.

24. In sections four, nineteen, and twenty-three the expression 'High Court' shall be deemed to include also the Recorder of Rangoon, but not so as to empower him to make rules binding on Courts other than his own Court.

Construction of Bengal Regulation III of 1828, sec. 4, clause 5.

25. The rules and restrictions referred to in Bengal Regulation III of 1828, section four, clause five, shall be deemed to be the rules and restrictions applicable to appeals under this Act from the decisions of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

Saving of Her Majesty's pleasure,

26. Nothing herein contained shall be understood—

(a) to bar the full and unqualified exercise of Her Majesty's pleasure in receiving or rejecting appeals to Her Majesty in Council, or otherwise howsoever, or

and of the rules for the conduct of business before the Judicial Committee.

(b) to interfere with any rules for the time being in force for the presentation of appeals to Her Majesty in Council, or their conduct before the Judical Committee of the Privy Council.

SCHEDULE.

(*See Section* 2.)

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

No. and year of enactment.	Title or abbreviated Title.	Extent of repeal.
	A.—REGULATIONS.	
Bengal Regulation XVI of 1797.	A Regulation respecting Appeals from the Court of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut to His Most Excellent Majesty and His Most Honourable Privy Council.	The whole.
Bengal Regulation V of 1803.	A Regulation for empowering the Sudder Dewanny Adawlut to try Appeals from the Decisions of the Provincial Court of Appeal established in the Provinces ceded by the Nawaub Vizier, &c.	The whole.
Madras Regulation VIII of 1818.	A Regulation prescribing the Rules under which Appeals may be perferred to the King's Most Excellent Majesty in his Privy Council, from the Decisions of the Court of Sudder Adawlut at Fort Saint George.	The whole.
Bombay Regulation IV of 1827.	A Regulation prescribing the Froms of Proceeding of the Courts of Law in Civil Suits and Appeals, and Rules for the Trial of the same.	Section one hundred.
	B.—ACTS.	
Act II of 1844	An Act respecting the Expenses of preparing Copies of Proceedings in Appeals.	The whole.
Act XXV of 1852.	An Act for the execution of decrees made in appeal by Her Majesty in Council, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
Act II of 1863	An Act to regulate the admission of Appeals to Her Majesty in Council from certain Judgments and Orders in Provinces not subject to the General Regulations.	The whole.
	C.—STATUTES.	
13 George III, cap. 63.	An Act for establishing certain Regulations for the better Management of the Affairs of the East India Company, as well in India as in Europe.	Section eighteen.
37 George III, cap. 142.	An Act for the better Administration of Justice at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, &c.	Section sixteen.

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AMENDED LABOR DISTRICTS EMIGRATION BILL.

Nos. 3705-3706, dated Calcutta, the 19th September 1873.

From—A MACKENZIE, Esq., Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, Judl. Dept.,

To—The Commissioners of the Dacca and Assam Divisions.

I AM directed by the Lieutenant-Governor to forward herewith copies of the Labor Districts Emigration Bill, as now amended, and to request you to be good enough to obtain the opinions of the officers, as well as of as many as possible of the planters and the most intelligent coolies of the tea gardens in your division, on the changes made or proposed in the Bill, more particularly with respect to the nature of the amendments placed by His Honor on the papers containing the proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council of the 6th and 13th September 1873.

2. Separate copies of the paper of amendments are enclosed for reference and distribution. The Lieutenant-Governor is desirous of having the views of the parties interested, as well as of officers in the tea districts, as fully and carefully as possible upon these points.

3. The first amendment, it will be seen, refers to Cachar only, and the second is the same amendment having reference to Sylhet only. In either case the question is simply, whether it is better that the district in question should be removed from the operation of the Bill altogether, and left untrammeled and unfettered like any other district of these provinces, or whether it should be retained in the Bill.

4. All parties must see that a one-sided settlement—*i.e.*, one, freeing planters from all restrictions in recruiting, and at the same time subjecting the coolie to special penal laws to enforce the contracts into which they may

enter without any special precautions—is quite out of the question. Planters must choose whether they will have freedom of contract for themselves, with the protection of the ordinary law of the country only, or the present system of examination, registration and special precautions in regard to contracts, followed by a special penal law to make the cooly work out his contract as provided by the Bill.

5. In the former case, *i. e.*, if they come under the ordinary law, planters may enforce their contracts—(1) by an ordinary suit, and (2) by the penal provision of section 492 of the Indian Penal Code (Act No. XLV of 1860), quoted on the margin.

SECTION 492

Whoever being bound by lawful contract in writing to work for another person as an artificer, workman, or laborer, for a period not more than three years at any place within British India to which, by virtue of the contract, he has been or is to be conveyed at the expense of such other, voluntarily deserts the service of that other during the continuance of his contract, or without reasonable cause refuses to perform the service which he has contracted to perform, such service being reasonable and proper service, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding one month, or with fine not exceeding double the amount of such expense, or with both, unless the employer has ill-treated him, or neglected to perform the contract on his part.

6. Amendments 3 and 4 are connected together; 4 is taken from the British Burmah Labor Contract Bill now before the Governor-General's Legislative Council (see last clause of section 16 of that Bill as published in the *Gazette of India*). The effect of this amendment would be, in fact, to allow a system of free emigration to go on side by side with the system prescribed by this Bill. The penalty on recruiting otherwise than under the Bill would be altogether removed; but it would be provided that no contract to labor in the labor districts should be binding on an emigrant. Now, an emigrant under the definition (as modified by amendment 3) is a person who has engaged to proceed to the labor district. No engagement to labor made under these circumstances, if made without the safeguards provided in the Act, would be binding on him; but if he goes without any binding contract, when he reaches the labor district he ceases to be an emigrant—he becomes an ordinary laborer, and may then enter into any contract he chooses, like any other local laborer under the ordinary law of contract. The question then is, whether, in those districts which remain under the Bill, it is desirable to allow this free system, or any other free system, side by side with the system under the Act.

7. Finally, the fifth amendment proposes to repeal the present power of planters themselves to seize runaway coolies. Without prejudging this question, His Honor would like much to learn what officers, planters, and the coolies themselves say about it. The effect of the amendment would be, that, instead of seizing his coolie, the master must prosecute him for desertion in the criminal court, under the third clause of section 123 of the amended Bill.

8. The question is, whether the time has come when so great an interference with the liberty of the subject as this power of the master to seize can be dispensed with. His Honor would like to know, both from the planter's and from the coolie's point of view, whether the power is liable to abuse; and whether, if not unduly used to restrain a fair freedom of action, the object would not be sufficiently gained by making it the duty of the Magistrate to seize and punish the deserter who may be pointed out to him.

9. I am to refer you to the proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council, published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th and 17th instant, on this subject, and to say that His Honor hopes to have your replies, with well collected and collated opinions, in this Secretariat before the 15th November next.

RESOLUTION ON THE DACCA GENERAL ADMINISTRATION REPORT FOR 1872-73.

RESOLUTION.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 2nd September 1873.

READ—

A letter No. 465, dated 12th July 1873, from the Officiating Commissioner of Dacca, submitting the Annual General Report of his Division for the year 1872-73.

Read also—

A letter No. 497, dated 22nd July 1873, from the Officiating Commissioner of Dacca, submitting the General Administration Report of Mr. Reynolds, Collector-Magistrate of Mymensingh, and of Messrs Page and Andrews, the Sub-Divisional Officers of Goalundo and Atteah.

1. RESOLUTION.—The Lieutenant-Governor is under very great obligations to the Commissioner for his clear and practical report, which touches on very many subjects of interest in the way His Honor had desired, and is evidently not an office compilation, as so many reports have hitherto been.

2. *Tour* (*Paras.* 2 *to* 12).—His Honor notices that two Assistant Magistrates and two Deputy Magistrates were out on tour a good deal during the cold weather, and he trusts that in future, under the new system of sub-deputies, many more Joint-Magistrates, Assistant Magistrates, and Deputy Magistrates will be enabled to pass a good deal of their time in the interior.

He will be prepared to consider any separate proposals that the Commissioner may submit with reference to the crowded state of the record-rooms of the several Magistrates and Collectors in his division.

The Lieutenant-Governor has expressed his appreciation elsewhere of the services rendered by Mr. Power, Captain Badgley, and Mr. Chinnel, in connection with the late survey operations on the frontier.

3. *Weather and Crops* (*Paras.* 16 *to* 21).—The rice crop of the division was a good average one, and calls for no special remark. Next to rice the most important crop in the division is that of jute, and this was by far the finest that had ever been known. The area under cultivation was greater than in any previous year, and Mr. Reynolds estimates that the outturn of fibre from the district of Mymensingh alone exceeded two millions of maunds. Unfortunately, this excessive cultivation made necessary the employment of hired labor to assist in preparing the fibre, and the prices of the market fell at the same time so low that the fibre in many places cost the producer more than could be got from the produce. It is said that in some places the prices that were obtainable would not have covered the expense of preparation and transport, and the plants were allowed to rot and die where they grew, but perhaps this is in some degree exaggerated—such cases were probably exceptional and peculiar. A much smaller area is being sown with jute in the present season of 1873.

The Lieutenant-Governor notices (see paragraph 80 of Mr. Andrew's report) that in the Atteah sub-division jute is used in the manufacture of paper, so this is no new discovery. Indigo has almost disappeared from the Dacca division as an article of cultivation. The production of safflower has apparently exceeded the requirements of the English market, which is glutted at present; a cheaper substitute having been, it is said, discovered.

The Lieutenant-Governor observes that the general result of the information collected regarding the crops is to show exceeding readiness rather than backwardness on the part of cultivators to meet the demands of the market.

4. *Public Health and Material Condition of the People* (*Paras.* 27 *to* 31)—The public health of the division was generally good. There appears to have been no special epidemic,

The material condition of the people has, it is said, greatly improved as compared with what it was only a few years back. Immense sums of money now come into the country for payment of purchases of country produce, of which a fair share clings to the fingers of those through whom it passes on its way from the exporting merchant to the cultivators; but still there is no doubt that a good proportion of it does reach the ryot. A great many ryots have money put by, though unfortunately instead of being invested, it is for the most part buried. The heavy fall in the jute market during the year diminished the profits of many cultivators, but produced no general distress. It would, according to the Collector of Mymensingh, be difficult now to find a village where the majority of the inhabitants are in the toils of the mahajun. There can be no question, says Mr. Abercrombie, that the agricultural class of the inhabitants of Eastern Bengal are in a condition of increasing comfort and independence.

A copy of the Commissioner's remarks on the results of vaccination in the Dacca and Furreedpore districts will be forwarded to the Political (Medical) Department of this Secretariat, with a request that they may be communicated to the Surgeon-General of the Indian Medical Department, in order that the return showing the extraordinary percentage of 99 successful cases may be properly checked.

5. *Emigration, &c.* (*Paras.* 32 *and* 33).—The spontaneous emigration of the people of Sylhet to cultivate the waste lands of Cachar, which is reported, is a natural, most healthy, and beneficial movement, and every encouragement should be given to it.

6. *Prices of Food and Labor* (*Paras.* 34 *to* 36).—Food seems to have generally been cheap over the division; but at the same time the price was remunerative enough to pay the cultivators.

As regards the prices of food in the Goalundo sub-division, given in Appendix B to Mr. Page's report, page 64, the Lieutenant-Governor must doubt the accuracy of the figures when he sees wheat in 1871-72 entered at the low price of 10 annas per maund.

It seems almost incredible that only one-third of the Mymensing district should (as conjectured in Mr. Reynolds' 42nd paragraph) be under cultivation. This would give a total of 1,119 souls to the square mile of cultivated land. The Lieutenant-Governor is aware that the Dhurumpore jungle occupies a long strip of Mymensing, that there is a considerable area of waste under the hills, and that there may be large areas of sandy chur. But it is hard to suppose that with all this two-thirds of the whole area is uncultivated. It may be gathered, however, from Mr. Reynolds' statement that there is still much room for the extension of jute, &c., and for increase of population.

The table of wages of coolies furnished in the Appendix B is useful, but it must be remembered that Goalundo is, in respect of labor, a very special place.

The Lieutenant-Governor trusts, with reference to paragraph 23 of Mr. Page's report, that every effort will be made to get the coolies at Goalundo decently accommodated, and to make their sanitary condition tolerable.

7. *Public Opinion on General or Special Subjects* (*Paras.* 41 *to* 46).—The Lieutenant-Governor desires to know whether it has been ascertained that any considerable landholders still continue to levy the imposts which they illegally imposed on their ryots under the pretext of the income-tax. He trusts that the Commissioner and District Officer will make it their special care that the object of the road cess shall be fully understood by the masses of the people. It should be most distinctly impressed upon them that the cess levied in any district will be expended for the benefit of that district, and not outside of it.

His Honor is most gratified at the testimony borne in more than one part of Mr. Abercrombie's report to the zeal and success of the various officers in working the grant for primary education. It was to have been expected that those among the landlord class who had profited by the ryots' ignorance should not care much for their education; but this will be overcome.

The Commissioner's account in his 46th paragraph of the antagonism which has on several occasions arisen between ryots and zemindars is a very striking and, the Lieutenant-Governor fears, a very true account. The whole subject is engaging the serious consideration of Government.

The Lieutenant-Governor hopes that the whole of the Commissioner's and district officer's influence will be used to discourage the very objectionable system called "zimba," and said to be prevalent in the Backergunge district, by which a man who sets up a claim to some disputed right transfers his interests with the most illegal and improper motives to some powerful and pugnacious neighbour. Unhappily this is a practice not unknown in other parts of the country.

It appears that in this division there is a large native press, no less than 17 papers and periodicals being published. The Commissioner very fairly describes (paragraph 47) its position and character.

8. *Administrative Changes* (*Paras.* 48 *to* 57).—The transfer of rent-suits to the civil court appears not to have worked with complete smoothness as yet, and the fact has not escaped the notice of Government.

"The centralization of more power and responsibility in the hands of the district officer has undoubtedly," says Mr. Abercrombie, "been productive of good results in some instances, but its success depends much on the possession of certain qualities by the head of the family. If he be happy enough to possess these all will go well; his official household will be happy and contented, and work will be well done." The Lieutenant-Governor trusts that the head of the district will gradually become more and more the effective leader of all departments, and that men not fitted for the active exercise of such functions will take to another line of the public service. Mr. Reynolds' suggestion, that a Magistrate should be able, if he wished, to delegate to a sub-divisional officer general authority over the police of the sub-division, subject to his own supervision, so that the police of the sub-division would look up to the sub-divisional officer as their immediate head, will be considered by the Lieutenant-Governor who has much inclined to that view.

His Honor acknowledges that it is too true that the success of the arrangements in regard to the charges of subordinate officers is sadly marred by the frequent changes of officers. The Government, however, is struggling to its utmost to remedy the evil. We have effected great improvement in regard to the higher officers. The applications for leave on medical certificates and other occasions for change are so constant that nothing but the most unremitting attention and the firmest hand can mitigate the bad effect of changes in the lower grades.

9. *Land Revenue, &c.* (*Para.* 68).—The difference in the character of the sub-infeudation of the land tenure between Dacca and Furreedpore is remarkable in two neighbouring districts. In the former it is an extreme case to find two middlemen between the zemindar and the cultivator, while in the latter five are common, and in some zemindaries the number reaches seven. Backergunge is much broken up into petty holdings.

Partition cases are found very tedious in this division. His Honor has no doubt that some measures to facilitate their more efficient disposal are very greatly required in both the Backergunge and Mymensingh districts.

The Lieutenant-Governor will be prepared, with reference to paragraph 240 of Mr. Andrews' report, to consider any proposal that the Commissioner may wish to submit for the erection of boundary pillars to facilitate the identification of boundaries in lands which are subject to the action of the river.

10. *Excise.*—The Lieutenant-Governor requests that the Commissioner will make inquiries as to the ground on which the number of licensed shops for the sale of country spirits and imported liquors was allowed to be increased in the Atteah sub-division.* A report on the subject should be submitted to the Board of Revenue, in which it should be especially explained what consideration was given to the question before the new shops were licensed; at what distances they are separated from older licensed shops; whether it was ascertained, and if so, how it was ascertained that these new shops were required; and whether any attempt was made to find out whether the opening of these shops was generally considered unobjectionable in the neighbourhood.

* Paragraphs 220 and 222 of Mr. Andrews' report.

11. *Communications* (*Paras.* 78 *to* 83).—The Lieutenant-Governor quite agrees with the Commissioner that development of water communication is what is most required in the Dacca division, and His Honor is very glad to see the hearty interest in the subject taken by the Dacca road cess committee and by others.

The postal department will be furnished with a copy of paragraph 280 of Mr. Andrews' report, in which he suggests the opening out of a postal route from Atteah to Dacca *viâ* Manickgunge, instead of as at present *viâ* Mymensingh.

12. *Municipal and other Committees* (*Paras.* 86 *to* 88).—The interest taken by the local committees in educational matters is in striking contrast to the lamentable want of interest exhibited in regard to municipal matters. The Lieutenant-Governor hopes that officers will not be discouraged, but will persevere in their endeavours to interest the people in their own affairs

13. *Statistics* —The Lieutenant-Governor observes that Mr. Abercrombie has not noticed the collection of statistics which is going on in the division, and which is alluded to in the district and sub-divisional reports. His Honor begs the Commissioner will not omit this most important matter on the next occasion, and trusts that full attention is being given to it.

The results of Mr. Andrews' educational census (paragraph 48 of the report of the Collector of Mymensingh) of fifteen villages of the sub-division of Atteah, with a population of 16,991 inhabitants, are interesting. 1,516* persons of this population could read, write, and keep simple accounts. The fact that 20·6 per cent. of the adult males, and that 8 9 per cent. of the total population, are in possession of the rudiments of education in so backward a district as Mymensingh, is gratifying, and bears out the statement that education is not so rare in this district as in some other parts of the country. According to Mr. Woodrow's census in the Diamond Harbour sub-division of the 24-Pergunnahs, it was found that only $4\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. of the population could read, write, and count. And in Busseerhaut, among the Mahomedan villages only 3 per cent., and among Hindoo villages 14 per cent. were educated. In the Chooadangah sub-division of Nuddea it was ascertained that out of the whole population only $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. could read and write, while out of the adult male population $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. had this much education. It appears, moreover, in Atteah, that 61 women out of 5,272 are more or less educated, while in the Diamond Harbour tract not a single woman could read or write, and in Busseerhaut only six women out of 17,407.

	Total	Lducated
* Men	5,830	1,205
Women	6,272	61
Boys	2,824	245
Girls	2,065	5
Total	16,991	1,516

The Lieutenant-Governor would wish for a fuller report upon the educational census taken at Atteah, showing in some detail the classes of the community that were enumerated.

14. The Lieutenant-Governor is much indebted to Mr. Abercrombie for his clear and candid account of the qualities of his officers.

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Extract from a letter from A. ABERCROMBIE, ESQ., Officiating Commissioner of Dacca, to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department, No. 465, dated Dacca, the 12th July 1878

PUBLIC HEALTH.

PARA. 29.—The material condition of the people is without doubt greatly improved as compared with what it was only a few years back. I speak now of the great mass of the people of the country, who either grow the bulk of their own food, tilling the land themselves, or else have land which they get cultivated for them on different kinds of agreement. Immense sums of money now come into the mofussil for payment of purchases of country produce, of which a fair share no doubt sticks to the fingers of aratdars and dolals and beparies, through whose hands it passes on its way from the exporting merchant to the

cultivators; but still there is no doubt that a good share of it reaches the cultivator, else there never would have been the enormous increase in the crop of jute which was witnessed last season.

30. Respecting the agricultural class of the inhabitants of Eastern Bengal, there can be no reasonable doubt that they are in a condition of continually increasing comfort and independence.

31. The class who are most pinched are those of the higher classes, who have a fixed income,—say from a talook which they have given to some one on a fixed rent, or from employment in lower grades of Government service. They have to pay considerably higher prices now than formerly for servants for any work,—rebuilding a house, &c., and also for every necessary, except perhaps rice and salt. The increase of the excise revenue is probably a sure indication of the increasing wealth of the lower orders of the people; and the increased use of stamps and of the registration office would also seem to be sure signs of increasing comfort and independence. Mr. Beveridge is a little doubtful about the condition of the people. He has the following passage under this head, which I extract as being certainly original:—

"Natives of the better classes have often been reproached with shutting up their women and not educating them; but I confess that if native ladies were to come out in public, I do not see how their parents or husbands could afford to pay for the increased cost of their clothing. Increase in luxuries, or, what is often the same thing, improvement in civilization, generally involves increase in expenditure; and in my humble apprehension the great obstacle to a heightening the standard of comfort in this country is the poverty of the inhabitants. Probably the Malthusian doctrine will eventually be found to be the chief specific for the evils of Bengal, and I hope that if native communes and municipalities are ever established in the mofussil, they will be allowed to impose taxes on early marriages and on the possession of more than one or two children."

EMIGRATION, &C.

32. Emigration from this division is unknown, and immigration may be said to be confined to the tea gardens. Last year 4,583 imported coolies were landed in Cachar. There is a small flow of emigration from Sylhet to Cachar, and it is expected that this will increase; but it is entirely a spontaneous affair; the people go of their own accord and take up and clear waste land for themselves, but as yet their numbers are quite insignificant.

33. Sylhet people used also to come down annually and work during the manufacturing season at the indigo concerns of Dacca and Mymensing, but these are nearly all shut now. Sylhet people also go in considerable numbers to Akyab and work at loading rice into ships, but they stay only a short time.

PRICE OF FOOD AND LABOUR.

34. In Dacca rice, which is the staple article of food, has averaged five seers in the rupee, or Rs. 1-6 cheaper, but labour has not fallen at all.

In Furreedpore both food and labour have been slightly dearer.

In Backergunge rice was little cheaper, and the other articles of food were nearly the same as they were in the preceding year. There was no perceptible increase or decrease in the wages of labour.

Mymensing rice was averaged at 32 seers per rupee, and food generally cheap. Sylhet rice cheap. The crop of the previous year had been very large, and much of it had been held by the ryots in hope of better prices; but with a second good season all hope of this vanished, and the ryots had to sell for what they could get. Cachar, food cheaper in consequence of abundant crop. Labour excessively dear.

35. All the salt consumed in the division is Liverpool, and it is very remarkable that distance of transport from Calcutta seems to make no difference in the price to the consumer.

36. Food generally has been more abundant and cheaper than last year, but labour is no cheaper, nor can I see any ground for supposing it ever will be; all the labour, or nearly all that is required for the business which is being

every day developed by European capital and enterprise in this division, has to be got from other parts of the country.

MANUFACTURES.

37. There is no manufacture on a wholesale scale in this division except tea and two indigo concerns. There is a considerable quantity of coarse cloth for use by the lower orders made in all the districts; it is considered more durable than Manchester cloths. A considerable quantity of date sugar is made in Furreedpore, and it is in sufficient quantities to be exported from the district. In the island of Dukinshahbazpore and the south of Backergunge cocoanut-oil is made and exported to Chittagong and Calcutta. There is also a considerable trade in iron and brass implements and vessels of local manufacture. There is also some lacdye manufactured here, and soap, known in the market as Dacca soap; finer cloths, also muslin and kasheeda (cotton cloth embroidered). This is chiefly exported to Arabia. A considerable quantity of gold and silver ornaments is exported to Calcutta. Lime in large quantities comes from Sylhet, but it is the produce of the Khasi Hills.

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

38. The principal exports of the division are jute, tea, rice, hides, safflower, betel-nuts, oil-seeds, cocoanut-oil, sugar (coarse goor), dried fish, lime, oranges, stick-lac, India-rubber, cloths (cotton), and Dacca cheese and soap.

39. Imports are English piece-goods and cotton twist, hardwares, spices, tobacco, ganja, salt, opium, and fermented liquors; cattle which come from Dinagepore chiefly, and tobacco from Rungpore.

40. Reliable information as to the exact values of exports and imports is not to be had, and I should only mislead if I attempted to give any estimate of the value of the one with reference to the other. This much, however, is a matter of certainty, that the exports are largely in excess of the imports in money value, and vast quantities of silver are paid to the cultivators and petty traders residing in this division, of which a very large proportion is converted into ornaments or buried and is lost to circulation. During the last year the market value of jute went down about 50 per cent.; other things much as before. This year safflower has fallen immensely, but there seems to be an unwillingness on the part of some known buyers to touch it at all.

Timber sold well last year, the supply not being equal to the demand.

The local money market was rather dull, being considerably affected by the fall in the price of jute.

PUBLIC OPINION ON GENERAL OR SPECIAL SUBJECTS.

41. With regard to public opinion on general or special subjects, it is very difficult to state with precision what this is; and perhaps it would not be far wrong to say that no such thing exists, or can be, until some portion of the people, sufficiently numerous to give some importance to their opinion, shall have learned to read and write in the vulgar tongue. At present the persons who consider that their views should be received as the public opinion of the country, are a handful of men who have been educated chiefly at the cost of the public, and crammed with Shakespeare and Chaucer, till they seem ashamed to be acquainted with Bengali. Perhaps the subjects which might most have been expected to excite public opinion in this country are the new Criminal Procedure Code, the Road Cess Act, the abolition of the income tax, and the changes made with reference to the distribution of the grant for education. But as yet we have heard but little about the most important change introduced by the new Procedure Code,—the wide employment of Honorary Magistrates. This has not been long in operation in this division, the officers generally being very sceptical about getting proper men for the work, and anxious not to name men who might afterwards not reflect credit on their selection. The majority of people will ask—Why should a man leave his home and go ten or twelve miles when it is perhaps inconvenient to sit with a Magistrate and do work which he has always thought the Magistrate did very well by himself? Change is usually objected to in this country, and we shall have to keep the Bench system at work for some time before we can

expect to get any real opinion of the people about it. The income tax had got to be a tax on so few people that there were no fire-works or illuminations on account of its abolition. Indeed, it affected last year so few natives of India who had not the opportunity of recouping themselves in great part, at least by passing on the tax to their tenants, that its abolition was no matter of great consequence to them, and many most likely have forgotten to discontinue the collection of it.

42. The Road Cess Act was looked upon with some favour by a section, who thought it would be the means of enabling them to recover rights which they had been unable to enforce in respect of land in the wrongful occupation of parties who had no title. The bulk of the people have probably no very correct idea of the objects and reasons for the introduction of the measure. Many must, however, have become acquainted with the practical working of the Act, for it was confidently rumoured last year that zemindars who are pretty strong in their own property were collecting at the rate of three pice. No complaint, however, of any sort reached any official, nor have I heard from any individual whose opinion I thought worth asking any expression of dissatisfaction. The only doubt about it ever expressed to me was, "Will the money be spent in the district? We never saw anything of that 1 per cent. out of the first ·4 per cent. income tax."

43 The grant for primary education has been worked with the utmost cordiality and zeal by every officer, and it has no doubt been well received by the people generally; but I do not think the majority of them ever expected, or now wish, that the sons and daughters of the fishermen and the cultivators of the field should be educated *en masse*. All men see how under existing laws and policy the bunya is usurping the seat of the Brahmin, and the money-lenders ousting the ancient families out of their possessions; and they have a strong idea that as the ryots are already become much more untractable than formerly, so they would only become wholly unmanageable and refuse to pay anything without knowing the reason why if they are taken in hand and educated. In most of the districts, I believe, that a considerable majority of the pupils we have got in the new primary schools would have had some education; not probably so complete as they will now get, but they would not have grown up wholly uninstructed.

44. Several districts in this division experienced a little excitement by the withdrawal of Mr. J. P. Wise from his connection with the country, and I am not sure that trouble may not be in store. The property was sold in such large blocks that no one could buy them single handed, and small companies of six and eight were formed, who did not delay long to begin quarrelling.

45. A massacre in the Garo Hills, too, furnished Mymensing with a little excitement, which resulted in an expedition and the submission of all the tribes, but there was no massacre of people of the plains last year. The expedition in the cold weather, 1871-72, into Lushai land seems to have produced a feeling of security which bids fair to continue. The success with which the survey party got through their arduous task this season shows, I think, that there is a public feeling among the Lushais which might be made much good use of and all the more the sooner it is done.

46. The state of feeling between ryots and zemindars is gradually attracting attention in several places from the frequency of violent collisions. Last year there was the difficulty at Tooshkhally, which had been commenced the previous year. Then there have been disputes on the Megna in Dacca, lately Mr. Wise's property, and now I hear of increased number of suits in the civil court. Suits in court of course we seek not to prevent, but the violent collisions between combinations of ryots and their landlords' lattials, and the fire raisings by which the ryots on strike seek to hinder any from siding with the landlord, are subjects which will have to be considered seriously before long. The plan of operations is simple. When a village has gone on strike, the landlord singles out a few of the leading men and bribes them to his side, with a false measurement, with a null of length greater than that used in the village, or he throws in a few beegahs of land into his pottah under the denomination of "kyfeut" or "hajut" or "oozoree" or some other fancy name. These men

then go to court ready to swear anything against the men on strike, and in a day or two some of them find their houses burnt down about their ears.

PRESS.

47. The press has just as much influence as a press in its infancy, and in a country where only a very small fraction of the people can read would be expected to have. The circulation in the mofussil is small, the principal readers being amlah and people who make their daily bread in Government schools or offices and public courts. The tone is generally not unfair, though sometimes we are treated with an article for which without doubt the editor should be put in the pillory. A schedule of the papers published in the division is given in the margin. There is only one published in Mymensing (printed in Dacca); its subscription is Rs. 1-4 per annum, which perhaps explains its being taken in by a good many zemindars. The district officer observes that its articles are as heavy as its subscription is small, and he thinks it is more subscribed for than read.

Dacca.

"Bengal Times."
"Dacca Prokash."
"Hindoo Hitoishini."
"Shoobho Shadini."
"Mettro Prokash."
"Bhurrut Bandhub."
"Arijo Dhurma Prokashica."
"Bungo Bundhoo."
"Sanskrit Sonjiba."

Backergunge.

"Hithshadhinee."
"Bungo Durpun."
"Parimul Bahinee."
"Burrisaul Bartabaha."
"Gram Doot."
"Bala Runjeeka"

Mymensing.

"iggapunee."

"It contains articles on religious questions (tenets orthodox old Hindoo), explanations of the Vedas and Bhagavod Gita, a column of middle-aged news, and generally a moral poem, of which the sentiments are excellent and the literary merit very small, entirely free from scurrilous personalities." It may be said of all these that they convey but little instruction to their subscribers, and rather less profit to their proprietors.

ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES.

48. One of the most important of the administrative changes which have been made lately has been the transfer of the rent-suits to the civil court, and this does not seem to have given satisfaction as yet. The complaint is that suitors get more law and less rent, which is what they go for, and that it takes longer to get a decision and costs more.

49. The centralisation of more power and responsibility in the hands of the district officer has undoubtedly been productive of good results in some instances, but its success depends much on the possession of certain qualities by the head of the family. If he be happy enough to possess these, all will go well; his official household will be happy and contented, and work will be well done. But if it happens that he wants these qualities, whether from accident of birth or want of proper early training, then the whole hitherto united (happy) official family goes on strike together, and we have explanations and recriminations countless in number and endless in length.

50. Under the new Procedure Code arrangements have been made to give subordinate officers local limits within which to exercise their powers,—one, two, or three thannahs to each, according to circumstances; but the success of this plan is somewhat marred by the frequent changes which are found inevitable in consequence of now a man being transferred, then some one takes leave, a couple of men are urgently required for settlements, and arrangement must be made for the treasury; one gets dengue and another breaks his head, and so it goes on—always some change to be provided for.

51. The system of settling khas mehals with resident ryots has been introduced when it was found practicable, but in the islands and churs of the large rivers which intersect this division, there are objections to this form of settlement which do not apply to other parts of the country or to some parts of these districts. Except in some very old churs, the ryots usually bear in mind the possibility of having to flit at an early date, either in consequence of the chur dissolving beneath them or a deposit of sand spoiling it for a year or two; and when any of these seemed likely to occur, our resident ryot would make a midnight flitting of it with as much rent as he could gather, and leave us to find out where he had gone as best we might.

MODEL FARMS.

52. In Dacca we have a small experimental farm for jute, and several varieties have been sown, especially some which appeared to be most likely to come up to what Mr. Burnett said was the sort of article they chiefly wish for at Dundee. The season was not favorable for us at all, as the rains have been so late and so scanty that we had much trouble in getting the land ploughed and prepared for sowing. Some of the samples of the seed have come up even and well, but some which were sent us by the Jute Commissioners did not germinate very well.

53. At Jamalpore an arrangement has been made to work a model farm by which the cost to Government will be limited to the rent. The land is a Government estate—the old cantonment, some 600 beegahs ; of which the farmers agree to find us ryots to cultivate 200 beegahs any fashion, and with any seed we choose to give. We get rent at the usual rate on the 400 beegahs, and forego it on 200 beegahs. The crop on the 200 to belong to the cultivator, but to be at our disposal if we want to buy it for seed.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 27th September 1873.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
BENGAL.						
	Western Districts.	1873.				
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan	Sep. 30th	Nil	Hot. No rain in district except at Boodbood.	Crops fair, but more rain wanted.	Fever prevalent.
2	Bancoorah	„ 27th	Nil	Warm and dry	The winter paddy on the high lands is suffering from want of rain. The early paddy is being reaped in places Other crops, such as pulses, til (oil seed) and sugarcane are doing fairly.	
3	Beerbhoom	„ 27th	0·1	Hot and bright	Want of rain much felt, especially in the high lands If the present dry weather continues much longer, the rice crop will suffer materially	
4	Midnapore	„ 27th	0·01	Rain wanted	Crops will be very good if rain falls soon.	
5	Hooghly	„ 27th	Nil	Dry and hot; there has been no rain for twelve days.	The prospects of the crops are middling, but rain is wanted.	
	Howrah	.. .	... ..	.....	.....	Return not received.
	Central Districts.					
PRESIDENCY DIVISION. 6	24-Pergunnahs	„ 30th	0·07	Dry and hot, with occasional scanty showers	The prospects of the crops are very favorable. More rain wanted in Baraset for the late rice.	
7	Nuddea	„ 27th	0·41	Dry, and in the middle of the day hot.	The early rice has now generally been harvested, and the outturn is good Rain is much wanted for the late rice The rivers are rising a little, but not so much as would be desirable	The public health is unusually good.
8	Jessore	„ 27th	0 04	Unusually bright, sunny and warm. Wind generally from south-east	The want of rain is being felt in some places, but the prospects are generally good Ploughing going on for winter crops.	
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION. 9	Moorshedabad	„ 27th	Nil.	Extremely hot; not a drop of rain in the sudder sub-division; very little elsewhere.	The harvest of early rice not completed. Late rice is suffering very badly from want of rain. Cold weather crops are being sown.	
10	Dinagepore	„ 27th	Nil	A few showers only have fallen during the week, but from appearances there must have been heavier rain in places.	The rice crop urgently requires more rain, and without it must be a very bad one indeed.	
11	Maldah	„ 27th	Nil	Hot and dry	With the exception of the crops in thannahs Khurbah and Nowabgunge, the prospects of the crops are bad. The early rice crop is being reaped.	
12	Rajshahye	„ 27th	Nil	There has been no rain throughout the district during the week	The prospects of the transplanted rice are very unfavorable. The early rice is being harvested Til, oilseed, tobacco and pulses are now being sown.	A few cases of small-pox reported from Nattore.
13	Rungpore	.. .	... ..	. .	.....	Return not received.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
RAJSHAHYE DIVN. 14	Bograh ..	Sept. 27th	Nil.	Very dry and hot ...	The cutting of the early rice crop nearly completed. The late rice suffering from want of rain; a very poor yield is anticipated.	
15	Pubna ...	„ 27th	1·05	Weather hot, with one shower of rain.	The prospect of the late rice and (til) oilseed crop fair only; the jute crop is moderately good.	
COOCH BEHAR DIVN. 16	Darjeeling ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	Return not received.
17	Julpigoree ..	„ 27th	7·38	Damp and chilly ...	There was sufficient rainfall during the week, but the prospects of the crops are as reported last week.	
	Cooch Behar ..	„ 27th	3·01	Fine and cloudy; heavy showers on the night of the 23rd, 24th and 25th instant.	Same as on the last week; favorable.	
	Eastern Districts.					
DACCA DIVISION. 18	Dacca ..	„ 30th*	0·25	Weather hot and dry ...	Rain much wanted for the crops.	Fever reported from Mancekgunge sub-division.
19	Furreedpore ...	„ 27th	0·90	Bright and strong sun shine during the day; hot and close at night, attended with heavy dew.	The jute crop, excepting from the very low lands, has been reaped and prepared. Sugar-cane being reaped and manufactured. The late rice crop in beels and low lands promises well, and on the high lands it is poor owing to want of rain. and would cause some distress. Price of rice already gone up. Rivers rapidly and daily falling.	
20	Backergunge ..	„ 27th	2·71	Close; sun very powerful	Good.	
21	Mymensing ...	„ 27th	1·97	Hot weather, with occasional showers. Rain at the sudder station on three days of the week.	There has not been sufficient rain for the late rice, and the harvest will be a poor one.	
22	Sylhet ...	„ 20th	2·98	Cool and showery ..	The late rice crop is good and promises very well, if only it rains a little more. The cry all over the district is for more rain.	
23	Cachar ...	„ 20th	3·77	Cloudy, with rain ..	More rain wanted for both tea and rice, especially the latter.	
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 24	Chittagong ...	„ 20th	0·76	Fine till the 20th instant, when there was a heavy rain.	Generally fair. The damage done to crops by high tides at Kutubdia and Moiscal reported last week would amount to from 6 to 10 annas. The villages on main land have also suffered in places. Rain would sweeten the tanks, but the rice is past help.	
25	Noakhally ..	„ 20th	3·98	Partly clear and partly rainy and cloudy.	Transplanting of the late rice not yet completed.	
26	Tipperah ...	„ 27th	0·76	Very great heat; very little rain.	Rain wanted now in most parts of the district. It is feared that the winter rice crop in the north will be a scanty one.	
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts	„ 20th	1·25	The whole week has been cool and pleasant owing to occasional falls of rain and light breezes.	The prospects of both the paddy and cotton crops are good. The latter in flower. The early paddy crop has nearly been gathered.	
	Hill Tipperah ..	„ 20th	1·68	Light rain; weather cloudy and very warm.	Fair.	

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BEHAR.		1873.				
PATNA DIVISION. 28	Patna ..	Sep. 30th	Nil	Hot, apparently no chance of rain.	Condition of crops more favorable than expected, but rain much wanted.	Health good. Cholera almost disappeared.
29	Gya ...	„ 27th	Nil	Cool	Rain very much required.	
30	Shahabad ..	„ 27th	Nil	Clear; hot sun; west wind; no appearance of rain.	Early crop nearly all cut and gathered. This continued drought is doing serious damage to the broadcast and transplanted rice, and great fears are entertained regarding the crops. Unless rain falls very soon the crop will fail, except where it can be kept alive by irrigation. Prices rising.	
31	Tirhoot ..	„ 27th	0 95	Excessively hot and sometimes cloudy.	Very little rain fell during the week. Rice is very backward (Murwah,) &c, millets, which had not got into grain before the drought, will yield hardly anything Rain is much wanted. Indigo second cutting has been damaged. Early crop is being gathered, and an 8 annas crop is expected.	Cholera abated.
32	Sarun ..	„ 27th	Nil	Hot and clear; east and west winds.	The harvesting of the early crops is completed. Manufacture of Indigo going on Rain is much wanted every where for the winter rice crops.	Cholera decreasing
33	Chumparun ..	„ 27th	Nil	Hot days and cool nights West winds prevailing.	The early crops are drying up for want of moisture. Rain urgently required for the paddy.	Cholera decreasing in the south of the district.
BHAUGULPORE DIVISION. 34	Monghyr ..	„ 27th	Nil	The oldest inhabitant cannot recollect so dry a season. The glass appears at "set fair."	Rain is much wanted for the rice.	
35	Bhaugulpore ..	„ 30th*	0·07	Cloudless, with dry west winds to 28th. Every appearance of rain afterwards.	Rice crop suffering from the wind and want of rain.	General health very good.
36	Purneah ...	„ 27th	0·87	The rains seem to be over. Cool and foggy mornings followed by hot days.	The winter rice crop has failed everywhere, and prices are rising.	
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs .	„ 27th	0 02	Very hot and dry; rain only nominal throughout the district.	Uneasiness being felt at the apparent early cessation of the rains. All high land rice will suffer much if rain does not soon fall.	
ORISSA.						
ORISSA DIVISION. 38	Cuttack ..	„ 30th*	0·92	Very little rain in the interior. Weather excessively hot.	Rain very much wanted for the late rice crop. Outturn of the early crop good.	Public health fair.
39	Pooree ...	„ 20th	5·50	Fair, with good rainfall.	The weeding and transplanting operations in the late rice fields of Pergunnahs Chowbiskood, Malood, Bajrakat, &c, are still going on The young late rice plants of Pergunnahs Serai, &c., are thriving. The early crop is being harvested in Pergunnahs Rohong, Serai, Kotrahang, Lembai and others. The prospects of cold weather crops continue favorable. In Khoordah the state of the crops is favorable.	
40	Balasore ...	„ 27th	A few drops on Thursday.	Very close .	The present week has been marked by an almost complete cessation of rain, but the rice has not yet suffered.	

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CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-West Frontier Agency.	1873.				
41	Hazareebaugh ..	Sep. 27th	Nil	Bright sunshine ..	Up to the present everything has prospered as regards the paddy, but the weather has a fixed look about it More rain is needed for the paddy crop	
42	Lohardugga .	„ 27th	Nil	Bright and clear, with westerly winds.	The prospect of the rice crop still continues favorable, though more rain is required In Palamow, ploughing for the winter crop is proceeding vigorously	
43	Singbhoom .	„ 20th	2·87	The greater part of the week has been blazing hot An abundant shower of rain during one day.	Generally good, but more rain wanted, and soon. Gora dhan all but reaped.	A good deal of fever about.
44	Maunbhoom .	„ 27th	Nil.	Very unfavorable .	Crops on high lands are all suffering for want of rain, and unless some falls during the next few days this will all fail. The crops on low lands still doing well.	Health good.
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.						
45	Goalparah .	„ 20th	0 68	Weather hot and close, though occasionally cloudy and showery.	The state of crops good; more rain is wanted.	
46	Kamroop ..	„ 29th*	1 80	Clear, hot days and cool nights.	The late or winter rice, sugar-cane pulses, tea and cotton progressing favorably.	Public health good.
47	Durrung .	„ 20th	1·76	Temperature moderately high, little breeze of variable direction; fogs in the mornings; rain falling in short heavy showers. Fair rainfall in the Head-Quarters and Mungledye sub-divisions.	Crops improving. Tea doing well.	Cholera abating in Mungledye. Public health improving generally.
48	Nowgong ..	„ 20th	0 53	Not much rain during the week, but the weather has been cool, with strong winds and light showers.	Late rice crops doing fairly well. Tea operations very satisfactory.	No cholera or cattle murrain; a great deal of low fever and influenza present.
49	Seebsaugor ..	„ 20th	2 27	Cloudy. .	Since the last report some rain has fallen, but the showers were very partial. In Jorehaut there is still a great scarcity of rain, and the crop in that part of the district will be short unless it rains soon.	
50	Luckimpore ..	„ 20th	2 72	The week, with the exception of two days, was felt very hot, and rain was much needed	Rain has come, and the crops will be the better of it.	Fever and bowel complaint about the district.
51	Naga Hills ..	„ 13th	0 61	Cool and pleasant all over the district.	The cutting of the joom paddy is being proceeded with; outturn pretty good Cotton crop promises well	
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills	„ 20th	3·22	Heavy showers of rain have prevailed, and weather getting sensibly colder	In the lower hills in parts of the country the harvest of the early crop has commenced. The late paddy is looking vigorous, and other crops doing well. The winter potatoe cultivation is also progressing, and the plants in many places are above ground and looking healthy.	
53	Garo Hills ..	„ 20th	·69	There has been less rain than in the previous week; a heavy shower on the morning of the 20th, but not of long duration; whole day cloudy.	The cotton crop still promises well.	

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The 30th September 1873.

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 21st to 27th Sept. 1873.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. * Velocity	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Calcutta.	Sept. 21st	10	29·710	29·728	88·5	83·0	78	S W	...	...	C, CS	
		16	29·610	29·628	88·8	81·5	72	W	...	..	S	b
	22nd	10	29·682	29·700	87·8	79·2	67	W by S	...	..	.....	
		16	29·583	29·606	91·5	80·5	60	W		...	K	b
	23rd	10	29·684	29·702	88·5	81·5	72	N W	...	...	.. ...	
		16	29·604	29·622	89·2	82·0	73	W	...	...	K	
	24th	10	29·733	29·751	89·5	80·6	66	N W	...	...	C	
		16	29·635	29·653	91·5	81·4	63	S W	...	...	SN	
	25th	10	29·756	29·774	87·5	82·0	78	S W	...	...	CK	
		16	29·659	29·677	84·5	80·7	83	S S W	...	...	S	
	26th	10	29·771	29·789	88·0	81·2	72	S S W	..	..	CK	
		16	29·669	29·687	92·0	81·5	61	S W	.	...	K	b
	27th	10	29·791	29·809	88·2	81·7	70	S W	...	...	.....	
		16	29·667	29·685	92·3	81·3	60	W	..	...	C	
Saugor Island.	Sept. 21st	10	29·737	29·743	86	81	79	W	5·0	...	N	b
		16	29·629	29·635	90	83	73	S W	6·4	.	KS,	b, v
	22nd	10	29·718	29·724	89	82	73	W N W	8·7	...	K	b, m
		16	29·613	29·619	93	83	64	S W	5·5	...	K, S	b, v
	23rd	10	29·711	29·717	89	81	69	N N W	5·8	...	K	b, v
		16	29·617	29·623	92	82	63	N N W	5·8	...	K, S	b
	24th	10	29·740	29·746	90	81	66	N W	7·7	...	C	b, v
		16	29·660	29·666	90	80	63	N W	4·8	...	N	o, v m
	25th	10	29·758	29·746	87	80	72	W N W	7·4	...	N	o, n
		16	29·667	29·673	86	81	79	S	6·8	...	K, S	b, v
	26th	10	29·798	29·804	88	82	76	S W	8·9	..	C, CK	b, v
		16	29·691	29·697	89	81	69	S W	15·3	...	K S,	b, v
	27th	10	29·818	29·824	88	84	83	S W	10·5	...	N	b
		16	29·699	29·705	89	82	73	S W	11·3	...	N	
Chittagong.	Sept. 21st	10	29·710	29·801	88	82	76	E S E	7·4	...	K, KS	b, v
		16	29·585	29·676	88	82	76	S W	7·9	..	K	b, v
	22nd	10	29·648	29·740	86	81	79	N W	2·9	...	K	b, v
		16	29·544	29·635	89	81	69	W	5·3	...	K	b, v
	23rd	10	29·628	29·720	86	81	79	E	2·7	...	K, KS	b, v
		16	29·547	29·638	89	82	73	W S W	5·4	..	K	b, v
	24th	10	29·7 3	29·825	86	80	75	S E	4·1	..	C.K K	b, v
		16	29·623	29·714	88	82	76	S W	8·2	.	K, C	v
	25th	10	29·743	29·835	83	78	78	E S E	5·5	0·20	CK, KS, K	n
		16	29·633	29·726	82	78	82	S E	11·0	0·10	KS.	n
	26th	10	29·763	29·855	83	80	87	E S E	3·0	0·50	K, KS	n
		16	29·660	29·752	84	79	79	S W	8·0	...	K, KS	v
	27th	10	29·787	29·879	83	80	87	E S E	5·1	0·60	K, KS	b, v
		16	29·660	29·752	84	79	79	S	7·9	..	K, C	
Madras.	Sept. 20th	10	29·862	29·892	87	78	65	S by W	6	...	.....	c
		16	29·716	29·746	87	79	68	S E	11	...	.....	b c
	21st	10	29·810	29·840	86	78	68	E	7	0·18	.....	b c
		16	29·708	29·738	86	78	63	S E by E	8	...	. . ..	b c
	22nd	10	29·823	29·853	81	76	68	S S W	9	1·26	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·678	29·708	86	79	72	E S E	8	.	.....	cloudy.
	23rd	10	29·837	29·867	83	77	75	W S W	14	0·67	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·687	29·717	91	76	47	S W	10		.....	b c
	24th	10	29·847	29·877	84	76	67	S W	6	...	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·719	29·749	88	79	65	S W by W	7	..	.....	cloudy.
	25th	10	29·870	29·900	79	75	82	W S W	5	..	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·754	29·784	84	76	67	S W	1	0·01	.....	cloudy.
	26th	10	29·876	29·906	86	78	68	S W	11	...	..	c
		16	29·746	29·776	85	78	71	S E	10	...	.....	c
Cuttack.	Sept. 21st	10	29·673	29·755	88	80	69	N W	1·0	...	C,	b
		16	29·573	29·654	92	79	54	N W	3·3	...	C, K	b
	22nd	10	29·653	29·735	89	79	62	S W S	0·9	...	.....	b
		16	29·540	29·621	93	79	51	W N W	2·7	...	C, K	b
	23rd	10	29·650	29·732	89	79	62	W S W	1·2		C	b
		16	29·556	29·637	90	78	56	W	2·4	...	C, K	b
	24th	10	29·690	29·771	90	79	59	W S W	0·7	...	C	u
		16	29·576	29·657	92	81	60	W S W	0·2	...	K, N	
	25th	10	29·706	29·788	86	78	68	S W	2·5	...	CK, C	p
		16	29·632	29·715	81	77	82	W S W	2·1		N	b
	26th	10	29·748	29·830	86	77	64	W S W	1·4	0·40	C, CK	b
		16	29·626	29·707	92	79	54	S W	2·4	...	K	
Akyab.	Sept. 21st	10	29·761	29·782	85	80	79	W	2·0	...	.....	b
		6	29·635	29·656	85	81	83	W S W	6·0	...	.. .	b
	22nd	10	29·719	29·740	87	82	79	E	2·3	...	... ..	b
		16	29·597	29·618	88	82	76	W	4·5	.	.....	b
	23rd	10	29·715	29·736	83	81	91	S	2·6		.....	d
		16	29·630	29·651	85	81	83	S	4·5	0·20	.....	g
	24th	10	29·794	29·815	83	80	87	S	4·2	0·50	.....	p
		16	29·693	29·715	79	78	95	S	4·5	1·20	.....	r
	25th	10	29·814	29·836	78	77	95	E S E	2·6	3·20	.....	p
		16	29·717	29·739	82	79	87	S W	6·1	0·90	.....	p
	26th	10	29·857	29·879	76	75	95	N	4·0	0·90	... ..	r
		16	29·745	29·767	79	77	90	N W	2·6	...	.....	p
	27th	10	29·856	29·877	85	81	83	E	2·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·737	29·759	82	79	87	S S W	6·3	..	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 27th September 1873.

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Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal.

Abstract of the Results of the Hourly Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, in the month of August 1873.

LATITUDE 22° 33′ 1″ North. Longitude 88° 20′ 34″ East. Height of the cistern of the standard barometer above the sea level, 18·11 feet.

MONTHLY RESULTS.

	Inches.
Mean height of the barometer for the month	29·637
Max. height of the barometer occurred at 10 and 11 A.M. on the 12th ...	29·798
Min. height of the barometer occurred at 4 P.M. on the 29th	29·426
Extreme range of the barometer during the month	0·372
Mean of the daily max. pressures	29·694
Ditto ditto min. ditto	29·574
Mean daily range of the barometer during the month	0·120
	⊖
Mean dry bulb thermometer for the month	83·3
Max. temperature occurred at 2 and 4 P.M. on the 21st and 25th	92·3
Min. temperature occurred at 9 P.M. on the 11th	76·6
Extreme range of the temperature during the month	15·7
Mean of the daily max. temperature	88·3
Ditto ditto min. ditto	80·0
Mean daily range of the temperature during the month	8·3
Mean wet bulb thermometer for the month	80·6
Mean dry bulb thermometer above mean wet bulb thermometer	2·7
Computed mean dew-point for the month	78·7
Mean dry bulb thermometer above computed mean dew-point	4·6
	Inches.
Mean elastic force of vapour for the month	0·961
	Troy grain.
Mean weight of vapour for the month	10·31
Additional weight of vapour required for complete saturation	1·62
Mean degree of humidity for the month, complete saturation being unity ...	0·86
	⊖
Mean max. solar radiation thermometer for the month	139·9
	Inches.
Rained 27 days,—max. fall of rain during 24 hours	1·27
Total amount of rain during the month	10·23
Total amount of rain indicated by the gauge* attached to the anemometer during the month	9·84
Prevailing direction of the wind	S S W & S E.

* Height, 70 feet 10 inches above ground.

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
In charge of the Observatory.

The 24th September 1873.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—IRRIGATION BRANCH.

KHUREEF SEASON 1873-74, COMMENCING ON THE 1ST JUNE 1873.

Irrigation Operations of Lower Bengal during the month of August 1873.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Water supplied during 1873-74. Estimated full discharge in cubic feet per second.	Water supplied during 1873-74. Average discharge in cubic feet per second throughout the month.	Rice irrigation. Area leased on or before the 1st June 1873.	Rice irrigation. Area leased subsequent to the 1st June 1873 and up to the 1st of the month.	Rice irrigation. Area leased during the month.	Rice irrigation. Total area leased up to date (total of columns 6, 7 & 8).	Sugarcane and other perennial crop irrigation. Area leased up to the 1st of the month.	Sugarcane and other perennial crop irrigation. Area leased during the month.	Sugarcane and other perennial crop irrigation. Total area leased up to date (total of columns 10 & 11).	Grand total of area leased up to the end of the month (total of columns 9 & 12).	Grand total of corresponding period of last year.	Rainfall. Inches during month.	Rainfall. Inches during khureef season.	Rainfall. Average of ten previous years for the same period.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Orissa ...	Cuttack ...	Kendraparah ...	1,269	225	2,776	536	206	3,518	42	.....	42	3,560	3,383	11·06	24·84	.....
		High Level ...	675	192	1,202	287	34	1,523	.....	.....	.....	1,523	223			
		Taldundah ...	1,300	198·05	74	9	52	135	22	.....	22	157	29			
		Machgong ...	650	32·34	124	31	26	181	39	.....	39	220	.....			
		Total ...	.....	.....	4,176	863	318	*a* 5,357	103	.....	*b* 103	*c* 5,460	3,635		.....	.....
South-Western ...	Midnapore ...	Midnapore ...	875	168	1,380	10,534	.....	11,914	.....	.....	.....	11,914	8,520	6·59	28·60	.....
	Howrah ...	Panchcoorah ...	240	193	.....	3,223	.....	3,223	.....	.....	.....	3,223	3,556	14·27	41·60	.....
		Total ...	.....	.....	1,380	13,757	.....	*d* 15,137	.....	.....	.....	15,137	12,076	.....	.....	.....
		Grand Total...	.....	.....	5,556	14,620	318	20,494	103	.....	103	20,597	15,711	.....	.....	.....

REMARKS.

a Details of column 9—
At the rate of Re. 1 ... 4,566 acres.
" " Rs. 1-8 ... 791 "
Total ... 5,357

b The details of column 12 are as under—
Sugarcane ... 82 acres.
Huldi ... 10 "
Garden produce ... 11 "
Total ... 103

c In addition to this, 173 acres have been assessed at double rates under Section 14, Act VIII of 1867, B. C.

d The details are—
At the rate of Rs. 1-8 ... 7,109 acres.
" " Rs. 1-12 ... 258 "
" " Rs. 2 ... 5,930 "
" " Rs. 2-4 ... 1,840 "
Total ... 15,137

In addition to this, 478 acres have been assessed for illicit irrigation at Rs. 3 per acre.

The 22nd September 1873.

H. W. GULLIVER, *Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,*
Offg. Joint-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.—BRAHMINEE DIVISION.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Kendraparah Canal for the month of August 1873.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Maunds.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.
7	Paddy ...	517	1,034	38	601	10 2 0
1	Castor seeds ...	1,267	362	13	208	1 12 0
1	Charcoal ...	42	28	1	16	0 2 0
2	Salt ...	835	167	6	96	0 10 0
3	Jaggery ...	2,990	598	21	464	5 0 0
2	Firewood ...	3	30	1	16	0 10 0
8	Passengers (6 in number.)	...	877	30	712	9 5 10
1	Timbers ...	520	160	6	96	3 0 0
1	Clothes ...	960	48	2	52	0 6 0
4	Gram ...	614	409	15	480	5 4 0
1	Cocoanuts ...	192	128	5	50	1 4 0
1	Stones ...	...	...	...	...	0 8 0
32	Empty ...	...	1,640	58	1,254	22 2 4
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64	...	7,940	5,481	196	4,045	60 2 2
Aug. 1872 57	...	14,311	9,121	324	6,799	57 0 10

TRAFFIC BETWEEN CUTTACK AND SEA BOARD.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Maunds.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.
52	Paddy ...	5,831	11,661	...	...	160 0 0
4	Rice ...	2,029	2,029	...	...	28 14 0
1	Cocoanuts ...	204	136	...	...	1 14 0
1	Dry mangoes	312	156	...	...	2 4 0
6	Black peas ...	2,159	1,727	...	...	24 12 0
14	Spices ...	1,55,980	7,799	...	...	111 0 0
18	Gingelly ...	43,304	10,826	...	...	161 4 0
8	Jaggery ...	5,345	1,069	...	...	14 10 0
3	Horns ...	3,600	360	...	...	4 14 0
15	Passengers (22 in number.)	...	1,662	...	...	22 12 11
2	Raisins ...	1,504	188	...	...	2 4 0
2	Hides ..	13,550	1,356	...	...	20 4 0
1	Furniture ...	106	106	...	...	1 8 0
1	Turmeric ...	1,730	346	...	...	4 14 0
1	Chalk ...	1,323	294	...	...	4 2 0
4	Timbers ...	11,661	3,58[illegible]	...	...	52 8 0
1	Galmets ...	490	490	...	...	7 2 0
12	Gram ...	3,126	2,08[illegible]	...	...	28 14 0
4	Kharee ...	2,455	98[illegible]	...	...	13 14 0
1	Gunny-bags ...	4,704	672	...	...	9 12 0
35	Empty ...	...	5,557	...	...	60 12 0
186	...	2,59,423	53,088	1,896	79,632	738 2 11
166	...	3,71,637	44,638	1,594	66,948	621 5 5

STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Maunds.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
...	LOCAL TRAFFIC					
9	Bricks ...	542	8,667	310	7,420	121 10 0
1	Stones ..	12	780	28	896	7 12 0
1	Mile posts ...	7	209	7	112	1 0 0
5	Empty ...	...	2,166	77	1,008	20 6 0
16	...	561	11,822	422	9,436	150 12 0
24	...	1,845	8,406	299	6,759	64 6 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	THROUGH TRAFFIC.					
1	Plank ..	196	490	...	...	7 2 0
3	Passengers (2 in number.)	...	2,513	...	...	36 13 9
9	Empty ...	...	4,545	...	...	59 14 0
13	...	196	7,548	270	11,340	103 13 9
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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Brahminee Division, High Level Canal, for the month of August 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—37 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Maunds.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
4	Jaggery, &c. ..	610	3,050	868	31	713	8 2 4
2	Salt ..	350	1,750	507	$18\frac{3}{14}$	$615\frac{9}{14}$	7 8 0
2	Cocoanut .	90	135	135	$4\frac{22}{28}$	$138\frac{11}{14}$	1 10 4
4	Rice ...	109	109	162	$5\frac{11}{14}$	$38\frac{13}{14}$	0 11 9
1	Firewood &c.	60	6	127	$4\frac{13}{28}$	$45\frac{5}{14}$	0 10 0
2	Furniture &c.	58	58	93	$3\frac{9}{28}$	$71\frac{1}{7}$	1 2 4
2	Copper ...	50	2,500	150	$5\frac{5}{14}$	$123\frac{3}{14}$	1 6 4
1	Cotton ...	150	1,500	272	$9\frac{2}{7}$	$330\frac{2}{7}$	4 2 8
1	Provisions &c.	15	15	22	$\frac{11}{14}$	$26\frac{2}{7}$	0 4 9
2	Timber ..	...	...	16	$\frac{4}{7}$	$16\frac{4}{7}$	0 3 4
18	Empty ...	...	...	997	$35\frac{17}{28}$	$761\frac{3}{14}$	8 14 7
2	Flower pots...	.	.	16	$\frac{4}{7}$	$16\frac{4}{7}$	0 3 4
4	Passengers ...	..		...	...	...	1 6 7
45		1,492	9,123	3,365	$120\frac{5}{28}$	$2,900\frac{3}{7}$	36 6 4
Aug. 1872 34		1,100	3,451	$2,623\frac{3}{4}$	$93\frac{79}{112}$	$2,062\frac{25}{28}$	24 8 1

STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

Number of boats or rafts	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Maunds.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
4	Firewood ...	1,330	133	2,940	105	1,260	14 8 0
1	Workshop	...	...	810	$28\frac{13}{14}$	$983\frac{4}{7}$	12 0 0
	Stores.						
7	Empty ..	...	...	2,856	102	$2,831\frac{4}{7}$	34 1 1
2	Steamer ...	..	...	2,000	$71\frac{3}{7}$	$2,423\frac{4}{7}$	30 12 0
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14		1,330	133	8,606	$307\frac{6}{14}$	$7,503\frac{1}{7}$	91 5 1
22		620	50	4,844	173	$5,040\frac{1}{2}$	60 5 6

ABSTRACT.

Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats.	Ton mileage	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.			Rs. A. P.
45	Local ...	1,492	9,123	$120\frac{5}{28}$	$2,900\frac{3}{7}$	36 6 4
14	Irrigation Works	1,330	133	$307\frac{6}{14}$	$7,503\frac{6}{7}$	91 5 1
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59		2,822	9,256	$427\frac{15}{28}$	$10,404\frac{1}{7}$	127 11 5
56		1,720	3,501	$266\frac{79}{112}$	$7,103\frac{11}{28}$	84 13 7

The total of corresponding return for August 1872 is given under the totals for this month, and shows an increase of Rs. 42-13-10 on the whole.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Taldundah Canal for the month of August 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—27¼ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC								STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS								ABSTRACT							
Number of boats.	Nature of cargo	Approximate Weight of cargo	Approximate Value of cargo	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats Maunds	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats Tons	Ton mileage	Tollage	Number of boats or rafts	Nature of cargo	Approximate Weight of cargo	Approximate Value of cargo	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Maunds	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats. Tons	Ton mileage	Tollage	Number of boats	Nature of traffic	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic	Tonnage, exclusive of empty boats.	Ton mileage	Tollage	Remarks
		Mds	Rs				Rs. A P			Mds	Rs				Rs A P				Rs			Rs A P	
4	Paddy		600	1,721	61½	276½	4 4 0	2	Lime		88	1,050	37½	37½	2 10 0	65	Local traffic		1,103	765¼	4,586½	57 7 4	During Augt 1872 Rs 12 13 11
2	Sand cut stone		105	1,215	43½	1,185¼	6 1 3	2	Empty			420	15	15	1 0 10	4	Irrign ditto		88	52½	52½	3 10 10	Nil
24	Rubble		225	12,868	459½	1,838	32 2 4																
1	Rice		150	212½	7½	112½	0 8 6																
1	Oil		20	24	1	15	0 1 0																
	3 Timbers		3				0 6 0																
33	Empty			5,389	192¼	1,159¼	13 15 4																
65			1,103	21,429½	765¼	4,586¼	57 7 4	4			88	1 470	52½	52½	3 10 10	69			1,191	817¾	4,639	61 2 2	12 13 11

There has been a considerable increase in the local and irrigation traffic compared with that of the same month of last year.
The flood repairs had not been completed, and there were several breaches during this month last year

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Hidgellee Tidal Canal for the month of August 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—4 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.								ABSTRACT.							Amount of corresponding month in previous year.	REMARKS.
Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE Weight of cargo	APPROXIMATE Value of cargo.	TONNAGE EXCLUSIVE OF EMPTY BOATS Maunds.	TONNAGE EXCLUSIVE OF EMPTY BOATS Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage exclusive of empty boats.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.		
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.			Mds.	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	Water ...	...	...	450	...	...	2 4 0	146	Local	3,158	5,987 0 0	243¾	975	110 10 3	1,503 13 3	The decrease is owing to the canal being closed for the silt excavation. The tolls realized have been from the portions of Ranges Nos. I and II canal. The canal will be re opened to traffic on 7th September. J. S.
1	Miscellaneous .	...	60	40	..	...	0 3 3	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	. ..	
1	Mustard seeds ..	60	270	150	..	...	0 12 0	..	.....	...	.. ...	...		.....	... ..	
2	Tobacco ...	350	2,400	600	...	...	3 0 0	...	.....	...	.... .	...	...	.....	.....	
1	Salt ..	150	600	250	...	...	1 4 0	...	... ..	...	. ...	...	...	.....	.....	
31	Paddy ...	2,571	2,571	4,815	..	...	36 11 6	...	.....	...	... .	...	..	.. ..	.....	
3	Pottery ...	24	6	235	...	..	2 10 3	...	.. ...	...	. ....	...	...	.. ...	.....	
1	Oil cake ..	3	3	30	...	..	0 3 0	...	.....	...	... ..	...	...	... ..	.....	
6	Fishes ...	...	77	255	...	...	2 11 6	..	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	
99	Empty boats ...	...	...	...	...	...	60 14 9	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	
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146		3,158	5,987	6,825	243¾	975	110 10 3	146	Total ...	3,158	5,987 0 0	243¾	975	110 10 3	.....	

N, B.—Tonnage shown above is of the boats not of the cargo.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Midnapore Section of the High Level Canal for the month of August 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—24 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage exclusive of empty boats. Maund.	Tonnage exclusive of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Maunds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
46	Coal	15,200	5,520	30,500	...	...	145 8 0
23	Cotton	3,766	73,220	9,350	...	...	72 6 6
5	Firewood	750	197	1,800	...	...	8 4 6
60	Grain	7,995	13,843	13,950	...	...	96 0 0
12	Hides and horns	1,105	30,700	2,450	...	...	17 1 0
80	Jaggery and sugar	6,885	29,349	18,825	...	...	73 10 0
42	Metal	3,746	91,300	10,625	...	...	44 9 0
230	Miscellaneous	12,505	48,630	45,525	...	...	211 9 0
89	Oil and oil-seeds	15,710	47,746	34,325	...	...	149 8 0
210	Paddy and rice	29,496	43,092	66,125	...	...	254 15 0
46	Piece-goods	633	6[illegible],876	7,475	...	...	29 9 6
36	Thread	1,542	55,128	7,625	...	...	28 9 6
34	Garden produce	2,695	5,557	7,425	...	...	32 2 6
51	Pottery	875	875	9,425	...	..	35 5 6
92	Salt	23,850	91,575	45,950	...	...	235 14 6
25	Silk and indigo	395	1,32,200	4,200	...	...	20 2 6
4	Jute	350	1,150	925	...	...	3 7 6
36	Straw	3,944	1,631	13,775	...	...	51 10 6
47	Tobacco	6,900	43,580	16,325	...	...	85 13 6
6	Tiles	825	683	1,825	...	...	6 13 6
24	Sand	5,895	720	11,425	...	...	42 13 6
3	Rafts of timber...	...	400	Logs 10	...	...	1 4 0
577	Empty boats	...	...	45,525	...	...	197 11 6
996	Passengers	...	...	No. 8908	...	...	102 8 6
	Ditto	...	...	60,625	...	...	399 4 6
	Miscellaneous revenue	...	...	...	...	...	12 13 9
9	Police boats	...	...	...	...	...	.....
2883	Total ...	145,062	7,82,972	3,64,850	13,030	1,24,050	2,359 7 9

ABSTRACT.

Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage, exclusive of emty boats.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Remarks.
			Rs.			Rs. A. P.	
2,883	Local—	145,062	7,82,972	13,030	124,050	2,359 7 9	The toll collections for same month of last year were Rs. 2,029-6-3. The most marked increase is in coal, cotton, oil and oil-seeds, salt, empty and passenger boats.
...	Irrigation Works	...	...	...	.	...	
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2,883	Total ...	1,45,062	7,82,972	13,030	1,24,050	2,359 7 9	

The 24th September 1873.

H. W. GULLIVER, *Lieut.-Col.*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th September 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	95,868	1,17,748 6 0	10,793 12 0	717,055 30	3,06,927 5 3	28,135 0 1	38,928 12 1
Or per mile of railway	.....	91 15 10	8 8 8	.....	239 12 7	21 19 7	30 8 3
For previous 10 weeks of half-year...	9,80,349	11,89,959 11 9	1,09,079 12 10	5,090,656 10	22,47,059 10 6	2,05,980 9 5	3,15,060 2 3
Total for 11 weeks... ...	1,076,217	13,07,708 1 9	1,19,873 4 10	5,807,712 0	25,53,986 15 9	2,34,115 9 6	3,53,988 14 4
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	106,780	1,33,516 2 4	12,238 19 7	432,023 10	2,29,087 10 0	20,999 14 0	33,238 13 7
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	104 5 0	9 11 3	.....	178 15 7	16 8 1	25 19 4
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,032,030	12,24,969 8 10	1,12,288 17 6	4,548,614 10	23,93,475 11 7	2,19,676 18 11	3,31,965 16 5

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th September 1873, on 223½ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	3,142	7,958 14 6	729 11 4	36,387 30	12,071 3 9	1,106 10 7	1,836 1 11
Or per mile of railway	.....	35 9 9	3 5 4	.....	54 0 2	4 19 0	8 4 4
For previous 10 weeks of half-year...	36,330	83,888 6 9	7,689 15 5	318,211 30	96,979 2 6	8,889 15 2	16,579 10 7
Total for 11 weeks... ...	39,472	91,847 5 3	8,419 6 9	354,599 20	1,09,050 6 3	9,996 5 9	18,415 12 6
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,898	10,561 11 5	968 3 2	28,187 20	9,071 11 8	831 11 6	1,798 14 8
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	47 4 1	4 6 8	.....	40 9 5	3 14 5	8 1 1
Total to corresponding date of previous year	44,085	96,667 0 6	8,861 2 11	312,256 20	88,686 13 0	8,129 12 6	16,990 15 5

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th September 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	4,271	735 0 0	73 10 0	18,172 0	657 0 0	65 14 0	139 4 0
Or per mile of railway	153	26 0 0	2 12 0	649 0	25 0 0	2 7 0	4 19 0
For previous 11 weeks of half-year...	45,287	7,799 0 0	779 18 0	200,064 0	6,486 0 0	648 12 0	1,428 10 0
Total for 12 weeks	49,558	8,534 0 0	853 8 0	218,236 0	7,143 0 0	714 6 0	1,567 14 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,762	634 13 6	63 9 8	8,674 18	267 11 0	26 15 5	90 5 1
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	134	22 10 9	2 5 4	309 32	9 9 0	0 19 1	3 4 5
Total to corresponding date of previous year	46,068	8,082 6 9	808 4 10	144,511 32	4,341 6 9	434 2 10	1,242 7 8

NULHATTEE STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th September 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	1,397	975 0 0	97 10 0	5,590 0	543 0 0	54 6 0	151 16 0
Or per mile of railway	51	36 0 0	3 12 0	205 0	20 0 0	2 0 0	5 12 0
For previous 11 weeks of half-year	13,337	10,709 0 0	1,070 18 0	39,768 0	3,721 0 0	372 2 0	1,443 0 0
Total for 12 weeks ...	14,734	11,684 0 0	1,168 8 0	45,358 0	4,264 0 0	426 8 0	1,594 16
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,293	1,020 4 1	102 0 6	7,250 10	603 6 6	60 6 10	162 7 4
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	47	37 7 1	3 14 11	266 6	22 2 4	2 4 3	5 19 2
Total to corresponding date of previous year	14,227	10,248 2 11	1,024 16 4	53,320 26	4,710 1 6	471 0 3	1,495 16 7

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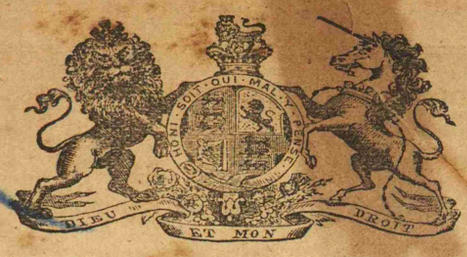

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1412.

GENERAL.—*The 1st October* 1873.—Mr. Ambrose William Bushe Power, Political Agent, Hill Tipperah, is allowed subsidiary leave for a period not exceeding fifteen days, to enable him to join his appointment in Hill Tipperah on his return from leave.

The 4th October 1873.—Major William Henry Joseph Lance, at present Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, is transferred to the Seebsaugor District, for employment on boundary duty.

Major Edmund Yeamans Walcott is appointed to officiate temporarily as Deputy Commissioner of Cachar from the date of Major Lance's departure until Mr. McWilliam's return, or until further orders.

The 6th October 1873.—So much of the notification dated 29th September 1873 as directed that Messrs. W. J. Money, C.S.I., and J. F. Browne, were to continue to officiate in the First Grade of Judges, is cancelled.

So much of the notification of the same date as directed Mr. Francis James Alexander to continue to officiate in the Second Grade of Magistrates and Collectors, is cancelled.

The 7th October 1873.—Mr. Edward Dowdeswell Lockwood is appointed to officiate in the First Grade of Magistrates and Collectors while Mr. J. Beames acts as Commissioner of Orissa.

Mr. Henry Luttman-Johnson to officiate in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors from the date on which Mr. J. Scobell Armstrong took privilege leave.

In continuation of the notification of the 21st July last, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, Captain Archibald Lewis Playfair, Officiating Cantonment Magistrate of Dinapore, is also appointed to have charge of the Dinapore Division of the Patna District.

POLICE.—*The 1st October* 1873.—The following Police promotions are made in the room of the late Major Wynch:—

Mr. Henry Maxwell Reily to be a District Superintendent of Police of the Second Grade.

Mr. Hugh Lloyd Jones, B.A[illegible] District Superintendent of Police of the Third Grade.

Mr. William Dering Pra[illegible] District Superintendent of Police of the Fourth Grade.

Mr. Arthur Hutton Jam[illegible]a District Superintendent of Police of the Fifth Grade.

Lieutenant William Francis [illegible]er to be an Assistant Superintendent of Police of the First Grade.

Mr. Walter Fell Smith to be an Assistant Superintendent of Police of the Second Grade.

Captain Russell Morland Skinner is appointed to officiate in the First Grade of District Superintendents of Police.

Mr. James Cockburn is appointed to officiate in the Second Grade of District Superintendents of Police.

Mr. Colman Patrick Lowis Macaulay, M.A., is appointed to officiate in the Third Grade of District Superintendents of Police during Major C. T. Hitchins' absence on deputation.

Mr. William Victore Bertelsen is appointed to officiate in the First Grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police.

MEDICAL.—*The 23rd September* 1873.—Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Bepin Beharee Dhole, attached to the Endemic Dispensary at Munglecote, is appointed to act as as an Inspecting Medical Officer of Endemic Dispensaries in Beerbhoom.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Baney Madub Doss, doing duty in the Medical College Hospital, to have charge of the Endemic Dispensary at Munglecote.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th October 1873.—In continuation of the notification dated the 8th June 1872, declaring that a settlement should be made of Pergunnah Hendwa, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under Section 9 of the Regulation for the peace and good Government of the Territory known as the Sonthal Pergunnahs, sanctioned by the Governor-General in Council on the 29th April 1872, to declare that a settlement shall be made of the under-mentioned pergunnahs, tuppehs, and talooks (with the exception of such detached villages as are excluded from the operation of the notification issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 478, dated the 12th of March 1872), for the purpose of ascertaining and recording the various interests and rights in the lands :—

ZILLAH BHAUGULPORE:
1. Amba.
2. Sooltanabad.
3. Belputta.
4. Godda.
5. Umloo Mooteah.
6. Pussye.
7. Barkopa.
8. Patsunda.
9. Muniharee.
10. Mundar.
11. Sathearee.

ZILLAH BEERBHOOM:
12. Dhumsyne.
13. Durreen Molissur, such portion thereof as lies north of the Chundun Nuddee.
14. Mohamedabad.
15. Pubhia.
16. Narainpore.
17. Ghattee.
18. Kujra.
19. Bhorechundee.
20. Goomroo.
21. Tessoria, within Tuppeh Kundit Kurayeh.

With reference to the above notification, declaring that a settlement shall be made of twenty-one pergunnahs, tuppehs, and talooks in the Sonthal Pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under Section 10 of the same Regulation, to appoint Mr. Browne Wood, Deputy Commissioner of the Sonthal Pergunnahs, to be the officer by whom the settlement of the said pergunnahs, tuppehs, and talooks, shall be made, and Messrs. J. F. Blumhardt, J. D. White, L. B. Roberts, and J. R. Hand, to be assistant settlement officers to perform such duties as the settlement officer may assign to them.

The Commissioner of the Sonthal Pergunnahs is vested with full control over the proceedings of the officers by way of appeal, and of revision where no appeal may have been preferred. The ultimate power of revision is reserved to the Lieutenant-Governor.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, is republished for general information :—

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 3293.—*Simla, the 25th September* 1873.—*Notifications.—Accounts.*—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be added to Section 4 of the Acting Allowance Code :—

"The full pay of an officer thus appointed substantively for a time only, may in like manner be given to a substitute appointed subtantively for a time only, and such appointment need not disturb the lien on the appointment of the officer in whose place the substitute is appointed."

The following order issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 1033.—*Simla, the 26th September* 1873.—The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

* * * * * *

James Emerson, Bengal Staff Corps,—24th September 1873.

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The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Marine Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 7.—*Simla, the 26th September* 1873.—*Notification.*—The following Notice to Mariners issued by the Government of Bombay, is published for general information :—

Notice to Mariners.

On and after 10th September next, will be exhibited every day from sun-set to sun-rise from the Keeva Hill at Jeytapoor, a white fixed light visible seaward, a distance of 9½ miles in clear weather. The light is on the Dioptric System of the sixth order, and is placed 75 feet above high-water The height of the Lighthouse building from base to vane is 21 feet. This light will not be shown during the south-west monsoon, viz., from 11th June to 9th September inclusive.

Latitude of Lighthouse	.. ..	N. 16° 36′ 10″
Longitude ditto	.. ..	E. 73° 18′ 30″

POONA,
The 14th August 1873.

(Signed) C. PRITCHARD,
Collector of Salt Revenue.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th September 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the authority vested in him for that purpose by Section 35, Act III (B.C.) of 1864, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that, subject to the limitations therein contained, a tax shall, from the 1st April 1874, be imposed upon all carriages, horses, and elephants kept within the limits of the Chittagong Municipality.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd September 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare public the Ferry at Bhelamari on the Brahmaputtra River, where the road leading from Rungpore to the Garo Hills is intersected by the river.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication]

DECLARATION.

The 25th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for the site of the sub-divisional head-quarters at a place called Korigram, in District Rungpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land on what is commonly called "Mudun Beebee's Chur," measuring more or less 800,000 superficial feet, equal to 55 beegahs 11 kattas and 1 chattack, or 18 acres 1 rood and 18 poles, situated in Mouzah Madhubram, Pergunnah Bahirbund, District Rungpore, is required within the aforesaid pergunnah. The boundaries of the land are as follows:—

On the north is the public road and the old bed of the River Dhurla.

On the south is the village Chundalpara.

On the east is the newly formed chur of Dhurla River; and

On the west are the old bed of the Dhurla River and the village Kansareepara.

A plan of the land made by the Executive Engineer of the district has been deposited in the Collector's Office, and is open to inspection there.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication]

DECLARATION.

The 25th September 1873 —Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Police Station and Post Office at Dhamnagar, in the Village of Sampore, Pergunnah Dhamnagar, Zillah Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 3 roods 17 poles of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the jal land of Matawali Mahomed Mazzar Ali; on the south by the arable land of Kanungo Harihar Harichundun; on the east by the waste land of Matawali Mahomed Mazzar Ali; and on the west by the Jogu Sagar tank, is required within the aforesaid Village of Sampore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th September 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare public the Ferry over the River Bhagirathi at Siluri, in the Sub-Division of Cutwa; the Ferry over the River Durkessar at Ekloki, in the Sub-Division of Jehanabad, intersecting the road from Burdwan to Midnapore; and the Ferry over the Khal Sodpur, on the road from Sulkea Ghât to Jehanabad, in the Sub-Division of Jehanabad.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

Rules for the Election of Municipal Commissioners in the Town of Serampore sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor under Section 1 of Bengal Act II of 1873.

1. THERE shall be eighteen municipal commissioners for Serampore, of whom fifteen shall be elected by the rate-payers, and three shall be appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor.

Number of elective commissioners.

2. Any man of full age who is a resident within municipal limits, or within three miles thereof, who is himself a rate-payer, who can read and write, and who has never been convicted of a non-bailable offence, may be proposed for election.

Qualification of candidates.

3. The municipal jurisdiction of Serampore shall be divided intothree quarters or wards, which shall return members as follows:—

In Serampore, with Chattra and Bullubpore	...	9
„ Konnagar	...	3
„ Risherah and Mohesh	...	3
Total	...	15

4. Any two rate-payers may nominate a candidate and may inform the sub-divisional officer of his candidature on any date not later than the 31st November. The sub-divisional officer shall ascertain if the candidate accepts the nomination and is qualified under the rules; and if so, he shall notify

Notice of candidature.

such candidature at the sub-divisional cutcherry, and at one or more police stations and school houses in the town, as he may see fit. Such notification shall state the name, residence, an qualification of the candidate.

Objection against candidates.

5. If any rate-payer object to the eligibility of any candidate, he may on some date not later than the 6th December, notify such objection in writing to the sub-divisional officer, who shall hear and finally decide any question of eligibility. On the 10th December the final list of candidates shall be notified at the sub-divisional cutcherry, and in at least one conspicuous place in each quarter.

Election sub-committee of commissioners.

6. The municipal commissioners shall appoint a sub-committee of three of their number to assist the sub-divisional officer in carrying out the following rules regarding elections.

Time and place of polling.

The sub-divisional officer shall decide on what day, not later than the 25th December, and at what places in the town, the poll shall be held; and he shall notify such decision at the sub-divisional cutcherry, and in at least one place in each quarter.

List of electors.

7. As soon as possible after the publication of these rules, the sub-divisional officer shall prepare a list of all the persons who paid any rate on houses or lands in each ward during the year ending on the 30th September next preceding. A copy of the list shall be exposed to view at the sub-divisional and at the municipal office; and a copy of so much of the list as relates to each quarter in some police-station, school-house, or other accessible public place in each quarter of the town. All persons mentioned in the list shall be entitled to a vote in the election of municipal commissioners for the ward.

Number of votes.

8. No rate-payer shall have a vote for more than one person, or in more than one ward.

Recording of votes.

9. Votes shall be recorded by such polling clerks as may be appointed by the Chairman of the Commissioners. There shall be at least one polling clerk for each polling place, who shall stay at the polling place for such hours as the sub-divisional officer may fix on the day of the poll. Each rate-payer who desires to record his vote shall attend at the polling place, and shall state his name and residence; the polling clerk shall verify from the list of voters of the quarter whether the intending voter is entitled to a vote for that quarter; and if he is so entitled, he shall record his vote against the rate-payer's name in the list of electors for the ward. The election sub-committee of the commissioners shall, acting under the sub-divisional officer's instructions, make such arrangements as they may see fit for identifying voters in cases of doubt, and in any case of doubt as to the validity of a vote, or as to the identity of a voter, the decision of the sub-committee and the sub-divisional officer shall be final.

Identification of voters.

Scrutiny of poll registers.

10. At sunset on the day of the poll the poll shall be closed, and the registers of the polling clerks shall be scrutinised by the sub-divisional officer and the election sub-committee, whose decision upon any doubtful point shall be final. The candidates who may stand highest on the poll of their quarter shall be declared to be duly elected.

Membership to commence.

11. The result of the poll shall be notified at the sub-divisional cutcherry and in each ward, and shall be reported to Government for publication in the *Gazette*. The candidates declared to be duly elected shall hold office from the 1st January next succeeding the day of their election.

Cost of municipal elections.

12. The cost of erecting temporary sheds, of paying polling clerks, or taking any other necessary action under these rules, shall be paid by the commissioners out of the municipal fund.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th September 1873.—Under Section 3 of Act XX of 1856, it is hereby notified that the group of the five villages noted in the margin will from this date be added to the Chagdah Chokeedaree Union, and that the said Act will take effect therein.

1. Gorepara.
2. Palpara.
3. Khooshbash Mahulla.
4. Kazipara.
5. Lhabanipore.

Under Section 4 of the Act it is further notified that the limits of the Chagdah Union will in future be as follows,—namely, on the north bounded by Hariar Khal; on the south by the villages Mousapotha and Ektarpore; on the east by Ukhindee Beel, the village Parulea, the village Khederpore, and the imperial road; and the west by Chharuk Ganjo, Palpata Baar.

Under Section 10 of the Act it is also notified that the tax to be levied in the said five villages will be, as it has hitherto been in the Chagdah Union, an assessment according to the circumstances and property to be protected of the persons liable to the same.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road in continuation of the Strand Bank road and of wharves on the east bank of the River Hooghly, between Permit Ghât, situate in the Town of Calcutta, and Davee Roy's Ghât, situate in the 24-Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land is required bounded as follows :—

On the south by Permit Ghât, situate in the town of Calcutta; on the north by Davee Roy's Ghât, situate in the 24-Pergunnahs; on the west by the River Hooghly; and on the east by a line running parallel to the River Hooghly, more or less 20 feet above high water mark.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 18th September 1873.—The following declaration is published for general information in modification of that portion of the declaration dated 31st May 1873, published at page 720 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 4th June 1873, which relates to the plot of land (No. 8) at Koshytollah.

Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for site of a public privy, it is hereby declared that a plot of land at Mahouttooly Bagdasur, in the town of Dacca, measuring 3,600 square feet in area, bounded on the north by the pucca wall of Goomany Kosye, and Messrs. Stephen's and others' land; south by the fence of Omia's mother's house; east by the public road and that of the waste land up to *Kodom* tree of Messrs. Stephen and others, is required.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 18th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for extension of the Moishkhali Strand Road passing through the villages Madarbari, Moishkhali, Halishohur, and Goaildenga, in the District of Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land is required measuring 16 acres 1 rood and 5 poles, more or less, and bounded as follows :—

North—by cultivated lands of village Halishohur.
South—by cultivated lands of village Goaildenga
West—by Abdool Maloom's road.
East—by Madarbari Strand Road.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 of the Government of India, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare the Kastosah Ferry, on the Bhagirutty River, in the Sub-Division of Culnah, in the district of Burdwan, to be a public ferry.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1873.—Under the provisions of Act XXIX of 1837, and Section 337 of the Criminal Procedure Code, it is hereby notified that Hindee is the Court language to be used in Judicial and in Revenue Proceedings, and is the ordinary language of the hill portion of the Darjeeling District.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd September 1873.—It is hereby notified for general information that from 1st of October next the provisions of Act VI (B.C.) of 1868 (The District Town's Act) shall be extended to Khabashpore Mullah, which will thereafter be within the limits of the Town of Furreedpore.

The revised boundaries of the Town will be as specified below :—

North—Ramkanthpoor, Satora, Khada, Alipore, and Shabharampore.
South—Harokandi, Chur Komolapore, and Dhole Sumunder.
East—Pudda
West—Brahmunkanda and Boderpore.

C BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 23rd September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government, the expense being met from the donation of Khajeh Assanollah, for a public purpose, viz., for a site for a Madrasah in the town of Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land measuring about 4 *b.* 10 *c.* 19 *d*, more or less, of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Church Lane ; on the west by the Racket Court Maidan ; on the south by the Lukhi Bazaar Road ; and on the east by the houses of Peero Mahi Farash, Kadir Durzee, Rahim, and Kadir Buksh, and a narrow lane west of the house of Koonjoo Behari Bysack, is required in the town of Dacca.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1413.

[Second Publication.]

Regulations made by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, pursuant to the provisions of Section 6, Act XX of 1865, for conducting the examination of applicants for admission as Pleaders or Mookhtars in the Mofussil Courts subordinate to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

1. In order to the ascertainment of the qualifications of candidates for admission as Pleaders and Mookhtars in the Mofussil Courts subordinate to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal will from time to time appoint Examiners in Law, who shall have a President and a Secretary.

2. The examination of candidates shall be held on such dates within the month of January or February in each year, as shall be appointed and duly notified by the Examiners in Law.

3. The examination shall be conducted by the Examiners in Law, and shall be held under the superintendence of the person or persons appointed for that purpose.

4. The examination of candidates for pleaderships of the higher grade shall be held in Calcutta; the examination for lower grade pleaders and for mookhtars shall be held at Calcutta, Patna, Dacca, Cuttack and Gowhatty.

5. The examination for higher grade pleaders shall be conducted in English ; for lower grade pleaders and for mookhtars, in English or in the vernacular of the district, at the option of the candidate, as declared in his application for admission to the examination.

6. The examination shall be in part by written questions, the answers to which shall be in writing, and in part *vivâ voce*. But the Examiners in Law, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, shall have power to dispense with the *vivâ voce* examination in the vernacular if it so seem fit.

7. The Examiners shall prepare the written questions, of which there shall be not less than four papers for the pleaders' and mookhtars' examinations respectively.

8. Each paper shall contain twelve questions, and shall bear a full value of 160 marks.

9. The full number of marks for the *vivâ voce* examination, in which candidates shall be asked at least five questions, shall be 50.

10. The questions shall be so framed as to test the knowledge of the candidates in the subjects mentioned in the rules passed by the High Court for the qualification, admission, and enrolment of pleaders and mookhtars in Mofussil Courts; and they shall be so prepared that a candidate may be able to pass by studying the regulations, enactments, and text-books there specified.

11. The number of marks to which each candidate shall be entitled for his answers to the written or oral questions shall be determined by the Examiners in Law.

12. To be entitled to pass, candidates must obtain not less than the marks hereunder specified:—

	In each of the written papers.	In the *vivâ voce* examination.
Higher Grade Pleadership	100	30
Lower ,, ,, ...	80	20
Mookhtarship	100	30

13. No candidate will be allowed to enter the examination room with any books or private memoranda, and any one detected doing so, will forfeit all fees paid by him and will not be permitted to undergo examination. Any candidates detected in the act of using unfair means, such as communicating with each other, or copying from their neighbours, or from private memoranda or books, &c, will be summarily ejected from the examination room, and shall forfeit all benefit to be derived from the previous portion of the examination and all right to proceed further, together with all fees paid by them.

14 When the examination shall have been concluded, the Examiners in Law shall submit the names of those candidates who have passed, together with a report of their proceedings to Government.

15. The names of the successful candidates shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and certificates, to be granted by the Examiners in Law under the signatures of the President and Secretary, shall be forwarded for distribution to the successful candidates by the Judges of their respective districts.

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DECLARATION.

The 13th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., site of a pound, it is hereby declared that a plot of land at Lalbag, in the town of Dacca, measuring 1,457 square feet in area, bounded on the north by the property of Mirzah Golampir; south by the road leading to the Government Philkhanah; east by the property of Gopee Mohun, Bungshee Mohun, and Dwarka Nath, and the pucca wall of Baboo Radha Charan; and west by the property of Moonshee Kamal is required.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1873.—Under Section 3, Regulation I of 1872 (A Regulation for the peace and good government of the territory known as the Sonthal Pergunnahs), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that in addition to the Regulations and Acts mentioned in the Schedule of that Regulation, Act VI of 1864 (The Whipping Act) shall have force and effect in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

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[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1873.—It is hereby notified that with the approval of the Government of India the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to modify Rule 4, Clause (c) of the rules for regulating the payment of expenses of complainants and witnesses in criminal trials notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th June last. The rule will stand as follows:—"For Europeans and Natives of superior rank, Second Class Railway fare, and an allowance according to the circumstances, not to exceed in any case Rs. 3 per diem for subsistence."

C BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 727B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 9th October 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 Chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares „	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertized will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 14th and 24th October respectively; that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 14th October 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 24th October 1873.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

DATES.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 6th Nov. 1873 ...	2,125	1,375	3,500
On or about Thursday, 4th Dec. „ ...	2,125	1,375	3,500
Total ...	4,250	2,750	7,000

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 2nd September 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 790B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 6th November 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares „	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 21st November respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 21st November 1873.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests	Total, about Chests
On or about Thursday, 4th Dec. 1873 ...	2,125	1,375	3,500

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 23rd September 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c.. intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of lands no longer required by the Government, situated in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Railway Deputy Collector's Office at Cyntheea, adjoining the East Indian Railway Station, at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 10th day of November 1873, corresponding with 26th Kartic *B S.*

The purchasers of these plots will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st—If the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plots will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

4th—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt of the orders of the Collector confirming the sales. But such possession shall be liable to be disturbed in case the final sanction of the Member of the Board of Revenue in charge should not be accorded to the proceedings.

Consecutive Lot Number	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated	Situated on which side of the Railway	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre						Land excluded from sale from each lot				Commencement and termination of lot	Boundaries of lot.
					B	C.	Ch	A	R	P	Reasons for exclusion	A	R	P		
1	Moorshedabad	Pergunnah Bonhaut Mouzah Chickpura	131	West	11	2	8	3	2	28	Occupied by Nulla	0	0	20	Commences on 2,765 feet of mile 131 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan. South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
2	ditto	ditto	131	East	11	7	8	3	3	2	ditto	0	0	6	Commences on 2,680 feet of mile 131, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
3	ditto	ditto	132	West	11	0	0	3	2	22					Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 131, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
4	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara.	132	East ..	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 131, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
5	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara and Dangal.	132	West ..	11 9 8	3 3 7	.....	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 132, as per plan. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
6	ditto ..	ditto ...	132	East ..	11 9 8	3 3 7	.	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 132, as per plan. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
7	ditto .	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Dangal and Pulsa.	133	West ..	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	North—By a nullah. South—By end of mile 132, as per plan. East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
8	ditto ..	ditto ..	133	East .	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	North—By a nullah. South—By end of mile 132, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
9	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Cheetoree and Majcund.	133	West .	10 8 10	3 1 32	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 11. South—By a nullah. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
10	ditto .	ditto	133	East ..	10 8 0	3 1 31	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 12. South—By a nullah East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
11	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Majcund.	133	West	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 133, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 9. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
12	ditto .	ditto ..	133	East ..	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133, and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 133, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 10. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
13	ditto ..	ditto ...	134	West ...	6 14 10	2 0 36	.....	..	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 15. South—By end of mile 133, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
14	ditto .	ditto ...	134	East ..	6 18 0	2 1 5	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 16. South—By end of mile 133, as per plan. East—By zemindaree. West—By railway fencing.
15	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ..	7 15 11	2 2 12	.....	...	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 17. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 13. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
16	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka and Burrisal.	134	East ...	7 18 0	2 2 18	.....	.....	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 18. South—By northern boundary of No. 14. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
17	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ..	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,450 feet of mile 134 and terminates at end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 15. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
18	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	East ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 16. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
19	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Burrisal.	135	West ..	6 13 4	2 0 13	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 134, as per plan, and terminates on 1,400 feet of mile 135.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
20	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	6 14 0	2 0 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
21	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Pakooredh.	135	West ...	8 2 0	2 2 29	.....	.....	Commences on 1,440 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 3,240 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
22	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	8 15 0	0 3 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
23	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	West ...	8 14 8	2 3 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,290 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 5,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
24	ditto ...	ditto ..	135	East ...	9 2 8	3 0 3	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
25	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Chandpore and Ramrampore.	137	West ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	Commences on 1,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates on 3,080 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary No. 27. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
26	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Rampore, Chandpore, and Ramrampore.	137	East ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 28 South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

Consecutive Lot Number	Zillah	Pergunnah and Mouzah	Number of mile in which the land is situated	Situated on which side of the Railway	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre		Land excluded from sale from each lot		Commencement and termination of lot	Boundaries of lot.
					B C Ch	A R P	Reasons for exclusion	A. R P		
27	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Ramrampore.	137	West	6 16 2	2 1 0			Commences on 3,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates at end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 173, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 25 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land.
28	ditto	ditto	137	East	6 16 2	2 1 0			ditto	North—By end of mile 137, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No 26 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
29	ditto	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courpurta, Mouzah Ramrampore	138	West	8 5 10	2 2 38			Commences at the end of mile 137 as per plan, and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 138	North—By southern boundary of lot No 31. South—By end of mile 137, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
30	ditto	ditto	138	East	8 5 10	2 2 38			ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No 32. South—By end of mile 137, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
31	ditto	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courparta, Mouzah Telaye	138	West	7 3 1	2 1 18			Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 138 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 138, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 29 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
32	ditto	ditto	138	East	7 3 1	2 1 18			ditto	North—By end of mile 138 as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 30 East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
33	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Telaye and Kaheelpore	139	West	6 15 4	2 0 38			Commences at end of mile 138 and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 139 as per plan	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 138, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
34	ditto	ditto	139	East	6 15 4	2 0 38			Commences at the end of mile 138, as per plan and terminates on 1,430 feet of mile 139.	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 138, as per plan East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
35	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore	139	West	8 5 8	2 2 38			Commences on 1,515 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,615 feet of same, as per plan	North—By southern boundary of lot No 37 South—By railway level crossing East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
36	ditto	ditto	139	East	8 5 8	2 2 38			Commences on 1,445 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,570 feet of same, as per plan	North—By southern boundary of lot No 38 South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
37	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore and Shadinpore	139	West	5 8 5	1 3 6			Commences on 3,615 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 35 East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
38	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzahs Kaheelpore and Shadinpore.	139	East ...	5 8 5	1 3 6	.....	...	Commences on 3,570 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 36. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
39	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab, Mouzah Shadinpore.	140	West ...	6 10 8	2 0 25	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 139, as as per plan, and terminates on 1,950 feet of mile 140.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
40	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	East ...	6 7 0	2 0 16	.....	...	ditto	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
41	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	West ..	6 10 3	2 0 24	.....	...	Commences on 1,970 feet of mile 140 and terminates on 3,580 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 43. South—By railway level crossing. East—by railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
42	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	East ...	7 0 8	2 1 11	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 44. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
43	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Shadinpore and Lukheebatee.	140	West ...	7 7 2	2 1 29	.....	...	Commences on 3,580 feet of mile 140 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 41. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
44	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	East	7 6 0	2 1 26	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 42. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
45	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	9 7 12	3 0 17	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 140, as per plan, and terminates on 2,280 feet of mile 141.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 47. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
46	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpore.	141	East ...	9 9 8	3 0 21	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 48. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
47	ditto ...	ditto ...	141	West ...	7 11 8	2 2 1	.....	...	Commences on 2,280 feet of mile 141 and terminates on 4,215 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 45. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
48	ditto ...	ditto ...	141	East ...	7 16 8	2 2 14	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 46. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
49	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	5 1 6	1 2 28	.....	.. ...	Commences on 4,240 feet of mile 141 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 141, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 47 and 49. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
50	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpoor.	141	East ...	5 5 8	1 2 39	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 141, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 48 and 50. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
51	ditto	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Horishara.	142	West	6 12 4	2 0 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 141, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 142.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 53. South—By end of mile 141, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
52	ditto ..	ditto ...	142	East ...	7 14 8	2 2 9	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By a nulla. South—By end of mile 141, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
53	ditto	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Harishara.	142	West ...	10 19 8	3 2 21	.....	.....	Commences on 1,500 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 55. South—By northern boundary of lot No 51. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
54	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Tighatee.	142	East .	10 14 4	3 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 1,575 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 56. South—By a nullah. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
55	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Tighatee and Ghosematee.	142	West	10 7 10	3 1 29	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 142, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 53. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
56	ditto ..	ditto ..	142	East	10 9 4	3 1 34	.....	. ...	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 142, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No 54. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
57	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Ghosematee and Pantia.	143	West	10 15 8	3 2 10	.. ...	...	Commences at the end of mile 142, as per plan, and terminates on 2,025 feet of mile 143.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 59. South—By end of mile 142, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
58	ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East .	9 12 8	3 0 29	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 60 South—By end of mile 142, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
59	ditto	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	West ..	9 15 0	3 0 36	.....	...	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 57. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
60	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	East ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	.....	...	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 58. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
61	ditto ...	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Banti.	143	West ...	6 18 0	2 1 5	.....	...	Commences on 4,010 feet of mile 143 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 59-61. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
62	ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East ...	6 3 0	2 0 5	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 60-62 East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
63	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Banti.	144	West ...	13 1 12	4 1 12	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 143, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 144.	North—By Brahminee River. South— By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
64	ditto ...	ditto ...	144	East ...	11 5 10	3 2 37	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By Brahminee River. South—By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
65	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Jugdharee.	144	West ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	Occupied by road.	0 0 6	Commences on 1,900 feet of mile 114, and terminates on 3,180 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 67. South—By Brahminee River. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
66	ditto ...	ditto ...	144	East ...	7 3 8	2 1 20	ditto ...	0 0 5	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 68. South—By Brahminee River. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
67	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Hurreepore & Kurrimpore.	144	West ...	4 16 8	1 2 16	.....	...	Commences on 3,180 feet of mile 144 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 65. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
68	ditto ...	ditto ..	144	East ...	5 10 8	1 3 12	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 66. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
69	ditto ...	PergunnahsDhaoa and Nowanager, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	West ...	12 12 8	4 0 28	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 144, as per plan, and terminates on 2,900 feet of mile 145.	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station lands. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
70	ditto ...	PergunnahsDhaoa and Nowanagger, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	East ...	11 1 0	3 2 25	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station land. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
71	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanagger, Mouzahs Beersumbur and Lushkerpore.	145	West ...	5 11 0	1 3 14	.....	...	Commences on 4,105 feet of mile 145 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 145, as per plan. South—By fencing of Nulhatte station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
72	ditto ..	ditto ..	145	East ...	5 2 8	1 2 31	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 145, as per plan. South—By fencing of Nulhatte station land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
73	ditto ..	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzahs Lushkurpore and Paikparah.	146	West ...	10 4 6	3 1 20	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 145, as per plan, and terminates on 3,150 feet of mile 146.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 75. South—By end of mile 145, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
74	ditto ..	ditto ...	146	East ...	11 13 3	3 3 17	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 176. South—By end of mile 145, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
75	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Paikparrah.	146	West ..	8 16 0	2 3 26	Occupied by road.	...	Commences on 3,150 feet of mile 146 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 146, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 73. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
76	ditto ...	ditto ...	146	East ...	9 11 7	3 0 26	ditto ...	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 146, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No. 74. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
77	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 146, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 147.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 79. South—By end of mile 146, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
78	ditto ..	ditto ...	147	East ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	..	ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 80. South—By end of mile 146, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
79	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 147 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 147, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 77. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
80	ditto ..	ditto ...	147	East ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 147, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 78. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
81	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Shajadpoor, Mouzahs Dhaoa and Deeha.	148	West ...	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 83. South—By end of a mile 147, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch	A R P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A R P		
82	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Dhaoa and, Shajadpore Mouzah Paikparah and Deeha.	148	East	11 14 0	3 3 19	...	...	Commences at end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 84. South—By end of mile 147, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
83	ditto	Ditto Mouzah Deeha.	148	West	7 0 0	2 1 10	Occupied by nullah. Occupied by road.	0 0 7 0 0 4	Commences on 3,825 feet of mile 148 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 81. East—By Railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
84	ditto	ditto	148	East	7 15 0	2 2 10	ditto ditto	0 0 7 0 0 4	ditto	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 82. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
85	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzah Denonauthpore.	149	West	10 14 10	3 2 8	..		Commences at the end of mile 148 as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 149.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 87. South—By end of mile 118, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
86	ditto	ditto	149	East	10 14 0	3 2 6	...		ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 88. South—By end of mile 148, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
87	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Denonathpore and Soojanpore.	149	West	10 3 13	3 1 19	...	.	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 149 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 85. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
88	ditto	ditto	149	East	9 3 14	3 0 6		.	ditto	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 86. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
89	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Habishpore, Koolgachee and Sahara.	150	West	16 1 0	5 1 9	..	....	Commences at the end of mile 149 and terminates at the end of mile 150, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land.
90	ditto	ditto	150	East	16 0 12	5 1 8		.. .	ditto	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
91	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Chatia.	151	West	14 4 4	4 2 32	.. ...	. ...	Commences at the end of mile 150 as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 151.	North—By southern boundary of lot 93. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
92	ditto	ditto	151	East	14 3 8	4 2 30	....	....	ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No 94. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B	C	Ch.	A	R	P	Reasons for exclusion	A	R	P		
93	Moorshedabad	Pergunnah Nowanuggur Mouzahs Chotia and Bootea	151	West	13	9	0	4	1	32	Occupied by nullah	0	0	9	Commences on 3,050 feet of mile 151 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 151, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 91 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
94	ditto	ditto	151	East	13	9	0	4	1	32	ditto	0	0	9	ditto	North—By end of mile 151, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 92. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
95	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Bhoteea and Dootea	152	West	12	8	0	4	0	16	Occupied by road	0	0	4	Commences at the mile 151, as per plan, and terminates on 3,330 feet of mile 152	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 151, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
96	ditto	ditto	152	East	12	5	0	4	0	8	ditto	0	0	4	ditto	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of the mile 151, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
97	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzah Dootea	152	West	8	0	0	2	2	23					Commences on 3,360 feet of mile 152 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 152, as per plan South—By railway level crossing East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
98	ditto	ditto	152	East	8	10	0	2	3	10					ditto	North—By end of mile 152 as per plan South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
99	ditto	ditto	153	West	0	0	0	3	1	9					Commences at the end of mile, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153	North—By southern boundary of lot No 101 South—By end of mile 152, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
100	ditto	ditto	153	East	10	0	0	3	1	9					Commences at the end of mile 152, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153	North—By southern boundary of lot No 102 South—By end of mile 152, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
101	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzah Doorea, Dadpore, and Bahadoorpore	153	West	14	5	2	4	2	34					Commences on 1,725 feet of mile 153 and terminates on 4,270 feet of same, as per plan	North—By Pugla nullah diversion South—By northern boundary of lot No 99 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land.
102	ditto	ditto	153	East	14	11	10	4	3	11					ditto	North—By Pugla nullah diversion. South—By northern boundary of lot No 100 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
103	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzah Bahadoorpore and Dadpore	153	West	14	0	0	0	4	0	Occupied by nullah	4	2	21	Commences on the outer boundary of the B lands situate on the west facing of the Pugla Bridge and runs in a westerly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion	North—By zemindaree land South—By zemindaree land East—By land of lots Nos 101 and 105 West—By Pugla nullah.

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					B. C. Ch	A. R. P	Reasons for exclusion.	A R. P		
104	Moorshedabad	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Dadpore and Gooskeera	153	East	6 3 0	2 0 5	Occupied by nullah.	0 3 26	Commences on the outer boundary of the B land situate on the east facing of the Pugla Bridge, and runs in an easterly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By ditto. East—By ditto. West—By land of lots Nos. 102 and 106.
105	ditto ..	ditto ..	153	West	5 12 0	1 3 16			Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 153 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 153, as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
106	ditto	ditto	153	East	5 15 8	1 3 26	Nullah between lots 101 and 105 Nullah between lots 102 and 106.	0 0 21 0 0 21	ditto	North—By end of mile 153 as per plan South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
107	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	West	13 16 8	4 2 11		..	Commences at the end of mile 153, as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 154.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 109. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
108	ditto	Pergunnahs Nowanugger and Rajshahye, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	East	17 4 14	5 2 32			ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 110. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
109	ditto	Pergunnahs Nowanugger and Rajshahye, Mouzahs Gooskeera and Gopalpore.	154	West	20 14 12	6 3 17	.	.	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 154 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 107. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
110	ditto .	ditto	154	East .	21 12 8	7 0 24		..	ditto .	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 108 East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
111	ditto .	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Gopalpore	155	West .	11 11 6	3 3 12	. ..	. .	Commences at the end of mile 154, as per plan, and terminates on 1,720 feet of mile 155	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 113. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
112	ditto .	ditto	155	East	11 3 8	3 2 31		. .	ditto	North—By the southern boundary of lot No 114. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
113	ditto	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar	155	West .	6 15 8	2 0 39		.	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,000 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Mooraroaee station land South—By northern boundary of lot No 111. East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
114	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	East ...	7 16 10	2 2 14	.. .	.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,045 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Mooraroaee station land. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 112. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
115	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Bhadisur and Dhetora.	155	West ...	8 4 11	2 2 36	.. ...	.....	Commences on 3,870 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 155, as per plan. South—By a public road. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
116	ditto ..	ditto ...	155	East ..	4 8 4	1 1 34	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Mooraroaee station.	0 1 14	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 155, as per plan. South—By A. class land of Mooraroaee station tank. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
117	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Dhetora.	156	West ..	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 155, as per plan, and terminates on 3,215 feet of mile 156.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 119. South—By end of mile 155, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
118	ditto ...	ditto ...	156	East ..	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 120. South—By end of mile 155, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
119	ditto ...	ditto ..	156	West ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	.....	.....	Commences on 3,215 feet of mile 156 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 156, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 117. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
120	ditto ...	ditto ..	156	East ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	.. ...	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 156, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 118. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
121	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Dhetora and Pulsa.	157	West ...	15 2 9	5 0 0	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 156, as per plan, and terminates on 2,475 feet of mile 157.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 123. South—By end of mile 156, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
122	ditto ...	ditto ..	157	East ..	15 8 0	5 0 15	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 124. South—By end of mile 156, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
123	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	157	West ...	17 8 8	5 3 2	.....	.....	Commences on 2,457 feet of mile 157 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 157, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 121. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
124	ditto ...	ditto ...	157	East ...	16 10 9	5 1 34	... ..	.....	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 157, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 122. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
125	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	158	West ..	18 3 0	6 0 0	Occupied by road.	0 0 22	Commences at the end of mile 157, as per plan, and terminate on 1,775 feet of mile 158.	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
126	ditto ...	ditto ...	158	East ...	19 8 5	6 1 27	ditto ...	0 0 22	ditto ...	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
127	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Ruttonpore and Pulsa.	158	West ...	36 12 10	12 0 18	.....	.....	Commences on 2,405 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
128	ditto ...	ditto ...	158	East ...	36 9 8	12 0 9	.....	.....	Commences on 2,525 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
129	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Pulsa, Sumbulpore, and Macwa.	159	West ..	15 16 5	5 0 37	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 158, as per plan, and terminates on 2,500 feet of mile 159.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 131 South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
130	ditto ..	ditto ..	159	East ...	20 9 11	6 3 3	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 132. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
131	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Macwa.	159	West ...	21 3 8	7 0 0	.....	.....	Commences on 2,500 feet of mile 159 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 129. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
132	ditto ...	ditto ...	159	East ...	18 0 0	5 3 32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 130. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
133	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Macwa and Bhatra.	160	West ...	8 17 13	2 3 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 159, as per plan, and terminates on 2,610 feet of mile 160.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 135. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
134	ditto ...	ditto ...	160	East ...	9 3 5	3 0 5	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 136. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
135	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye; Mouzah Bhatra.	160	West ..	12 7 10	4 0 15	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,610 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 133. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
136	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	East ...	13 13 0	4 2 2	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 134. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
137	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye. Mouzah Bhatra and Rajgaon.	161	West ..	9 5 15	3 0 12	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 160 as per plan and terminates on 2,465 feet of mile 161.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 139. South—By end of mile 160 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
138	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ..	11 0 9	3 2 24	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No 140. South—By end of mile 160 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
139	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon.	161	West ...	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	Commences on 2,465 feet of mile 161 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 161 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 137 East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
140	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ...	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 161 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 138. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
141	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon and Amhooa.	162	West ..	9 16 8	3 1 0	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 161 as per plan and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 162.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 161 as per plan. East—By wayfencing. West—By zemindaree land.
142	ditto ...	ditto ...	162	East ...	10 17 9	3 2 15	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 161 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
143	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Amhooa.	162	West ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	.....	.....	Commences on 2,690 feet of mile 162 and terminates on 3,970 feet of same as per plan.	North—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company for Rajgaon Station Extension. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
144	ditto ...	ditto ..	162	East ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	2 2 20	ditto ...	North—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. South—By Railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
145	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Amhooa and Goorsa.	163	West ...	17 0 0	5 2 19	.....	.....	Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3,840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 147. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
146	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Ambooah and Goorsa.	163	East ...	17 0 0	5 2 19	.....	.....	Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 148. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
147	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye Mouzah Goorsa.	163	West ...	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,840 feet of mile 163 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 145. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
148	ditto ...	ditto ...	163	East ...	10 10 10	3 1 37	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	0 1 10	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 146. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
149	ditto ...	ditto ...	164	West ...	13 0 0	4 1 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 163 as per plan and terminates on 1,650 feet of mile 164.	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
150	ditto ...	ditto ...	164	East ...	12 6 0	4 0 11	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

W. HEYSHAM, *Offg. Railway Deputy Collector.*

CYNTHEA, RAILWAY DY. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 19th September 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Monghyr, will be put up to sale at the Monghyr Collectorate on Monday, the 10th November 1873, corresponding with 6th Aughan 1281, F.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The estate will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
111	4462	Khana Sakunat Dheraj Lal, Sepoy, and Khanabari of Khajah Ali, Havildar, in Mouzah Punsara Kadampur, Pergunnah Monghyr, Thannah Dharahra.	0 1 2	42 0 0	

E. LOCKWOOD, *Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام *

اس تحریر کے رو سے خاص و عام کو اطلاع دیجاتي هی که حقیقت ملکیت سرکار بہادر محال مفصله ذیل واقع ضلع مونگیر بتاریخ دهم ماہ نومبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ ع مطابق ۶ ماہ اگہن سنه ۱۲۸۱ فصلے روز دوشنبه کو کلکٹري ضلع مونگیر مین نیلام هوگا *

خریدار ونکو ان محالات کے پابندي شرایط ذیل کي کرني هوکي *

۱— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید هو تو کل زر نیلامي فورا داخل کرنا هوگا *

۲— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید هو تو ایک ربع کل زر نیلامي کا فورا داخل کرنا هوگا اور اگر بقیه زر ثمن پندرهوین روز دو پہر تک که اوس مین روز نیلام بہي محسوب هی یا اگر اوس روز تعطیل عام هو تو اوسکے بعد جس روز کچہرے پہلے کہلے دو پہر تک داخل نکیا جائي تو زر اماني ضبط سرکار هوکر بعد اجراے اشتہار مطابق نیلام اول بجواب دهي خریدار خطا کار محال مذکور ثانیا نیلام کیا جائگا *

۳— محال مذکور بصورت لاخراج بیچا جایگا اور جو خریدار قیمت مظہرہ سرکار پر سب سے زیادہ ڈاک بولیگا نیلام اوسکے نام ختم کیا جایگا *

نمبر مندرجه نقشه محالات سرکار	نمبر توزیع	نام محال بقید پرگنه	رقبه تخمیني بحساب ایکر	قیمت مظہرہ سرکار	کیفیت
۱۱۱	۴۴۶۳	خانه سکونتے دیہراج لعل سپاهي و خانه باڑي خواجه علے چوبدار واقع موضع پنسارا خادم پور تهانه دهرهرا پرگنه مونگیر	ایکر روڈ بول ۳ ۱ ۰	۴۲	

اي: لکوڈ وفیسي ایڈنگ کلکٹر

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned land, situate in the District of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Moorshedabad Collectorate, on the 15th October 1873, corresponding with 30th Assin 1280.

2. The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plot will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	77	A plot in Bajarpara, Mouzah Gopjan, Pergunnah Mahalandi, bounded on the east by a road in Chainpara; on the north by the land of Baboo Sheikh, a ryot of Chainpara; on the west by the lands of Mati Chain and Gopal Chain; and on the south by the land of Shiban Chain. Zemindar, Jogut Chunder Roy Chowdhoori. Ryots, Moti Chain and Gopal Chain and Shiban Chain ...	1 3 39	150 0 0	

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
The 29th August 1873.

W. WAVELL,
Offg. Collector.

জিলা মুরশিদাবাদ।

ইস্তাহারনামা কাছারি কালেক্টরী জেলা মুরশিদাবাদ এই যে,

ইহার দ্বারা সম্বাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে অত্র জেলার মধ্যস্থিত নিম্নলিখিত ভূমিখণ্ডে গবর্ণমেণ্টের যে মালিকি স্বত্ব আছে তাহা অত্র জেলার কালেক্টরি কাছারিতে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ১৫ই অকটোবর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সালের ৩০শা আশ্বিন বিক্রয় হইবেক।

এই ভূমি যাঁহারা খরিদ করিবেন তাঁহারা নিম্নলিখিত নিয়মের অধীনে থাকিবেন।

৩। এক শত টাকার অনধিক পণ হইলে সেই সমুদয় টাকা তৎক্ষণাৎ দিতে হইবে।

৪। একশত টাকার অধিক পণ হইলে ডাকপণের চতুর্থাংশের একাংশ তৎক্ষণাৎ দাখিল করিতে হইবে বিক্রয়ের দিবস এক দিন ধরিয়া গণনা করিলে বিক্রয়ান্তর পঞ্চদশ দিবসের মধ্যাহ্নকালে কিম্বা সেই দিবস বন্দের দিন হইলে তৎপরে প্রথম যে দিন কাছারি খোলা যাইবে সেই দিনের মধ্যাহ্ন কালে যদি অবশিষ্ট টাকা দাখিল না হয় তবে বিক্রয় রহিত ও গচ্ছিত টাকা গবর্ণমেণ্টে জব্দ হইবে ও প্রথম স্থলীয় বিক্রয়ের ন্যায় পুনর্ব্বার বিজ্ঞাপন প্রকাশ পূর্ব্বক ঐ ত্রুটীকারি ক্রেতার ঝুঁকিতে এই খণ্ড ভূমি পুনরায় বিক্রয় হইবে।

নিম্নলিখিত ভূমি যে কেহ নিলামের প্রথম ডাক হইতে সর্ব্বাপেক্ষা অধিক ডাকিবেন তাঁহার নিকট ঐ ভূমি লাখেরাজ রূপে বিক্রয় করা যাইবে ইতি। সন ১৮৭৩ সাল তারিখ ২৬শা আগষ্ট মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সাল তাং ১১ই ভাদ্র।

রাজকীয় মাহালের কৈফিয়তের নম্বর।	জেলার বহিতে নম্বর।	মাহাল এবং পরগনা।	পরিমাণ যত একর।	ধার্য্য করা রাজস্ব।	নীলামের প্রথম ডাক।	মন্তব্য।
০	৭৭	পরগনে মহলন্দীর অন্তঃপাতি মৌজে গোপজানের সামিল বাজার পাড়ার মধ্যে চাক্রী পাড়ার রাস্তার পশ্চিম চাক্রী পাড়ার প্রজা বাবু সেখের জমীর দক্ষিণ মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রীর জমীর পূর্ব্ব শিবন চাক্রীর জমীর উত্তর জমিদার জগচ্চন্দ্র রায় চৌধুরির প্রজা শিবন চাক্রী মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রী	১।৩।৩৯	০	১৫০৲	০

W. WAVELL,
Offg. Collector of Moorshedabad.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, corresponding with 27th Kartic 1280, B.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions :—

1*st*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2*nd*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3*rd*.—The estate will be sold revenue free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. As. P.	
75	7	Katahkoree, Pergunnah Ajmutshahur.	2 2 30	123 0 0	
76	27	ditto	0 3 28	151 0 0	

E. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collector*.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT BURDWAN, the 12th September 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 26th September 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
At the entrance bar below Joyrampore	8	9	
Thence to lower entrance above Geriah, 12 miles	18	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 7½ miles	18	6	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	23	9	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles	19	2	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles	19	5	

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore on the 29th September 1873, above zero, 23 ft. 4 inches.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Ex. Engr., Moorshedabad District*.

BERHAMPORE, the 29th September 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 3rd October 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
On the entrance bar below Joyrampore	4	0	
At the lower entrance above Geriah	11	6	
Thence to Jungipore, 7½ miles	15	6	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	15	0	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles	14	7	
Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles	24	4	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 6th October 1873, above zero, 15 ft. 11½ in.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Moorshedabad District*.

BERHAMPORE, the 6th October 1873.

For sale.

AT the Meteorological Office, No. 22 Chowringhee, the following official publications:—

Meteorological Report of 1867	...	...	...	0	12 per copy.
Ditto ditto 1868	...	...	...	1	8 ,,
Ditto ditto 1869	...	...	...	2	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1870	...	...	...	2	6 ,,
Ditto ditto 1871	...	...	...	2	8 ,,
Ditto ditto 1872	...	...	...	3	0 ,,
Administration Report of 1870-71	...	...	...	0	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1871-72	...	...	...	0	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1872-73	...	...	...	0	4 ,,

The above are also to be obtained at the same prices at Messrs. Thacker Spink and Company, No. 5, Government place.

HENRY F. BLANFORD, *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

Citation.

UNDER SECTION 250, ACT X OF 1865.

WHEREAS an application for Probate of the Last Will and Testament and Codicil of Mrs. Anne Deborah Rees, deceased, late of Monghyr, in the district of Monghyr, within this judgeship, has been made by Henry Christian, the executor named in the Will and Codicil above alluded to, and whereas the 25th day of October 1873, has been fixed for the hearing of this case, notice is hereby given that any person having any interest in the estate of the said deceased may, if he desire, appear in this Court on the said day before noon, and show cause why the application of the said Henry Christian (who is an Indigo planter, of Chupron Factory, Tuppa Suronja, Pergunnah Phurkya, district Monghyr,) should not be granted.

In default of such appearance Probate will be granted under the Indian Succession Act to the said Henry Christian.

J. M. LOWIS, *Offg. Judge.*

BHAUGULPORE JUDGE'S COURT, the 20th September 1873. (379—3)

Notice

Is hereby given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at the Judge's Kutcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale:—

A pucka two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race Course, and renting monthly for Rs. 175.

A thatched bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

A *half-share* of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., Purneah. (386—10)

India General Steam Navigation Company, "Limited."

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the India General Steam Navigation Company, "Limited," will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 4, Fairlie Place, on Saturday, the 11th October, at noon, for the purpose of confirming the following special resolution passed at the Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held at the Company's Office, No. 4, Fairlie Place, on Saturday, the 20th September 1873:—

That the second resolution passed at the Adjourned General Meeting of Shareholders, held on the 5th April last, declaring a dividend at the rate of four per cent. per annum for tht half-year ending 31st December last, be and is hereby rescinded, and that the amount see apart for the purpose be re-transferred to credit of profit and loss.—By order of the Directors.

SCHŒNE, KILLBURN AND CO., *Managing Agents, I. G. S. N. Co., "Limited."*

CALCUTTA, the 25th September 1873. (385—1)

Notice.

A CERTAIN sum of money being sale proceeds of the effects of one Eliza Grey, who died at Dinapore, in July 1871, is in deposit in this Court, any one having any claim to the same must apply to this Court, within two months from this date.

PATNA JUDGES' COURT, the 18th September 1873. (375—3) W. F. MCDONELL, *Judge.*

Jokai (Assam) Tea Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the Registered Office thereof, No. 103, Clive Street, Calcutta, on the 28th day of October 1873, at noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration the several matters hereunder mentioned, and for passing such resolutions as may be necessary to be passed in relation thereto.

Namely—

1.—The confirmation of the purchase by the Managing Directors of the Atta Barrie Garden or plantation

2.—The increase of the capital of this Company from Rs 1,80,000 to Rs. 2,30,000 by the issue of five hundred new shares of Rs. 100 each

3.—The appointment of a Board of Directors, and the vesting of the management, and control of the Company's affairs in them.

4.—The adoption of fresh articles of Association in lieu of the present articles.

BALMER, LAWRIE AND CO.,
Managing Directors and Secretaries.

CALCUTTA, the 29th September 1873. (384—4)

Kalacherra Tea Company, "Limited."

WARRANTS for the *ad-interim* dividend of 6 per cent. declared at the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, held on 20th instant, will be delivered on presentation of scrip.

BORRADAILE, SCHILLER AND CO., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873. (376—*f.n.*)

THIS is to notify that I, Osmond Fenwick Wittinbaker, the undersigned, have from this date changed my name to Herbert Este.

CALCUTTA, the 2nd October 1873. (387—1) OSMOND FENWICK WITTINBAKER.

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CALCUTTA, the 7th October 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Postmaster of Calcutta.*

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Gallaway, A.
Gregory, M.
Haran Chunder Banerjee.
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Jenkins, R. C
Johnson, Mrs. H.
Kopper, H.
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Lukes, H.
Maseyk, K. J. W.
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Michell, Colonel G.
Reynardson, Capt.
Scott, J. A. G.
Slack, G. W.
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E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Postmaster of Calcutta.*

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1873.

PART III.

Acts of the Bengal Council.

Government of Bengal.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

THE following Act passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, received the assent of His Honor on the 16th August 1873, and having been assented to by His Excellency the Governor General on the 13th September 1873, is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. V OF 1873.

An Act to provide for the levy of a lighting-rate in Howrah.

WHEREAS it is desirable to make further provision for lighting the town of Howrah with gas, by imposing a rate on those persons who benefit thereby,—

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Limits of the Town of Howrah.

1. The expression "the town of Howrah" in this Act shall be taken to mean the area of the Howrah Municipality as defined by the Lieutenant-Governor under the provisions of Section 3 of the District Municipal Improvement Act, being Bengal Act III of 1864.

Municipal Commissioners may submit to the Lieutenant-Governor a plan for lighting.

2. It shall be lawful for the Municipal Commissioners from time to time to submit to the Lieutenant-Governor for his sanction, a plan for lighting with gas any portion of the town of Howrah, whether so lighted already or not, such portion of the said town having been previously defined by the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting held for that purpose. The Lieutenant-Governor shall cause the plan to be published for one month in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and the Municipal Commissioners shall publish it in the vernacular in the town of Howrah; and after such publication, and after consideration of any objections which may be raised to it, or alterations suggested in it, the Lieutenant-Governor may, if satisfied that the lighting proposed in the plan is proper and sufficient, sanction such plan; or may refuse his sanction thereto; or may return it to the Municipal Commissioners for alteration in certain particulars to be specified by him, and, when altered, may sanction it as altered. The Lieutenant-Governor shall cause his sanction to any plan to be notified in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall at the same time cause the plan sanctioned to be published in the said *Gazette*.

Lighting-rate not exceeding three per centum may, after sanction of plan, be imposed on houses, buildings, and lands.

3. After notification by the Lieutenant-Governor as in the last preceding section mentioned, it shall be lawful for the Municipal Commissioners to impose an annual rate not exceeding three per centum of their annual value upon all houses, buildings, and lands situated within such portion of the said town for the purpose of defraying the whole expense of lighting.

Proviso as to portions already lighted.

Provided that, as regards any portion of the said town already lighted with gas, and for the future lighting of which a plan shall have been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor

under the provision of the last preceding section if it shall appear that the estimated proceeds of the said rate at three per centum will not be sufficient, to defray the whole expense of such lighting, it shall be lawful for the Municipal Commissioners to impose a rate sufficient to defray the whole expense of lighting such portion.

Rate payable by occupiers quarterly in advance.

4. The rate imposed under section 3 upon houses, buildings, and lands shall be paid by the occupiers thereof by quarterly instalments in advance; but no rate shall be leviable until the lamps in the portion of the town to be lighted shall have been lighted; nor shall any rate be leviable for any quarter or portion of a quarter antecedent to such lighting. Arable lands and lands used for pasturage, and buildings used exclusively as places of public worship, or applied solely to charitable purposes, shall not be liable to the rate.

Arable lands, &c., exempted from rate.

Annual valuation how to be made.

5. The annual value of the said houses, buildings, and lands shall be the value fixed by the Municipal Commissioners year by year under the provisions of Section 27 of the District Municipal Improvement Act. And all the provisions of the said Act, and of Bengal Act VII of 1867, relating to the assessment and collection of the rate on houses, buildings, and lands shall, except so far as they are modified by the provisions of this Act, be applicable to the assessment and collection of the lighting-rate.

Assessment and collection.

Power to assess owners in certain cases.

6. If any house, building, or land shall be occupied by more than one tenant holding in severalty, or shall be of less annual value than one hundred rupees, it shall be lawful for the Municipal Commissioners to recover the rate from the owner of such house, building, or land.

Owner to recover from the occupier rates paid by owner.

7. Whenever any rate shall be recovered from any owner of any house, building, or land under the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be lawful for such owner, if there shall be but one occupying tenant of such house, building, or land, to recover from such tenant the entire amount of the rate which shall have been so paid by such owner; and if there shall be more than one occupying tenant of such house, building, or land, then to recover from each of such tenants such sum as shall bear to the entire amount of rate which may have been so recovered from such owner the same proportion as the value of the portion of such house, building, or land in the occupation of such tenant bears to the entire value of such house, building, or land, subject however to the provisions of Section 8 of this Act.

Owner may recover rate so paid as rent.

8. Every owner who under the provisions of the last preceding section may be entitled to recover any sum from any occupying tenant of any house, building, or land, or of any portion thereof, shall have for the recovery of such sum all such and the same remedies, powers, rights, and authorities as if such sum were rent payable to such owner by such tenant in respect of so much of such house, building, or land as may be in the occupation of such tenant.

Occupier liable to the rate for time of occupation only.

9. Every occupier shall be liable to the lighting-rate for the time of his occupation. When any person shall have been an occupier for a part only of any quarter, he shall be liable only for so much of the rate for that quarter as may be proportionate to the number of days during which he shall have been an occupier. If he shall have paid the rate in advance, the amount paid in excess of the sum due under this section shall be refunded.

Excess paid in advance to be refunded.

No rate to be charged during vacancy.

No such rate shall be chargeable to any person on account of any unoccupied house, building, or land for the time during which it may remain unoccupied.

Notice of cessation of occupancy to be given within seven days.

Provided always that when any person ceases to be the occupier of any house, building, or land upon which the rate has been assessed, he shall give the Municipal Commissioners notice thereof within seven days from the date of the cessation of his occupancy. If the occupier fail to give such notice within such period, he shall be liable to the rate assessed on such house, building, or land for the whole quarter, although he may have occupied for a part only of such quarter; and in cases to which the provisions of Section 6 of this Act apply, the rate assessed on such house, building, or land for the whole quarter shall be recoverable from the owner, if such owner has failed to give notice that such house, building, or land is unoccupied, within seven days from the date on which it ceased to be occupied.

Unknown owner or occupier how to be designated.

10. When the name of the owner or occupier of any house, building, or land is not known, it shall be sufficient to designate him in any notice served, or proceeding held under this Act, as the owner or the occupier of the house, building, or land on which the rate is assessed, and without further description.

Situation of gas-pipe or other gas-work to be altered at the expense of the Commissioners.

11. If the Municipal Commissioners deem it necessary, for the purposes of this Act, to raise, sink, or otherwise alter the situation of any gas-pipe, or other gas-work, laid in any portion of the said town, they may from time to time, by notice in writing, require the person to whom any such pipe or work belongs, or under whose control it may be, to cause forthwith, or as soon as conveniently may be, any such pipe or work to be raised, sunk, or otherwise altered in position, in such manner as the Commissioners may direct; provided that such alteration be not such as permanently to injure such pipe or work, or to prevent the gas from flowing as freely and conveniently as before; and the expenses attending such raising, sinking, or altering, and full compensation for the damage

done thereby, shall be paid by the Commissioners out of the municipal fund as well to the person to whom such pipe or work belongs as to all other persons.

If owner, &c., neglect to make alterations, the Commissioners may cause the same to be made.

12. If the person to whom any such pipe or work belongs, or under whose control it may be, do not proceed forthwith, or as soon as conveniently may be, after the receipt of such notice, to cause the same to be raised, sunk, or altered in such manner as the Municipal Commissioners require, the Commissioners may themselves cause such pipe or work to be raised, sunk, or altered as they may think fit provided that such works be not permanently injured thereby, or the gas prevented from flowing as freely and conveniently as before.

Construction

13. This Act shall be construed with, and as part of, the District Municipal Improvement Act

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Judicial and Legislative Departments.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1873.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Fourth Publication.]

THE following Bill as settled by the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, on the 13th September 1873, is by order of the President published for general information.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Embankments and Watercourses.

WHEREAS it is expedient that provision should be made for the better construction, maintenance, and management of embankments and watercourses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows:—

PART I.

Preliminary.

1. This Act may be called "The Bengal Embankment Act, 1873."

It extends to the whole of the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the province of Orissa and the Soonderbuns as defined under the provisions of Clause 2, Section 13, Regulation III of 1828.

And it shall come into force on the day of the passing thereof.

Repeal of former Acts.

2. From such day Act No. XXXII of 1855 (*relating to embankments*) and Bengal Act No. VII of 1866 (*to make better provision for the acquisition of land for embankments and other matters relating thereto*) shall, except so far as relates to the province of Orissa and the said Soonderbuns, be repealed.

Interpretation.

3. The following words shall, for the purposes of this Act, have the meanings hereby declared, save where, from the context, a contrary intention appears:—

"Estate."

"Estate" means—(1) Any land or share in land subject to the payment to Government of an annual sum, in respect of which the name of a proprietor is entered on the register, known as the general register of all revenue-paying estates, or in respect of which a separate account may, in pursuance of Section 10, or Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, have been opened;

(2) Any land entered in the register of revenue-free tenures;

(3) Any land acquired under any rules issued by or under authority of Government for the sale, grant, or clearance of waste lands.

"Embankment."

"Embankment" includes every bank, dam, wall, and dyke, made or used for excluding water from, or for retaining water upon, any land, and every sluice, spur, groyne, training wall, or other work annexed to or portion of any such embankment, and every bank, dam, dyke, wall, groyne or spur made or erected for the protection of any such embankment or of any land from erosion or overflow by or of rivers, tides, waves, or waters; and also all buildings intended for purposes of inspection and supervision.

"Watercourse."

"Watercourse" includes a line of drainage, weir, culvert, pipe, or other channel for the passage of water, whether natural or artificial.

"Zemindar" means all or any of the holders of an estate; and where two or more zemindars are jointly holders thereof, they shall be jointly and severally liable under this Act.

"Zemindar."

"Tenure" includes all interests in land other than estates as above defined, held permanently at a fixed rental, or held lakhiraj.

"Tenure."

"Proprietor" means the holder of a tenure.

"Proprietor."

"Public Embankment" means an embankment maintained by the officers of Government.

"Public Embankment."

"Public watercourse" means any watercourse under the charge of the officers of Government.

"Public watercourse."

"The Engineer" means the District Engineer or any Engineer specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of an Engineer under this Act.

"The Engineer."

"Collector" means any Collector, Deputy Collector or other Revenue Officer in independent charge of any district or portion of a district, or specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of a Collector under this Act.

"Collector."

"District" means the portion of territory throughout which any person vested with the powers of a Collector is authorized to exercise such powers.

"District."

"Land" includes interests in land and benefits arising out of land and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth.

"Land."

PART II.

Powers of Collector and procedure thereon.

Powers of Collector.

4. Under the conditions and in the manner hereinafter provided—

Power to take charge of embankments.

(1.) The Collector may cause any embankment which connects public embankments, or forms, by junction with them, part of a line of embankments, or any embankment or watercourse which is necessary for the protection or drainage of the neighbouring country, to be taken charge of and maintained by the officers of Government.

Power to remove embankments and obstructions.

(2.) The Collector may cause to be removed or altered any embankment which endangers the stability of a public embankment, or any obstruction of any kind which interferes with the general drainage of any tract of land.

Power to change line of embankment.

(3.) The Collector may, when necessary, change the line of or lengthen any public embankment; or make a new embankment in the place of or renew any public embankment; or make an embankment in any place in which he may deem such embankment required for the protection of any lands, or for the improvement of any watercourse; or make a sluice in any public embankment.

Power to improve drainage.

(4.) The Collector may construct any sluice or watercourse, or effect any alteration in any public watercourse, when such construction or alteration may be required for the improvement of the health, or for the protection of any village or cultivable land.

Power to alter roads and construct watercourses.

(5.) The Collector may call upon the person in charge of any road which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land to alter such road, or to construct any watercourse under or through such road. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Collector shall prescribe, the said Collector may cause the road to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the person in charge of the said road.

Applications for sluices to be made to Collector.

(6.) If any landholder, farmer, or cultivator be desirous of having a sluice made in any public embankment for the purpose of drainage or irrigation, he shall make an application in writing to the Collector of the district in which such embankment is situate. The application shall contain such particulars of the land to be drained or irrigated as may enable the Collector to judge of the advantage which may be derived from the work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Application for new embankment or drainage to be made to Collector.

(7.) Whenever any person is desirous that any new embankment be erected, or that any new watercourse be made, or that any watercourse be obstructed or diverted, if such work is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede any public embankment or any public watercourse, he shall apply to the Collector, and at the time of making such application shall deposit with him a statement of the proposed work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Procedure.

5. When it shall appear expedient to the Collector that any of the works specified in the last preceding section should be executed, he shall cause to be prepared plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said works, and he shall cause a proclamation to be issued giving notice of his intention to cause such works to be executed. Such proclamation shall be in the form, and state the particulars mentioned in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act; and the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as aforesaid, shall be kept at the office of the Collector and shall be open to the inspection of any interested persons who shall be allowed to take copies thereof. The Collector shall not commence any of such works until final order made in respect thereto under the provisions of Sections 8, 59, and 60 of this Act.

Publication of proclamation.

6. Every such proclamation shall be published by affixing the same at the cutcherry of the Collector, and in the manner provided in the third clause of Section 57.

Proclamation to be published for thirty days.

7. Every such proclamation shall be published not less than thirty days before the day appointed for hearing the persons interested.

Hearing of objections to works.

8. The Collector shall, on the day appointed for the hearing, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing shall be adjourned, hear the objections of any persons who may appear, and, after recording any evidence which they may adduce, shall pass an order in regard to the execution of the proposed works. Notice of such order shall be served on such persons as may have appeared in pursuance of the proclamation.

Authority to take proceedings where lands likely to be affected by the works are in different districts;

9. If the lands, which are likely to be affected by any such proposed works, are situated within the limits of different districts, the Collector of any district, within which any portion of such lands is situated, shall apply to the Commissioner of the division for authority to proceed in such matter; and the Commissioner of the division, if all the lands are situated within his division, may give authority to such Collector, or to any other Collector within whose district any portion of such lands is situated, to proceed in respect of all the lands likely to be affected by such works.

or different divisions.

If the districts, within which the lands likely to be affected by any such works are situated, are subject to the Commissioners of different divisions, the Collector shall apply to the Commissioner of the division within which his district is situated, and such Commissioner may, with the concurrence of the Commissioner to whom the other district is subject, give authority to proceed in such matter.

The Collector may delegate certain powers to Engineer.

10. All the powers vested in the Collector by Section 4 of this Act, may be exercised by the Engineer in cases referred to him by the Collector subject to the general orders of the Collector.

PART III.

Procedure in cases of imminent danger to life or property.

Proceedings in emergencies.

11. Whenever the Collector shall be of opinion that the proceedings commenced by notice under Sections 5 to 8 of this Act would cause delay in the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon him by Clauses 2, 3, and 4 of Section 4, likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to commence to exercise such powers. Provided that he shall forthwith cause to be prepared the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as provided in Section 5, and shall cause a proclamation to be issued as provided in that section giving notice that the work mentioned therein has already been commenced, and thereupon such proceedings and inquiries shall be had as in and by Part II of this Act are directed.

Power to take possession of land.

12. Whenever any land, or earth from any land the property of any person, is required for the purposes of any works commenced in pursuance of the provisions of the last preceding section, or for the purposes of Section 18 in cases where the Collector shall be of opinion that proceedings for the acquisition of such land according to the provisions hereinafter contained in Section 25, would cause delay as aforesaid, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act, giving notice thereof at convenient places in the locality in which such land is situated, and he may at the same time take possession of the same for the said purposes.

Compensation for standing crops and trees.

13. The Collector shall ascertain and record the nature and estimated value of the crops and trees (if any) standing on such land, and shall offer adequate compensation to the persons interested. If such offer is not accepted, the value of such crops and trees shall be allowed for in awarding compensation for the land under the provisions of Section 29.

Power to Engineer to act in absence of Collector.

14. The Collector may depute to the Engineer the powers described in Sections 11, 12, and 13 subject to his own general orders, and in that case when the Collector is not present the Engineer may, if he shall be of opinion that delay for the purpose of obtaining the orders of the Collector would be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, exercise the powers conferred on him by the Collector.

Power to restore embankments, &c.

15. Whenever, upon an inquiry had under the provisions of this Part, it has been determined in the final order to be passed on such inquiry that anything done by the Collector, or by the Engineer under the last preceding section was unnecessary, the land or the embankments or drainage shall, so far as any alteration thereof shall appear to be unnecessary, be at the expense of the Government restored as nearly as possible to the state in which they were when the Collector commenced to act under the provisions of this Part; and any person who shall have sustained loss, damage, or injury by the execution of such works, shall receive compensation from the Government to be assessed according to the provisions contained in Part V of this Act.

Section 9 to apply to proceedings under this Part.

16. The provisions of Section 9 shall be applicable to proceedings taken under this Part.

PART IV.

Powers of Engineer.

Engineer subject to control of Collector.

17. The power conferred on the Engineer under this Part shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Collector.

Power to make repairs.

18. The Engineer may make any repairs in, and may do all acts necessary and proper for the maintenance of any public embankment, public watercourse, or other work executed or taken charge of under the provisions of this Act, or of any of the Acts repealed by this Act.

Power to alter railroads or construct watercourses.

19. The Engineer may call upon the manger, or other person in charge of any railroad which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land, to alter such railroad or or to construct any watercourse under or through such railroad.

In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Engineer shall prescribe, the Engineer may thereupon, with the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, cause the said railroad to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the said manager, or other person in charge of the said railroad.

Power to make temporary roadway, watercourse or dam.

20. Whenever any person is desirous that a temporary roadway should be made over, or that a temporary watercourse should be made through, any public embankment, or that a temporary dam should be constructed in any embanked river or public watercourse, he shall apply to the Engineer, who shall communicate the application to the Collector, and the Collector shall pass such orders thereon as he shall think fit. If the proposed work is to be executed by an officer of Government, the applicant, before the commencement of the work, shall deposit the amount estimated by the Engineer to be necessary to defray the expenses of, and incidental to, making and removing such roadway, or of, and incidental to, making and closing or removing such watercourse or dam. If the amount deposited is found insufficient, the Engineer shall recover from the said applicant the further amount required; and if it exceeds the amount required, such excess shall be returned to the said applicant.

Power to remove houses.

21. Whenever the Engineer shall be of opinion that the removal of any trees, houses, huts, or other buildings, situated between a public embankment and the river, is necessary, he shall make a report to that effect, accompanied by a detailed statement of the trees, houses, huts, or other buildings to be removed, to the Collector of the district in whose jurisdiction the land on which such trees, houses, huts, or other buildings stand, is situated; and the Collector shall report the same to the Lieutenant-Governor in order that proceedings may be taken, in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870," or other law for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes, for obtaining possession of such trees, houses, huts, and buildings. Provided always that in case the Collector be of opinion that the delay required by such proceedings is likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to cause such trees, houses, huts, or buildings to be removed, and in such case the compensation due therefor shall be ascertained and paid in the manner hereinafter provided.

Sluices to be opened or shut under authority of the Engineer.

22. Sluices constructed in any public embankment shall be opened or shut only by or with the general or special permission of the officer in the immediate charge of the embankment, under such orders, either general or special, as he may receive from the Engineer.

Power to appropriate land or earth for embanked towpath.

23. In any case where an embanked towpath has heretofore been maintained by Government alongside any canal, river, khal, or channel, the Engineer shall be entitled to appropriate without payment, as heretofore, land or earth for the maintenance, repair, or re-construction of such embanked towpath. If in any case the Engineer shall consider it necessary for the purposes of towing to enlarge an existing towpath, or to construct a new towpath, proceedings shall be taken in accordance with the subsequent provisions of this Act relating thereto.

Power to enter and survey land, &c.

24. It shall be lawful for the Engineer, or any person whom he may authorize in that behalf, in order to carry out any of the purposes of this Act,

to enter upon, and survey, and take levels of any land;

to dig or bore into the sub-soil;

to do all other acts necessary to ascertain whether the land is adapted to the purpose projected by such Engineer; or by the Collector;

Power to mark out line.

to set out the boundaries of the land proposed to be taken, and the intended line of the work proposed to be made thereon;

to mark such levels, boundaries, and line, by placing marks and cutting trenches;

Power to clear land.

and, where otherwise the survey cannot be completed or the levels taken, to cut down and clear away any part of any standing crop, fence, or jungle.

Previous notice of entry.

Provided that no person shall enter into any building or upon any enclosed court or garden attached to a dwelling-house (unless with the consent of the occupier thereof) without previously giving such occupier at least seven days' notice in writing of his intention to do so.

Payment for damage.

The Engineer or other person so authorized shall at the time of such entry pay or tender payment for all necessary damage to be done as aforesaid, and, in case of dispute as to the sufficiency of the amount so paid or tendered, he shall at once refer the dispute to the decision of the Collector, and such decision shall be final.

PART V.

Acquisition of lands.

Acquisition of land.

25. Whenever in the course of proceedings under this Act, save in those cases in which the Collector has proceeded under the provisions of Part III, it appears that land is required for any of the purposes thereof, proceedings shall be forthwith taken for the acquisition of such land in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being for the acquisition of lands for public purposes.

When land taken, proclamation to be published.

26. Whenever any land shall have been taken or used under the provisions of Part III, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (C) annexed to this Act at convenient places on or near the land so taken, stating that Government has taken possession of the land, and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land shall be made to him. Thereupon the land shall vest absolutely in the Government free from all incumbrances, subject, however, to the claims for compensation to

be ascertained in manner as in this Part is provided.

Contents of proclamation.

27. Such proclamation shall state the particulars of the land so taken, and shall require all persons interested in the land to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at a time and place therein mentioned (such time not being earlier than fifteen days after the date of issuing the proclamation), and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interest.

Further notice to be served on certain parties.

28. The Collector shall also serve notice to the same effect on the occupier (if any) of such land, and on all such persons known or believed to be interested therein, or to be entitled to act for persons so interested, as reside, or have agents authorized to receive service on their behalf, within the revenue district in which the land is situate.

Proceedings after notice.

29. After service of such notice proceedings shall be had and taken to determine the amount of compensation to be payable in respect of such land, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Compensation for consequential damage.

30. Whenever any land other than land required or taken by the Engineer, or any right of fishery, right of drainage, right of the use of water, or other right or property, shall have been injuriously affected by the due exercise of the powers or provisions of this Act, the person in whom such property or right is vested may prefer a claim by petition to the Collector for compensation.

Application to be made within a year.

31. No claim shall be entertained which shall be made later than one year next after the completion of the work by which such right is injuriously affected.

Procedure for such compensation.

32. When any such claim is made, proceedings shall be taken in view to determine the amount of compensation, if any, which should be made, and the person to whom the same should be payable, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Matters to be considered in determining compensation.

33. In determining the amount of compensation to be awarded in such cases, the Judge and Assessors shall take into consideration—

First, the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land;

Secondly, the damage sustained by the claimant by reason of such acquisition injuriously affecting the property or right;

Thirdly, the consequent diminution of the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land.

Matters not to be considered in determining compensation.

But the Judge or Assessors shall not take into consideration—

First, the degree of urgency which has led to the acquisition;

Secondly, any damage sustained by the claimant, which, if caused by a private person, would not in any suit instituted against such person justify a decree for damages.

Land, &c., taken possession of to vest in Government.

34. All buildings, land, earth, pathways, sluices, gates, bermes, hedges, belonging to, or forming part of, any embankment or watercourse, of which charge has been or may hereafter be taken by the officers of Government, shall vest in the Government, and shall be held on behalf of the Government in respect of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) annexed to this Act, and in respect of other works on behalf of the persons interested in the lands to be protected or benefited by such embankment or watercourse, subject to the provisions of Section 63; and all monies received on account of such lands shall be payable to the Engineer and credited to the cost of the construction and maintenance of such works respectively.

PART VI.

COST OF WORKS, PROCEEDINGS, &C.

1. *Ascertainment thereof.*

Embankments in Schedule (D).

35. The provisions in this Part contained shall not apply to any of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) to this Act annexed, save so far as any works or repairs are executed therein or in relation thereto under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act; or to any of such embankments as may hereafter be erected for the protection of lands which at the time of the passing of this Act are protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule, save so far as the erection of such embankments may protect lands not protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule. All sums payable in respect of any works or repairs executed therein, or in relation to the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule except under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act, shall be paid by the Government.

Exclusion from Schedule.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II of this Act, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interests to retain any embankment mentioned in Schedule (D), the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that the same shall be no longer included in the said schedule. Provided that the Lieutenant-Governor may restore the same to the said schedule if on any subsequent inquiry similarly conducted it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor that it is necessary so to do.

Addition to Schedule.

The Lieutenant-Governor may at any time after the passing of this Act, by a notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that any embankment not mentioned in Schedule (D) be included in the said schedule, and the provisions of this section shall apply to such embankment.

Contribution of public money towards the maintenance of the embankments in the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (F) to be continued.

36. In accordance with the custom heretofore in force in respect of the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) annexed to this Act, the Government shall continue to contribute annually the sum noted therein for each

pergunnah respectively towards the maintenance of the embankments thereof.

If such embankments are declared to be public, Collector to keep a separate account.

If the embankments maintained in any such pergunnah shall at any time be declared to be public embankments under the provisions of Section 4, the Collector shall, from the date of such declaration, keep a separate account for such pergunnah, in which the aforesaid sum shall be credited at the commencement of each financial year. The unexpended balance at the close of each year shall be carried on to the credit of the account in the next succeeding year, and shall be available for the cost of repairing or erecting all the embankments which it may be deemed necessary to maintain in such pergunnah.

Contribution may be discontinued if it be found unnecessary for the public interest to maintain the embankments.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on an inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interest to retain any embankment in either of the said pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that such contribution shall cease in respect of such pergunnah. Provided that such contribution shall again be made in accordance with the provisions hereinbefore contained, if it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor, on the report of an inquiry similarly conducted, that the maintenance of any embankment in such pergunnah has again become necessary for the public interest.

Estimates and specifications to be prepared.

37. Specifications of any works or repairs to be executed under the provisions of this Act, and estimates of the expenses to be incurred therein or relating thereto, including such proportion of establishment charges as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, shall be prepared by the Engineer as soon after the month of October in each year as may be practicable. And whenever it appears that the actual expenses to be incurred will exceed the amount mentioned in the said estimates by one-tenth, the Engineer shall forthwith prepare further estimates, and, if necessary, further specifications. Copies of all specifications and estimates shall be transmitted to the office of the Collector, together with vernacular translations thereof, or such abstracts thereof as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time direct, and may be examined by any person interested in such works or repairs. Notice of the receipt of specifications and estimates shall be served for all estates chargeable for, or likely to be affected by, the said works or repairs; and should any objection in regard to the amount of such expenses be preferred by any such person within a period of one month from the date of such notice, the Collector shall pass such orders as may appear to him reasonable and proper. Such order shall be subject in any case to an appeal by the person making such objection to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Preparation and settlement of accounts.

38. The accounts of the actual expense incurred in executing any works or repairs shall be prepared as soon as possible after the completion thereof. The Engineer shall sign a certificate stating the true amount of all such expenses, and the names of the estates chargeable for, and of the estates and villages affected by, the said works and repairs. Copies of the said accounts and certificates shall be forwarded to the office of the Collector, and may be there examined by any person interested. Notice of the receipt thereof shall be served for the said estates and villages, and such others as in the opinion of the Collector are liable to contribute to the payment of the said amount; and if, within thirty days from the service of such notice, any interested person shall object to the accounts on the ground either that the work charged for has not been performed, or that the whole sum charged has not been expended, or that the rates of charge are higher than those mentioned in the estimates, the Collector shall inquire into such objection, and may pass any order thereon subject in any case to an appeal by the objector to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Total sum payable.

39. The Collector shall add to the amount appearing in the said certificate all sums which have been paid or have become payable in respect of compensation, costs and expenses under and incidental to any proceedings taken or directed to be taken under Parts II and V of this Act, including costs of all surveys and plans. He shall thereupon make an order specifying the total sum found payable, and in respect of works done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the persons by whom, or in respect of other works the estates in respect of which, the same is payable to him. If the order is made in respect of work done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the same shall forthwith be served upon the party or parties liable to pay; otherwise the Collector shall proceed under the provisions in the next chapter contained.

Interest.

Interest may be charged upon any sum paid as compensation from the date of payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding 5 per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct.

Parties liable to pay.

40. The said total sum, save so far as is otherwise provided in this Act, shall be paid to the Collector by the zemindars of the estates in which are situated the lands benefited or protected by the repairs or works executed. Provided that where any specific sum has hitherto been annually demanded in respect of any embankment not included in Schedule (D), and when the said embankment is at the time of this Act coming into operation being maintained by Government, then such special payments shall, after the passing of this Act, thenceforth cease and determine.

Every zemindar, who is liable under this rule for the payment of the whole or a portion of such total sum, shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of every tenure which is declared to be a part of his estate, the sum apportioned to such tenure by the Collector, under the provisions of Section 45. And similarly, every proprietor shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of any subordinate tenure which is declared to be a part of his tenure, the sum apportioned to such subordinate tenure by the Collector, under the said provisions.

2. *Apportionment thereof.*

Notice to be given before apportionment.

41. So soon as the total sum payable as aforesaid has been ascertained, the Collector shall cause a notice to be served for every

one of the said estates and villages mentioned in Section 38. Every such notice shall specify the estates and villages aforesaid, and that an inquiry will be held at a day and place therein named for the purpose of apportioning amongst the zemindars and proprietors the said total sum, with interest and the costs of apportionment.

Mode of inquiry as to the proportion chargeable to each estate.

42. On the day fixed in the said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days later than the date of any service of such notice, the Collector shall proceed to make the said inquiry. In making this inquiry he shall receive such evidence as may be tendered by, or on behalf of, the said zemindars and proprietors, and by, or on behalf of, any other persons who may claim to be interested therein.

Names of proprietors.

43. In any such inquiry the Collector shall take down in writing the names of all persons who may claim, or who may be alleged by any party interested, to be proprietors of tenures within any of the estates mentioned in such notice. In default of appearance of any such person, the Collector shall issue and serve a notice calling on him to appear at a date and place therein mentioned, and to show cause against being included in the order of apportionment to be made therein, and shall adjourn the inquiry till such date.

Apportionment amongst zemindars.

44. At such or any subsequently adjourned inquiry, the Collector, if there be only one estate liable, shall charge the zemindar thereof with the total amount payable; and if there be two or more estates, he shall apportion the same amongst the zemindars thereof, rateably in proportion to the respective benefits derived by such estates from such works or repairs; or in proportion to the areas of the lands benefited or protected thereby, and comprised within such estates respectively; or with the sanction of the local Government in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates, if, before the passing of this Act, such proportion has been usually adopted.

Provided that the said total amount payable in respect of the embankments on the right bank of the river Gunduk shall be chargeable, in accordance with the custom in force for such estates, to the zemindars of all the estates situated in the district of Sarun, in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates.

Proviso in respect of the pergunnahs in Schedule (E.)

Provided also that the sum standing to the credit of a pergunnah in Schedule (E) in the account kept by the Collector, at the time when the total amount payable is fixed under the provisions of Section 39, shall be deducted from the total amount payable in respect of such portion of any embankment as is situated in such pergunnah; and that the zemindars of the estates situated therein shall be charged only with the balance of the amount (if any) which may remain payable.

Apportionment amongst proprietors.

45. The Collector shall, in like manner, apportion, except in respect of the said Gunduk embankments, the amount payable in respect of each estate amongst all the tenures therein rateably in the proportion of benefit so received or area so benefited or protected, first deducting therefrom such sum as, on the like principle of proportion, is payable in respect of such portion of the estate as is not included within any tenure.

Apportionment where the lands held without payment of rent, not being estates on the register of revenue-free tenures.

46. All lands held without payment of rent not being estates entered in the register of revenue-free tenures, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to form a part of the tenure within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any tenure, then to be a part of the estate within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any estate, then to be a part of such conterminous estate as the Collector, in whose district such conterminous estate is situated, shall, by an order under his seal and signature, declare.

Amount apportioned payable by instalments.

47. The amount apportioned to any estate or tenure shall be payable in equal instalments on such days as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, provided that no instalment shall exceed four annas for every acre of land in respect of which the same is payable, and that not more than four instalments shall be payable in any one year.

Interest.

Interest shall be charged on the unpaid portion of the said amount from the date of the same becoming due until payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding five per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time determine.

Final order of apportionment.

48. On the completion of the apportionment the Collector shall make an order specifying the estates and tenures, and the several sums payable in respect thereof, the instalments of such sums, and the dates on which the same are payable.

3. *Recovery thereof.*

Orders for payment.

49. The Collector shall, within thirty days from the final order of apportionment, make and serve for every estate therein mentioned an order, stating the amount with interest due in respect thereof, and that the same is payable to him, and the date or dates at which such amount or instalments thereof shall become payable to him.

Recovery from zemindars.

50. If such sum or any instalment thereof be not, pursuant to the said order, paid, the same with interest shall be recoverable as arrears of a demand under the provisions of Bengal Act VII of 1868 (*to make further provision for the recovery of arrears of land revenue and public demands recoverable as arrears of land revenue*).

Recovery by zemindars or proprietors.

51. Every zemindar or proprietor to whom any sum or instalment thereof is payable under the said order, may recover the same with interest as aforesaid in the manner provided for the recovery of arrears of rent in respect of putnee tenures by the provisions of Clauses 2 and 3 of Section 8, Sections 9, 10, 14, 15, and Clauses 1, 2,

and 3 of Section 17 of Regulation VIII of 1819, as amended by Bengal Act VIII of 1865; provided that the right or interest of any person holding from the proprietor of such tenure shall not be affected by any sale held under these provisions.

PART VII.

Miscellaneous.

Penalty for obstructing persons in exercise of powers of Act.

52. Whoever wilfully obstructs any person duly authorized under this Act in removing or levelling any embankment, house, hut, or other building, or in the lawful exercise of any of the powers in this Act conferred, shall, in case such obstruction shall not amount to an offence within the provisions of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for any period not exceeding six months, at the discretion of the Magistrate, or to fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, commutable, if not paid, to a period of imprisonment not exceeding six months.

Penalty on unauthorized interference with embankments or drainage.

53. Every person who, without the previous permission of the Engineer, shall erect, or cause or wilfully permit to be erected, any new embankment, or shall obstruct or divert, or cause or wilfully permit to be obstructed or diverted, any watercourse, if such embankment or watercourse is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede, any public embankment or any public watercourse, or shall abet any such act, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or in default of payment, to imprisonment of either description for a period not exceeding six months.

Penalties for injuring works under Act.

54. No person shall, without due authority, cut through, or attempt to cut through, any public embankment, or destroy, or attempt to destroy any such embankment, or open or shut, or obstruct any sluice in any such embankment, or any public watercourse; and every person who shall commit any breach of the provisions of this section shall, in case the act shall not amount to mischief within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding one month, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Penalties for diverting rivers or permitting cattle to graze on embankments.

55. Every person who shall make any dam or other obstruction for the purpose of diverting or opposing the current of a river, wherein or whereon there are public embankments, without the permission of the officer in immediate charge of the embankments, or shall refuse or neglect to remove any such dam or obstruction when so required by the Engineer, or shall cut or otherwise alter the banks of any embanked river, or shall remove the earth from any public embankment, or shall drive stakes into it, or by any other wilful act destroy or diminish the efficiency of such embankment; and every person who shall cause or knowingly and wilfully permit any cattle to graze upon any such embankment, or shall tether, or cause or wilfully permit any cattle to be tethered upon any such embankment, or who shall root up any grass or other vegetation growing on any such embankment, shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Obstructions to be removed and damage repaired.

56. Whenever any person is convicted of an offence under either of the three last preceding sections, the convicting Magistrate may order that he shall remove the embankment or obstruction, or repair the damage, in respect of which the conviction is held, within a period to be fixed in such order. If such person neglects or refuses to obey such order within the fixed period, the Engineer may remove such embankment or obstruction or repair such damage, and the cost of such removal or repair shall be levied from such person in addition to any other penalty in the manner provided in Section 307 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Service.

57. Every proclamation, notice or order in and by this Act required to be served may, unless when otherwise provided, be served—

(1) by delivering a copy of the same to the person to whom it is directed, or on failure of such service by posting a copy on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person resides, or by delivering a copy to any agent authorized to appear generally for the person to whom such proclamation, notice or order is directed; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing a copy of such proclamation, notice or order directed to the said person at his usual place of abode, or at the place where he may be known to reside; or

(3) by posting a copy of the proclamation, notice or order at the mal-cutcherry of the estate, village or tenure to which the same relates; or if no such mal-cutcherry be found, on some conspicuous place on the said estate, village or tenure, and by delivering, in the case of estates paying their annual revenue by four instalments, another copy thereof to the agent who shall have paid an instalment of revenue next before or after the preparation of such proclamation, notice or order. In all cases where two or more persons are holders of an estate, village or tenure service under this clause shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service on each and all of such persons.

No proceedings to be impeached for want of form.

58. No proceedings under this Act shall be impeached or affected by reason of any mistake in the name of any person thereby rendered liable to pay any sum of money, or in the description of any estate or tenure or land in respect of which he is rendered liable to pay; provided the directions of this Act be in substance and effect complied with; and no proceedings under this Act shall for want of form be quashed or set aside in any Court of Justice.

Appeal from orders made on objection.

59. Every order passed by the Collector in respect to applications under Section 4, Clauses 6 and 7, or under Sections 8, 39, and 48, shall be appealable to the Commissioner of Revenue, and every order of the Commissioner, except when otherwise directed by this Act, shall be appealable to the Board of Revenue, but no appeal shall lie under this section against any order unless the same be presented within one month from the date of the order.

Orders to be final.

60. Subject to the right of appeal above mentioned and to the order and control of Government, every order passed under the provisions aforesaid shall be final, and shall not be open to revision by any Civil Court.

Powers on inquiry and appeal.

61. In any inquiry or appeal held under this Act, the Collector and the Commissioner shall respectively have the same powers as those conferred on Courts by the Code of Civil Procedure of summoning and examining witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

General control of Commissioner and Government.

62. All the powers of a Collector under this Act shall be exercised under the general control and orders of the Commissioner of the Division, and all the powers of Collectors and Commissioners shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Board of Revenue and of the Government.

Disposal of lands no longer required for embankments.

63. Whenever the maintenance of any public embankment, or the retention of any land appropriated to the purposes thereof, may no longer be required, and the permanent relinquishment of the same may be deemed expedient, such land shall be conveyed by the Collector to the proprietor of the land, within the limits of which it may be situated, on payment of the compensation, if any, which was paid for such land when the same was taken for the purpose of the embankment. If the proprietor of such lands refuse or neglect to pay such price within a reasonable time after demand, the same shall be sold by the Collector for such price as he can obtain for the same. All sums obtained for the conveyance of lands under the provisions of this section shall, after the payment of all expenses incurred on account of the same, be applied to the payment of the cost of any new embankment or drainage works affecting the said lands, and in such case the residue only of the cost of such new works shall be charged upon the zemindars of estates benefited as hereinbefore provided.

Collector may delegate any of his powers to a Deputy Collector.

64. A Collector may delegate any of his powers under this Act to a Deputy Collector, but from any order passed by a Deputy Collector to whom powers have been so delegated, an appeal shall lie to the Collector if presented within thirty days of the date of the order.

Jurisdiction.

65. All offences created by this Act shall be inquired into and tried by a Magistrate of the first or second class.

Saving of Bengal Act V of 1871.

66. Nothing in this Act shall affect the provisions of "the Hooghly and Burdwan Drainage Act 1871."

SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

SCHEDULE A.—(*Referred to in Section* 5.)

All persons interested are hereby required to take notice that it is my intention to [*here state the nature of the work to be undertaken*] for the purpose of [*state the purpose*]. For the execution of this work the undermentioned land will be required to be taken up:—

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Area of land.

Plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed work, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said work, are open for inspection by any interested person at this office who is allowed to take copies thereof.

The total probable cost of such work will be the sum of Rs. , and the rate per acre of the area benefited or protected by the said work is estimated at Rs. .

The following estates and villages will probably be affected by the work proposed [*here set out a list of the estates and villages*] :

Any person interested and desirous of showing cause against the execution of the works specified, is hereby required to appear before the Collector for that purpose on the day of

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE B.—(*Referred to in Section* 12.)

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the land hereunder specified has been taken up and notice thereof has been given to the Collector of

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Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Approximate boundaries and area of land.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE C.—(*Referred to in Section* 26.)

All persons interested are required to take notice that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the Collector of has taken possession on account of the Government of [*here state particulars of the land taken*], and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land must be made to the Collector. All persons having any such claims are therefore required to appear personally or by agent on day of at , and to state the nature of their respective interests in such land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE D.—(*Referred to in Sections* 34, 35, *and* 40.)

No. 1.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Isnagore to Kola.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 3 miles 4,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Isnagore of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kola in the said pergunnah.

No. 2.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Chota Roopram to Narooa.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 4 miles 770 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Chota Roopram of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Narooa in the said pergunnah.

No. 3.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Srirampore to Ganchia.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 7 miles 2,686 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Srirampore of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ganchia in the said pergunnah.

No. 4.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Kursi to Kulakuri.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 6 miles 5,265 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Kursi of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kulakuri in the said pergunnah.

No. 5.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Bagputta to Radhachuck.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 20 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bagputta of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Radhachuck of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 6.

Left Embankment of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers, 5 miles 250 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Ramnagur of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gasna of Pergunnah Jehanabad.

No. 7.

Right Embankment of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers, 6 miles 3,200 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Digra of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sowey of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 8.

Left Embankment on the Bukhshi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Bukhshi Khall, 6 miles 4,330 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bukhshi of Pergunnah Karijee Mundleghaut, and near the junction of the Roopnarain River and Bukhshi Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gyghattee in the said pergunnah where the Gyghattee Khall leaves the Damoodah.

No. 9.

Right Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the River Roopnarain, 29 miles 2,373 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground distant 57 feet south-east by compass from the Machnan masonry sluice on the right bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, in the village of Machnan of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the zero mile-post on the bank of the Tidal Canal, Reach I. This mile-post bears 500 feet south-west by compass from the Canal Toll-house, in the village of Camalpore of Pergunnah Mysadul.

No. 10.

Right Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,410 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 187 feet west of a temple on the Tumlook Road, in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 11.

Left Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,370 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, and on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 12.

Right Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 3,430 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soodhapore of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 675 feet east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice, in the village of Syedpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 13.

Left Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 1,670 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Mysda of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 170 feet north-east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, in the village of Rogonathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 14.

Right Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 3,990 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar, in the village of Jasamnathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 15.

Left Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 1,690 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Hugla in the said pergunnah.

No. 16.

Right Embankment on the Doobachutty Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Doobachutty Khall, 1 mile 3,510 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at a distance of 550 feet north north-east of the Bhoodah Factory Chimney in the village of Bhoodah of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 57 feet south-east of the Machnan masonry sluice, in the village of Machnan in the said pergunnah.

No. 17.

Mohunkhally Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 28 miles 3,258 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the village of Kooltigree where the Mohunkhally River runs into the Roopnarain River, and passing along the right bank of the Mohunkhally River through the villages of Joligunsam, Seetapore, Manoo to Basantopore, where the Mohunkhally and Doobachutty Rivers bifurcate, thence skirting the left bank of the Doobachutty River it passes through the villages of Shahpore, Bosorepore, and Barmogria to Kachara, thence skirting the Roopnarain, right bank, it passes through the village of Doodcoura and Bagchina, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 18.

Pannah Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 9 miles 3,640 feet more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its junction with the Cossye River near a temple, in the village of Bargobindoo, Pergunnah Barda. It passes through the villages of Baramdi and Raneebazar on the left bank of the Selye River and then along the right bank of the Kanta Khall through the villages of Bhaugadow, Parna, Baramdijheel, Tubli and Dhurmpore, and terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 19.

Ghattal Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 10 miles 1,850 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its bifurcation with the Argor River, and passing along the *left* bank of the Selye River and through the villages of Srirampore, Bassodebpore, and Singpore, it skirts the right bank of the Argora Khall through the villages of Ramchunderpore, Rogonathchuck and others, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 20.

Sheikpore Circuit Embankment.

This a circuit embankment 18 miles 5,108 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the bifurcation of the Rivers Sankra and Jhoomee in the village of Sheikpore of Pergunnah Boyrah, and passing along the left bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Srimantpore, Anandopore, and Thakooranchuck, thence along the right bank of the Sankra River through the villages of Nursingchuck, Koolat, Goozrat, and others, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 21.

Khasbar Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 5 miles 5,240 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the point of bifurcation of the Jhoomee and Amada Rivers in the village of Lalchuck, Pergunnah Barda, and passing along the right bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Parbuttichuck, Prosadchuck, and Joybag, and thence along the left bank of the Amada River through the villages of Khasbar, Sowoi, and Lalchuck, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 22.

Chetooa Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 45 miles 1,420 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and Mohunkhally Khall in the village of Moishgatta, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and passing along the left bank of the Mohunkhally Khall through the villages of Dukinbar, Gowreechuck, Gobindnuggur, and Bosuntopore, thence along the left bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Kola, Moheshpore, Gocoolnuggur and Islampore, thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the villages of Soorutpore, Rogonathpore, and Konagore to the junction of the Selye and Roopnarain Rivers at Protabpore, and thence along the right bank of the Roopnarain River through the villages of Hurrishpore, Joleconaram, Raneechuck, and Gopeegunge, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 23.

Doosaspore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 2,350 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the right bank of the Cossye River, distant 704 feet and bearing 20° from the Doosaspore sluice in the village of Doosaspore of Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the right bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Nobintasdeopore, Koonjpore, Mohespore, Telondse, and Brickobanupore, thence passing along the left bank of the Petooa Khall through the villages of Futtehpore, Godyepore, and Dhamkola, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Kritibaspore, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 24.

Narajole Embankment.

This is an embankment 7 miles 1,735 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye river in the village of Samat, Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the left bank of the Cossye River to the village of Mudunmohunpore, and thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the village of Ramdebpore, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Chandikhally, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 25.

Bindabunchuck Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry Pillar built in the ground in the village of Bindabunchuck, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and running along the *right* bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 26.

Dhangaria Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 2,520 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Dhangaria, Pergunnah Jehanabad, and running along the *left* bank of the Roopnarain River, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 27.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 7 miles 3,980 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Gourbazar of Pergunnah Sheregarh, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Toomnee Khall with the Adjai River in the village of Kejladee of Pergunnah Shanpaharee.

No. 28.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 4 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground near a masonry sluice near the junction of the Toomnee and Balpaharee Khalls in the village of Bistopore of Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Urjunboonee in the said pergunnah.

No. 29.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 11 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Satkonea, Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sagurposta of Pergunnah Gopeebhoom.

No. 30.

Left Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Adjai River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Singhee of Pergunnah Azmutshahi, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bamoonea in the said pergunnah.

No. 31.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 4,488 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sadipore of Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 32.

Left Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Damoodah River, 107 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry

pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sillia, Pergunnah Champanuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Allipore of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 33.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Lakea, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bergang in the said pergunnah.

No. 34.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 3,828 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bulrampore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 35.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the villlage of Zangirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Srekistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 36.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 18 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Oozirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Dehi Barsut of Pergunnah Barsut.

No. 37

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 29 miles 3,560 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Gyghattee Khall with the Damoodah River in the village of Gyghattee, Pergunnah Arsa, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Roopnarain and Hughli Rivers at the 32nd milepost on the Roopnarain left embankment in the village of Magrapathur of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 38.

Left Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Roopnarain, 31 miles 3,762 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and the Bakhsee Khall in the village of Bakhsee, Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Hughli and Roopnarain Rivers at the 32nd milepost of the Roopnarain embankment in the village of Magrapathur, Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 39.

This is a continuous line of embankment 41 miles and 155 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Khodalgobra, Pergunnah Birkul, and running generally parallel with the coast line of the Bay of Bengal, terminates at a masonry pillar on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal.

No. 40.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal, and running along the right bank of the Russulpore River as far as the Contai and Tumlook Road, and thence along the right bank of the Serpai River, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta.

No. 41.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Russulpore River, 2 miles 4,868 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Sanberia, Pergunnah Bahirmutta.

No. 42.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Serpai River as far as the village of Kessoorkunda on the Contai and Midnapore Road, and thence in a northerly direction to Chowmook on the Bagdah River, and thence along the right bank of the Balliaghye Khall to the east of the Dhoobda Jheel, terminates at a masonry pillar on the sand ridge in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi.

No. 43.

This is a continuous line of embankment 17½ miles, more or less, in length. It commences at the great sea dyke, east of the Peechabunnee sluice, on the left bank of the Peechabunnee Khall, and running along the said bank as far as the masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi, and thence along the right bank, terminates at the great sea dyke west of the Peechabunnee sluice.

No. 44.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Bagdah River, 3 miles 2,528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Astichuck, Pergunnah Paharpore.

No. 45.

This is a continuous line of embankment 95 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the left bank of the Iktiarpore Khall to its junction with the Madakhally River, thence running along the left bank of the Madakhally River to the Chowdachoolee Inspection Bungalow at the confluence of the Russulpore River and the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall, thence running along the left bank of the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall to its embouchure in the Bay of Bengal, thence running parallel to the coast line as far as the mouth of the River Huldee, thence following the right bank of this river as far as the junction of the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers, and lastly running along the right bank of the Kaliaghye River, terminates at a masonry pillar at the village of Nilkantapore, Pergunnah Jalamutta.

No. 46.

This is a continuous line of embankment 5 miles, more or less, in length on the right bank of the Kaliaghye River. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Kharan, Pergunnah Pataspore, and terminates at another masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 47.

This is a circuit embankment 34 miles 1,000 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground near the Barju Ghaut in the village of Barju, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the right bank of the Madakhally River, the left bank of the Bagdah River, and the right bank of the Chackbowani Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Barju, Simulbari, Dismila, Khamgara, Idalpore, Kalurathari, Lischintar, Ullalbara, Koniabar, Bhastagara, Khala Kalkadari, Sundarpore, Mallickpore, Ballabpore, Sukakhola, Udaypore, Gopalpore, Baro Adapore, Tamlapura, Chakbata, Calsai, Culbaria, Chakmathuri, Chakahabani Bhayrabdari, South Chando, Manglepore, Dakhindara, Partabdigi, Bamanbasan, Sitadigi, Kistanuggur, Panesoori, Sardabar, Mathura, Chakrosal Khacura, Mangalchuck, Tonabila, Arjanuggur, Purulia, Mahesda, Khamgara, Malda, Barjee, and Pergunnahs Narnamutta, Kismat Pataspore, Kismat Danto, Kharaig, Partabjhan, Pataspore, and Bhatgar.

No. 48.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,541 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall in the village of Naturea, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and passing through the villages of Udbadal, Champainuggur, Conasdigi, Nathara, Khatmari, Etabaria, Naudigi, Manikjar, Hasgoria, Manikjor, Basdebbaria, Patarbara, Pergunnah Narnamutta, terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 49.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,525 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Iktiarpore Khall, Madakhally River, and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Iktiarpore Khall in the village of Rogonathchuk, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Madakhally River, left bank of the Udbadal Khall, and right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Udbadal, Patna, Dumurdari, Podutardi, South Biada, Ichhapore, Pauchgaria, Bhupatinuggur, Rogonathchuck, Nandichuck, Khorinet, Gobindapore, Jogomohunpore, Champainuggur, Kanjadapore, Udbadal, and the Pergunnahs of Narnamutta and Koaal.

No. 50.

This is a continuous line of embankment 3 miles 3,255 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at a pillar in the village of Radhapore, Pergunnah Erinch.

No. 51.

This is a circuit embankment 7 miles 2,735 feet, more or less, in length, between the Kaliaghye River and the Bagui Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Kaliaghye River with the Bagui Khall in the village of Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, and passing through the villages of Gocoolpore, Gholahat, Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 52.

This is a circuit embankment 20 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the south side of the junction of the Thalputti Khall with the Russulpore River in the village of Gumgar, Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee, and running along the left bank of the Russulpore River to its confluence with the sea, then following the coast line to the embouchure of the Thalputti Khall in the Bay of Bengal, and thence running along the south bank of the Thalputti Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Gorabar, Debichuck, Dandchuck, Katka, Sampore, Baga, Padurbaria, Nenapata, Mohendranuggur, Kolagachia, Pauchbari, Osilchuck, Honabaria, Orukbaria, Salconda, Sahibchuck, Bamunchuck, Barabari, Phulbari and Mulichuck, all in the Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee.

No. 53.

This is a continuous line of embankment 60 miles 4,110 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye River in the village of Bargoda, Pergunnah Tumlook, and running along the left bank of the Cossye and Huldee Rivers to the confluence of the latter with the River Hooghly, and thence along the right bank

of the Hooghly and Roopnarain Rivers, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Banka, about one-fourth of a mile north of a Hindu temple, on the left bank of the Banka Khall.

No. 54.

This is a circuit embankment 12 miles 2,550 feet, more or less, in length, situated between the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the said rivers, and running along the left bank of the Kaliaghye River and the right bank of the Cossye River, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Purso, Nonakhari, Lachanpore, Narkuldi, Soonabhoy, Asnan, Chaundibarya, Machodal, Kholakhally, Kalkadari, Pauchpukhiria, Kistochuck, and Salugaria, all in the Pergunnah Tumlook.

No. 55.

Rampore Beauleah old Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 17,700 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kasubpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar to be fixed at the village Talliamuree, Pergunnah Laskarpore.

No. 56.

Rampore Beauleah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 8,130 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Bolanpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kudulkuttee, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, where it joins the road to Dinagepore.

No. 57.

Maldah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Mahanuddy River, 11,519 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kootubpore, Pergunnah Ameerabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Moheshpore, Pergunnah Vatra.

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No. 58.

Left Embankment on the River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the River Hooghly, 5 miles 4,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at Munneekhallee Khall at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Juggonnathnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of the Hooghly River and Churrial Khall.

No. 59.

Right bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Churrial Khall, 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of Hooghly River and Churrial Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ghurbanmonea, on the north bank of Churrial Khall near the junction of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road.

No. 60.

Left bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Churrial Khall, 3,280 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore near the junction of left bank of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village of Joychundeepore near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall.

No. 61.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 19 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore, near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall, and continues along the left bank of Hooghly River to Poojallee Khall, on both sides of Poojallee Khall, between the River Hooghly and the road leading from Calcutta to Atcheepore, and again down the left bank of the River Hooghly to the right bank of Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 62.

Right bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta, on the north side of the khall near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Fulta Khall in the village of Soharah.

No. 63.

Left bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,360 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Fulta Khall, in the village of Bosoodeapore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 64.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 11 miles 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemool-

gunge, on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River.

No. 65.

Right bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 3,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemulgunge on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the khall in the village of Durree Govindpore.

No. 66.

Left bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 4,800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, in the village of Jungalparah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Ramchundernuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall.

No. 67.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 3 miles 2,260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Ramchunderpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 68.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 7 miles 3,100 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek in the village of Dearnah.

No. 69.

Left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 6 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Dearnah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 70.

Left bank of the Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 71.

Right bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Janikeemaree.

No. 72.

Left bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Gourypore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 73.

Left bank of River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore.

No. 74.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 8 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore, and terminates at a masonry pillar near the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore.

No. 75.

Right bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah.

No. 76.

Left bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, 9 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee.

No. 77.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 26 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant.

No. 78.

Right Bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 602 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, near a drainage sluice

No. 79.

Left bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 2,040 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Kamaratha.

No. 80.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 19 miles, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Kharee Khall, in the village of Kamaratha, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee.

No. 81.

Right bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Pealee River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee.

No. 82.

Right bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Soorjipore, or Puschunbahum Khall, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee, and terminates at Puschunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah.

No. 83.

Left bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Soorjipore or Puschunbahum Khall, 4 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a Puchunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall, in the village of Ramnuggur.

No. 84.

Right bank of the Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left side of Pealee River, 9 miles 2,160 feet, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall in the village of Ramnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Saungur, near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 85.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 3 miles 3,960 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River in Soonderbun lot, No. 45, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Baugmaree Khall, in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River with Baugmaree Khall.

No. 86.

Left bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Baugmaree Khall, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River and Baugmaree Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Ath Ramdhur.

No. 87.

Right bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right side of Baugmaree Khall, 1 mile 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Koolauree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe.

No. 88.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Pealee River, 4 miles 2,460 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Povan, about a quarter of a mile north of the Calcutta and South-Eastern Railway.

No. 89.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Shrikishenpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 90.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree River.

This is a continuous embankment on the righ, bank of Biddiadhuree River, 8 miles, more or lesst

in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhurree River, in the village of Balleahpore, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the same river near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 91.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 2 miles 3,120 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar near the junction of the Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers, in the village of Saungur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near its junction with Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur.

No. 92.

South side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous embankment on south side of Tolly's Canal, 10 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, near the junction of Biddiadhuree River and Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the south side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Kurramabad.

No. 93.

North side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the north side of Tolly's Canal, 2 miles 4,020 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the north side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Nowabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the jungle in the village of Tehooraha.

No. 94.

Bhagiruttee Embankments.

This is a line of disconnected embankment on the left bank of the Bhagiruttee River, extending from Plassey Bazar, Pergunnah Plassey, District Nuddea, to Dadmootee, Pergunnah Rokunpore, district Moorshedabad, a distance of about 93 miles.

No. 95.

Katcheekuta Embankment.

This is a continuous line of embankment about 4,000 feet in length on the right bank of the Matabhanga River. It commences in the village of Luckimpore, Pergunnah Bajpore, District Nuddea, and terminates at the bottom of the new cut opposite the village of Radhakantpore, in the same pergunnah and district.

SCHEDULE E —*(Referred to in sections 36 and 44.)*

Pergunnah.	District.	Amount of contribution.
		Rs A. P.
Futtehsingh ...	Moorshedabad ...	1,706 10 8
Rokunpore ...	Ditto ...	1,466 2 0

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[Fourth Publication.]

THE following Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein, together with the Bill as amended by the Committee, is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee appointed to consider the Bill "to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," have the honor to make the following report :—

From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 7th March 1873.
From Offg. Secretary Landholders' Association, dated 6th March 1873.
From Secretary, India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited, dated 17th March 1873.
From the Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 11th March 1873.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 11th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Goalundo, dated 13th March 1873.
From Medical Inspector of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
Remarks and suggestions of the Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta.
From Offg. Magistrate of Sylhet, dated 20th March 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Seebsaugor, dated 21st March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 24th March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 31st March 1873.
Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 3rd April 1873.
From Under-Secretary, Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Revenue, and Commerce, dated 19th April 1873.
Notes by the Agent to the Governor-General, North-East Frontier, and Commissioner of Assam.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 9th June 1873, and enclosures.
Petition of certain contractors under Act II of 1870.
From Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 19th July 1873.

We have received and considered the papers noted in the margin.

We have made numerous alterations in the draft of the Bill, restoring in many cases the language of Act II of 1870, for instance, in Sections 11, 14, 35, 38, 62, 73, 84, 94, 97, 99, 109, 111, 116, 117, 122, and 125. We have altered the definition of "emigrant" and of "magistrate," and in reference to the latter we have specified in Section 93 the sections under which a Subordinate Magistrate may be deputed to act.

We have omitted the provisions relating to evidence in Sections 28, 62, 63, 66, 106, and 133, and the references to the Penal Code in Sections 13, 103, 108, and 132. We have omitted Section 12, the Council of India having brought in a Bill to deal with the subject of it. We have also omitted the definition of "servant" from Section 3; Clauses 4, 15, and 16 from Section 5; and the following sections or parts of sections :—Sections 26, 34 (last part), 42, 65, 67, 83 (last part), 97, 109 (last part), 112, 116 (last sentence), 122 (proviso), 124 (last sentence), and 140.*

We have not required that a garden-sirdar should pay a fee for having his certificate countersigned under Section 19, or that a recruiter should pay a fee to the medical officer for a certificate under Section 45. We have slightly altered the constitution of the Labor Transport Fund to meet the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code, Section 308.

We have given power to a Magistrate to advance any sum which a garden-sirdar may be ordered to pay to an emigrant under Section 31 and to recover the amount from the employer with interest; and we have provided that interest shall be recoverable on sums advanced by a Magistrate under Sections 79, 80, 81, and 86.

We have reduced the amount of fine which may be imposed under Sections 66, 67, 72, 75, 77, and 94. We have given power to the Lieutenant-Governor to affix penalties to the breach of rules framed by him under Section 5, and we have provided that the penalties (if any) shall be published with the rules.

We have required (in Sections 22, 46) that the garden-sirdar or recruiter, as the case may be, shall produce his certificate or license when he appears with a recruit before a

* In this paragraph the numbers of the sections refer to the Bill as preliminarily amended by the Select Committee. Elsewhere the numbers refer to the sections of the Bill as re-amended.

Magistrate for registration. We have struck out the provision that a recruiter shall wear a badge. We have given the same power of cancelling the license or certificate of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar under Sections 21, 36, and 41. We have substituted the word "rice" for "food" in Sections 5 (clause 13), 17, 23, 46, and 114.

We have slightly modified Sections 67, 119, 120, and 135.

We have annexed as Schedules to the Act forms of a garden-sirdar's certificate of a contract between emigrant and employer, and of a certificate of release on determination of contract. We have omitted Schedule D.

We have also made many verbal alterations.

G. C. PAUL.
V. H. SCHALCH.
H. L. DAMPIER.
C. E. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

The 25th August 1873.

As I am going to England for three or four months, I shall be unable to sign the final report of the Select Committee, but having attended nearly all meetings up to this date, I wish to record my general assent to the Bill with the alterations and amendments agreed to by the Select Committee so far as they have at present been considered, *viz.*, to Section 99.

25th June 1873.

B. D. COLVIN.

I agree to the report, but think that the objections raised to the Sections CV, CVIII, CIX, and CXI in Act II of 1870 (being part of the Bill, Sections 125, 126, 127, and 128,) still hold good.

T. M. ROBINSON.

RE-AMENDED BILL.

A Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law regulating the emigration of native inhabitants of India from or through the provinces subject to the Government of Bengal to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and the manner of engaging and contracting with native inhabitants of the said provinces to proceed to the said districts, and providing for the protection of the persons so proceeding, and for the enforcement of the contracts of service entered into by them; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Chapter I.—Application and Miscellaneous.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Labor Districts Emigration Act."

Repeal of Act II of 1870.

2. Bengal Act II of 1870 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to the transport of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and their employment (herein)* is hereby repealed. All contracts entered into, appointments made, and licenses granted, under the said Act or any of the Acts thereby repealed, shall be deemed to have been respectively entered into, made, and granted under this Act.

Interpretation clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

India.

"India" means the territories for the time being vested in Her Majesty by the Statute 21 and 22 Vic., cap. 106, entitled "*An Act for the better government of India,*" other than the settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore, and Malacca.

Labor Districts.

"The Labor Districts" means the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and "a labor district" means one of those districts.

Magistrate.

"Magistrate" includes a magistrate of a district or of a division of a district, and any magistrate of the first and second class, and any magistrate of police for the town of Calcutta.

Employer.

"Employer" means the chief person for the time being in charge of any lands upon which laborers may be employed.

Emigrant.

"Emigrant" means any native of India above the age of sixteen years who has engaged with any gardensirdar or recruiter to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and has been registered as hereinafter provided.

Laborer.

"Laborer" means any emigrant who has been conveyed to a labor district in accordance with a contract made under the provisions of Bengal Act III of 1863, Bengal Act VI of 1865, Bengal Act II of 1870, or this Act, during the duration of such contract.

Vessel.

"Vessel" includes a steamer, a flat, a boat, and anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property.

Master.

"Master" means the person for the time being in charge of a vessel.

Provisions regarding emigration not to apply to domestic servants, or to persons proceeding alone.

4. The provisions of part II of this Act regarding emigration shall not apply to domestic servants, or to any person proceeding alone, or accompanied by his family only, or to any persons not exceeding twenty in number proceeding to a labor district to labor for hire, without the intervention, direct or indirect, of any person employed to induce natives of India to emigrate to a labor district. In computing the number of persons two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

Power of the Lieutenant-Governor to make rules.

5. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act, and from time to time alter, vary, and revoke such rules:—

(1)—To regulate the subordination of the several officers of emigration to the superintendent.

(2)—To prescribe the periodical returns and reports to be made by the emigration officers, by magistrates, and by the inspectors of laborers.

(3)—To prescribe the amount of the several fees to be paid under the provisions of this Act.

(4)—To provide for the management and regulation of contractors' depôts and of hospital depôts.

(5)—To provide for the medical care of emigrants during their residence at the depôts and during transport to a labor district.

(6)—To prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be carried on vessels taking emigrants.

(7)—To prescribe the clothing to be supplied to emigrants while proceeding to a labor district.

(8)—To prescribe the description, quantity, and quality of provisions to be taken by vessels carrying emigrants, and the daily allowance to be issued to each emigrant during the journey.

(9)—To provide for the ventilation and cleanliness of vessels during the journey, to prescribe the number of officers, cooks, and other servants, and to provide for their control; and to provide generally for the accommodation of emigrants.

(10)—To provide for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of all emigrants detained at any place by order of a magistrate on account of sickness.

(11)—To provide for the periodical inspection of laborers, and the books to be kept by inspectors of laborers.

(12)—To provide for the house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and supply of rice to be provided by employers for their laborers.

(13)—To provide for the hospital accommodation and medical care of laborers, and to prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be provided for them.

The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time fix penalties not inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act for infringements of any such rules, which may be enforced and recovered as other penalties under this Act on conviction by a magistrate. Provided that no penalty shall exceed five hundred rupees.

All such rules, with the penalties (if any) for their infringement, shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall be separately printed and sold to the public at 4 annas for each copy.

Contract made with emigrant is a charge upon the land;

6. Every contract made with an emigrant, and all arrears of wages due under any such contract, and all fines imposed on any employer under the provisions of this Act, shall be a charge upon the lands upon which such laborer has been engaged to work.

and is transferred with the land.

The owner of such lands for the time being shall have all rights and remedies against such laborer, as if such owner had been originally the party executing such contract as employer.

Determination of ownership determines liability.

No person, after he has ceased to be the owner of such lands, nor his property nor effects, shall be in anywise liable or responsible for any breach of such contract which may have occurred after he has ceased to be such owner.

Any person above the age of 16 years may contract.

7. Any engagement or contract made under the provisions of this Act by a native of India, who is above the age of sixteen years, shall be held valid.

Procedure on trial of offences created by Act.

8. All offences against this Act committed without the town of Calcutta shall be inquired into and tried according to the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and all offences against this Act committed within the said town shall be inquired into and tried by a police magistrate of the said town according to the provisions of the laws regulating the investigation and trial of offences within the said town, which shall be for the time being in force.

Penalty for any offence not especially provided for.

9. For every offence against the provisions of this Act, for which no special penalty or amount of fine is prescribed, the offender shall on conviction by a Magistrate be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees. Wherever in this Act no special term of imprisonment is appointed in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall be liable to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding one month.

PART II.—EMIGRATION.

Chapter 2.—Restrictions and Appointment of Officers.

Power to prevent emigration of laborers.

10. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in case he shall be of opinion that the emigration of natives of India from any district, or to any particular part of any labor district, for the purpose of becoming laborers, is likely to be attended with danger to the health of any native so emigrating or others, or if the Lieutenant-Governor has reason to believe that a political disturbance is likely to occur in any labor district, to prohibit, by an order under his hand, the emigration of such natives from such district, or to such labor district or particular part thereof, and from time to time to revoke or vary any such order; and every such order or variation or revocation thereof shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Penalty on engaging natives contrary to such order.

11. Any person who shall knowingly engage native so to emigrate while any such emigration shall be prohibited under the provisions of the last preceding section, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees for every native who may have been so engaged.

Appointment of superintendent of emigration, embarkation agents, and medical inspectors.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a proper person to be the superintendent of emigration at Calcutta, and may also appoint proper persons to be embarkation agents and medical inspectors of emigrants at any places where he may think proper, and define by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* the local limits within which each such officer shall exercise the powers and authority conferred upon him by this Act. He may at any time suspend or remove any such officer.

Employer may recruit by garden-sirdar.

13. It shall be lawful for any employer to engage, by the agency of a garden-sirdar, or by the agency of a contractor, natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire upon lands of which such employer is in charge.

Superintendent may license contractors and recruiters.

14. It shall be lawful for the superintendent of emigration to grant to such persons as he may think fit licenses to act as contractors for engaging and supplying persons for the purpose of laboring for hire in the labor-districts, or to act in behalf of some contractor as recruiters for engaging persons to proceed to the said districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire.

Natives of India shall not be engaged to proceed to the labor districts, or be conveyed there, save under this Act.

15. From and after the commencement of this Act, whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, engage any native of India in any of the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to proceed to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire; and whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, convey any such native through any of the said provinces to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every person so engaged or conveyed.

Penalty

No person not licensed as a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, may engage or contract to supply laborers.

16. Whoever, not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall otherwise than through or by the agency of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar engage any native of India to proceed to any of the labor-

districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and whoever, not being a contractor, shall enter into any contract to supply, or shall supply, or shall transfer or make over whether to a recruiter or any other person, any such native for the purpose of laboring for hire in any of the labor districts; and whoever not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall enter into any contract to engage, or shall attempt to engage, any such native to proceed to any of the labor-districts for the purpose aforesaid; and whoever shall employ or appoint any person other than a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, to engage any such native, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished for each offence with fine or imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding three months.

Penalty.

17. It shall not be lawful for any emigrant to be conveyed to any labor-district, unless and until he shall have entered into a duly registered contract with some person to serve such person there for a fixed period, which shall in no case exceed the term of three years from the date of his arrival on the estate of his employer in the said labor district. Every such contract shall be in the form in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act, and shall be reduced to writing, and shall specify the monthly amount of wages in money, the period of service, the name of the district in which the service is to be performed, and the price at which rice is to be supplied to the laborer.

Emigrant not to be conveyed to or towards a labor district until contract is executed.

Form and particulars of contract.

Chapter 3.—Garden-sirdar.

18. Every garden-sirdar, authorized by an employer under the provisions of section 13 to engage natives of India to proceed to a labor-district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, shall, before proceeding to engage any such native, personally present to the magistrate of the district, or division of the district within which is situate the estate of the employer, a certificate signed by such employer, in which shall be stated the name and description of such garden-sirdar, the name and description of the lands for the purpose of laboring upon which he is about to engage such natives, the district (or the town of Calcutta, as the case may be) in which he is about to engage them, the number which he is authorized to engage, and, if the number exceeds twenty, the name of the contractor to whose depôt they shall be conveyed. The certificate shall be in the form set forth in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act.

Garden-sirdar to obtain certificate from employer, and to present it to magistrate.

19. Such magistrate shall inquire into the facts stated in such certificate, and, upon being satisfied that the same are true, shall, unless it appears to him that the person so presenting such certificate is unfit to be employed for the purpose of engaging natives to proceed to a labor-district to labor therein for hire, countersign and date such certificate; and every such certificate shall be in force for six months from the date last mentioned, and no longer.

Magistrate after inquiry to countersign it.

20. If, under his certificate from his employer, any garden-sirdar is authorized to engage more than twenty natives of India, he shall be in all respects, save as regards his certificate, subject to the provisions of this Act which relate to recruiters. The following rules of this chapter shall apply to every garden-sirdar who is not authorized to engage more than twenty such natives.

Garden-sirdar authorized to engage more than twenty natives to be subject to provisions relating to a recruiter.

Garden-sirdar who is not a Recruiter.

21. A garden-sirdar shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant, until his certificate has been countersigned by the magistrate of such district or of such division of the district; or in Calcutta, until his certificate has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta.

Has no authority until certificate is countersigned by magistrate.

It shall be lawful for such magistrate, in case of misconduct or disobedience to or neglect of any of the provisions of this Act by a garden-sirdar, to cancel the certificate of such garden-sirdar.

Magistrate may cancel certificate.

22. Every native of India, who enters into an engagement with a garden-sirdar to proceed to a labor-district for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall appear with the garden-sirdar before the magistrate of the district or of the division of the district within which the engagement was made, or through which he shall first pass on the road to his destination. The garden-sirdar shall at the same time produce his certificate to the Magistrate.

Every native to appear before magistrate before removal from district.

23. On the appearance of such native the magistrate shall examine him with reference to his engagement; and, if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register, in a book to be kept for the purpose, the following particulars, viz.—

Magistrate to examine native, and if the examination is satisfactory, to register particulars;

(1)—The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2)—The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3)—The labor-district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(4)—The period of service;

(5)—The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

Provided that the magistrate may, if he thinks fit, require such native to appear before such medical officer as he may direct, and may refuse to register such native unless the medical officer certifies in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor-district.

but may require medical certificate.

24. If the magistrate finds that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the garden-sirdar shall not have produced his certificate, he shall refuse to register such native.

Magistrate, &c., may refuse to register.

25. For the registration of every such native the garden-sirdar shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Fee to be paid for registration.

26. When such registration has been made, the emigrant shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract. Such contract shall, in the presence of the magistrate, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the magistrate for the purpose; and after such abstract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant and the other to the garden-sirdar.

Contract to be executed in duplicate and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by the magistrate;

The magistrate shall forward a certified copy of every such abstract so entered as aforesaid to the superintendent of emigration, by whom it shall be forwarded, after entry in his own register, to the magistrate of the district within which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

and copy to be sent to superintendent and magistrate.

27. The provisions of the six last preceding sections shall be applicable to natives of India engaged by a garden-sirdar within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall appear for registration and execution of contract before the superintendent of emigration.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

28. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any garden-sirdar from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract to proceed to the labor-districts to labor therein for hire, shall be presented by the garden-sirdar for registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the said Lieutenant-Governor into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

29. The garden-sirdar shall personally accompany natives of India engaged by him throughout their journey from the place in which the engagement was made to the place in which they are to be employed.

Garden-sirdar must personally accompany emigrants.

30. It shall not be lawful for two or more garden-sirdars to proceed together towards a labor-district accompanied by emigrants, if the total number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, or unless the permission of the superintendent of emigration or embarkation agent shall have been first obtained.

Garden-sirdar cannot proceed with more than twenty emigrants in one batch.

31. Every garden-sirdar, by whom any emigrant is accompanied, shall provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging throughout such journey. If it shall appear to any magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant, at any place on the journey that he has suffered any ill-treatment during the journey or that the garden-sirdar has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging; or if it be found on examination by a medical officer appointed by a magistrate for such purpose, that any such emigrant is not in a fit state of health to proceed to or to labor in a labor district; such magistrate may order the garden sirdar to pay to such emigrant a sum of money by way of compensation, or may cancel the contract and order the garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged.

Garden-sirdar must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

If such not provided, or if emigrant unfit, magistrate may award compensation, or cancel contract.

32. If any garden-sirder, who may be ordered under the provisions of the last preceding section to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the emigrant named in such order, and to recover from his employer the sum so advanced with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Recovery of fines ordered to be paid by Magistrate.

33. On the arrival in Calcutta of any emigrant whose contract has been executed by a garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer, any person empowered to act as the agent or representative of such employer may require the emigrant to appear before the superintendent of emigration for the purpose of cancelling the contract. The superintendent of emigration shall, on the appearance of such emigrant, declare that the contract is cancelled, if a sum of money sufficient for his support during his return to the place at which he was engaged, be paid to him before himself, and not otherwise, and shall make an endorsement to that effect on the contract, and shall attest it with his signature. Provided that the contract of any husband or wife or parent or child of such emigrant, who may have executed a contract at the same time with the same employer, shall be cancelled at the request of such person, and in such case an equal sum of money shall be paid to such person.

Agent in Calcutta may procure order from superintendent of emigration cancelling the contract on payment of expense of return.

34. It shall not be lawful for a garden-sirdar to embark any emigrants on board a vessel for conveyance to or towards a labor district, if the total number of persons to be carried by such vessel, exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying the emigrants, exceeds twenty, unless such emigrants are furnished with a pass by the embarkation agent in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act.

Not to embark emigrants on any vessel containing more than twenty persons without a pass from the embarkation agent.

The embarkation agent shall not grant any such pass without a certificate from the medical inspector that such emigrants may be allowed to embark without danger to the health of other persons on board the vessel.

Pass not to be granted unless medical inspector is satisfied in regard to health.

35. As soon as possible after the arrival of the garden-sirdar with emigrants at the place of disembarkation, or at the nearest civil station in the district within which the emigrant has engaged to labor, the garden-sirdar shall report himself to the magistrate of the district or division of the district or to any subordinate magistrate whom the magistrate may depute for that purpose, and such magistrate shall check the number of emigrants landed with the number of those registered, and shall report to the superintendent of emigration any deaths which may have occurred on the journey. Any garden-sirdar who neglects to report himself as aforesaid shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Must report arrival in labor-district.

Chapter 4.—Contractor.

36. The license granted to a contractor under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in the schedule (C) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding one hundred rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a contractor, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Form of license. Fee. Period.

37. It shall be the duty of every contractor to afford such information to the superintendent of emigration and to make such returns and reports to him as the superintendent, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may from time to time require.

To give information to superintendent.

38. Every contractor shall forthwith, upon obtaining his license, establish a depôt in a place to be approved of by the superintendent of emigration. Every such depôt shall be maintained by such contractor for the reception of natives of India to be supplied or forwarded by or through him. All such natives shall on their arrival at or in the neighbourhood of the depôt so established by the contractor, by, through, to, or for whom they were engaged or forwarded, be forthwith received therein; and shall receive in such depôt, at the expense of such contractor, suitable lodging, food, clothing, and medical attendance, until such native shall be declared by the superintendent to be no longer thereto entitled. Every such depôt as aforesaid shall be under the supervision of the superintendent, and shall be open to his inspection and the inspection of the medical inspector at all times.

To establish and maintain depôts.

39. A contractor may without other license act as a recruiter, and shall in such case be subject to all the provisions hereinafter contained with regard to recruiters.

May act as recruiter.

40. In addition to the depôts for the reception of emigrants which the contractors are required to establish and maintain, the Lieutenant-Governor may at any time direct that a separate depôt shall be established and maintained at any place for the reception of emigrants who are affected with cholera or other contagious disease. Whenever such hospital depôt is established, every contractor may be required to contribute to the expense of establishing and maintaining it in such proportion as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct. Such hospital depôt shall be under the charge of the medical inspector, who shall be competent at any time to direct the transfer thereto of any emigrants on or after their arrival at any depôt.

Establishment of hospital depôt. Contractor to contribute to expense. Under charge of medical inspector.

Chapter 5.—Recruiter.

41. The license granted to a recruiter under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in schedule (D) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding sixteen rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a recruiter, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Form of license. Fee. Period.

42. Every recruiter shall hold a written pass signed by the contractor on whose behalf he is licensed to act.

Recruiter must hold a pass.

43. A recruiter shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant until his license has been countersigned by the magistrate of the district or of the division of the district, or in Calcutta, until his license has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta; and such magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police shall, unless it appears to him that the person to whom a license has been granted is unfit to be employed as a recruiter, countersign such license.

No authority till license is countersigned by magistrate of recruiting district.

The magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police may at any time for any sufficient reason withdraw such license, provided that in any such case he shall record his reasons in writing and shall forward a copy thereof without delay to the superintendent of emigration.

Magistrate may withdraw license and suspend recruiting.

44. The magistrate or the commissioner or deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta, to whom any recruiter's license shall have been exhibited for countersignature, shall not countersign the same until he shall be satisfied that sufficient accommodation

Recruiter to provide accommodation for natives before license is countersigned.

has been provided and is available for such natives of India as may be engaged by such recruiter pending their removal to a depôt.

Magistrate charged with superintendence of accommodation.

The magistrate of the district, or division of the district, in which there may be any such accommodation provided, shall have, for the supervision, management, and regulation of such accommodation, all such and the same powers and authorities as are vested in the superintendent of emigration for the supervision, management, and regulation of depôts which are subject to the powers and authority of the superintendent.

Native to be taken for examination to medical officer, who may reject.

45. Every native of India who shall, in any place or town within the said provinces, enter into any engagement with any recruiter to proceed to a labor-district, for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall be brought by such recruiter before such medical officer as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time appoint to examine such natives within such place or town; or, if no such officer has been appointed, before such medical officer as the magistrate may direct. The medical officer shall thereupon examine the native brought by the recruiter, and shall reject him or shall certify in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and work for hire in a labor-district.

If certified to be fit, native to be taken to magistrate.

46. Every such native who is certified by the medical officer, as required in the last preceding section, to be fit to emigrate to a labor district, shall thereupon appear with the recruiter before the magistrate of the district or division of the district within which the place or town where the engagement was entered into is situate. The recruiter shall at the same time produce his license to the magistrate.

Magistrate to examine native respecting the engagement.

On the appearance of such native the magistrate, after inspecting the medical certificate, shall examine him with reference to his engagement, and if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate o wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register in a book to be kept for the purpose—

It satisfied, magistrate will register certain particulars.

(1.) The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2.) The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3.) The contractor's depôt to which it is intended that he shall proceed;

(4.) The labor-district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(5.) The period of service;

(6.) The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

It dissatisfied, will reject.

If the magistrate thinks that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the recruiter shall not have produced his license, he shall refuse to register such native.

Copy of registration to be given to emigrant.

47. A certified copy of his registration, written on substantial paper, shall be furnished by the magistrate to each emigrant.

Copy of registration and medical certificate to be sent to superintendent.

48. A certified copy of every such registration and the original certificate of the medical officer shall be forthwith forwarded by the magistrate to the superintendent of emigration.

Fee for registration.

49. For the registration of every such native the recruiter shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

50. The provisions of the five preceding sections shall be applicable to all natives of India engaged by recruiters within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall be brought for registration before the superintendent of emigration therein.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

51. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any recruiter from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract in a district under such control, shall be presented by the recruiter for medical examination and registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Penalty for forwarding natives without registration.

52. Every recruiter, who forwards or accompanies any native of India from the district or division of the district within which the place or town where he has been recruited, is situate, or into which, under the last preceding section, he has first come, or who induces any such native to leave such district or division of district for the purpose of proceeding to a labor district, without being duly registered as above required; or who forwards, accompanies, or induces any such native to proceed to any depôt other than the depôt registered under section 38, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished in respect of every such native so forwarded, accompanied, or induced, with a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to one month.

Recruiter must accompany emigrants to depôt, or depute person approved by magistrate.

53. All emigrants proceeding to a depôt shall be accompanied throughout the journey by the recruiter himself, or by a competent person appointed by him with the approval of the magistrate, by whom such emigrants have been registered. The magistrate shall give to the person so appointed a certificate under his signature stating that he has been appointed for the journey to the depôt.

Recruiter must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

54. Every recruiter, by whom any emigrant is forwarded or accompanied to a depôt, shall, throughout the journey, provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging. If it shall appear to a

magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant at any place on the journey, that the recruiter has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging at such place, such recruiter shall, on conviction by such magistrate, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees. The whole or any portion of such fine may be awarded to such emigrant as compensation. If the fine be not paid within twenty-four hours, the recruiter shall be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to one month.

Chapter 6.—Depôt.

Contractor to report arrival of emigrants.

55. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival at any depôt of any emigrant, the contractor by whom such depôt is maintained shall give to the superintendent of emigration a notice in writing of such arrival, which notice shall be in such form and shall contain such particulars as the superintendent shall prescribe.

Emigrants to be inspected by medical inspector immediately on arrival.

56. The copy of the registration and the medical certificate of every emigrant received by the superintendent as provided in section 48 shall be shown to the medical inspector; and all emigrants shall be inspected by the medical inspector at the depôt. If he be satisfied that an emigrant is in a fit state of health, and able in point of physical condition to journey to and labor in a labor-district, he shall countersign the copy of the registration; if he be not satisfied thereof, he shall give a certificate to that effect to the superintendent.

Medical inspector to examine emigrant if medical certificate not given.

The medical inspector shall examine any emigrant in regard to whom a medical certificate is not forthcoming, and shall certify whether such emigrant is in his opinion in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor-district; and if satisfied of his fitness, he shall countersign the copy of the registration.

Emigrant rejected by medical inspector to be sent back.

57. If the medical inspector shall certify that any emigrant so examined is in such a state of health that his journey to a labor-district would be dangerous to himself or to others, or that he is unfit for labor in a labor-district, the superintendent may order the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, if such emigrant has been forwarded or brought to the depôt by a garden-sirdar, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged. Provided that any such person, who from his state of health is, in the opinion of the medical inspector, unfit to undertake the journey back to the place where he was engaged, shall, until he is reported by the medical inspector fit to undertake such journey, be fed, clothed, lodged, and medically attended at the expense of such contractor, or of such garden-sirdar, as the case may be. If such contractor or garden-sirdar negligently or wilfully omits to provide food, clothing, lodging and medical attendance for such person, the superintendent may order such contractor or garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

58. Whenever an emigrant remains behind or is detained under the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so remaining behind or detained. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain behind with the father or mother.

Emigrant ill-treated during journey may obtain compensation.

59. If upon the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, it shall appear to the superintendent of emigration on the complaint of such emigrant, that he has suffered any ill treatment on the journey or that the recruiter or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging, the superintendent may cause him to be removed from the depôt, and may order the contractor or garden-sirdar, for or by whom he shall have been taken to such depôt, to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation, or sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged, and in such latter case he shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Contract to be explained by superintendent and executed in duplicate, and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by superintendent.

60. Every emigrant, who is passed by the medical inspector as in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and labor in a labor-district, shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract before he is forwarded from the depôt. Such contract shall, in the presence of the superintendent of emigration, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the employer with whom he intends to contract or his agent. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. Before the emigrant signs the contract, the superintendent shall personally explain it to him, and shall attest such contract and certify at the foot thereof that he has personally explained the same. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the superintendent for the purpose, and after such contract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant, and the other to the person with whom he has contracted or his agent.

The superintendent shall, within seven days after the entry of such abstract, send by post a certified copy of every such abstract to the magistrate of the district in which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Penalty on emigrant refusing to execute contract.

61. Any emigrant who, without reasonable cause, refuses to execute such contract in conformity with the engagement previously registered shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punished with a fine equal in amount to the entire cost incurred by, or on behalf of, the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, in engaging, registering, and bringing or forwarding him to the depôt, and shall forthwith be discharged from such depôt. Every fine levied under the provisions of this section shall be paid to the

contractor or garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom the person from whom such fine shall have been levied was originally registered.

Penalty on contractor failing to provide contract.

62. If within thirty days after the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, the contractor or, if he has been engaged by a garden-sirdar, the garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom such emigrant has been registered, shall not tender to him for execution such contract as under the provisions of the preceding sections he would be bound to execute, the superintendent may order the contractor or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place where he was engaged, and in such case such emigrant shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Money ordered to be paid by superintendent, may be advanced by him and recovered.

63. If any contractor or garden-sirdar who may be ordered, under the provisions of sections 57, 59, and 62, to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the superintendent to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the person named in such order, and to recover from such contractor or garden-sirdar or his employer the sum so advanced, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Chapter 7.—Transport.

Transport rules when applicable.

64. The provisions of this chapter excepting sections 70, 79, 80, 81, 82, and so much of section 97 as refers to sections 29, 31, 32, and 33, shall not apply to the transport of emigrants recruited by a garden-sirdar when the number of such emigrants does not exceed twenty, unless they have embarked under a pass from the embarkation agent in accordance with the provisions of section 34.

Emigrant to be forwarded to labor-district with permission of superintendent.

65. When the contract of any emigrant has been duly executed, he may, with the permission of the superintendent of emigration, be forwarded to the labor-district in which he has engaged to labor by the contractor in whose depôt he is residing, or by the employer with whom he has made the contract or his agent.

To be furnished with a pass.

Every such emigrant shall be furnished with a pass in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act, signed by the contractor or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and countersigned by the superintendent of emigration and by the embarkation agent at the place at which the laborer embarks, specifying his name and age, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer. Every such pass shall be entered in a book to be kept by the embarkation agent, and shall be dated and numbered in a consecutive series.

Vessel must be licensed to carry emigrants.

66. It shall not be lawful for the master of any vessel, without a license granted by the embarkation agent within the local limits of whose authority any emigrant may embark, to convey more than twenty emigrants at any one time to or towards any labor-district; provided always that the number of persons (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) carried by any vessel shall not exceed twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34.

Fee for license.

A fee not exceeding four annas for every emigrant shall be paid for every such license, and it shall be in the discretion of the embarkation agent to whom application is made to grant or withhold any such license. Such license shall be in force for only one voyage to one or more of the labor-districts, and shall specify the number of emigrants which the vessel is licensed to carry and the number of persons (including the crew) other than emigrants whom such vessel is licensed to carry.

Penalty for carrying without license.

The master of any vessel, in which at one time more than twenty emigrants are conveyed without a license having been obtained as aforesaid, or in which the number of persons on board (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for delay in despatching vessel.

67. Such license shall state the date on which the vessel shall leave the place at which the emigrants are to embark. If the vessel does not leave such place and proceed on its voyage within 24 hours of the day fixed, the master thereof shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each day during which the vessel remains at or within five miles of the place of embarkation. Provided that such penalty shall not be incurred if the delay is caused by or with the sanction of the embarkation agent or by any casualty incidental to or attending navigation, or is due to other reasonable and sufficient cause.

Fraudulent alteration of vessel after grant of certificate.

68. If the master of any vessel, after having obtained a license as aforesaid, fraudulently does or suffers to be done any act or thing whereby the state of the vessel is altered, so that such vessel is unfit for the accommodation of the number of emigrants mentioned in such license, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for receiving on board more passengers than number specified in license.

69. The master of any vessel licensed to carry emigrants, who receives on board his vessel a greater number of emigrants or other persons than the number specified in his license shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every emigrant or other person so received in excess of the licensed number.

Two children under ten to be counted as one person.

70. In computing under this Act the number of persons on board of any vessel, two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

No emigrant to be received on board without pass.

71. The master of any vessel, whether licensed or not, shall not take on board any emigrant, if the number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, unless such emigrant, or some person accompanying him, shall show the pass prescribed by section 65 countersigned by the embarkation agent; or if the

number of persons to be carried by such vessel (exclusive of the crew or of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34. The master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine not exceeding ten rupees for every emigrant illegally taken on board.

Embarkation agent to furnish the master with a list of emigrants on board.

72. The master of a licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall not proceed on the voyage towards a labor-district until he has received from the embarkation agent a list of all the emigrants on board.

List what to contain.

Such list shall contain all the particulars noted in the pass of each such emigrant; but if all the emigrants whose names are entered in any one pass embark on board the same vessel, it shall be sufficient if the number and date of such pass are noted in the list.

To be compared with emigrants by agent and master.

The embarkation agent and the master of the vessel shall together personally ascertain that the number of emigrants on board corresponds with the number entered in such list.

Penalty for admitting emigrants not in list.

If the master of such vessel allows any emigrant not entered in such list to proceed in the vessel, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Copy of list to be sent to magistrate.

The embarkation agent shall send a copy of the said list or an extract from it to the magistrate of the labor-district to which any of the emigrants are proceeding.

Provisions, medical and other stores, medical officers, cooks, &c.

73. There shall be laden under the supervision of the embarkation agent on board of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants to or towards any labor-district, at the time of the embarkation of such emigrants, such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required under the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act.

Penalty if master proceeds without.

The master of any such vessel who shall commence the voyage without having on board such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Vessel carrying 200 emigrants must carry a qualified medical officer.

74. No vessel carrying two hundred emigrants shall be allowed to proceed on the voyage unless a medical officer, who is a licentiate in medicine, or who is declared to be qualified for such charge by order of the Lieutenant-Governor, has been appointed to the charge of such emigrants. And any master who shall commence the voyage without having on board such medical officer as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, and, in default of payment, imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

Emigrant not allowed finally to leave vessel at any place other than that mentioned in pass.

75. If the master of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall, save as hereinafter is provided, cause or permit any emigrant finally to leave such vessel at any place other than that named as the destination of such emigrant in his pass, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each such offence. Provided always that this section shall not be deemed to prevent the master of any vessel from permitting emigrants to disembark at any place or places on the voyage so long as such disembarkation is not intended or known to be likely to be final; nor to prevent the final disembarkation of any emigrants in case of accident or other unavoidable necessity, if such accident or necessity be forthwith reported to the embarkation agent by whom the license of such vessel was granted, and to the nearest magistrate in the district within which such accident may occur or necessity arise.

Master to report arrival of emigrants at every intermediate station where there is a magistrate.

76. Every licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall stop at every place in which a magistrate is stationed, intermediate between the places of embarkation and disembarkation of such emigrants, and shall remain during not less than six hours of daylight. The master of every such vessel shall immediately on arrival report to the magistrate, or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 94, the number of emigrants on board, the general state of their health, and the number of deaths (if any) which have occurred among the persons who embarked on such vessel.

Any master who wilfully omits to comply with the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may at any time inspect vessel.

77. A magistrate may at any time go on board of any such licensed vessel carrying emigrants while within the limits of his jurisdiction, and may inspect the vessel, the emigrants, and all persons on board.

Master bound to give all information required.

The master and officers of such vessel shall be bound to afford to such magistrate all reasonable facility for such inspection, and to give him all such information respecting the emigrants or other persons on board as may be reasonably required, and respecting any deaths which may have occurred on board, and respecting any other facts which may affect the health of the emigrants.

Penalty for omission.

Any master or other officer, who wilfully omits to give any such information to such magistrate, shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may regulate communication between vessel and land.

78. On the arrival of such vessel, or at any time while it is within the limits of his jurisdiction, the magistrate may regulate the communication between such vessel and the land, and may prohibit all persons from leaving the vessel and all persons on land

from proceeding on board. And any person not complying with any order made under this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may detain vessel for inspection and for removal of disease, and may detain sick emigrants.

79. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that any emigrants on board any vessel within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such vessel, and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants on board such vessel, and to report on their health, and whether any or what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease. After the submission of such report the magistrate may detain the vessel for a further period not exceeding five days for the purpose of carrying out such measures, if any, recommended by the medical officer in his report, and he may further detain at such station for medical treatment any emigrant who is affected with any infectious or contagious disease.

Magistrate may detain emigrants proceeding by land.

80. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that a party of emigrants proceeding by land within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such party and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants and to report on their health, and whether any and what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease, and the magistrate may further detain for medical treatment such party or such emigrants of the party as are affected with any infectious or contagious disease for such period as the medical officer may certify to be requisite.

Magistrate may detain sick emigrants, and shall arrange for their accommodation and treatment.

81. If in any case whatever it appears to a magistrate expedient that any emigrant, in consequence of ill health, should not be allowed to proceed towards a labor district, he may order the detention of such emigrant; and in such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant.

Expenses how to be recovered.

82. All expenses incurred under sections 79, 80, or 81, by a magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the contractor by whom the emigrant has been engaged or forwarded; or in the case of an emigrant engaged by a garden-sirdar, from the employer from whom such garden-sirdar received his certificate.

Measures to be taken if excess number of emigrants is found on board.

83. If it appears to a magistrate making an inspection of any licensed vessel that the number of emigrants on board is larger than the number specified in the license, he may remove the excess number and detain them until another opportunity of forwarding them to their destination is found. The necessary expense of maintaining such emigrants, and of conveying them to their destination, shall be recoverable by such magistrate or other officer who may have been deputed as aforesaid from the master of such vessel.

Infraction of the Act and rules to be reported.

84. In any case in which, on making an inspection of a licensed vessel, a magistrate shall find that any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act have not been complied with, he shall report the same to the embarkation agent by whom the license to carry the emigrants was granted to such vessel; and, if the circumstances of the case are such as in such magistrate's opinion make it necessary so to do, he may detain the vessel until the provisions of this Act, or any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor as aforesaid, have been complied with, so far as to make it possible for the voyage to be further prosecuted with safety and reasonable comfort to the emigrants.

Vessel may be detained.

On arrival of licensed vessel at the place of disembarkation, the master shall give information to the magistrate.

85. Whenever any licensed vessel carrying emigrants arrives at a civil station at which it is intended that any of such emigrants shall disembark, the master shall immediately give notice of the arrival to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, and shall forward to him at the same time the list furnished to him by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72, or a copy of so much of the said list as relates to the emigrants who are to disembark. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate.

Magistrate shall send information to employer or agent, and direct medical inspection.

Immediately on the receipt of such notice the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. And he shall at the same time direct the civil medical officer of the station, or other qualified medical officer, to go on board such vessel and to inspect such emigrants.

Report of medical inspection.

Such medical officer shall, without delay, make a careful inspection of all such emigrants; and, after making such inspection, shall prepare and sign a report, in which he shall certify the state of health and general condition of each emigrant so inspected.

Sick emigrants to be detained at station.

86. The magistrate shall detain at the station for medical treatment any emigrant who is, in the opinion of the medical officer, in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the place at which he has contracted to labor. In such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant, and all expenses so incurred by the magistrate in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrant has contracted.

87. The magistrate shall also ascertain whether reasonable provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination. If he is satisfied that such reasonable provision has been made, the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted or his agent shall forthwith take charge of such emigrants except those, if any, detained under the provisions of the last preceding section. But if such reasonable provision has not been made, or if the employer or his agent shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, the magistrate shall order such arrangements to be made, and incur such expenses as under the circumstances may seem to him necessary; and the amount of expenses so incurred by him in the disembarkation, or in respect of the food, lodging, medicines, hospital attendance, or clothing of the laborers, shall, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted.

If necessary provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants, they shall be made over to employer or agent.

If not made, or if employer or agent not present, magistrate to make arrangements;

expenses recoverable from employers.

88. If it is intended that the emigrants on board of any licensed vessel shall disembark at a place which is not a civil station, the master of such vessel shall report the arrival, as required in section 85, to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, at the last civil station which such vessel shall pass before arriving at the said place of disembarkation, and shall not proceed on his voyage until the medical inspection of such emigrants has been made as provided in the said section. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate. Immediately on the receipt of such notice, the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. When such inspection has been made, the magistrate shall, without delay, authorize the master to proceed on his voyage, provided that he may, if he thinks fit, detain any emigrant who is unfit to proceed under the provisions of section 81.

If emigrants are to disembark at a place other than a civil station, medical inspection to be made at the civil station last preceding.

89. On the arrival of any licensed vessel at a place of disembarkation which is not a civil station, the emigrants who are to disembark at such place shall, in case the employers with whom they have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, be present, be disembarked and given in charge to such employers or agents. Provided that in case the medical officer in charge of such emigrants, if there be any such medical officer, and if there be not, then the master of the vessel in which such emigrants have been conveyed, shall be of opinion that any of such emigrants are in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the places where they have respectively contracted to labor, or that reasonable provision for the support and lodging of such emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination has not been made, or in case the employers with whom such emigrants have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, then and in every such case the emigrants so unfit to proceed, or for whose support reasonable provision has not been made, or whose employers may not be present personally or by their agents, shall be further conveyed in the vessel to the next civil station, and shall be there disembarked, and the place at which they shall be so disembarked shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be their place of disembarkation.

Disembarkation at such place.

If necessary provision not made, emigrants to be carried on to next station.

90. Whenever an emigrant is detained under the provisions of sections 81, 86, or 88, or is further conveyed under the provisions of section 89, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so detained, or to be taken forward along with the emigrant so further conveyed. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain, or be taken forward with the father or mother.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

91. Every medical officer who is required to make a report under the provisions of this chapter, shall submit such report to the magistrate, and shall enter therein the name and age of each emigrant, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer, as set forth in the list prepared by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72.

Particulars to be entered in the reports of medical officers.

92. The magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, shall make a detailed report to the superintendent of emigration, of the arrival of all emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, and of all proceedings taken and orders passed by him under the provisions of this chapter, and shall forward with such report a copy of every report made to him by a medical officer relating to emigrants proceeding to a labor-district. He shall also forward to the superintendent any observations which he or the medical officer may think fit to make in regard to the state of health and general condition of the emigrants. Whenever such reports or observations relate to emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, he shall forward them to the embarkation agent by whom such emigrants were despatched, and the agent shall transmit them to the superintendent with any remarks which he may desire to record.

Magistrate to report arrival of all emigrants, and all proceedings, to the superintendent of emigration;

in certain cases through the embarkation agent.

93. The magistrate of a district, or of a division of a district, may depute any subordinate magistrate to exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on a magistrate under the provisions of sections 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 83, 84, 85, 86, 88, and 92.

Magistrate may depute a subordinate magistrate to discharge the functions of the magistrate.

Penalty, if master or medical officer neglects to enforce rules.

94. Every master of a vessel, or medical officer in charge of emigrants on board of any vessel carrying emigrants, who shall wilfully and knowingly neglect or refuse to obey or to enforce on board of such vessel any rule which may from time to time be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Jurisdiction, if offence created by this Act is committed on board.

95. Any offence against any of the provisions of this chapter, or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act, committed on board of any vessel, may be tried by any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in any place at which emigrants may have embarked on board such vessel, or may have disembarked from such vessel, or in any place in which such vessel may be detained under the provisions of this Act.

Punishment of emigrant for desertion.

96. Any emigrant who deserts while in transit from the district in which he has been registered to the district in which he has engaged to labor may, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a period which may extend to three months. Such offence may be inquired into and tried in the district in which such emigrant is apprehended, or in the district in which the desertion took place, or in the district in which he was registered.

Provisions of sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, 88 to apply to children, &c., accompanying emigrants.

97. The provisions with regard to engaged natives of India and emigrants contained in sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, and 88 of this Act, shall be applicable to such women, children, and aged relatives of such natives and emigrants as may, with the consent of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and with the written permission of the registering magistrate or superintendent, accompany them without having entered into an engagement.

PART III.—LABOR DISTRICTS.

Chapter 8.—Inland Labor Transport Fund.

Annual rate payable by employers.

98. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time, by order published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, fix a yearly rate, not exceeding one rupee and eight annas per laborer, for the purpose of defraying the expense of carrying out the purposes of this Act; and the sum or rate so fixed shall be paid half-yearly by each employer on the last day of July and the last day of January in each year for each laborer entered in the last return of laborers furnished (as is hereinafter provided) by such employer before such date.

Payment of rate how to be enforced.

99. If any employer shall fail to comply with the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to notify such default to him; and if within one month from the receipt of such notification, or such longer period as it may, under special circumstances, appear to the magistrate reasonable, such employer shall not so comply, the magistrate shall, by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer, levy the sum so payable.

If there shall be no such moveable property, or insufficient moveable property so found, the amount shall be recoverable by a civil regular suit from the person for whose benefit the laborers in respect of whom the same may be payable shall have been employed. In every such suit the Government shall be named as plaintiff, and the cause of action shall be taken to have arisen within the limits of the jurisdiction of any court having jurisdiction at any place where any such laborers may have been employed by such employer.

Fines, fees, and rates to be credited to "Inland Labor Transport Fund."

100. Subject to the powers conferred on a magistrate by this Act or by the Code of Criminal Procedure, of awarding fines in whole or in part as compensation to or for the benefit of any complainant or other person, all fines, fees, and rates levied and paid under this Act shall be credited to a fund which shall be called the "Inland Labor Transport Fund," and such fund shall be at the disposal of the Lieutenant-Governor for defraying the expenses of carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Chapter 9.—Inspector's Returns and Magistrates' Inspections.

Appointment of inspectors and assistant inspectors.

101. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint in any labor district so many inspectors and assistant inspectors of laborers as he may think proper, and may define, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the local limits within which each such inspector and assistant inspector shall exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on him by this Act. Such inspectors and assistant inspectors may be by the said Lieutenant-Governor vested with all or any of the powers of a magistrate.

Establishment.

102. The Lieutenant-Governor may authorize inspectors and assistant inspectors to entertain such establishment as he may think fit. An assistant inspector shall perform all such duties and exercise all such powers of an inspector as he is authorized in writing by the inspector to perform or exercise.

Duty of assistant inspector.

Half-yearly report of laborers employed, of their state of health, and of mortality.

103. Every employer shall, on or before the last day of January and the last day of July in each and every year, make out in writing, and deliver to the inspector of laborers, a return of the number of all laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed by such employer on the last day of the preceding month, and return of the sickness and mortality among the laborers during the preceding six months.

Penalty for omission to furnish such report or for submitting false report.

104. If any employer shall refuse or wilfully omit duly to send in any such return, or shall knowingly send in an incorrect return, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

105. Every inspector of laborers shall once within each of such periods as may be fixed for such purpose by the Lieutenant-Governor, visit all lands within the limits of his authority on which there shall be employed any laborers, and inspect every hospital, tent, camp, or building in any way used by any such laborers, and investigate the condition of the laborers employed; and for such purpose the inspector may require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and may make such inquiries as may to him seem proper. Every such inspector shall keep books, in which from time to time shall be entered the number of laborers then under contract with each employer, the number who shall then be sick or missing, or who shall have complained of ill-treatment, the particulars of such complaints, and such other particulars regarding the laborers as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time direct. Each inspector shall annually make a written report to the Lieutenant-Governor through the Commissioner of the division of the aforesaid particulars; and every such report, as regards the laborers under any particular employer, shall, at all reasonable times, be open to the inspection of such employer or any person by him appointed in writing in that behalf, and the person so inspecting shall be entitled to take a copy of the report so far as it relates to such laborers.

Periodical inspection of laborers to be made by inspector.

Books to be kept by inspector.

Annual report.

Such report open to inspection by employer.

106. It shall be lawful for any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in the district, or any person authorized by him in writing in that behalf, at any time to enter and inspect any hospital, tent, camp, or building, wholly or partially used by or for laborers, and to require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and to make any inquiries which he may think proper touching the condition or treatment of any laborer.

Magistrate may at any time inspect laborers' buildings used by them, &c.

If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, wilfully obstructs or impedes any entry, inspection, or inquiry, made under either of the two preceding sections, such employer or other person as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees for each such offence.

Penalty for obstructing inspection or inquiry.

Chapter 10.—*Regulation of Labor.*

107. Every employer shall from time to time, with the sanction of the inspector previously obtained, fix the daily tasks to be executed by the laborers employed by such employer, and shall frame a schedule of such daily tasks, and publish the same by posting a copy thereof in the Bengali language upon the door of each place of payment of the laborers employed by such employer, and by sending a copy thereof in the English language to the inspector.

Schedule of daily tasks to be framed.

108. No laborer shall be bound to work under his contract more than six days in one week, or more than six hours consecutively, or more than nine hours on any one day.

Maximum amount of labor.

109. If at any time the inspector considers such schedule of daily tasks or any part thereof to be unreasonable, he shall refer the consideration of such schedule to a committee consisting of the inspector, of some employer to be nominated by him, and of some person to be nominated by the employer whose schedule is to be considered, or on his default by the inspector.

Inspector may submit schedule to a committee.

110. In case the said committee or the majority in number thereof are of opinion that the daily tasks in such schedule contained, or any of them, unreasonable, they shall modify and reduce such daily tasks in such manner as they shall deem reasonable, and such schedule so modified shall be published in manner aforesaid, and every schedule published as aforesaid shall have effect as between the employer and laborers in substitution for any former schedule.

Committee to revise schedule.

Chapter 11.—*Incapacity for Labor.*

111. It shall be lawful for the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority any laborer may be employed, to suspend, for such period as he shall consider advisable, the contract of such laborer, or any particular term thereof, if such laborer shall be, in the judgment of such inspector, temporarily unfitted for the performance thereof by reason of sickness, pregnancy, or other sufficient cause. Provided that every such suspension shall be endorsed by the inspector on the contract. Provided also that every such laborer shall, during such incapacity, receive such subsistence money from his employer as shall be considered sufficient by the inspector, and that the time during which the suspension continues shall not be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve.

Inspector may suspend contract of any laborer temporarily unfitted for labor.

112. If it shall be found that any laborer has been compelled to perform any species of labor for which he was at the time unfit, the employer by whom he was so employed shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for compelling laborer to perform work for which he is unfit.

113. If, in the opinion of the inspector of laborers, any laborer shall be permanently incapacitated for the performance of his contract or any material part thereof, the inspector shall certify to that effect in writing, and deliver such certificate to the employer of such laborer or some one on his behalf, and from the date of such certificate the contract of such laborer shall wholly cease and determine. The inspector shall make a return of all such cases of determination of contract in his report under section 105. Every laborer whose contract shall have been determined as aforesaid, shall be entitled to receive from his employer such sum, not exceeding three months' wages, as the inspector may award, and such sum shall be recoverable before a magistrate in the manner hereinafter provided for the recovery of wages.

Discharge of laborers permanently incapacitated.

Chapter 12.—Necessary Provision for Laborers.

Sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, and sanitary arrangements to be provided.

114. Whenever any laborers shall be employed in any labor district, the employer of such laborers shall be bound to provide for them sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice.

Hospital, medicines, &c., to be provided.

115. Every employer shall be bound to provide for his laborers such sufficient hospital accommodation, and such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor; and if three hundred or more laborers shall be employed by any employer, it shall be the duty of such employer to place in medical charge of such laborers a medical officer holding a medical diploma as licentiate in medicine, from some Indian or European collegiate institution authorized to grant diplomas, or an officer for the time being licensed by the local Government to act in such medical charge of laborers.

Inquiry whether employer has failed to provide as required by the rules.

116. It shall be lawful for any inspector or assistant inspector who is himself a magistrate, to institute within his jurisdiction, on the lands in charge of any employer, or at some place within his jurisdiction not more than ten miles distant from such lands, an inquiry whether such employer has provided for his laborers sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice. On the complaint of any inspector or assistant inspector a similar inquiry may be made by a magistrate.

Punishment for gross neglect as to house accommodation, &c., and for wilfully omitting to comply with the order of the magistrate in such respect.

117. If the employer is convicted of gross neglect in not having provided sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, such employer shall be punished with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees. In any case where a magistrate shall find that proper or sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, has not been provided, he may order the employer to provide such proper and sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice. If the employer wilfully omits to comply with such order, he shall, on conviction, be punished with a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees a day for every day that such omission continues. In default of payment by the employer of the last mentioned fine, the person on whose account such employer has been acting shall be liable to pay the fine.

Penalty for failure to provide hospital accommodation, &c.

118. Wherever such sufficient hospital accommodation or such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, or such medical officer as aforesaid, shall not have been provided, the employer or other person through whose wilful default the same shall not have been provided shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for every week during which any such default continues.

Chapter 13.—Localities unfit for the Residence of Laborers.

Inspector to report.

119. If an inspector of laborers shall at any time have reason to believe that any estate or portion of an estate situated within the limits of his jurisdiction is by reason of climate, situation, or condition unfit for the residence of laborers, he shall give notice in writing of his opinion to the magistrate of the district, and such magistrate shall forthwith summon a committee to inquire into the fitness of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers. Such committee shall consist of the magistrate, the inspector of laborers, the medical officer of the district, and one or more employers of laborers, when such persons are available. If the magistrate is unable to procure the service on such committee of any employer of laborers he may, with the sanction of the commissioner of the division, appoint one or more persons whom he may deem qualified.

Magistrate to summon committee.

Proceedings of committee.

Such committee shall proceed, with as little delay as possible, to inquire into the healthiness of the estate or portion thereof to which the order appointing the committee has reference, and shall hear such information on the subject as the owner of the estate, or the employer or inspector, may desire to place before it; and if such committee, or the major part in number thereof, shall be of opinion that such estate or any portion thereof be unfit for the residence of laborers, it shall record a finding to that effect; and the contract of every laborer who shall have contracted to serve on such estate shall thereupon be void as regards such estate or portion of estate as may be found unfit for the residence of laborers.

If committee finds unfit, contract to be void as regards such locality.

Provided that every such contract shall continue valid with regard to any other portion of such estate or to any other estate of the same employer in the same district.

Proviso as regards other localities.

Lieutenant-Governor how to proceed if mortality in past year exceeds 7 per cent., or if the average of 3 years exceeds 5 per cent.

120. If it shall at any time appear that the number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on any estate or portion of an estate during the preceding twelve months, bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, or if the average annual number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on such estate or portion thereof during the preceding three years bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, it shall be lawful

for the Lieutenant-Governor to direct the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inquire into and report on the following matters:—

Matters to be inquired into.

(1) The cause or causes of such mortality.

(2) The want (if any) of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures, on the part of the owner of such estate or portion thereof or the employer, causing or contributing to such mortality.

(3) The fitness or otherwise of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers and the reasons thereof.

Such medical officer shall proceed with as little delay as possible, and shall hear and record such information on the subject of the several matters aforesaid as the owner of such estate or portion thereof, or the employer, or inspector may desire to place before him, and shall visit and inspect such estate or portion thereof, and shall make his report expressing the reasons of his opinion and transmit the same with the recorded information and notes of his inspection of such estate or portion thereof to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Medical officer to report.

If the Lieutenant-Governor, after perusal and consideration of the said report, information, and notes, shall be of opinion that such mortality was caused by the want of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or the employer, and that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers by reason of the want of due care or precaution, and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or portion thereof or the employer, it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to declare in writing that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers. Such declaration of the Lieutenant-Governor shall have the same effect as the finding of a committee under the last preceding section.

Lieutenant-Governor may declare estate unfit for residence.

Contracts to be void as regards that estate.

121. Every employer who shall cause or permit any laborer to reside upon any such estate or portion of an estate as under the provisions of either of the two preceding sections may have been found to be unfit for the residence of laborers, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine. Provided always that in case it shall appear to the inspector that any such estate, or portion of an estate, or any part of such portion, has become fit for the residence of laborers, he shall, with the sanction of the magistrate of the district, give under his hand a certificate of such fitness, and no employer shall be liable to fine by reason of his causing or permitting laborers to reside in any place respecting which such certificate of fitness shall have been given.

Penalty on employer permitting laborer to reside in locality declared to be unfit.

Chapter 14.—Offences committed by Laborers.

122. Any laborer, who shall absent himself from his labor without sufficient cause, may, on conviction by a magistrate, be sentenced to lose all claims to wages or allowances during the period of such absence, and also to forfeit to his employer a sum not exceeding four annas for each day during which such absence shall be continued; and in case such absence shall have exceeded seven days, or in case such laborer shall have been already convicted of the same offence within a period of three months, such laborer shall be furthermore sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for fourteen days.

Penalty on laborer for absenting himself without sufficient cause.

123. If any laborer deserts or attempts to desert from his employer's service, such employer or any other person acting in his behalf may, without first procuring a warrant, and without the assistance of any police officer (who, nevertheless, shall be bound to give such assistance if called upon to do so), apprehend such laborer wherever he may be found. Provided, nevertheless, that if such laborer be found in the service of another employer, he shall not be arrested without a warrant. Provided also that such employer or other person shall without delay give the said laborer in charge at the nearest police station, and there enter the charge upon which he shall have apprehended such laborer.

Deserting may be apprehended without warrant.

Any laborer so given in charge shall be conveyed, without delay, to the nearest magistrate; and, if the place from which such laborer is charged with having deserted, be within the jurisdiction of such magistrate, he shall himself adjudicate upon the charge; but if not, he shall forward the said laborer, under custody, to the magistrate within whose jurisdiction such place may be situated, who shall adjudicate upon such charge.

To be taken to nearest magistrate.

Every laborer who deserts from his employer's service shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with rigorous imprisonment which may extend to one month; and every laborer, who after having been convicted of desertion, shall again desert from his employer's service, shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with rigorous imprisonment for a period which may extend to two months; and every laborer who, after having been twice convicted of desertion shall again desert shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Punishment.

124. On the expiry of any sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, save as is provided in section 125, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to make over such laborer to any person appointed on the part of his employer to receive charge of him; and no conviction under this Act, or imprisonment under such conviction, shall, save as is provided in section 125, be held to operate as a release to any laborer from the terms of his contract. Provided, nevertheless, that the period of imprisonment shall in no case be prolonged by reason of their being no person present on the part of the employer to take charge of the laborer at the expiry to his sentence; but such laborer shall in that case be sent to the principal place of business of such employer, and the expense of such conveyance shall be levied from the employer in the manner provided in section 99.

Conviction not to operate as a release.

Cancellation of contract by desertion.

125. Whenever any laborer shall have actually suffered imprisonment amounting in the whole to six months for desertion from his employer's service, it shall be lawful for the inspector, and he is hereby required, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and every such cancellation shall be certified by the inspector on the back of the contract.

Portion of sentence may be cancelled on application of employer.

126. The employer, or any person authorized to act for the employer, of any laborer imprisoned for any offence under this Act, may apply to a magistrate, at any time previous to the expiry of such sentence, that such laborer be made over to him for the purpose of completing his contract; and such magistrate may, if he see good cause, make over or forward such laborer to his employer; and in that case such magistrate shall cancel the remainder of the sentence passed on him, and shall endorse on the contract of such laborer a memorandum signed by him of such cancellation.

Expense of restoring deserting laborer to be paid by employer.

127. Every employer who obtains an order for the return or forwarding of any laborer who has deserted, shall pay the expense incurred in such return or forwarding, and shall, before the order is issued, deposit with the magistrate such sum as such magistrate may in his discretion deem to be sufficient for defraying the expense of such return or forwarding.

Time of unlawful absence or imprisonment to be excluded from contract period.

128. The duration of every unlawful absence from labor, of which any laborer may be convicted, and every sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, shall be endorsed on the contract, at the time of its being passed, by the officer passing it; and no such period of imprisonment or unlawful absence so endorsed shall be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve, but such term shall extend to such further period as shall be equivalent to the aggregate amount of the imprisonment and unlawful absence so endorsed.

Other person enticing away, harbouring, or employing laborer under contract.

129. Any person who knowingly and wilfully entices away, harbours, or employs, or attempts to entice from his employment, any laborer, before such laborer shall have been lawfully released from his contract, shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with fine, the whole or any portion of which may be awarded to the employer of such laborer.

Chapter 15.—*Complaints mad by Laborers.*

Employer to give notice to inspector if laborer wishes to complain of personal ill-usage or breach of contract.

130. If any laborer states to his employer, or to any person acting for such employer, that he desires to make a complaint to the inspector of laborers of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act on the part of such employer or other person, the person to whom such statement is made shall, within forty-eight hours, send notice thereof in writing to the inspector, and in default of so doing, such person shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Inspector how to proceed on receipt of notice, or if complaint is made to him, or if he has reason to believe that there is ground for a complaint.

131. Whenever any inspector of laborers receives such notice in writing as aforesaid, or whenever any complaint of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid, is made to him by any laborer against his employer or any person acting for such employer, or whenever the inspector has other reasonable grounds for believing that any such personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid has been suffered by a laborer, such inspector shall forthwith, if the place in which such offence has been committed is not situated within the limits of his own authority, give notice thereof in writing to the inspector within the limits of whose authority such place is situated; and if such place be situated within the limits of his own authority, then such inspector shall, so soon as conveniently may be, proceed to some place not more than ten miles from the principal place of business of such employer, and make full inquiry into the matter complained of.

Procedure. Penalty for obstructing service of, or disobedience to, summons.

132. For the purposes of such inquiry the inspector may summon such laborer and any witnesses. If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, in any way wilfully obstructs the service of, or obedience to, such summons; or if the laborer or any witness summoned intentionally omits to attend as required in such summons, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

If complaint is untrue or frivolous.

133. If, upon such inquiry made on the complaint of a laborer, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is untrue or frivolous, he shall enter in his book the particulars of such complaint, and a short statement of the grounds of his opinion respecting it, and shall dismiss the complaint, and in such case shall endorse on the employer's copy of the contract of such complainant the number of days during which such complainant has been absent from work in consequence of such inquiry, and such number of days shall be added to the period of the contract of such complainant.

If complaint is well founded.

134. If, upon inquiry as aforesaid, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is well-founded, he shall, if himself a magistrate, dispose of the case according to due course of law. If the inspector shall not be a magistrate, he shall without delay send the complainant and his witnesses to the nearest magistrate, and such magistrate shall thereupon dispose of the case according to due course of law.

Recovery of arrears of wages.

135. If, upon the complaint of any laborer, it is proved to the satisfaction of a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear for two months, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to award to such laborer the amount which shall appear to be then due to him; and also, by way of compensation, such further sum, not exceeding that amount, as shall appear to such

Compensation may be given if arrear is for two months.

magistrate to be just; and in case of default, the magistrate shall levy the entire sum by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer.

Contract may be declared cancelled, if employer is convicted of maltreatment by session court, or twice by magistrate;

136. If any employer, or any person placed in authority over any laborer by such employer, shall be convicted of any offence causing injury to the person or property of such laborer triable under the Code of Criminal Procedure by the court of session; or if any such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall be twice convicted of any such offence against such laborer triable under the said Code by a magistrate; or if it shall be proved before a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear to an amount exceeding the total of such laborer's wages for four months; or if a magistrate shall, on the report of the inspector and after due inquiry, upon oath, in the presence of the parties, be satisfied that any laborer has been compelled to perform any labor while he was unfit for it, or has been subjected to ill-usage by such employer, or any other person placed in authority over the laborer by such employer; it shall be lawful for the magistrate, if he think fit, on the application of the laborer, in each of such cases, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and award to him compensation not exceeding thirty rupees, and every such cancelment shall be certified by the magistrate on the back of such contract.

or if wages are in arrear for four months;

or if ill-usage is proved.

Chapter 16.—*Determination of Contract.*

Laborer may appear before the inspector to register completion of contract.

137. Every laborer who has completed the term of his contract shall be forthwith entitled to appear before the inspector or assistant inspector in order that the completion of his contract may be registered.

Penalty if employer detains, or omits to report.

If an employer detains such laborer after the completion of his contract, or fails to give notice of such completion to the inspector within one month after the date of such completion, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Power to redeem contract.

138. If any laborer is able and desirous to redeem the unexpired term of his contract of service by payment of a sum equivalent to the value thereof, such laborer may demand to be taken or allowed to go before the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority he may be employed, and on his depositing such sum in the hands of such inspector, such inspector shall give notice to the employer that such laborer requires him within one week to show cause why the contract of such laborer should not be released; and, in case no sufficient cause should be shown, such inspector shall require the production of the contract of such laborer, and endorse thereon a certificate of release by purchase, and shall hold the sum in deposit on account of the employer of such laborer. If any employer, or other person authorized to act for the employer, shall neglect to comply with such demand as aforesaid, such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Value of unexpired term of contract.

The value of the unexpired term of contract shall be deemed to be the aggregate amount of one rupee for every month of the unexpired portion of the first year, of three rupees for every such month of the second year, and of five rupees for every such month of the third year, of the original term of the laborer's engagement.

Certificate to be given of determination of contract.

139. Every laborer the period of whose contract has expired, or whose contract has been rescinded by the mutual consent of the parties thereto, or whose contract has been cancelled or redeemed under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to receive forthwith from the inspector a certificate of release in the form set forth in Schedule (F) annexed to this Act.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 17.)

FORM OF CONTRACT BETWEEN EMIGRANT AND EMPLOYER.

"THIS contract made under Bengal Act of 187 , between (*emigrant's name*) of the one part and (*employer's name*) of the other part. Whereas the said (*employer's name*) has promised the said (*emigrant's name*) (hereinafter called 'the emigrant') that, if he the said emigrant do proceed to the district (*name of*) in (*name of labor-district*) and do remain and labor therein on the estate of the said (*employer's name*) his successors, representatives and assigns (hereinafter called 'the employer'), he the said employer will from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, for years from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate, and that during such period he the said employer will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

Now this contract witnesseth that the said emigrant doth hereby, in consideration of the aforesaid promise by the said employer and of the agreement by him hereinafter contained, agree with the said employer that he the said emigrant will, so soon after the execution of these presents as he shall be required so to do, proceed to the said district (*name of*) in (*name of labor-district*), and will there remain and labor on the estate of the said employer for a period of years from the date of his the said emigrant's arrival on such estate. And this contract further witnesseth that the said employer doth hereby, on consideration of the said agreement by the said emigrant, agree with the said emigrant that he the said employer will with all convenient despatch after the execution of these presents, convey or cause to be conveyed the said emigrant free of all costs unto the estate of the said employer in the district aforesaid, and will from the date of his the said emigrant's arrival on such estate employ the said emigrant as a laborer for the period aforesaid, and will pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, and will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

In witness whereof the said parties to these presents

have hereunto set their hands the day of 187 ."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

Note.—If the contract is one under section 28, it must be signed by the garden-sirdar on behalf of the employer, if under section 61, by the person with whom the emigrant intends to contract, or his agent. It must, if under section 28, be executed before the magistrate; if under sections 29 or 61, before the Superintendent of Emigration. The execution of the contract, if under section 16, must be attested by the Superintendent of Emigration, who must also append to the foot thereof a certificate to the following effect:

"I hereby certify that before the within-mentioned (*emigrant's name*) signed this contract, I personally explained it to him.

(Sd.) ——

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE B.

(*See Section* 18.)

FORM OF GARDEN-SIRDAR'S CERTIFICATE.

"*Garden-Sirdar's Certificate required under Section* 19 *of Bengal Act of* 187 .

Name of garden-sirdar.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Height.		General appearance and characteristic marks.	Name of place and description of lands on which labor is to be performed.	District (or Calcutta) where natives are to be engaged.	Number of natives the bearer is authorised to engage.	*Name of contractor to whose depôt natives should be conveyed.	Remarks.
				Feet	Inch.						

* *N.B.*—If the number of natives engaged exceed twenty, they will have to go to a contractor's depôt.

Countersigned (under Section 19) on the 187 , six months from which date this certificate ceases to be in force.

Magistrate of "

(Sd.)

Dated 187 . *Employer.*"

SCHEDULE C.

See Sections 14 *and* 36.

FORM OF CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.

"A. B. is hereby licensed to act, throughout the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, as a contractor for engaging and supplying natives for the purpose of laboring for hire in the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE D.

See Sections 14 *and* 41.

FORM OF RECRUITER'S LICENSE.

"C. D. is hereby licensed to act on behalf of A. B., a licensed contractor, as a recruiter for engaging or inducing natives to proceed to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE E.

See Sections 34 *and* 65.

FORM OF EMIGRANT'S PASS.

Name of emigrant.	Age.	Father's name.	Name of employer.	Place in which emigrant has contracted to labor.	Place of disembarkation.

"The emigrants above described are permitted to embark on the , which will leave on the , for the purpose of proceeding to the district of .

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) R. M.,

Contractor [*or Garden-sirdar*].

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) G. D.,

Superintendent of Emigration.

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) A. L.,

Embarkation Agent."

Note.—When the pass is granted by the Embarkation Agent to emigrants brought to him by a garden-sirdar under the provisions of section 34, it need not be signed by the Superintendent of Emigration.

Note.—The names of any number of emigrants proceeding in the same vessel may be entered in one pass.

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 139.)

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE ON DETERMINATION OF CONTRACT.

"I hereby certify that the contract entered into on the day of 187 , under Act of 187 , between [*laborer's name*] of the one part, and [*employer's name*] of the other part, has been determined by effluxion of time (or 'by mutual consent,' or 'under the provisions of section of the said Act,' as the case may be).

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand day of 187 .

Inspector of Laborers."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

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THE following Supplementary Report of the Select Committee on the "Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee on the Bill "to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract-labor and service therein," have read and considered the correspondence noted in the margin relating to a proposal by the Lieutenant-Governor to provide for the gradual introduction of a system of free recruiting of laborers for the labor districts.

From Messrs Whitney Brothers and Company, dated 7th July 1873
From Messrs W Mcian and Company dated 7th July 1873
From Messrs Lyall, Rennie and Company, dated 4th July 1873
From Messrs Steel, McIntosh and Company, dated 4th July 1873, and enclosure
From Dr C A Kernot, M D, dated 9th July 1873
From Messrs Robert and Charriol, dated 9th July 1873
From R J Staunton, Esq, dated 10th July 1873
From Messrs Young, Gray and Company, dated 9th July 1873
From Messrs Jardine, Skinner and Company, dated 12th July 1873
Memorandum by the Collector of Sylhet, dated 8th July 1873
From Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 9th July 1873
Extract from the *Englishman* of the 9th July 1873
Extracts from the *Indian Daily News* of the 10th and 12th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Hindu Patriot* of the 14th July 1873
From R Blechynden, Esq, dated 15th July 1873
From Secretary, East India Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From Acting Secretary, Bengal Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873
From S H Robinson, Esq, dated 16th July 1873
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th July 1873
From Commissioner of Assam, dated 23rd July 1873
From Deputy Commissioner of Seebsaugor, dated 22nd July 1873
From Messrs Begg, Dunlop and Company, dated 31st July 1873
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 29th July 1873, and enclosures
From Directors of the Kanchunpore Tea Company, Limited
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 21st July 1873
Memorandum by the Deputy Commissioner of Luckimpore, dated 30th July 1873
From Messrs Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 8th August, and enclosure
Notes by the Officiating Magistrate of Bancoorah
From Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 6th August 1873.
From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 16th August 1873, and enclosure.
From Messrs Borradaile, Schiller and Company, dated 19th August 1873

The Committee are unanimously of opinion that the systems of free recruiting and recruiting under the Act cannot work side by side. They do not feel themselves able, on the materials before them, to recommend that Cachar or any other district should be exempted from the operation of the Act, or to make any specific recommendation to the Council on the general subject.

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RESOLUTION.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 11*th September* 1873.

READ—

The Annual General Report of the Commissioner of the Rajshahye Division for the year 1872-73, with its enclosures.

1. Mr. Molony, the Commissioner, has written a very full and careful report, for which the Lieutenant-Governor's best acknowledgments are due. The accompanying report of Mr. Bignold, the Magistrate of Bograh, is especially intelligent and interesting.

2. The Commissioner and the district officers have all done their duty well by making long and thorough visits into the interior. His Honor however notices with regret that the sub-divisional officers, with the exception of Mr. Nolan of Serajgunge, made but very short tours indeed. Now that they have been supplied with subordinate establishments, it is to be hoped that they will be able to devote more time to travelling.

3. The weather and the crops during the past year were favorable throughout the division. The rice outturn was above the average. Indigo was

abundant; but it is sown on a bad system, and is said to be a failing trade in at least one district, as far as the connection of Europeans or capitalists with it goes. The mulberry crop, which is largely cultivated as food for the silkworm in Maldah, Moorshedabad, and Rajshahye, and less so in Rungpore and Bograh, was a good one. Jute, which is much grown in Rungpore, Dinagepore, Bograh, Rajshahye, and Pubnah, was a very good crop. It is said that the cultivation of mulberry, and even rice occasionally, is making way for jute. The Bengal ryot, remarks Mr. Molony, however backward he may be in other respects, is certainly not so in taking advantage of a demand for produce suitable to his lands, and may fairly be trusted to supply any demand that is likely to arise at remunerative prices; the ryots display, as the Lieutenant-Governor has elsewhere observed, an avidity, and not reluctance, in increasing the cultivation of a staple if they find it will pay. Oil-seeds and pulse are not cultivated to a large extent in the division. Sugarcane and tobacco, which is a crop of importance in Rungpore, and largely exported, gave a fair outturn. A superior class of sugarcane was introduced into Rungpore many years ago. It perished ultimately from blight, and its history exactly coincides with Baboo Joykishen Mookerjea's account of the superior sugarcane introduced into Hooghly, and recently published in the *Calcutta Gazette*. The Lieutenant-Governor would be glad to know whether the same results had been observed in other districts of Bengal. In September a cyclone swept over the division, which was badly felt at Pubna, and with extreme severity in the sub-division of Serajgunge.

4. In this large division there is probably, as the district officers show, a wide variety in the material condition and prosperity of the people. Moorshedabad partakes more of the character of western districts, and its account is not very favorable. Labor seems to be cheaper and food dearer than elsewhere. On the other hand, as regards the north-eastern districts, His Honor has no doubt that the favorable account of Bograh given by Mr. Bignold is correct. Mr. Bignold observes that the marked improvement among all classes is denoted by the better clothing which is used, by the substitution of metal vessels for earthenware, by the increase in the rate paid for labor, the independence of servants, and by the freedom from debt of the majority of the cultivators. In Rungpore also there can be no doubt that with fine produce and favorable tenures and a great demand for labor, the people are very well off, although they are suffering from a temporary discouragement owing to the fall in the price of jute. Again, in Dinagepore, with a comparatively sparse population and very productive soil, the people are stated to be well off, and will no doubt become much more so when the railway is completed. Mr. Robinson, the Magistrate of Dinagepore, expresses the opinion that the people are better off than in other parts of India, and adduces the testimony of a gentleman who had lately been travelling in Oudh, and who says nothing could be plainer than that the Bengal ryot with a permanent settlement is much better off than the peasantry of Oudh. This comparison, however, can hardly be said to involve a high standard, as the ryots of Oudh, besides forming a dense population, have had less rights recognized than any peasantry in India. When the Magistrate can compare favorably with Bombay, the Punjab, and Madras, we shall have more to pride ourselves upon.

5. There are several very noteworthy indications referred to in this report, that there is a rising among the ryots of a more independent spirit than previously existed, and of a better knowledge of their rights. A general impression is spreading in the country that the hitherto undefined relation between landlord and tenant must be replaced by something better. The Lieutenant-Governor fully recognizes that we are progressing, and that things must gradually be put on a more defined footing. His Honor however considers that it may be doubtful whether legal definitions and facility of recourse to courts, where rich men and lawyers prevail, will be altogether to the advantage of ryots in this country, and he does not desire to go too fast in substituting legal definitions for customary adjustments so long as the parties

get on fairly well with one another. His Honor would hope that Government officers may avail much by their influence in effecting adjustments among the parties themselves.

6. Mr. Bignold has furnished a very interesting account of immigration into his district. There are some settlers from Monghyr, probably from the north-west corner of that district adjoining Tirhoot, who have left their houses, according to their own account, because "all the best lands in Monghyr were taken up by indigo." There is a large influx of Dhangur and Boona coolies and other hard-working aboriginal races from the Chota Nagpore Division. Rowani bearers from Behar are to be found during all the cold weather. Some Boonas, but not many, have settled in the division of their own accord. They usually pour in gangs of about a hundred or so for work during the cold weather, coming in December and going about May. Men, women, and children, come all together.

7. The Commissioner's account of the trade and commerce of the division is a useful summary. The chief articles of export are jute, silk, indigo, tobacco, hides, sugar, and rice. Rice is exported most largely from Dinagepore; Rungpore, Bograh, and Pubna are the largest jute-producing tracts. From Serajgunge 1,508,900 maunds of jute were exported by the Eastern Bengal Railway Company's steamers, and it is understood that more than half the jute from this mart leaves in country boats. Ganja is supplied from Rajshahye to the whole of the Lower Provinces.

The proposed Northern Bengal line of railway from the Ganges to Darjeeling, which traverses a portion of Pubna, Rajshahye, Bograh, Dinagepore, and Rungpore, has already been marked out. It will, if carried out, tend more than anything else to develop the resources of these districts. From Rungpore it is this year reported that the yield of rice was considered too good by the ryots, as the prices were thereby kept down. This idea will presumably cease to exist when there are better means of exit for superfluous produce. In Bograh also the Magistrate notes that in Adamdighi, one of the richest rice tracts of the district, a field of rice long over-ripe and deteriorating was still uncut after the middle of February.

The staking out of the proposed line of railway was carried out, the Lieutenant-Governor observes, without any complaint of oppression against the engineering staff.

8. It is reported by the Commissioner that all alarm which may have existed in connection with the new Code of Criminal Procedure has now subsided. The land and rent questions occupy the first place in the public thought. These questions have since led to serious outbreaks in the district of Pubna, which need not be further alluded to in the place; but the whole subject is receiving the Lieutenant-Governor's separate and most anxious consideration.

The Collector of Bograh refers to a sheep census that was carried out under the orders of Government, which created such a panic among those that had sheep that more than half sold off their stock cheap for immediate consumption, and abandoned that branch of their occupation. Mr. Bignold must, however, have very much mistaken the orders of Government if he attempted anything like a sheep census. The Commissariat required from officers a general estimate of the number of sheep in their districts; but a census, or an attempt at an accurate census, was not contemplated, and judging from the shape of the estimates received by Government, was never taken.

9. It is said that the influence of the native press is extremely slight as far as the general public is concerned. There is some truth however, the Lieutenant-Governor apprehends, in the remark of Deputy Collector Baboo Bunkim Chunder Chatterjea, that much of the general feeling of distrust towards the Government, which has often been the subject of comment, is due to the action of the native press. The Commissioner, Mr. Molony, writes upon this subject as follows: "For my own part I look upon the effect of the native press in the division as rather baneful than the reverse. It has no power for good, and encourages a feeling of restlessness and discontent among

the young men of the educated and semi-educated classes, who, not being capable of forming an opinion of their own, are about to be led away by the views of the editors of these newspapers, however whimsical they may be."

10. The chief administrative change has been, as elsewhere, the subordination of departments to the district officer. The success of the introduction of the system depends very much on the co-operation of all parties concerned, and the Lieutenant-Governor is glad to notice that, with the exception of one instance referred by the Magistrate of Rajshahye, no hitch has occurred.

11. The district of Rungpore in this division was one of the districts specially selected for statistical inquiries The report of the Special Deputy Collector, Baboo Gopal Chunder Dass, has not been submitted; but the Lieutenant-Governor gathered in his recent visit to the district that much progress had been made. Mr. Molony alludes to the suspicions with which the natives regard our intentions in these inquiries, but such suspicions, the Lieutenant-Governor observes, although they always exist at first, are as invariably found in practice soon to wear off, if we are moderate in our demands. His Honor is at a loss to understand the Commissioner's statement that "a census of cattle, sheep, pigs, and goats is now expected each year." Certainly nothing new in this way has been called for under the present Lieutenant-Governor, and he believes the Commissioner can only be referring to the general estimates which for several years past have been expected from all districts by the Board to complete a statement which is compiled in that office.

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But it is difficult to conceive how there could be anything vexatious to the people in the preparation of such avowedly approximate figures as these are.

The collection of vital statistics in selected areas is, it is hoped, favorably progressing in this division. The cordial co-operation of the village munduls in Bograh has secured returns from the rural areas which are probably more trustworthy than those collected by the municipal constables. In the rural areas of Bograh the adjusted rate of mortality is shown at 36 per 1,000.

An experimental farm has been started on the Chunchul Wards' estate, and the Lieutenant-Governor watches its progress under the Manager, Mr. Reily, with much interest.

12 The criminal administration of the division was no doubt satisfactory upon the whole, and the police as a body have done well. The Commissioner remarks that the transfer of rent-suits to the civil courts is still generally unpopular. The expenses are greater than they used to be; and strictness of procedure, and the entertainment of the best of the pleaders by the zemindars, render it requisite that the opposite party should also be represented by a pleader. "One great complaint," says Mr. Molony, "against the civil court in connection with rent-suits is the roundabout procedure necessary to secure the payment of money deposited in court; but this is not the fault of the court, but of the system which makes the convenience of the public subordinate to that of the officers of the account department." The Lieutenant-Governor would be glad if the Commissioner would report more fully on this matter, which lies at the root, His Honor believes, of a great and growing defect in the administration. It is also, as remarked by Mr. Bignold, another blot on the system that the outlying Moonsiffs are not subjected to a sufficiently active control, and that the supervision exercised over them is far less rigid than is exercised over the officers of the Subordinate Executive Service. The readiness with which the people resort to the courts, even against Government, is, no doubt, a proof of their confidence as against Government; but it may be doubted whether it shows more than this.

13 The settlements in this division are numerous, but are chiefly those of resumed alluvial accretions and islands settled by Government under Act IX of 1847. The Government rights under this law must be duly maintained. The Government officials, however, who are bound to act strictly within the letter of the law, are, as the Commissioner remarks in another place, at a disadvantage in a suit with an unscrupulous adversary.

An important butwarra, which had been pending for 46 years, was finally completed during the year by the Collector of Rajshahye. The Magistrate of Pubna, however, within whose criminal jurisdiction the pergunnah lies, has found that the division is productive of land disputes owing to the subordinate tenures created by some sharers not falling within the share allotted to them. This case has the careful consideration of the Commissioner.

Mr. Bignold has furnished some interesting remarks regarding the transfer of occupancy rights by sale. The records of the registry office show that they are increasing yearly, and that occupancy rights generally fetch very good values. These records, however, are not wholly exhaustive, and the observation of the Collector is a true one, that if compulsory registration is to be retained as a provision of the law, and is not to be a dead letter, the cost of registration must be reduced. Leases and their counterparts are very rarely registered.

14. The assessment under the Road Cess Act has been going on smoothly and steadily in Rajshahye and Moorshedabad. Both the land and house valuation will afford a rate from October next. Mr. Molony remarks that the enforced submission by all zemindars and intermediate holders of their rent-roll is a chief reason of the unpopularity of the Act, and coupled with the enactment that returns shall be evidence against, but not in favor of, the person filing them, may have had some effect in inducing zemindars to attempt somewhat too precipitate a consolidation of rents and cesses which are not recognized by law.

15. The Lieutenant-Governor has quite recognized the importance insisted on by the Commissioner of establishing a system of feeder roads in connection with the Northern Bengal Railway. The subject has had his attention from the first. The ordinary lines, it appears, have been kept in their usual repair during the year. Village roads also exist over the division, which are very useful, but which might be improved by the local authorities giving small grants for temporary bridges or in aid of any special work. The Lieutenant-Governor notices that the estate of the Tagores in Rungpore is particularized as the one in which least attention is paid by the zemindars to the wants of the people in the way of roads. He is glad to see the attention that is being paid by the Commissioner to the heavy rates that are still levied at the toll bar and river crossings. Where the Road Cess Act is in force, we shall be able to do away with these obstructions to traffic.

16. The people of this division, as elsewhere, have gladly availed themselves of the assistance offered them by grants to establish primary schools. The new system has been introduced with much intelligence and energy by the Magistrates and officers of the department; it is reported to be popular, and promises to be capable of expansion to the full extent that means can be made available.

17. The Commissioner's remarks on the dispensaries of this division are in too much detail for a general report. His observations on the delay in complying with indents and in supplying medicines to new dispensaries will be communicated to the Medical Department.

18. The local committees are reported to work well in Rajshahye. It is noticeable, as contrary to the reports of other divisions, that the town committees are here stated to be the most successful. Mr. Molony has also found the road committees most useful when individual members whose avocations required them to be much out on the roads would undertake the supervision of work in their neighbourhood. The local committee of the small town of Sherepore in Bograh, which is entirely a non-official one, deserves special commendation for its energy and good work.

19. In all the districts of the division except Bograh the management of the zemindari post has, says Mr. Molony, to its great improvement, been made over to the Postal Department. All the Magistrates urge the necessity of the extension of the country letter-box and rural messenger arrangement.

20. The administration of the Court of Wards, which entails the cessation of all illegal cesses, is said to be popular with the tenants.

21. The Lieutenant-Governor regrets that, upon the whole, he is not able to notice favorably the conduct of the zemindars of the division. The conduct of the estate of Roy Luchmiput Singh, Bahadoor, is unfavorably commented on by the Commissioner and the district officers. [NOTE.—Since this was written His Honor hears with much pleasure that this gentleman has strictly forbidden his agents to levy illegal cesses of any kind: an act very creditable to him, and which induces the Lieutenant-Governor to hope that he will retrieve the character as a landlord which was to be expected from his high position and great means.] Baboo Hurreenath Chowdri of Doobalhattee has distinguished himself by a very liberal school endowment at Rampore Beauleah, which has been separately acknowledged by the Lieutenant-Governor. Baboos Khetter Mohun Singh, Poresh Nath Roy, and Rani Shyam Mohini, are well spoken of by the Magistrates of their districts. The Maharani Surnomoyee is pre-eminent, as usual, for her public spirit and for the efficient administration of her property.

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His Honor's hearty thanks are accorded to Mr. Molony for his successful and energetic administration. His thorough knowledge of the people and of his charge has been frequently and deservedly acknowledged by the Lieutenant-Governor.

EXPENDITURE OF ROAD CESS MONEY ON VILLAGE ROADS.

Circular No. 32, dated Calcutta, the 27th September 1873.

From—C. BERNARD, ESQ., Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department.

To—All Commissioners, Chairmen of District Committees in Road-Cess and in Non-Road-Cess Districts.

IN the Government proclamation notifying the rates of the road cess for 1873-74 in the several road-cess districts, it was distinctly* stated that a part of the road-cess income would be spent on improving village roads and waterways, and villagers were expressly encouraged to apply for such expenditure about their homes. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to say that most of the district committees have, in accordance with the intentions of the Act, and with the pledges of the Government, set aside in their budgets for the coming year liberal grants for village roads. In some of the non-cess districts sufficient provision for village requirements has not been made; but the Lieutenant-Governor trusts the omission may be remedied in future years, and that savings on other grants of the current year (1st October 1873—1st October 1874) may be utilised to make grants for village roads.

* *Extract from the Proclamation*

Sub-divisions of the district will be arranged and a fair proportion of the proceeds of the tax will be apportioned for the petty roads of that sub-division That money will be distributed and spent by local men trusted by the inhabitants, who will be selected or elected for the purpose Every tax payer is encouraged and invited to claim that the tax shall be fairly applied to the village roads and local paths or water channels in which he is interested The Government will use every effort to see that such local claims are fairly met, and that every tax payer derives a fair benefit from the tax which he pays

2. The Lieutenant Governor believes that in some districts the proper expenditure of these village-road grants may be a difficulty, though he doubts not in the end it will be successfully solved. In most of the road-cess districts branch committees are being formed at the several sub-divisions, to whom the duty of supervising the expenditure of these grants should be committed. But even a sub-division is a very large area, and the question remains how can the branch committee do justice to the wants of outlying thannahs and villages. Where there are resident indigo or tea planters, or where there are resident zemindars or village headmen who will attend to affairs of this kind, or where an individual member of a branch committee will propose and undertake to carry out the construction or repair of the village roads and waterways of a particular tract, the branch committee could hardly do better than entrust such sums as they can grant for these tracts to the planter, zemindar,

or headman, or to their fellow committee-man, requiring from the trustee in each case nothing more than a statement of the proposed works, the cost of doing them, and a certificate that they were done. Every such agent of the branch committee may probably improve the roads or waterways near his own house to begin with. But then on the other hand he will certainly (if he is honest) work more cheaply than the committee could do; and in many cases he may agree to supplement the committee's money with funds or labour, or tools or supervision at his own cost. The committee's object should be to get as many centres as possible from which small improvements in village communications should be prosecuted by persons who are personally interested in such improvements.

3. But there must be many considerable tracts where the zemindars are absentees, where there are no planters and no conspicuous headmen, which send no representative to the branch committee, and in which the people have not been accustomed to make known their wants to Government officers or to any public bodies. Yet in such tracts there must be scores and hundreds of villages which would derive great and immediate benefit from the expenditure of petty sums of from Rs. 20 to 100 on some village path, or on clearing the silt out of some local channel, or on a foot-bridge over some khal, or on embanking the path to the nearest haut, or on sloping the cart-road down to a ford, or on a wooden landing stage in the khal opposite some haut, or on other petty improvements to village inter-communications. There are some tracts where new cart-roads may be wanted, or old village cart-roads may require improvement. But there are, especially in Central and Eastern Bengal, many large tracts where carts are hardly known, and where village waterways and village footpaths are the only means of inter-communication.

It may perhaps seldom happen that an expenditure of Rs. 20 to 50 could do much towards improving a boat channel; but it will very often be that an embanked path from a village down to the nearest khal would be of the greatest benefit to the villagers, and could be made by the village "matabar" for Rs. 25 or Rs. 40.

4. If a branch committee gets (say) Rs. 2,000 to spend on village roads during the year, it might invite applications from village matabars or munduls for money towards repairing village roads, village pathways, and village waterways. It might perhaps be laid down that ordinarily not more than Rs. 50 would be given toward any work which benefited only one village, and not more than Rs. 100 would be given to any work which benefited less than five or six villages. It might be provided that the full grant would not be given unless the person or persons applying contributed something themselves either in the shape of money, or of food to the workmen, or of labour. The branch committee might consider all such applications at some date before the beginning of the working season; and they would allot their money to the applicants who made out the best case, or who agreed to contribute most themselves, or who were most to be trusted. The money might be given to the applicants on their personal receipt and undertaking that they would execute the work during the coming season; or it might be given half as an advance and half at the completion of the work. The branch committee would have to decide how they would act in each case; and they might arrange for the chairman or vice-chairman visiting and reporting upon a certain percentage of the village works which had received grants before the end of the year.

This much, however, would be certain,—the grants, whatever they might be, would have to be spent by the people themselves, and no elaborate accounts would be asked for. It would be impossible to attempt the execution of petty work of this kind all over the country if a technical system of account were necessary. The District Engineer or his subordinates might give their advice when asked; or they could furnish timber or bricks or wire for swinging foot-bridges; or they might help in other ways. But as a rule, the most that the branch committee could do would be to have some general idea of the object of each work to which they gave a village grant, to exact from the applicants a certificate

of its completion, and to arrange every year for inspecting a percentage of such works after completion; such inspections being carried out, not by a low paid official who might do harm, but by the chairman or vice-chairman, or by some responsible member of the committee.

5. The Lieutenant-Governor would now ask district and sub-divisional officers to give their best consideration to the subject of spending the allotments for village roads to the very best advantage, so that the money may go as far as possible, and so that the villagers may realise that their village inter-communications are to benefit by the road cess. The same plan of spending the grants can hardly be applicable to all districts; what may answer very well in sub-divisions like Ranaghat or Moonshoegunge, might not be so suitable among the Sonthals of Govindpore or of Pachumba. But the Lieutenant-Governor is satisfied that if district and sub-divisional officers will work out their own plans for making the expenditure on village roads a tangible reality, they will in the end succeed, as they have undoubtedly succeeded in carrying out the Lieutenant-Governor's village school policy. No doubt there will be some failures to begin with, some money will be misspent, and perhaps there may be some cases of peculation; but, after all, such cases do occasionally occur in Government departments, and the district and branch committees cannot hope to be wholly exempt from such risks. We must only do what we can to reduce these to a minimum. The Lieutenant-Governor commends the matter to the careful consideration of Commissioners and Collectors, and he hopes that the general reports for 1873-74 may show that some beginning has been made in the direction indicated.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 4th October 1873.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
BENGAL.						
	Western Districts.	1873.				
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan ...	Oct. 7th*	Nil	Slight showers have fallen in some parts of the district.	Crops injured by drought in places.	Fresh outbreak of fever reported in Kotulpore.
2	Bancoorah ..	„ 4th	0·80	Generally dry. One heavy shower at head-quarters on the 3rd October.	Rain is much required throughout the district, and if it keeps off much longer the loss will be serious. In low lands, however, the rice crop is still doing well.	
3	Beerbhoom ...	...	...	.....	.....	Return not received.
4	Midnapore ..	Oct. 4th	0·11	Rainfall partial and insufficient.	More rain wanted for the crops.	
5	Hooghly ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	Return not received.
	Howrah ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	Return not received.
	Central Districts.					
PRESIDENCY DIVISION. 6	24-Pergunnahs ..	Oct. 7th†	1·32	Very hot in the daytime; the nights getting cooler.	Rain much wanted for the late rice crop, which is becoming parched up.	Ordinary fever still continues in places, but the general health of the people is good.
7	Nuddea .	.....	.....	.....	.....	Return not received.
8	Jessore ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	Return not received.
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION. 9	Moorshedabad ..	Oct. 4th	0·46	Hot and sultry, a slight shower only during the week.	The prospects of the late rice are getting worse daily owing to absence of rain; sugarcane is progressing favorably.	
10	Dinagepore ..	„ 4th	0·17	A little rain fell in the station on Monday, and there were apparently heavier falls in the district. Since then the weather has been fine, and the rains appear to have closed.	Very bad for want of sufficient rain. It is doubtful if the rice crop will be more than a four-anna one.	
11	Maldah ...	„ 4th	1·86	Seasonable. A heavy shower of rain on the night of the 28th September.	The rain has done good, but the prospects of the crops are bad. The crops near the Ganges will be ¾ the average, those along the Mohanunda and high grounds not more than ¼, and if there is not more rain the outturn will be much less than this.	
12	Rajshahye ...	„ 4th	0·97	There has been some rain throughout the district during the first part of the week.	There is little if any hope for the transplanted rice. The early rice crop has been a fair one; broadcast late rice promises to be a moderate crop. Tobacco and pulses are still being sown, and lands for the winter crops are now being ploughed.	A few cases of small-pox have been reported from Nattore.

* Telegram of the 7th October received on the same day. Shows the rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.
† Report dated 7th October received on the same day. Shows the rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
RAJSHAHYE DIVN. 13	Rungpore ..	Oct. 4th	0 55	Hot for the time of the year. Rain at sub-division, 1·76.	The rice is looking worse and worse, and the hopes of anything like a crop are very small.	
14	Bograh ..	„ 4th	0·67	Still very hot ..	The prospects of the late crops are anything but good owing to the continued want of rain.	
15	Pubna ..	„ 4th	0·01	Weather somewhat hot, with little shower of rain.	Prospect of the winter rice is fair; more rain is wanted.	
COOCH BEHAR DIVN. 16	Darjeeling ..	„ 4th	0 42	Seasonable; days fine, but hot.	The crops in the hills and Terai are progressing favorably.	
17	Julpigoree .	„ 4th	0 63	Damp and dry at irregular intervals.	The winter rice will greatly suffer on account of deficient supply of rain; on high lands the rice plants have already become reddish.	
	Cooch Behar ..	...	...	.....	.....	Return not received.
	Eastern Districts.					
DACCA DIVISION. 18	Dacca .	Oct. 7th*	0 24	Weather—north wind begun; very dry everywhere.	Unless rain comes all the high land crops will be destroyed; the country is now quite dry.	
19	Furreedpore .	„ 4th	Nil	Bright, sunny and dry ..	The late rice crop in all the low lands promises to be satisfactory; rivers continue to fall.	
20	Backergunge ..	„ 4th	1·48	Warm ..	Good.	
21	Mymensing ..	„ 4th	0·47	Dry and clear, with intensely hot sun; rain on three days of the week, but insufficient in quantity.	Very unfavorable. If the weather continues for the next fortnight, the rice crop will be almost a total failure.	
22	Sylhet ..	Sept. 27th	6·60	Very cool for the time of the year; signs of an early cold season.	The late rice crop on high lands is not promising.	
23	Cachar .	„ 27th	4·58	Cloudy, with rain .	Rain (lately much needed) is now falling to the advantage of the crops; there is some fear that the rice crop may be somewhat short.	
CHITTAGONG DIVISION. 24	Chittagong .	„ 27th	1 61	Fine on the whole; occasional showers generally in the morning; Thursday night wet.	Fair. Early crop all reaped. Nothing particular to remark. No report from Cox's Bazar.	
25	Noakhally ..	„ 27th	0 72	The weather has been very hot and close during the week.	Transplanting of the winter rice not yet completed.	
26	Tipperah ...	Oct. 4th	0·29	Weather excessively bright and hot.	Heavy rain is most urgently required. The rice fields are in many places quite dry. Unless heavy rain falls it is feared the loss will be very considerable. Jute crop has been good.	
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Sept. 27th	3·17	Cool both night and day, foggy sometimes in the morning. Slight falls of rain on the 21st, 24th, 25th, and 26th September.	The hillmen are busily engaged in gathering their paddy crops. Cotton is in flower, and a few pods are seen here and there The prospects of the crops are generally good	
	Hill Tipperah	„ 27th	1·15	Rain fell on the 21st, 25th, and 27th September Latter part of the week cloudy and very warm.	More rain wanted for the crops.	

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BEHAR.		1873.				
PATNA DIVISION.						
28	Patna ..	Oct. 7th	Nil	A little rain to the south of the district, but it was not general.	Reports from all sides unsatisfactory. Rice dying off for want of rain and no moisture to prepare land for rubbee crops. Things in a eretical state.	Cholera disappeared and health good.
29	Gya ...	Oct. 4th	Nil	In the early part of the week the weather was somewhat cloudy and rain was expected, but subsequently it cleared up and was followed by clear sunshine. Days moderately hot, but the mornings and evenings cool.	The paddy crop is suffering for want of rain, the fields are being ploughed up for the winter crops.	
30	Shahabad ...	„ 4th	Nil	Clear and hot during the day; west wind; slight rain towards Doomraon and Sasseram.	No change since last report; *i.e.*, the continued drought is doing serious damage to the broadcast and transplanted rice. Unless rain falls very soon the crop will fail except where it can be kept alive by irrigation.	
31	Tirhoot ..	„ 4th	Nil	Hot ...	The westerly wind which blows at present will take away what little moisture there is out of the soil. People are very much dejected with regard to the state of rice crop, there being no rain when it is most wanted. The early crop is being harvested. Price of articles of food is every day rising.	
32	Sarun ..	„ 4th	Nil	Hot days and cool nights; west-wind prevailing.	Manufacture of indigo has been almost completed; fields are being prepared for poppy sowings. The rice crop urgently requires more rain, and without it must be a bad one indeed.	Public health good.
33	Chumparun ...	„ 4th	0·11	Hot days and cool nights. West winds prevailing.	The early crop has nearly been all reaped; the outturn is not expected to be favorable. The winter rice crop is drying up for want of water.	Cholera abated.
BHAUGULPORE DIVISION.						
34	Monghyr ..	„ 4th	0·66	Set fair ...	Rain is much wanted for the crops.	
35	Bhaugulpore ..	„ 4th*	Nil	Good rain at Colgong and Pointee; a few showers in Soopool. Weather fine; mornings quite cold.	All hope of saving rice on the highlands is gone; without heavy rain the rice even in low lands will be very poor.	General health remarkably good. Prices steady.
36	Purneah ...	„ 4th	1·20	Clear and bright ...	The early rice crop has been cut; about an eight-anna crop gathered. Even now if rain falls the winter crops would partly be saved.	
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs ..	„ 4th	1·1	Cloudy during the early part of the week; latter part clear and dry, with no indication of rain. On Saturday decided feel of cold weather.	Paddy about the head-quarters greatly benefited by the rain; in other parts of the district rain is still wanted.	
ORISSA.						
ORISSA DIVISION.						
38	Cuttack ..	„ 7th*	1·04	Rain fell on one day only. Scarcely any rain in the interior.	Late rice crop suffering from want of rain, especially on high lands.	Public health fair.
39	Pooree ...	Sept. 27th	0·72	Hot ...	Weeding and transplanting the winter rice are still going on. The young winter rice plants of certain villages in the west of the district are being watered in consequence of the want of rain. Early crops are being reaped. The prospects of the cold weather crops continue favorable. Khoordha—Crops very flourishing, except in Punchgar and Banpar, where it is a little backward.	
40	Balasore ..	Oct. 4th	Little rain.	Very close and hot ...	The little rain that has fallen in some parts has done good, but much more is required.	

* Telegram of the 7th October received on the same day. Shows the rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

No.	District	Date of return from each district	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-West Frontier Agency.	1873.				
41	Hazareebaugh ..	Oct. 4th	2·7	Rainy at the commencement, but fine during the latter part.	Excellent A little more rain a little later will give a crop above the average.	Small pox reported from various parts.
42	Lohardugga	„ 4th	1·71	Seasonable and favorable	The early crops are being reaped and the late rice crop promises well, though more rain is hoped for.	
43	Singbhoom .	Sept. 27th	Nil	Dry and very hot ..	More rain very much wanted; crops drooping for lack of it. From two or three quarters the reports during the past week have been unfavorable The gora dhan only an eight-anna crop.	A great deal of fever prevalent.
44	Maunbhoom .	Oct. 4th	0·06	Dry and hot ..	Rain still urgently wanted. The crops on the highlands especially are suffering greatly from the drought.	Health good
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.						
45	Goalparah .	Sept. 27th	0·46	Whole week was fair and bright, except on Friday, which was cloudy and rainy Days hot and mornings moderately cool.	Prospects of winter crops gloomy everywhere on account of scanty rain; other crops good. Rain is still wanted.	
46	Kamroop ..	Oct. 6th*	Nil	Weather clear and hot, cool mornings and evenings.	Rice crop does not appear promising for want of rain; tea cotton, sugarcane, and pulse crops progressing.	Public health good.
47	Durrung	....	...	... ..	.. ..	Return not received.
48	Nowgong ..	Sept. 27th	0 97	Very little rain during the week, but nights cool and damp, with one or two fogs of a morning.	Winter crops doing fairly well; tea operations most satisfactory.	No fresh cases of cattle murrain and small-pox A great deal of influenza and low fever flying about.
49	Seebsaugor	.....	...	.....	.....	Return not received.
50	Luckimpore .	..	..	.....	.....	Return not received.
51	Naga Hills	Sept. 20th	1·04	It has been rather cold on the hills; in fact, a very perceptible change in the weather has been felt during the week	The Nagas and Cacharies are still busy cutting their joom rice. The Kookies have not commenced to cut their joom rice yet; the cotton crop is promising.	
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills	„ 27th	0·12	The weather is getting clearer, and shows unmistakable signs of the approach of the cold season.	Paddy, millet, cotton, and potatoes are all in a healthy condition.	
53	Garo Hills .	... .	...	.. .	.....	Return not received.

* Telegram of the 6th October received on the 7th Shows the rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

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CALCUTTA, STATISTICAL DEPT.,
The 7th October 1873.

C. BERNARD
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 28th Sept. to 4th Oct. 1873.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. * Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials
Calcutta.	Sept. 28th	10	29·752	29 770	88·8	79·4	67	W S W	...	...	C	
		16	29·647	29·665	92·5	80·6	57	W N W	...	...	K, C	
	29th	10	29 787	29·805	89	80·1	66	N N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·683	29 701	92·5	81	59	E		...	K	
	30th	10	29·852	29 870	88	81·5	74	E by S	...	...	C	
		16	29·747	29·767	86	80·3	76	S E	...	...	N, S	
	Oct. 1st	10	29·859	29·877	86·3	79 5	72	E	...	...	K	
		16	29·731	29 749	91	81	63	E	...	.	K, C	
	2nd	10	29·855	29·873	86·4	80	74	E	...	...	K	
		16	29·725	29·743	90·5	80·7	63	E S E	...	...	K	
	3rd	10	29 842	29 860	89·5	82 2	71	E by S	.	...	C, S	
		16	29·701	29 719	91·6	79·6	56	E	.	...	K	
	4th	10	29 827	29·845	84 8	80·3	81	N E	..	2 05	CK	
		16	29·716	29·734	87·8	78·7	65	N E	.	...	S	
Saugor Island.	Sept. 28th	10	29·780	29 786	89	83	76	W	7 6	...	K	b
		16	29 685	29·691	89	83	76	S S W	2·8	...	K, S	b
	29th	10	29·798	29·804	89	80	66	N N W	2 1	...	K	b, v
		16	29·713	29·719	90	80	63	S S W	4·5	...	N	b, v
	30th	10	29·848	29·854	87	81	76	N	3 1	...	N	b, v
		16	29 752	29·758	79	77	90	E	9 2	1·10	N	o, v
	Oct. 1st	10	29 858	29·864	86	80	75	N	5·2	...	N	b
		16	29·729	29 735	89	78	59	N E	8·0	...	K, S	
	2nd	10	29·856	29 862	86	80	75	N	4·2	...	N	b
		16	29·730	29·736	87	81	76	S	7·5	...	N	b, v n
	3rd	10	29·830	29·836	89	81	69	N E	3 2		N	b, v
		16	29·711	29 717	85	81	83	S	5·0	0·70	N	b, p v
	4th	10	29·833	29·839	87	79	68	S	7 6	...	K	b, v
		16	29·734	29·740	85	79	75	E	9·0	...	K, S	b, v
Chittagong.	Sept. 28th	10	29 753	29 845	85	80	79	E S E	4·4	...	K	b
		16	29·625	29·717	87	79	68	W S W	3·1	...	C	b, v
	29th	10	29·769	29·861	83	80	87	N N E	2 2	...	K, KS, C	b
		16	29·625	29·718	81	79	91	W	3·9	0·50	N	d, g
	30th	10	29·838	29 932	76	75	95	N E	3·7	0·40	N	d, g
		16	29·703	29·796	79	76	86	N N E	1·8	0·10	KS	g
	Oct. 1st	10	29·814	29 906	84	78	75	E N E	4·4	...	CK, K, CS	b
		16	29·700	29·792	85	79	75	S W	6 4	...	C, K	b
	2nd	10	29·819	29·911	84	78	75	E S E	3 5	...	K, KS	u
		16	29·707	29·799	85	79	75	W S W	6 3	...	K, C	b, v
	3rd	10	.....	.....	84	78	75	N	2·8	...	K, KS	b, v
		16	29·655	29·747	86	80	75	W S W	5·5	..	C, CK	b, v
	4th	10	29 802	29·896	77	76	95	N N E	2 2	0·50	N	d, t g
		16	29·673	29·765	84	80	83	W	2·3	.	C, CK	b, v
Madras.	Sept. 27th	10	29·933	29 963	82	75	70	W S W	12	...	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·755	29·785	91	77	50	S W by S	9	...	.....	b c
	28th	10	29·874	29·904	85	77	68	W by S	10	...	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·747	29 777	88	76	55	N N W	10	...	.....	c
	29th	10	29·839	29·869	88	77	58	S W by W	10	...	.....	c
		16	29·748	29·778	83	77	75	S E by E	10	...	.....	cloudy.
	30th	10	29·866	29 896	88	78	62	W S W	9	..	.....	c
		16	29·767	29·797	78	74	81	E	10	...	.....	cloudy.
	Oct. 1st	10	29 860	29 890	90	77	53	S W by S	8	0·01	.....	c
		16	29·743	29·773	80	76	82	S W by S	3	0·18	.....	
	2nd	10	29·885	29 915	84	75	64	N W by W	8	.	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·756	29 786	84	76	67	S E by E	8		.. ..	c
	3rd	10	29·866	29·896	78	75	86	W by N	10	1·41	.. ..	o
		16	29·725	29·755	81	77	82	W by N	3	..	.....	cloudy.
Cuttack.	Sept. 27th	10	29·752	29·834	88	80	69	W S W	1·5	...	C	b
		16	29·616	29·697	92	79	54	W	1·7	...	C, K	b
	28th	10	29·700	29 782	89	80	66	W S W	0·9	...	C	b
		16	29 596	29 677	90	80	63	S	1·7		K, N, C	
	29th	10	29 706	29·788	85	78	71	W	1 7	0·40	C	b
		16	29 631	29·713	88	78	62	E	0 6	...	S, K, C	
	30th	10	29 775	29·857	88	80	69	E	0·3	...	K	b
		16	29·650	29·732	88	80	69	S E	1 8	...	C, K	b
	Oct. 1st	10	29 785	29·867	87	80	72	N	0·5	...	K, C	
		16	29·650	29·732	86	79	72	E	2 4	...	C	b
	2nd	10	29 785	29·867	87	79	68	W N W	0·2	...	C, K	b
		16	29·638	29 719	91	79	56	E S E	2 4	. .	K, N, C	
	3rd	10	29·762	29·843	90	81	66	E N E	1 3	...	K, N, C	
		16	29·641	29·723	86	78	68	E	2·4	...	K, N	d
	4th	10	29·765	29·847	88	80	69	N N E	0·7	1·30	C, K	b
		16	29·650	29·732	87	78	65	N N E	4 2	...	CK, C	
Akyab.	Sept. 28th	10	29·796	29 817	84	80	83	E	1 6	.	.. ...	b, g
		16	29 692	29·713	85	80	79	S S W	0·5	.	.....	b
	29th	10	29·827	29 849	79	78	95	S	1·6	0·70	.....	p
		16	29 740	29 762	81	79	91	S	2·3	.	.....	b, g
	30th	10	29·874	29·896	79	78	95	E	3·6	0·80	... ..	r
		16	29 765	29·787	79	78	95	S S E	3·3	0·30	.....	p
	Oct. 1st	10	29·896	29 917	85	81	83	S E	3·6	...	... ..	v
		16	29·755	29·776	83	80	87	W	3·3	0·20	... ..	b
	2nd	10	29·874	29·895	85	80	79	S E	1 7	...	.....	b
		16	29·749	29·770	86	81	79	S W	4·0	...	.....	b
	3rd	10	29·844	29·865	85	81	83	E	1·2	. .	.....	b
		16	29·707	29·728	87	81	76	W	4 5		... ..	b
	4th	10	29·829	29 851	81	79	91	E	2·3	0·10	.....	
		16	29 687	29·709	82	80	91	S S W	1·8	0 30	.. ..	g

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th October 1873.

H. F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 22nd to 30th September 1873.

Month	Date	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer: Highest reading.	Thermometer: Lowest reading.	Thermometer: Max solar radiation	Mean dry bulb	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew-point	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind: Prevailing direction	Wind: Max. pressure.	Wind: Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Remarks.
		Inches	°	°	°	°	°	°			lb	Miles	In		
Sept.	22nd	29 639	92 0	82 0	141·8	86 6	81·1	77 8	0·76	S W & W by N	...	95 7	..	.	Clear and cumuli.
	23rd	·644	92 5	82 5	143 0	86 8	81 9	79 0	·78	W by N & W	...	113·3		...	Clear and cumuli Thunder at 2¾ and 3½ P.M. Drizzled at 3½ P.M.
	24th	·682	93·0	82 5	139 0	87 0	81 4	78 0	·75	W, N W & S W	..	99 0	..		Clear and cirri. Thunder at 4 P M.
	25th	·707	87 5	81 5	131 0	83 7	80 7	78 6	85	S W & S S W	.	120 8	.	..	Stratoni, cirro-cumuli, cirri and cirrostrati. Thunder at 3½ and 4½ P M.
	26th	718	92 0	81 0	141 5	85 8	80 9	77·5	·77	S W & S W	..	139·9	.	...	Cirro-cumuli and clear. Lightning on N E at 11 P M.
	27th	·727	92 8	82 2	143 0	86 6	81·6	78·6	·78	S W & W		128 6	...	.	Clear and cirri.
	28th	·711	92 5	82 5	144 4	86·5	81·1	77 9	·76	S W	..	135 3	..	...	Clear and cirri. Drizzled at 2¼ P M.
	29th	739	93 6	81 5	146 8	86 6	80 6	77·0	·74	S W, E & S by E	.	104·8	.	☽	Clear and cumuli Lightning on N W between 9½ and 10½ P M. Drizzled at 6½ P M
	30th	1	91·5	81·0	139 0	84·6	80 0	76·8	·78	S by E & E by S	..	95 8			Cirri and cumuli. Thunder at 4¼ and 5 P M. Drizzled at 3¼ P M

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means, are derived from the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represent the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of the lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of the ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noon.

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The extreme variation of temperature during the past nine days	...	12 6
The max. temperature during the past nine days	...	93·6
The max. temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	..	90·2
The mean humidity during the past nine days	..	0·77
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·86
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 22nd to 30th ... by lower rain gauge	.	Nil
The total fall of rain from 22nd to 30th ... by anemometer gauge	..	Nil
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	.	2 39
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 30th September	..	41·91
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	62 81

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
In charge of the Observatory.

The 4th October 1873.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1500.

GENERAL.—*The 16th September* 1873.—Captain H. A. Harris is appointed to be Conservator of the Orissa Ports, and Harbour Master and Superintendent of Customs at False Point, with effect from the date on which he took charge of his duties.

The 8th October 1873.—Mr. Francis William Badcock, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Purneah, is transferred to Bhaugulpore for employment on settlement duty in the Bhaugulpore Division.

The 9th October 1873.—Baboo Tarini Lal Chowdry is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Chittagong.

Baboo Gour Mohun Bysack is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Tipperah.

Baboo Rosomoy Dutt is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Noakhally.

The 0th October 1873.—Mr. Charles Augustus Skipwith Bedford held temporary charge of the Mudhoobanee Division in Tirhoot, from the 18th August last, until the date of proceeding to Godda, under orders of the 15th ultimo.

Mr. Roger Henry Pawsey, C.S., is allowed the usual subsidiary leave from the day following the date of his arrival at Calcutta on his return from furlough, to enable him to join his appointment at Mymensing. Mr. Pawsey is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, and also with powers under Sections 222, 142, 157, and 521 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Mr. Henry Abbott Robert Alexander, Judge of Rajshahye, is allowed fifteen days' subsidiary leave from the 1st instant, preparatory to retiring from the service.

Captain Linish Blathwayt, Assistant Commissioner of Golaghat, is allowed the usual subsidiary leave o. absence preparatory to proceeding on furlough.

Mr. Reginald Porch, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Second Grade, is allowed the usual subsidiary leave from the 2nd instant, the day following the date of his arrival at Bombay on his return from furlough, to enable him to join his appointment. Mr Porch is posted temporarily to Beerbhoom, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, and also with powers under Sections 222, 142, 157, and 521 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

The 11th October 1873.—Captain Archibald Lewis Playfair, Officiating Cantonment Magistrate of Dinapore, and Judge of the Small Cause Court of that Cantonment, is appointed to be Judge of the Civil Small Cause Court at Dinapore, in addition to his present duties. The Judge of the Small Cause Court of Patna is relieved of the charge of the Civil Small Cause Court at Dinapore.

In supersession of the orders of the 27th June last, Mr. Edward Augustus Bradbury, C.S., Manager of the Cooch Behar Chaklajat Estates, is allowed fourteen days' leave of absence to enable him to present himself for examination in Bengali by the high proficiency test at the examinations which will be held in Calcutta in January next.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the District of Pooree, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

Gour Chundra Hurree Chundun Mansing Murdraj Bhromorbur, Rajah of Paricood, Zemindar.
Mohunt Narain Dass.
Baboo Ramchand Addy, Shop-keeper and landed proprietor.
Pundit Churn Dass Babajee.
,, Gopenath Missree, Teacher.

The 13th October 1873.—Mr. Fleetwood Hugo Pellew is appointed to officiate as a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade, with effect from the 30th September last.

Baboo Rai Churn Ghose, B.A., Sub-Deputy Collector, Maunbhoom, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Moulvi Salamut Ali is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Purneah, in place of Baboo Sant Prosad transferred to Sonthal Settlement Work.

Moulvi Mahomed Serajul Huq is appointed to the Second Grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and is to be employed in the Sonthal Settlement Work.

LEGISLATIVE.—*The 9th October* 1873.—Mr. W. H. Kirkpatrick, Registrar and Reporter, Bengal Legislative Department, is allowed privilege leave for three months under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. E. R. Gonsalves is appointed to officiate as Registrar of the Bengal Legislative Department during Mr. Kirkpatrick's absence or until further orders.

POLICE.—*The 11th October* 1873.—Colonel John Robertson Pughe, Inspector-General of Police, is allowed privilege leave for two months and twenty eight days under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code, from the 25th instant or any subsequent date before the 7th November next.

Colonel Adrian Hugh Paterson is appointed to officiate as Inspector-General of Police during Colonel Pughe's absence or until further orders.

EDUCATION.—*The 11th October* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the District School Committee at Backergunge:—

Mr Loftus Richard Tottenham, C.S.
,, John Knox Wight, C.S.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the District School Committee at Sylhet:—

Mr. Charles Jennins.
Baboo Tarini Churn Roy Chowdry.

The 14th October 1873.—Baboo Bholanath Das, C.E., is appointed to be a Member of the District School Committee of Gowhatty, *vice* Mr. P. J. Neuville, C.E., absent on furlough.

MEDICAL.—*The 11th October* 1873.—Sub-Assistant Surgeon Shib Chunder Bose, in charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Mudhoobanee in Tirhoot, is allowed two months' privilege leave under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Nobin Chunder Datta, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, is appointed to have charge of the Mudhoobanee Dispensary during Sub-Assistant Surgeon Shib Chunder Bose's absence, or until further orders.

The 13th October 1873.—Surgeon Major Neil Benjamin Baillie, Civil Surgeon of Bhaugulpore, is allowed privilege leave for twenty-one days under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code. Dr. A. S. Lethbridge, Superintendent of the Central Jail at Bhaugulpore, will be in Civil Medical charge of that Station during Dr. Baillie's absence, in addition to his present duties.

The 14th October 1873.—Mr. C. H. Wood, who has been appointed Government Quinologist for the Cinchona Plantation in British Sikkim, reported his arrival at Calcutta on the 6th instant.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 11th October* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Municipal Commissioners for the town of Howrah, viz.—

Dr. Robert Bird.
Baboo Jugut Chunder Banerjee, B.L.

ROAD CESS.—*The 8th October* 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following Members of the Branch Road Cess Committees at the Divisions noted within the 24-Pergunnahs District, under Section 76, Act X (B.C.) of 1871 :—

Barrackpore.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Bunko Behary Chatterjee, Record-keeper of the Bengal Secretariat	Vice-Chairman.
,, Umbica Churn Mookerjee, School Master ...	Members.
,, Rajkristo Banerjee, Editor of a Native Paper ...	
,, Horakristo Sircar, Zemindar	
Bonomally Ghose, Ryot	
Gopal Ghose, ditto	

Dum-Dum.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Baney Madhub Chuckerbutty	Vice-Chairman.
Mahomed Syud Torufdar	Members.
Baboo Ram Coomar Doss, Land Proprietor ...	
,, Boistub Churn Goho, ditto ...	
,, Ghonessam Banerjee, ditto ...	
,, Kallydhun Mookerjee, ditto ...	

Baraset.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Bany Madhub Mitter, Gantidar ...	Vice-Chairman.
,, Chandy Churn Dutt, ditto ..	Members.
,, Modhoo Soodun Roy Chowdry, ditto ...	
,, Madhub Chunder Banerjee, ditto ...	
,, Gopal Chunder Ghose, ditto ...	
,, Issan Chunder Chatterjee, ditto ...	
Buseeruddin Mundle, Gantidar and Ryot ...	
Haru Mundle, ditto ...	

Buseerhaut.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Joggeshur Bose, Pleader	Vice-Chairman.
,, Sookrity Chunder Roy, Lakhirajdar ...	Members.
,, Kallybur Singhee, Mooktear	
Moulvi Abdool Ahad, Pleader and Aymadar ...	
Jameer Mondul, Jotedar	
Troyluckonath Chassadhopa ditto	

Satkhirah.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Kally Das Deb	Vice-Chairman.
,, Hemango Chunder Bose	Members.
,, Judoo Nath Ghose	
,, Prosonno Coomar Ghose	
,, Shitul Chunder Bose, Zemindar's Agent ...	
,, Komolakant Shadookhan, Trader	
,, Dwarkanath Chuckerbutty, Gantidar ...	
Azimuddin Biswas, Ryot	
Mohun Chand Sirdar, ditto	

Barripore.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Hurry Dass Dutt, Zemindar	Vice-Chairman.
,, Annondo Chunder Ghose, Talookdar ...	Members.
,, Kali Coomar Banerjee, Merchant	
,, Lall Mohun Banerjee, Chokdar	
,, Woomesh Chunder Mitter, Manager, Port Canning Company	
,, Debnarain Dutt, Talookdar	
Syed Kazi Mahomed Ali, Jotedar	
Mohabet Mollah, Jotedar	
Moonshee Golam Aribbi, ditto	

Diamond Harbour.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Shama Churn Pottitundo, Zemindar... ...	Vice-Chairman.
„ Gopee Mohun Bose, Talookdar	Members.
Chunder Coomar Bhuttacharjee, Ryot	
Kally Coomar Mundul, Jotedar Ryot	
Golam Hussan Lusker, ditto	
Baboo Judoonath Singha, Mooktear and Ryot ...	
„ Degumber Mozumdar, Naib of Penchakuli Estate and Ryot	
„ Prosunno Chunder Bose, Naib	
„ Hara Nath Dutt, Cashier of Rajah Norendro Krishun Bahadoor	

The 11th October 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following Members of the Branch Road Cess Committees at the Divisions noted within the Cuttack District under Section 76, Act X (B.C.) of 1871 :—

Jajpore.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Chundra Prosonno Datta, Moonsiff ...	Vice-Chairman.
„ Jagannath Bullub Rai, Sheristadar ...	Members.
„ Lakhimdhur Putnaik, Canoongoe ...	
Mr. J. C. Cox, Supervisor, D. P. W. ...	
Baboo Persooram Mohanti, Zemindar ..	
„ Ghanesyam Das, ditto ...	
„ Narahari Dobai, ditto ...	
„ Jagannath Bullubh Rai, ditto ...	
„ Karuna Sindhu Mongraj, ditto ...	
„ Shiva Persade Das, Mooktear ...	
„ Radha Gobinda Singh, Zemindar ...	
Chowdhri Prahalad Mohapatra, ditto ...	
„ Sahadeb Mohapatra, ditto ...	
Baboo Markunda Mohapatra. ditto ...	
Moonshee Abdul Mir Kasim, ditto ...	
„ Faqiruddin Husein, ditto ...	
Nagu Raut, Ryot	
Madhu Raut, ditto	
Rama Sahu, ditto	
Basu Sahu, ditto	
Anunta Kunda ditto	

Kendraparah.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Jagannath Bhramarabar, Zemindar ...	Vice-Chairman.
„ Abhai Charn Ghose, ditto ...	Members.
„ Lakhimdhar Canoongoe, ditto ...	
„ Raghunath Canoongoe, ditto ..	
„ Madhub Chundra Mukapadhya ...	
„ Moti Lall Simlai, Naib ...	
„ Ram Jadub Bose, ditto ...	
„ Bodyanath Rai, Kanungoe ...	
„ Biswambhar Das, Tehsildar ...	
Jogu Baral, Ryot	
Mandardhur Mohanti, ditto	
Nidhi Panda, ditto	
Baidyanath Chowdhuri, ditto	

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th October 1873.—Under Section 82 of Act VI (B.C.) of 1868 (The District Towns Act) the Clauses 7, 8, 9, 12 and 13 of Schedule K annexed to the Act, are hereby extended to the town of Busseerhaut in the District of the 24-Pergunnahs.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 8th October 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a local road from Berhampore to Garhpada in Pergunnahs Tulsabary, Bustah and Garhpada, Zillah Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 20 beegahs 6 ghoonte 4 biswas of standard measurement, and 3 miles 4 furlongs in length, with an average breadth of 40 feet, is required within the villages of Garhpada, Uria Sasun, Hirapore, Bhutkhandi, Pergunnah Garhpada, Patpore, Pergunnah Bustah Anko, Turadih Patpore, Kasipada, Atiadiha, Berhampore, Kadomanda, Pergunnah Tulsabaug, is required.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India, Home Department, is re-published for general information :—

No. 3048.—*Simla, the 30th September* 1873.—*Notification.*—*Public.*—The undermentioned Covenanted Civil Servants have been granted, by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, extensions of leave for the period specified against their names :—

Mr. F. R. Cockerell, 1 month, furlough.
" G. Graham, 6 months, sick certificate.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are re-published for general information :—

No. 3379.—*Simla, the 30th September* 1873.—*Leave and Allowances.*—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following words be inserted after " Courts" in the example under Section 19(*a*) of the Acting Allowance Code, " who are not members of the general subordinate judicial service," and that the following be substituted for Rule 1 under the same section :—

Officers of the Classified list of the Financial Department, and Judges of Small Cause Courts who are graded as members of the subordinate judicial service, do not come under this clause, but under the next clause.

No. 3374.—*The 29th September* 1873.—*Pensions and Gratuities.*—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following rule be substituted for that relating to Case III in Chapter XI of the Civil Leave Code :—

The officer will obtain a last-pay certificate from the treasury where his pay and allowances were last disbursed to him, and if he proceeds to another Presidency or Province, he must get the counter-signature of the Accountant-General who has jurisdiction over the treasury from which he obtained his last-pay certificate.

No. 3395.—*The 30th September* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to order the amendment of the definition of " Local Government" in—

Section 1 (*a*) of the Civil Pension Code,
Section 4 (*e*) of the Civil Leave Code,
Section 1 (*a*) of the Acting Allowance Code,

as follows :—

In each case omit " and" and add " and the Agents of the Governor-General in Rájputána and Central India."

No. 3427.—*The 30th September* 1873.—*Separate Revenue.*—*Post Office.*—There is reason to believe that the special privileges in respect to postage of official correspondence are not everywhere understood, and that sufficient attention is not paid to economy in the official use of the post.

The special privileges of official correspondence which affect ordinary transactions are as follows :—

(1).—An official cover of which the weight exceeds half a tolah, but does not exceed ten tolahs, may be sent by letter post for one anna only.

NOTE :—*First.*—For heavier covers, the charge by *packet* post is very much cheaper than by *letter* post.

Secondly.—It costs the Post Office Department less to carry *packets* (which are sent by banghy post) than letters.

(2).—An official *packet* may be sent in a *closed* cover.

The postage on a *packet* is one-half of that on a parcel; and the only advantages obtained by sending an *official* cover by *parcel* post rather than by *packet* post are (1) that a *parcel* is registered, while a *packet* is not registered; and (2) that, as pre-payment of the postage on a *packet* is compulsory, a *packet* cannot be sent " Service bearing."

The following rules should be observed :—

A.—Attention should be paid to reducing the weight of official covers sent by post, whenever this can conveniently be done. For instance, a whole bundle of papers should not be sent when a *part* will suffice.

B.—A cover of which the weight exceeds ten tolahs should be sent by packet* post, and not by letter post, unless it is important to save the extra time (never long) that it may, on some lines, and for long distances, take to transmit a *packet* by banghy post.

C.—An official cover should never be sent by *parcel*† post, unless—

(1.)—The contents are so valuable that, if sent by letter post, it would be registered, or

(2.)—The postage is a proper charge upon the individual or public body to whom it is addressed, and not upon the general revenues.

Whenever an official cover is received in any office which is wrongly stamped, or which (its weight being over ten tolahs) appears to have been needlessly sent by letter post instead of by packet post, or which (whatever its weight) appears to have been needlessly sent by *parcel* post instead of by *packet* post, the receiving officer should invariably remind the despatching officer of the instructions contained in this notification. This may be done, simply, by the use of skeleton forms; and it is hoped that all public officers will soon be so trained as to need no further reminding.

A copy of this notification should always be posted in each office before the officer whose duty it is to despatch the correspondence of the office, and also before the chief ministerial officer.

The Schedule of official postage rates is appended for convenient reference :—

Official Postage Rates.

	LETTER POST.		BANGHY POST.	
	LETTERS — CLOSED COVERS.	REGISTERED GAZETTES. — OPEN COVERS	PARCELS. — CLOSED COVERS.	PACKETS — CLOSED COVERS.
	Prepayment optional.	Prepayment compulsory.	Prepayment optional.	Prepayment compulsory.
	A. P.	A. P.	A. P.	A. P.
A cover not exceeding ½ tola	0 6	.....	.....	.....
" exceeding ½ and not exceeding 10 tolahs	1 0	0 6	.....	.....
" " 10 " " 20 "	5 0	1 0	4 0	2 0
" " 20 " " 30 "	10 0	1 6	6 0	3 0
" " 30 " " 40 "	15 0	2 0	8 0	4 0
For every additional 10 tolahs	5 0	0 6	2 0	1 0

* NOTE.—It will usually be convenient to make it a standing order in every office, that no cover weighing more than ten tolahs shall be sent by letter post without the express permission of the Registrar or other chief ministerial officer which permission should never be given without special reasons.

† NOTE.—It should probably be a standing order in every office, that no cover shall ever be sent by parcel post without the express permission of the Registrar or other chief ministerial officer, which permission should never be given without special reasons.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Marine Department, are re-published for general information :—

No. 8.—*Simla, the* 1*st October* 1873.—*Notifications.*—The following Notification issued by the Government of Bombay is published for general information :—

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 17*th September* 1873.

NOTIFICATION.

The following extract from a letter addressed to the Resident at Aden by the Officer commanding the steamer *Dalhousie,* is published for general information :—

A danger lies 387 yards off the east side of Perim Island at the entrance of the narrow straits of Bab-el-Mandeb, known as the "Azalia" reef.

Light-house N. W. ¾ N.

S. E. Point of Island S. W. by W. ¼ W.

Bab-el-Mandeb Peak N. E.

Least water 11 feet, currents are variable and strong. Tides not to be relied on.

(Signed) J. MACDONALD, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Secretary to Government.

No. 9 —In continuation of Marine Notification No. 10, dated the 9th September 1872, the following supplementary quarantine rules, submitted by the Government of Fort St. George, having been approved by the Right Hon'ble the Governor-General in Council, are published under the provisions of Section 2, Act I of 1873.

In the case of coasting steamers plying between Calcutta and Bombay, "the port last visited" shall, for the purposes of Rule II, be held to be either Calcutta or Bombay, as the case may be, as the original port of last departure, and clean bills of health obtained from the proper authority at such port of last departure shall hold good for the whole intermediate voyage, unless disease, dangerous to the public health, shall appear on board during such voyage.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th October 1873.—In continuation of the notification dated the 8th June 1872, declaring that a settlement should be made of Pergunnah Hendwa, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under Section 9 of the Regulation for the peace and good Government of the Territory known as the Sonthal Pergunnahs, sanctioned by the Governor-General in Council on the 29th April 1872, to declare that a settlement shall be made of the under-mentioned pergunnahs, tuppehs, and talooks (with the exception of such detached villages as are excluded from the operation of the notification issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 478, dated the 12th of March 1872), for the purpose of ascertaining and recording the various interests and rights in the lands :—

ZILLAH BHAUGULPORE:
1. Amba.
2. Sooltanabad.
3. Belputta.
4. Godda.
5. Umloo Mooteah.
6. Pussye.
7. Barkopa.
8. Patsunda.
9. Munharee.
10. Mundar.
11. Sathearee.

ZILLAH BEERBHOOM:
12. Dhumsyne.
13. Durreen Molissur, such portion thereof as lies north of the Chundun Nuddee.
14. Mohamedabad.
15. Pubhia.
16. Narainpore.
17. Ghattee.
18. Kujra.
19. Bhorechundee.
20. Goomroo.
21. Tessoria, within Tuppeh Kundit Kurayeh.

With reference to the above notification, declaring that a settlement shall be made of twenty-one pergunnahs, tuppehs, and talooks in the Sonthal Pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under Section 10 of the same Regulation, to appoint Mr. Browne Wood, Deputy Commissioner of the Sonthal Pergunnahs, to be the officer by whom the settlement of the said pergunnahs, tuppehs, and talooks, shall be made, and Messrs. J. F. Blumhardt, J. D. White, L. B. Roberts, and J. R. Hand, to be assistant settlement officers to perform such duties as the settlement officer may assign to them.

The Commissioner of the Sonthal Pergunnahs is vested with full control over the proceedings of the officers by way of appeal, and of revision where no appeal may have been preferred. The ultimate power of revision is reserved to the Lieutenant-Governor.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th September 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the authority vested in him for that purpose by Section 35, Act III (B.C.) of 1864, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that, subject to the limitations therein contained, a tax shall, from the 1st April 1874, be imposed upon all carriages, horses, and elephants kept within the limits of the Chittagong Municipality.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd September 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare public the Ferry at Bhelamari on the Brahmaputtra River, where the road leading from Rungpore to the Garo Hills is intersected by the river.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 25th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the site of the sub-divisional head-quarters at a place called Korigram, in District Rungpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land on what is commonly called "Mudun Beebee's Chur," measuring more or less 800,000 superficial feet, equal to 55 beegahs 11 kattas and 1 chattack, or 18 acres 1 rood and 18 poles, situated in Mouzah Madhubram, Pergunnah Bahirbund, District Rungpore, is required within the aforesaid pergunnah. The boundaries of the land are as follows :—

On the north is the public road and the old bed of the River Dhurla.

On the south is the village Chundalpara.

On the east is the newly formed chur of Dhurla River; and

On the west are the old bed of the Dhurla River and the village Kansareepara.

A plan of the land made by the Executive Engineer of the district has been deposited in the Collector's Office, and is open to inspection there.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 25th September 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Police Station and Post Office at Dhamnagar, in the Village of Sampore, Pergunnah Dhamnagar, Zillah Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 3 roods 17 poles of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the jal land of Matawali Mahomed Mazzar Ali; on the south by the arable land of Kanungo Harihar Harichundun; on the east by the waste land of Matawali Mahomed Mazzar Ali; and on the west by the Jogu Sagar tank, is required within the aforesaid Village of Sampore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th September 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare public the Ferry over the River Bhagirathi at Siluri, in the Sub-Division of Cutwa; the Ferry over the River Durkessar at Ekloki, in the Sub-Division of Jehanabad, intersecting the road from Burdwan to Midnapore; and the Ferry over the Khal Sodpur, on the road from Sulkea Ghât to Jehanabad, in the Sub-Division of Jehanabad.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication]

Rules for the Election of Municipal Commissioners in the Town of Serampore, sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor under Section 1 of Bengal Act II of 1873.

Number of elective commissioners.

1. THERE shall be eighteen municipal commissioners for Serampore, of whom fifteen shall be elected by the rate-payers, and three shall be appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor.

Qualification of candidates.

2. Any man of full age who is a resident within municipal limits, or within three miles thereof, who is himself a rate-payer, who can read and write, and who has never been convicted of a non-bailable offence, may be proposed for election.

3. The municipal jurisdiction of Serampore shall be divided into three quarters or wards, which shall return members as follows:—

In Serampore, with Chattra and Bullubpore ...	9
„ Konnagar	3
„ Risherah and Mohesh	3
Total ...	15

Notice of candidature.

4. Any two rate-payers may nominate a candidate and may inform the sub-divisional officer of his candidature on any date not later than the 31st November. The sub-divisional officer shall ascertain if the candidate accepts the nomination and is qualified under the rules; and if so, he shall notify such candidature at the sub-divisional cutcherry, and at one or more police-stations and school-houses in the town, as he may see fit. Such notification shall state the name, residence, and qualification of the candidate.

Objection against candidates.

5. If any rate-payer object to the eligibility of any candidate, he may on some date not later than the 6th December, notify such objection in writing to the sub-divisional officer, who shall hear and finally decide any question of eligibility. On the 10th December the final list of candidates shall be notified at the sub-divisional cutcherry, and in at least one conspicuous place in each quarter.

Election sub-committee of commissioners.

6. The municipal commissioners shall appoint a sub-committee of three of their number to assist the sub-divisional officer in carrying out the following rules regarding elections.

Time and place of polling.

The sub-divisional officer shall decide on what day, not later than the 25th December, and at what places in the town, the poll shall be held; and he shall notify such decision at the sub-divisional cutcherry, and in at least one place in each quarter.

List of electors.

7. As soon as possible after the publication of these rules, the sub-divisional officer shall prepare a list of all the persons who paid any rate on houses or lands in each ward during the year ending on the 30th September next preceding. A copy of the list shall be exposed to view at the sub-divisional and at the municipal office; and a copy of so much of the list as relates to each quarter in some police-station, school-house, or other accessible public place in each quarter of the town. All persons mentioned in the list shall be entitled to a vote in the election of municipal commissioners for the ward.

Number of votes.

8. No rate-payer shall have a vote for more than one person, or in more than one ward.

Recording of votes.

9. Votes shall be recorded by such polling clerks as may be appointed by the Chairman of the Commissioners. There shall be at least one polling clerk for each polling place, who shall stay at the polling place for such hours as the sub-divisional officer may fix on the day of the poll. Each rate-payer who desires to record his vote shall attend at the polling place, and shall state his name and residence; the polling clerk shall verify from the list of voters of the quarter whether the intending voter is entitled to a vote for that quarter; and if he is so entitled, he shall record his vote against the rate-payer's name in the list of electors for the ward. The election sub-committee of the commissioners shall, acting under the sub-divisional officer's instructions, make such arrangements as they may see fit for identifying voters in cases of doubt, and in any case of doubt as to the validity of a vote, or as to the identity of a voter, the decision of the sub-committee and the sub-divisional officer shall be final.

Identification of voters.

Scrutiny of poll registers.

10. At sunset on the day of the poll the poll shall be closed, and the registers of the polling clerks shall be scrutinised by the sub-divisional officer and the election sub-committee, whose decision upon any doubtful point shall be final. The candidates who may stand highest on the poll of their quarter shall be declared to be duly elected.

Membership to commence.

11. The result of the poll shall be notified at the sub-divisional cutcherry and in each ward, and shall be reported to Government for publication in the *Gazette*. The candidates declared to be duly elected shall hold office from the 1st January next succeeding the day of their election.

Cost of municipal elections.

12. The cost of erecting temporary sheds, of paying polling clerks, or taking any other necessary action under these rules, shall be paid by the commissioners out of the municipal fund.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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REVENUES AND EXPEN

The following are the Receipts into, and Payments out of, the Treasuries

Twelve Months, 1872-73 with 1871-72.		REVENUES AND OTHER RECEIPTS					
			Budget Estimate, 1872-73.	Total Treasury Receipts			
Increase	Decrease			To 31st March 1873		Same time last year	
£	£		£	£	£	£	£.
.	. ...	Balance on 1st April 1872	.. ..	. ...	2,590,412	... .	2,387,364
43,299	.....	I. Land Revenue ...	3,950,000	3,998 021		3,954,722	
513	... ..	III. Forest .	12,500	14,985		14,472	
.....	57,736	IV. Excise ..	650,000	696,683		754,419	
.....	109,357	V. Assessed Taxes ...	181,000	192,765		302,122	
16,662	.. ...	VI. Customs ...	1,100,000	1,090,545		1,073,883	
82,235	.. ..	VII. Salt .	2,640,000	2,660,369		2,578,134	
... ..	828,907	VIII. Opium ...	5,454,800	6,069,793		6,898,700	
52,465	. ..	IX. Stamps ..	795,000	845,256		792,791	
10,560	.....	XIII. Law and Justice ..	75,000	95,130		84,570	
.. ...	10,108	XIV. Marine .	123,800	128,181		138,289	
.....	7,995	XV. Interest .	17,600	15,956		23,951	
.....	232	XVI. Miscellaneous ...	100,000	94,693		94,925	
205,734	1,014,335 205,734	Total Revenue £ ..	15,102,700	.. ...	15,902,377	... ..	16,710,978

Decrease £808,601 in receipts.
Add increase.. £306,466 in expenditure.

£1,115,067 net decrease.

OTHER RECEIPTS.

Miscellaneous Loans	60,000		.....	
Service Funds	.....		.....	
Political Stipend Fund	176,028		182,416	
Provincial Services and Local Funds ...	2,091,581		1,892,839	
Deposits	1,697,525		1,569,092	
Savings' Bank	304,037		260,195	
Local Remittances	10,388,510		9,936,471	
Advances Recoverable	1,980,954		1,774,473	
Account Current with London ...	14,876		44,922	
" " " India	4,892,440		3,982,361	
" " " other Governments ..	763,863		777,911	
Electric Telegraph Remittances ...	94,826		90,495	
Public Works	874,463		761,683	
State Railways, Public Works Department	22,281		.....	
Military and Marine Departments, Bengal	232,960		177,148	
Military Department, other Governments ..	4,173		5,293	
Bill and Transfer Receipts, other Governments	33,551		36,045	
		23,632,068		21,491,344
Total £ ...		42,124,857		40,589,686

CALCUTTA, OFFICE OF THE ACCTT.-GENL., BENGAL, the 13th October 1873.

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DITURE—BENGAL.

in Bengal between 1st April 1872 and 31st March 1873

EXPENDITURE.						TWELVE MONTHS, 1872-73 WITH 1871-72.	
	Budget Estimate, 1872-73.	TOTAL TREASURY PAYMENTS. To 31st March 1873.		TOTAL TREASURY PAYMENTS. Same time last year.		Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
2. Interest	14,000	12 863		15,312		... ..	2,449
3. Refunds and Drawbacks ...	145,000	112,376		134,559		...	22,183
4. Land Revenue	335,000	341.483		301,874		39,609	...
5. Forest	13,700	9,961		11,022		... ..	1,061
6. Excise	32,000	30,530		30,470		60	.....
7. Assessed Taxes	19,400	5,348		18,008		... .	12,660
8. Customs	65,500	65,208		64,419		789	... ..
9. Salt	19,400	4,130		7,252		... ..	3,122
10. Opium	2,319,600	1,809,137		1,592,346		216,791	.....
11. Stamps	29,000	30,387		29,377		1,010	.....
15. Administration	172,900	163,878		169,077		.. ...	5,199
16. Minor Departments ..	20,400	35,090		25,082		10,008	.....
17. Law and Justice... ..	717,500	682,767		701,900		... ..	19,133
18. Marine	180,000	175,094		166,703		8,391	.....
19. Ecclesiastical .. .	23,500	22.802		23,231		. ...	429
20. Medical	38,500	37,925		38,311		.. ...	386
21. Political Agencies ...	3,000	10,550		2 528		8,022	.....
22. Allowances (Treaty) ...	247,600	250,865		251,947		... .	1,082
23. Superannuations	73,000	69.438		68,607		831	.....
24. Miscellaneous	10,300	8,297		9,023		.....	726
25. Allotments for Provincial Services	1,223,500	1,320,384		1,230,999		89,385	.....
Total Expenditure ...	5,702,800	... .	5,198,513	.....	4,892,047	374.896 68,430	68,430

Increase ... £ 306,466.

OTHER PAYMENTS.

Miscellaneous Loans	796,135		3,827	
Service Funds	.....		.....	
Political Stipend Fund	142,465		165,995	
Provincial Services and Local Funds ...	1.948,176		1,736,112	
Deposits	1,707,798		1,558,212	
Savings' Bank	244,848		221,805	
Local Remittances	10,407,338		9,921,397	
Advances Recoverable	1,990,591		1,757,915	
Account Current with London	598		8	
" " " India	14,322 739		15,514,034	
" " " other Governments ...	54,714		27,936	
Electric Telegraph Remittances	56,143		25,971	
Public Works	1,686,601		1,536,820	
State Railways, Public Works Department ...	8,558		. ...	
Military and Marine Departments, Bengal ...	562,625		597,851	
Military Department, other Governments ...	21,898		22,538	
Bill and Transfer Receipts, other Governments ...	14,698		16,807	
		33,965,925		33,107,228
Balance on 31st March 1873 ...		2,960,419		2,590,411
Total £ ...		42,124,857		40,589,686

J. WESTLAND, *Offg. Acctt.-Genl., Bengal.*

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1501.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is re-published for general information :—

No. 189.—*Simla, the 2nd October* 1873.—*Notifications.*—*Revenue.*—With reference to Notification No. 139R, dated 5th August 1873, the following Regulation is hereby re-published :—

BENGAL EASTERN FRONTIER REGULATION I OF 1873.

A Regulation for the peace and government of certain districts on the Eastern Frontier of Bengal.

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for India in Council has by Resolution in Council declared the provisions of Act XXXIII Vic., Cap. 3, Section I, to be applicable to the districts of Kamroop, Durrung, Nowgong, Seebsaugor, Luckimpore, Garo Hills, Khasi and Jynteah Hills, Naga Hills, Cachar, and Chittagong Hills;

And whereas the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has proposed to the Governor-General in Council a draft of the following regulation, together with the reasons for proposing the same, for the peace and government of the said districts;

And whereas the Governor-General in Council has taken such draft and reasons into consideration, and has approved of such draft, and the same has received the Governor-General's assent;—

The following regulation is now published in the *Gazette of India*, and will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and will thereupon have the force of law, under the thirty-third of Victoria, Chapter III :—

1. This Regulation shall extend to the districts named in the preamble, and shall come into force on the 1st of November 1873.

2. It shall be lawful for the Local Government of Bengal, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to prescribe, and from time to time to alter by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, a line to be called "The Inner Line" in each or any of the above-named districts.

The Local Government may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, prohibit all British subjects, or any class of British subjects, or any persons residing in or passing through such districts, from going beyond such line without a pass under the hand and seal of the chief executive officer of such district, or of such other officer as he may authorize to grant such pass; and the Local Government may from time to time cancel or vary such prohibition.

3. Any British subject or other person so prohibited, who, after "The Inner Line" has been prescribed and notified in accordance with Section 2 of this regulation, goes beyond such line without a pass, shall be liable on conviction before a Magistrate to a fine not exceeding Rs. 100 for the first offence, and to a fine not exceeding Rs. 500, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, or to both, for each subsequent offence.

4. The Local Government may, from time to time, prescribe by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* a form of pass for each district, and may in such form fix such restrictions or conditions as the Local Government may deem fit, and may require the payment of such dues and fees for such passes as to the Local Government may seem proper. Any holder of such a pass shall, on breach of any such restriction or condition, be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding Rs. 100 for a first offence, or to a fine not exceeding Rs. 500, or to simple or rigorous imprisonment, which may extend to three months, or to both, for each subsequent offence.

5. Any rubber, wax, ivory, or other jungle product found in the possession of any person convicted of an offence under this regulation, may be confiscated to Government by an order to be passed at the time of conviction by the Magistrate.

6. The chief executive officer of any district comprised in any notification as aforesaid may, subject to the approval of the Local Government, authorize, by a written instrument under his hand, any public servant to arrest and bring before him with the least practicable delay—

Firstly.—Any person prohibited from crossing "The Inner Line" prescribed for such district, if such person shall be found beyond the line, and when asked to produce his pass shall refuse or be unable so to do.

Secondly.—Any person to whom a pass may have been granted, and who has committed any infraction of its conditions.

7. It shall not be lawful for any British subject or other person, not being a native of the district comprised in the preamble of this regulation, to acquire any interest in land or the product of land beyond the said "Inner Line" without the sanction of the Local Government, or such officer as the Local Government shall appoint in this behalf. Any interest so acquired may be dealt with as the Local Government, or its said officer, shall direct. The Local Government may also, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, extend the prohibition contained in this section to any class of persons, natives of the said districts, and may from time to time in like manner cancel or vary such extension.

8. Whoever, without the written permission of an officer authorized by the Local Government to grant such permission, kills or captures, or attempts to kill or capture, or abets within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, the killing or capturing of a wild elephant in any of the districts to which this regulation extends, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 200 for every such elephant, and any elephant so killed or captured shall be confiscated to Government: Provided that no person who kills, or attempts to kill, or abets the killing of an elephant in protection of himself, his houses, or his crops, shall be liable to punishment under this section; and provided also that every person who in the like case captures, or attempts to capture, or abets the capture of an elephant, shall be exempt from fine under this section, but shall, if the elephant be captured, be bound to surrender it to Government, or to pay such royalty thereon as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

9. It shall be competent for the Local Government to make rules for the issue of licenses to kill or capture elephants, and for all purposes connected with the capture of elephants.

10. The prosecution for every offence punishable under section 8 of this regulation shall be commenced within six calendar months after the offence is committed.

11. Offences against this regulation may be tried by Magistrates of the first or second class, and shall be bailable.

No. 2336.—*The 2nd October* 1873.—*Political.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. H. H. Martin as Consular Agent for the German Empire at Chittagong.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

Regulations made by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, pursuant to the provisions of Section 6, *Act XX of* 1865, *for conducting the examination of applicants for admission as Pleaders or Mookhtars in the Mofussil Courts subordinate to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.*

1. In order to the ascertainment of the qualifications of candidates for admission as Pleaders and Mookhtars in the Mofussil Courts subordinate to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal will from time to time appoint Examiners in Law, who shall have a President and a Secretary.

2. The examination of candidates shall be held on such dates within the month of January or February in each year, as shall be appointed and duly notified by the Examiners in Law.

3. The examination shall be conducted by the Examiners in Law, and shall be held under the superintendence of the person or persons appointed for that purpose.

4. The examination of candidates for pleadership of the higher grade shall be held in Calcutta; the examination for lower grade pleaders and for mookhtars shall be held at Calcutta, Patna, Dacca, Cuttack and Gowhatty.

5. The examination for higher grade pleaders shall be conducted in English; for lower grade pleaders and for mookhtars, in English or in the vernacular of the district, at the option of the candidate, as declared in his application for admission to the examination.

6. The examination shall be in part by written questions, the answers to which shall be in writing, and in part *vivâ voce*. But the Examiners in Law, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, shall have power to dispense with the *vivâ voce* examination in the vernacular if it so seem fit.

7. The Examiners shall prepare the written questions, of which there shall be not less than four papers for the pleaders' and mookhtars' examinations respectively.

8. Each paper shall contain twelve questions, and shall bear a full value of 160 marks.

9. The full number of marks for the *vivâ voce* examination, in which candidates shall be asked at least five questions, shall be 50.

10. The questions shall be so framed as to test the knowledge of the candidates in the subjects mentioned in the rules passed by the High Court for the qualification, admission, and enrolment of pleaders and mookhtars in Mofussil Courts; and they shall be so prepared that a candidate may be able to pass by studying the regulations, enactments, and text-books there specified.

11. The number of marks to which each candidate shall be entitled for his answers to the written or oral questions shall be determined by the Examiners in Law.

12. To be entitled to pass, candidates must obtain not less than the marks hereunder specified:—

	In each of the written papers.	In the *vivâ voce* examination
Higher Grade Pleadership	100	30
Lower ,, ,, ...	80	20
Mookhtarship	100	30

13. No candidate will be allowed to enter the examination room with any books or private memoranda, and any one detected doing so, will forfeit all fees paid by him, and will

not be permitted to undergo examination. Any candidates detected in the act of using unfair means, such as communicating with each other, or copying from their neighbours, or from private memoranda or books, &c., will be summarily ejected from the examination room, and shall forfeit all benefit to be derived from the previous portion of the examination and all right to proceed further, together with all fees paid by them.

14. When the examination shall have been concluded, the Examiners in Law shall submit the names of those candidates who have passed, together with a report of their proceedings to Government.

15. The names of the successful candidates shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and certificates, to be granted by the Examiners in Law under the signatures of the President and Secretary, shall be forwarded for distribution to the successful candidates by the Judges of their respective districts.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 8th October 1873.

No. 354.—The following orders, issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 599 *of the* 19*th September* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following classification of the Control Establishment of the Public Works Department shall be adopted with effect from the 1st September 1873, in supercession of that prescribed in Public Works Department notification No. 125, dated the 17th March 1871 :—

Classes and Grades.		Consolidated salary per mensem.
		Rs.
Controllers, 1st Class ...	1st Grade ...	1,600
	2nd „ ...	1,350
„ 2nd „ ...	1st „ ...	1,100
	2nd „ ...	950
„ 3rd „ ...	1st „ ...	800
	2nd „ ...	650
Deputy Controllers ...	...	550
Assistant Controllers ...	1st Grade ...	450
	2nd „ ...	350
	3rd „ ...	250

Controllers of the 3rd class, 1st and 2nd Grades, will thus take the place of Controllers of the 2nd class, 3rd and 4th Grades respectively, under the former classification

In consequence of this revision the undermentioned Officers are graded as follows :—

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Controllers, 3rd Class, 2nd Grade.

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Mr. W. A. Billings (Officiating).

No. 606 *of the* 20*th September* 1873.—Baboo Benode Behary Mookerjee, Apprentice Accountant in Bengal, is appointed an Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation, and is transferred to the Military Works Branch.

Mr. G. Gray, Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation in Bengal, is transferred to the Military Works Branch.

No. 620 *of the* 26*th September* 1873.—Mr. G. Adams, Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Military Works Branch to Bengal Provincial Establishment.

No. 355.—*Posting.*—Mr. G. Adams, Overseer, First Grade, is posted to the Akra Division, and he joined it on the 16th September 1873, before noon.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 13*th October* 1873.

No. 356.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for deepening and improving the Panya Khal in the villages of Kaliaganje, Jingira, Choonkutea, Shubudia, and Baghair in Thannah Lalbag, in the District of Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 73 beegahs of standard measurement, situated on the bank of the above khal, is required within the aforesaid villages of Kaliaganje, Jingira, Choonkutea, Shubudia and Baghair.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th October 1873.

No. 407.—*Transfer.*—Mr. R. A. Oldham, Supernumerary Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade (on leave), is transferred to the Provincial Branch.

No. 408.—*Notification*—Mr. W. Southon, Overseer, First Grade, Eastern Sone Division, is permitted, at his own request, to resign his appointment in the Department, with effect from the 25th August 1873.

No. 409.—*Transfer.*—Baboo B. Kamajee, Probationary Overseer, Third Grade, from the Southern Hooghly Drainage to the Cossye Division.

No 410.—*Transfer*—Mr. E. Gibson, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, from the Arrah to the Eastern Sone Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 19th September 1873.

No. 411—*Leave.*—Mr. E. W. P. Foster, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Eastern Sone Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted, on the 12th September 1873.

No 300, dated 26th July 1873.

No. 412.—*Notification.*—Mr. A. Salmon, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Byturnee Division, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 18th September 1873

No. 413.—*Leave.*—Baboo Aubinash Chunder Banerjee, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Dehree Division, is granted privilege leave for one month, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 414.—*Leave.*—Baboo Kedar Nath Banerjee, Overseer, Third Grade, Byturnee Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted, on the afternoon of the 17th September 1873.

No. 357, dated 28th August 1873

No. 415.—*Notification.*—Mr. C. L. Davies, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, Eastern Sone Survey Division, assumed charge of the office of Canal Revenue Superintendent, Behar, in addition to his other duties, on the afternoon of the 23rd September 1873.

The 13th October 1873.

No. 416.—*Notification.*—Mr. T. R. Roberts, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Brahminee Division, passed in the Lower Standard on the 15th February 1873.

No. 417.—*Leave.*—Baboo Jodoonath Seal, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Dehree Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted, on the forenoon of the 25th September 1873.

No. 304, dated 2nd August 1873

No. 418.—*Notification.*—Lieutenant A. D. McArthur, R.E., Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 25th September 1873, and joined the Arrah Division, to which division he has been transferred.

A. J. HUGHES, C.E.,
Asst.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 790B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 6th November 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares „	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 21st November respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 21st November 1873.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests	Total, about Chests
On or about Thursday, 4th Dec. 1873 ...	2,125	1,375	3,500

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 23rd September 1873.

STATEMENT shewing the quantity of Salt in store available for Exportation on Private Trade at each of the several Ports of Export in the undermentioned Districts.

Name of District.	Ports at which Salt is generally available for export on private trade.	Quantity remaining in store actually available for export on 1st September 1873.	REMARKS
		Indian Mds.	
Ganjam	Bavanapadu at the Nowpadah Salt Pans	50,000	
Godavery	Cocanada	50,000	
Kistna	Nizampatam	....	
Chingleput	Madras	....	
	Ennore	....	
	Covelong	....	
Tanjore	Negapatam	....	
	Katmavady	....	
	Total ..	100,000	

N.B.—Salt for export will be supplied by Government at the rates specified in the Notifications dated 21st March 1868 and 22nd April 1869, published at pages 737, *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 24th March 1868, and 673, dated 27th April 1869.

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE, *Madras, the 20th September* 1873.

H. GOODRICH, *Acting Sub-Secretary.*

PUBLISHED for general information.

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., Fort William, the 11th October 1873.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1873.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of lands no longer required by the Government, situated in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Railway Deputy Collector's Office at Cyntheea, adjoining the East Indian Railway Station, at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 10th day of November 1873, corresponding with 26th Kartic *B.S.*

The purchasers of these plots will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st—If the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plots will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

4th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt of the orders of the Collector confirming the sales. But such possession shall be liable to be disturbed in case the final sanction of the Member of the Board of Revenue in charge should not be accorded to the proceedings.

Consecutive Lot Number	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B C. Ch	A. R. P	Reasons for exclusion.	A R P		
1	Moorshedabad	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara	131	West	11 2 8	3 2 28	Occupied by Nulla.	0 0 20	Commences on 2,765 feet of mile 131 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
2	ditto	ditto	131	East	11 7 8	3 3 2	ditto	0 0 6	Commences on 2,680 feet of mile 131, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
3	ditto	ditto	132	West	11 0 0	3 2 22	..	..	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 131, as per plan East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive Lot Number	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated	Situated on which side of the Railway	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B C Ch.	A. R P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P		
4	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara.	132	East .	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....		Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 131, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
5	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara and Dangal.	132	West	11 9 8	3 3 7	.. ...	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 132, as per plan South—By railway level crossing East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
6	ditto	ditto ..	132	East	11 9 8	3 3 7			Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 132, as per plan South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
7	ditto	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Dangal and Pulsa.	133	West ..	8 0 0	2 2 23	.. ...		Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan	North—By a nullah. South—By end of mile 132, as per plan. East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
8	ditto ..	ditto .	133	East	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	..	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	North—By a nullah South—By end of mile 132, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
9	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Cheetoree and Majcund.	133	West	10 8 10	3 1 32	.. . .	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No 11 South—By a nullah East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
10	ditto ..	ditto	133	East .	10 8 0	3 1 31	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 12. South—By a nullah East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
11	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Majcund	133	West	10 0 0	3 1 9	... ..	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 133, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 9 East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
12	ditto	ditto ..	133	East	11 0 0	3 2 22			Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133, and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 133, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 10 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
13	ditto	ditto .	134	West	6 14 10	2 0 36	.....		Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan	North—By southern boundary of lot No 15 South—By end of mile 133, as per plan East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
14	ditto	ditto ...	134	East .	6 18 0	2 1 5	.. .		Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 16 South—By end of mile 133, as per plan. East—By zemindaree West—By railway fencing.
15	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ..	7 15 11	2 2 12	.	..	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No 17 South—By northern boundary of lot No 13 East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
16	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka and Burrisal.	134	East ...	7 18 0	2 2 18	.....	.....	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 18. South—By northern boundary of No. 14. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
17	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,450 feet of mile 134 and terminates at end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 15. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
18	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	East ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 16. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
19	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Burrisal.	135	West ..	6 13 4	2 0 13	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 134, as per plan, and terminates on 1,400 feet of mile 135.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
20	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	6 14 0	2 0 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
21	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Pakooredh.	135	West ...	8 2 0	2 2 29	.....	.....	Commences on 1,440 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 3,240 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
22	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	8 15 0	0 3 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
23	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	West ...	8 14 8	2 3 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,290 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 5,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
24	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	9 2 8	3 0 3	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
25	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Chandpore and Ramrampore.	137	West ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	Commences on 1,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates on 3,080 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary No. 27. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
26	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Rampore, Chandpore, and Ramrampore.	137	East ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No 28 South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B C Ch	A R P	Reasons for exclusion	A. R P		
27	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Ramrampore.	137	West	6 16 2	2 1 0		.	Commences on 3,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 173, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 25 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land.
28	ditto	ditto	137	East	6 16 2	2 1 0			ditto	North—By end of mile 137, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 26 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
29	ditto	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courpurta, Mouzah Ramrampore	138	West	8 5 10	2 2 38	.		Commences at the end of mile 137, as per plan and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 138.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 31 South—By end of mile 137, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
30	ditto	ditto	138	East	8 5 10	2 2 38			ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No 32 South—By end of mile 137, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
31	ditto	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courparta, Mouzah Telaye	138	West	7 3 1	2 1 18			Commences on 2 650 feet of mile 138 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 138, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 29 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
32	ditto	ditto	138	East	7 3 1	2 1 18			ditto	North—By end of mile 138 as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 30 East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
33	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Telaye and Kaheelpore	139	West	6 15 4	2 0 38	.		Commences at end of mile 138 and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 139 as per plan	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 138, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
34	ditto	ditto	139	East	6 15 4	2 0 38	.		Commences at the end of mile 138, as per plan and terminates on 1,430 feet of mile 139.	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 138, as per plan East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
35	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore	139	West	8 5 8	2 2 38			Commences on 1,515 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,615 feet of same, as per plan	North—By southern boundary of lot No 37 South—By railway level crossing East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
36	ditto	ditto	139	East	8 5 8	2 2 38			Commences on 1,445 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,570 feet of same, as per plan	North—By southern boundary of lot No 38 South—By railway level crossing East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
37	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore and Shadinpore.	139	West	5 8 5	1 3 6		.	Commences on 3,615 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 35 East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
38	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzahs Kaheelpore and Shadinpore.	139	East ...	5 8 5	1 3 6	.....	...	Commences on 3,570 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 36. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
39	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab, Mouzah Shadinpore.	140	West ...	6 10 8	2 0 25	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 139, as as per plan, and terminates on 1,950 feet of mile 140.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
40	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	East ...	6 7 0	2 0 16	.....	...	ditto	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
41	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	West	6 10 3	2 0 24	.....	...	Commences on 1,970 feet of mile 140 and terminates on 3,580 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 43. South—By railway level crossing. East—by railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
42	ditto ..	ditto ...	140	East ..	7 0 8	2 1 11	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 44. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
43	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Shadinpore and Lukheebatee.	140	West ..	7 7 2	2 1 29	.....	...	Commences on 3,580 feet of mile 140 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 41. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
44	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	East	7 6 0	2 1 26	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 42. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
45	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	9 7 12	3 0 17	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 140, as per plan, and terminates on 2,280 feet of mile 141.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 47. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
46	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpore.	141	East ...	9 9 8	3 0 21	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 48. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
47	ditto ..	ditto ...	141	West ..	7 11 8	2 2 1	.....	...	Commences on 2,280 feet of mile 141 and terminates on 4,215 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 45. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
48	ditto ...	ditto ..	141	East ...	7 16 8	2 2 14	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 46. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
49	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	5 1 6	1 2 28	.....	.....	Commences on 4,240 feet of mile 141 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 141, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 47 and 49. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
50	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpoor.	141	East ...	5 5 8	1 2 39	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 141, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 48 and 50. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
51	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Horishara.	142	West ...	6 12 4	2 0 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 141, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 142.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 53. South—By end of mile 141, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
52	ditto ...	ditto ...	142	East ...	7 14 8	2 2 9	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By a nulla. South—By end of mile 141, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
53	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Harishara.	142	West ...	10 19 8	3 2 21	.....	.....	Commences on 1,500 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 55. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 51. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
54	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Tighatee.	142	East ...	10 14 4	3 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 1,575 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 56. South—By a nullah. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
55	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Tighatee and Ghosematee.	142	West ..	10 7 10	3 1 29	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 142, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 53. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
56	ditto ...	ditto ...	142	East ...	10 9 4	3 1 34	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 142, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 54. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
57	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Ghosematee and Pantia.	143	West ...	10 15 8	3 2 10	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 142, as per plan, and terminates on 2,025 feet of mile 143.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 59. South—By end of mile 142, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
58	ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East ..	9 12 8	3 0 29	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 60. South—By end of mile 142, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
59	ditto ...	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	West ...	9 15 0	3 0 36	.....	...	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 57. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
60	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	East ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	.....	...	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 58. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
61	ditto ...	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Banti.	143	West ...	6 18 0	2 1 5	.....	...	Commences on 4,010 feet of mile 143 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 59-61. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
62	ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East ..	6 3 0	2 0 5	.....	...	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 60-62. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
63	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Banti.	144	West ...	13 1 12	4 1 12	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 143, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 144.	North—By Brahminee River. South—By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
64	ditto ...	ditto ...	144	East ...	11 5 10	3 2 37	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By Brahminee River. South—By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
65	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Jugdharee.	144	West ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	Occupied by road.	0 0 6	Commences on 1,900 feet of mile 114, and terminates on 3,180 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 67. South—By Brahminee River. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
66	ditto ...	ditto ...	144	East ...	7 3 8	2 1 20	ditto ...	0 0 5	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 68. South—By Brahminee River. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
67	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Hurreepore & Kurimpore.	144	West ...	4 16 8	1 2 16	.....	...	Commences on 3,180 feet of mile 144 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 65. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
68	ditto ...	ditto ..	144	East ...	5 10 8	1 3 12	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 66. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
69	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanager, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	West ...	12 12 8	4 0 28	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 144, as per plan, and terminates on 2,900 feet of mile 145.	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station lands. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
70	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanagger, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	East ...	11 1 0	3 2 25	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station land. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C Ch	A R P	Reasons for exclusion.	A R P		
71	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanagger, Mouzahs Beersumbur and Lushkerpore	145	West ..	5 11 0	1 3 14	.. ...		Commences on 4,105 feet of mile 145 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 145, as per plan. South—By fencing of Nulhatte station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
72	ditto	ditto .	145	East ..	5 2 8	1 2 31		.	ditto .	North—By end of mile 145, as per plan. South—By fencing of Nulhatte station land. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
73	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzahs Lushkurpore and Paikparah	146	West	10 4 6	3 1 20		...	Commences at the end of mile 145, as per plan, and terminates on 3,150 feet of mile 146.	North—By southern boundary of lot No 75 South—By end of mile 145, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
74	ditto ..	ditto ..	146	East ..	11 13 3	3 3 17	.. ...		ditto .	North—By southern boundary of lot No 176 South—By end of mile 145, as per plan East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
75	ditto ..	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Paikparah	146	West ..	8 16 0	2 3 26	Occupied by road		Commences on 3,150 feet of mile 146 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 146, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No 73. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
76	ditto ..	ditto	146	East	9 11 7	3 0 26	ditto		ditto	North—By end of mile 146, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 74 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
77	ditto	ditto	147	West	8 1 5	2 2 27		...	Commences at the end of mile 146, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 147	North—By southern boundary of lot No 79 South—By end of mile 146, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
78	ditto ..	ditto	147	East	8 1 5	2 2 27	.. ..		ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No 80 South—By end of mile 146, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
79	ditto	ditto	147	West	8 1 5	2 2 27		.	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 147 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 147, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No 77 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land.
80	ditto	ditto	147	East	8 1 5	2 2 27	..	..	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 147, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No. 78 East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
81	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Shajadpoor, Mouzahs Dhaoa and Deeha	148	West	11 14 0	3 3 19	..	..	Commences at the end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148.	North—By southern boundary of lot No 83 South—By end of a mile 147, as per plan. East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land.

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					B	C	Ch	A	R	P	Reasons for exclusion	A	R	P		
82	Moorshedabad	Pergunnah Dhaoa and, Shajadpore Mouzah Paikparah and Deeha	148	East	11	14	0	3	3	19					Commences at end of mile 147 as per plan and terminates on 3,820 feet of mile 148	North—By southern boundary of lot No 84 South—By end of mile 147, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
83	ditto	Ditto Mouzah Deeha	148	West	7	0	0	2	1	10	Occupied by nullah Occupied by road	0 0	0 0	7 4	Commences on 3,825 feet of mile 148 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 148 as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 81 East—By Railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
84	ditto	ditto	148	East	7	15	0	2	2	10	ditto ditto	0 0	0 0	7 4	ditto	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 82 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
85	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa Mouzah Denonathpore	149	West	10	14	10	3	2	8					Commences at the end of mile 148 as per plan and terminates on 2, 0[illegible] feet of mile 149	North—By southern boundary of lot No 87 South—By end of mile 148 as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
86	ditto	ditto	149	East	10	14	0	3	2	6					ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 88 South—By end of mile 148, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
87	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa Mouzahs Denonathpore and Soojanpore	149	West	10	3	13	3	1	19					Commences on 2 250 feet of mile 149 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No 85 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
88	ditto	ditto	149	East	9	3	14	3	0	6					ditto	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 86 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
89	ditto	Pergunnah Dhaoa Mouzahs Habishpore, Koolgachee and Sahara	150	West	16	1	0	5	1	9					Commences at the end of mile 149 and terminates at the end of mile 150, as per plan	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan South—By end of mile 149, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
90	ditto	ditto	150	East	16	0	12	5	1	8					ditto	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan South—By end of mile 149, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
91	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Chatia	151	West	14	4	4	4	2	32					Commences at the end of mile 150 as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 151	North—By southern boundary of lot 93 South—By end of mile 150 as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
92	ditto	ditto	151	East	14	3	8	4	2	30					ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No 94 South—By end of mile 150 as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing

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					B	C	Ch.	A	R	P	Reasons for exclusion	A	R	P		
93	Moorshedabad	Pergunnah Nowanuggur Mouzahs Chotia and Bootea	151	West	13	9	0	4	1	32	Occupied by nullah	0	0	9	Commences on 3,050 feet of mile 1 1 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan	North—By end of mile 151, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 91 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
94	ditto	ditto	151	East	13	9	0	4	1	32	ditto	0	0	9	ditto	North—By end of mile 151, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No 92 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
95	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Bhoteea and Doorea	152	West	12	8	0	4	0	16	Occupied by road	0	0	4	Commences at the mile 151 as per plan, and terminates on 3,330 feet of mile 152	North—By railway level crossing South—By end of mile 151, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
96	ditto	ditto	152	East	12	5	0	4	0	8	ditto	0	0	4	ditto	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of the mile 151, as per plan East—By zemindaree land West—By railway, fencing.
97	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzah Doorea	152	West	8	0	0	2	2	23					Commences on 3,360 feet of mile 152 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 152, as per plan South—By railway level crossing East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
98	ditto	ditto	152	East	8	10	0	2	3	10					ditto	North—By end of mile 152 as per plan South—By railway level crossing East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
99	ditto	ditto	153	West	0	0	0	3	1	9					Commences at the end of mile, as per plan and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153	North—By southern boundary of lot No 101 South—By end of mile 152, as per plan East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
100	ditto	ditto	153	East	10	0	0	3	1	9					Commences at the end of mile 152, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153	North—By southern boundary of lot No 102 South—By end of mile 152, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
101	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Doreea, Dadpore, and Bahadoorpore	153	West	14	5	2	4	2	34					Commences on 1,725 feet of mile 153 and terminates on 4,270 feet of same, as per plan	North—By Pugla nullah diversion South—By northern boundary of lot No 99 East—By railway fencing West—By zemindaree land
102	ditto	ditto	153	East	14	11	10	4	3	11					ditto	North—By Pugla nullah diversion South—By northern boundary of lot No 100 East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing
103	ditto	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Bahadoorpore and Dadpore	153	West	14	0	0	0	4	0	Occupied by nullah	4	2	21	Commences on the outer boundary of the B lands situate on the west facing of the Pugla Bridge and runs in a westerly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion	North—By zemindaree land South—By zemindaree land East—By land of lots Nos 101 and 105 West—By Pugla nullah

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					B. C. Ch	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A R. P		
104	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzahs Dadpore and Gooskeera.	153	East	6 3 0	2 0 5	Occupied by nullah.	0 3 26	Commences on the outer boundary of the b. land situate on the east facing of the Pugla Bridge, and runs in an easterly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By ditto. East—By ditto. West—By land of lots Nos. 102 and 106.
105	ditto ...	ditto .	153	West .	5 12 0	1 3 16	. .	...	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 153 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 153, as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
106	ditto	ditto	153	East	5 15 8	1 3 26	Nullah between lots 101 and 105 Nullah between lots 102 and 106.	0 0 21 0 0 2	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 153 as per plan South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
107	ditto .	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	West .	13 16 8	4 2 11	..	..	Commences at the end of mile 153, as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 154.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 109. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
108	ditto	Pergunnahs Nowanugger and Rajshahye, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	East	17 4 14	5 2 32	.	.	ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 110. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
109	ditto ..	Pergunnahs Nowanugger and Rajshahye, Mouzahs Gooskeera and Gopalpore.	154	West	20 14 12	6 3 17	.. .	..	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 154 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 107. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
110	ditto ..	ditto ..	154	East ...	21 12 8	7 0 24	.		ditto	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 108 East—By zemindar land. West—By railway fencing.
111	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Gopalpore.	155	West ..	11 11 6	3 3 12	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 154, as per plan, and terminates on 1,720 feet of mile 155.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 113. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
112	ditto ..	ditto ...	155	East	11 3 8	3 2 31	..	.....	ditto	North—By the southern boundary of lot No 114. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land West—By railway fencing.
113	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	West ..	6 15 8	2 0 39	.....	.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,000 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Moorarooee station land. South—By northern boundary of lot No 111. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
114	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	East	7 16 10	2 2 14	.	.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,045 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Mooraroaee station land. South—By northern boundary of lo No. 112. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
115	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye Mouzahs Bhadisur and Dhetora.	155	West ..	8 4 11	2 2 36	.	.....	Commences on 3,870 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 155, as per plan. South—By a public road. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
116	ditto ..	ditto	155	East ..	4 8 4	1 1 34	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Mooraroaee station.	0 1 14	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 155, as per plan. South—By A. class land of Mooraroaee station tank. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing
117	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Dhetora.	156	West	17 8 7	5 3 1	...	...	Commences at the end of mile 155, as per plan, and terminates on 3,215 feet of mile 156.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 119. South—By end of mile 155, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
118	ditto ..	ditto	156	East	17 8 7	5 3 1	.. ...	....	ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 120. South—By end of mile 155, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
119	ditto ..	ditto ..	156	West ..	15 9 8	5 0 19	..	.....	Commences on 3,215 feet of mile 156 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 156, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 117. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
120	ditto ..	ditto .	156	East ..	15 9 8	5 0 19	..	...	ditto .	North—By end of mile 156, as per plan South—By northern boundary of lot No. 118. East—By zemindaree land. West— y railway fencing.
121	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Dhetora and Pulsa.	157	West .	15 2 9	5 0 0	..	.	Commences at the end of mile 156 as per plan, and terminates on 2,475 feet of mile 157.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 123. South—By end of mile 156, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
122	ditto ..	ditto ..	157	East ..	15 8 0	5 0 15	. ...	.....	ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 124. South—By end of mile 156, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
123	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	157	West ...	17 8 8	5 3 2	.....	...	Commences on 2,457 feet o mile 157 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 157, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 121. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
124	ditto ...	ditto ..	157	East ..	16 10 9	5 1 34	...	.....	ditto .	North—By end of mile 157, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 122. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
125	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	158	West ...	18 3 0	6 0 0	Occupied by road.	0 0 22	Commences at the end of mile 157, as per plan, and terminates on 1,775 feet of mile 158.	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
126	ditto ...	ditto ...	158	East ...	19 8 5	6 1 27	ditto ...	0 0 22	ditto ...	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
127	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Ruttonpore and Pulsa.	158	West ...	36 12 10	12 0 18	.....	.....	Commences on 2,405 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
128	ditto ...	ditto ..	158	East ...	36 9 8	12 0 9	.....	.....	Commences on 2,525 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
129	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Pulsa, Sumbulpore, and Macwa.	159	West .	15 16 5	5 0 37	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 158, as per plan, and terminates on 2,500 feet of mile 159.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 131. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
130	ditto ..	ditto ...	159	East ...	20 9 11	6 3 3	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 132. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
131	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Macwa.	159	West ...	21 3 8	7 0 0	.....	.....	Commences on 2,500 feet of mile 159 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 129. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
132	ditto ...	ditto ...	159	East ...	18 0 0	5 3 32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 130. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
133	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Macwa and Bhatra.	160	West ..	8 17 13	2 3 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 159, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 160.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 135. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land,
134	ditto ...	ditto ...	160	East ..	9 3 5	3 0 5	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 136. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
135	ditto .	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	West ..	12 7 10	4 0 15	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 133. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
136	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	East ...	13 13 0	4 2 2	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 134. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
137	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra and Rajgaon.	161	West ...	9 5 15	3 0 12	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 160 as per plan and terminates on 2,465 feet of mile 161.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 139. South—By end of mile 160 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
138	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ..	11 0 9	3 2 24	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 140. South—By end of mile 160 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fenc. ing.
139	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon.	161	West ...	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	Commences on 2,465 feet of mile 161 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 161 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 137 East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
140	ditto ..	ditto ...	161	East ...	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 161 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 138. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
141	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon and Amhooa.	162	West ..	9 16 8	3 1 0	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 161 as per plan and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 162.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 161 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
142	ditto ...	ditto ...	162	East ...	10 17 9	3 2 15	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 161 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
143	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Amhooa.	162	West ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	.....	.....	Commences on 2,690 feet of mile 162 and terminates on 3,970 feet of same as per plan.	North—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company for Rajgaon Station Extension. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
144	ditto ..	ditto ..	162	East ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	2 2 20	ditto ...	North—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. South—By Railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
145	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Amhooa and Goorsa.	163	West ...	17 0 0	5 2 19	.....	.....	Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3,840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 147. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
146	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Amhooah and Goorsa.	163	East .	17 0 0	5 2 19	... .	.....	Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 148. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
147	ditto ..	Pergunnah Rajshahye Mouzah Goorsa.	163	West ...	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,840 feet of mile 163 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 145. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
148	ditto ...	ditto ...	163	East ..	10 10 10	3 1 37	B land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	0 1 10	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 146. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
149	ditto ...	ditto .	164	West ..	13 0 0	4 1 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 163 as per plan and terminates on 1,650 feet of mile 164.	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
150	ditto ...	ditto ..	164	East ...	12 6 0	4 0 11	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

W. HEYSHAM, *Offg. Railway Deputy Collector.*

CYNTHEA, RAILWAY DY. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 19th September 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Monghyr, will be put up to sale at the Monghyr Collectorate on Monday, the 10th November 1873, corresponding with 6th Aughan 1281, F.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions :—

1*st.*—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2*nd.*—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3*rd.*—The estate will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
111	4462	Khana Sakunat Dheraj Lal, Sepoy, and Khanabari of Khajah Ali, Havildar, in Mouzah Punsara Kadampur, Pergunnah Monghyr, Thannah Dharahra.	0 1 2	42 0 0	

E. LOCKWOOD, *Offg. Collector.*

اشتهار نیلام *

اس تحریر کے رو سے خاص و عام کو اطلاع دیجاتي هی که حقیقت ملکیت سرکار بهادر محال مفصله ذیل واقع ضلع مونگیو بتاریخ دهم ماه نومبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ ع مطابق ۶ ماه اگهن سنه ۱۲۸۱ فصلے روز دوشنبه و کلکٹري ضلع مونگیر مین نیلام هوگا *

خریدار ونکو ان محالات کے پابندي شرایط ذیل کي کرني هوکي *

۱— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید نهو تو کل زر نیلامي فورا داخل کرنا هوگا *

۲— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید هو تو ایک ربع کل زر نیلامي کا فورا داخل کرنا هوگا اور اگر بقیه زر ثمن پندرهوین روز دو پهر تک که اوس مین روز نیلام بهي محسوب هی یا اگر اوس روز تعطیل عام هو تو اوسکے بعد جس روز کچهرے پهلے کهلے دو پهر تک داخل نکیا جائي تو زر امانتے ضبط سرکار هوکر بعد اجراے اشتهار مطابق نیلام اول بجواب دهي خریدار خطا کار محال مذکور ثانیا نیلام کیا جایگا *

۳— محال مذکور بصورت لاخراج بیچا جایگا اور جو خریدار قیمت مظهره سرکار پر سب سے زیاده داک بولیگا نیلام اوسکے نام ختم کیا جایگا *

نمبر مندرجه نقشه محالات سرکار	نمبر توزیع	نام محال بقید پرگنه	رقبه تخمیني بحساب ایکر	قیمت مظهره سرکار	کیفیت
۱۱۱	۴۴۶۳	خانه سکونتے دیهراج لعل سپاهي و خانه باڑي خواجه علے چوبدار واقع موضع پنسارا خادم پور تهانه دهرهرا پرگنه مونگیر	ایکر روڈ پول	۴۲	

اي : لکوڈ وفیسي ایڈگ کلکٹر

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned land, situate in the District of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Moorshedabad Collectorate, on the 15th October 1873, corresponding with 30th Assin 1280.

2. The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plot will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	77	A plot in Bajarpara, Mouzah Gopjan, Pergunnah Mahalandi, bounded on the east by a road in Chainpara; on the north by the land of Baboo Sheikh, a ryot of Chainpara; on the west by the lands of Mati Chain and Gopal Chain; and on the south by the land of Shiban Chain. Zemindar, Jogut Chunder Roy Chowdhoori. Ryots, Moti Chain and Gopal Chain and Shiban Chain ...	1 3 39	150 0 0	

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
The 29th August 1873.

W. WAVELL,
Offg. Collector.

জিলা মুরশিদাবাদ।

ইস্তাহারনামা কাছারি কালেক্টরী জেলা মুরশিদাবাদ এই যে,

ইহার দ্বারা সম্বাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে অত্র জেলার মধ্যস্থিত নিম্নলিখিত ভূমিখণ্ডে গবর্ণমেন্টের যে মালিকি স্বত্ব আছে তাহা অত্র জেলার কালেক্টরি কাছারিতে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ১৫ই অকটোবর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সালের ৩০শা আশ্বিন বিক্রয় হইবেক।

এই ভূমি যাঁহারা খরিদ করিবেন তাঁহারা নিম্নলিখিত নিয়মের অধীনে থাকিবেন।

৩। এক শত টাকার অনধিক পণ হইলে সেই সমুদয় টাকা তৎক্ষণাৎ দিতে হইবে।

৪। একশত টাকার অধিক পণ হইলে ডাকপণের চতুর্থাংশের একাংশ তৎক্ষণাৎ দাখিল করিতে হইবে বিক্রয়ের দিবস এক দিন ধরিয়া গণনা করিলে বিক্রয়ান্তর পঞ্চদশ দিবসের মধ্যাহ্নকালে কিম্বা সেই দিবস বন্দের দিন হইলে তৎপরে প্রথম যে দিন কাছারি খোলা যাইবে সেই দিনের মধ্যাহ্ন কালে যদি অবশিষ্ট টাকা দাখিল না হয় তবে বিক্রয় রহিত ও গচ্ছিত টাকা গবর্ণমেন্টে জব্দ হইবে ও প্রথম স্থলীয় বিক্রয়ের ন্যায় পুনর্ব্বার বিজ্ঞাপন প্রকাশ পূর্ব্বক ঐ ত্রুটীকারি ক্রেতার ঝুঁকিতে এই খণ্ড ভূমি পুনরায় বিক্রয় হইবে।

নিম্নলিখিত ভূমি যে কেহ নিলামের প্রথম ডাক হইতে সর্ব্বাপেক্ষা অধিক ডাকিবেন তাঁহার নিকট ঐ ভূমি লাখেরাজ রূপে বিক্রয় করা যাইবে ইতি। সন ১৮৭৩ সাল তারিখ ২৬শা আগষ্ট মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সাল তাং ১১ই ভাদ্র।

রাজকীয় মাহালের কৈফিয়তের নম্বর।	জেলার বহিতে নম্বর।	মাহাল এবং পরগনা।	পরিমাণ যত একর।	ধার্য্য করা রাজস্ব।	নীলামের প্রথম ডাক।	মন্তব্য।
৩	৭৭	পরগনে মহনন্দীর অন্তঃপাতি মৌজে গোপজানের সামিল বাজার পাড়ার মধ্যে চাক্রী পাড়ার রাস্তার পশ্চিম চাক্রী পাড়ার প্রজা বাবু সেখের জমীর দক্ষিণ মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রীর জমীর পূর্ব্ব শিবন চাক্রীর জমীর উত্তর জমিদার জগচ্চন্দ্র রায় চৌধুরির প্রজা শিবন চাক্রী মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রী	১।৩।৩৯	০	১৫০৲	০

W. WAVELL,
Offg. Collector of Moorshedabad.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, corresponding with 27th Kartic 1280, B.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The estate will be sold revenue free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS
			A. R. P.	Rs. As. P.	
75	7	Katahkoree, Pergunnah Ajmutshahur.	2 2 30	123 0 0	
76	27	ditto ...	0 3 28	151 0 0	

E. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT BURDWAN, the 12th September 1873.

Wanted,

A QUALIFIED Surveying Teacher for the Government Zillah School at Sibsagar in Assam, on a salary of Rs. 80 per month. The candidates are requested to send their applications with copies of testimonials to the District Committee of Public Instruction at Sibsagar.

SRINATH GUHA, *Secy., District Committee of Public Instruction.*

SIBSAGAR, the 27th September 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 10th October 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Charirasiah ...	14	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction	5	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	12	0	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	9	5	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles	10	6	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles	12	6	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 13th October 1873, above zero, 12 ft.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Moorshedabad District.*

BERHAMPORE, the 13th October 1873.

For sale.

AT the Meteorological Office, No. 22 Chowringhee, the following official publications :—

Meteorological Report of 1867 ...	0	12	per copy.
Ditto ditto 1868 ...	1	8	,,
Ditto ditto 1869 ...	2	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1870 ...	2	6	,,
Ditto ditto 1871 ...	2	8	,,
Ditto ditto 1872 ...	3	0	,,
Administration Report of 1870-71 ...	0	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1871-72 ...	0	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1872-73 ...	0	4	,,

The above are also to be obtained at the same prices at Messrs. Thacker Spink and Company, No. 5, Government place.

HENRY F. BLANFORD, *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

Monthly Statement of Traffic passed through the Circular and Eastern Canals from 1st to 30th September 1873.

Names of Chowkeys.	Charcoal.			Wood Coal.			Piece-Goods, Native Produce.			Piece-Goods, Imported Fabrics.			Hides.			Cotton.			Castor Seed.			Castor Oil.			Indigo.			Jaggery.			Jute.			Lime.			Mustard Seed.			Mustard Seed Oil.		
	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.
Calcutta Canals																																										
Bamunghatta	...	...	...	2	300	200	...	...	...	...	...	* ...	10	700	† 12,500	...	...	* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	‡ ...	60	22,700	14,300	401	1,64,800	* 120,300	75	125,700	92,500	20	12,700	8,300	...	...	...
Chitpore	107	1,10,225	62,225	12	4,000	1,700	20	5,900	297	...	...	...	...	...	..	16	5,000	250	...	...	.	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	30	10,000	4,700	5	1,900	1,100
Rajah's Khal	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Tolly's Nullah																																										
Samookpotta	...	...	...	..	...	...	.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	11,600	5,775	8	3,950	1,575	1	75	40	14	10,750	6,415	...	...	...
Russa	...	...	...	.	...	...	.	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	.	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kidderpore	15	36,950	17,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	37,550	* 8,000	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	10	550	225	4	2,500	1,200	...	...	...	2	225	100	...	...	...

Names of Chowkeys.	Salt.			Sugar.			Tobacco.			Linseed.			Paddy.			Pulse.			Peas.			Rice.			Wheat.			Lentil.			Grain.			Sundries.		
	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Total number of boats.	Total maundage by canal measurement.	Total maundage of cargo by estimate.
Calcutta Canals																																				
Bamunghatta	...	...	...	40	8,400	6,400	3	1,000	700	15	8,700	6,700	4	1,000	700	5	1,800	1,000	10	2,500	1,600	862	5,92,700	3,23,200	...	...	...	10	2,800	1,700	...	...	...	3,983	9,65,625	...
Chitpore	351	2,16,900	1,21,938	...	...	...	22	5,100	2,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	944	385,025	...
Rajah's Khal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	104	2,750	...
Tolly's Nullah																																				
Samookpotta	...	...	...	3	725	550	5	3,000	1,150	...	...	...	357	123,725	64,332	23	13,975	7,325	...	...	...	288	1,45,325	64,751	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	725	204,800	...
Russa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	200	180	...	...	...	..	..	...	783	25,575	24,950	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	452	19,025	...
Kidderpore	117	57,350	28,966	...	...	...	90	16,075	8,000	...	...	...	18	5,075	2,500	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	1,488	106,600	...

* Per bale. † Per hide. ‡ Per chest.

DHAPPA, TOLL COLLECTOR'S OFFICE;
The 8th October 1873.

J. F. GALIFFE,
Collector and Supervisor, Calcutta Canals.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers, any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned —

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No	No of Notes	Value	Name of Claimant
		Rs	
6016	A/91 02809	100	Ramruttone Mozoomdar.
6018	L/8 36994	100	E. Stewart.
6020	L/5 77736	10	Mrs. A. Roberts.
	L/14 23016	20	
6022	/2 56900	10	Sham Behary.
6038	A/92 65878	50	William Chance
	,, 98012	50	
	A/19 07414	50	
	,, 08504	50	
6039	L/6 77735	10	The Postmaster, Calcutta.
	L/14 23616	20	
6040	L/8 14180	100	The District Supdt. of Police, Darjeeling.
	,, 14181	100	
6041	L/18 97174	20	S. Davis.
6042	,, 40215	20	
	L/8 59306	100	Woomesh Chunder Roy.
	,, 59307	100	
	,, 59308	100	
6043	,, 72133	100	Narain Chunder Patter.
	,, 72134	100	
	,, 72135	100	
	,, 72136	100	
6053	L/10 11328	5	Kallyprosono Banerjee.
	A/92 50520	50	
	,, 93440	50	
	,, 93427	50	
	L/7 47779	20	
	,, 47780	20	
	,, 47781	20	
	,, 47782	20	
	,, 47783	20	
	,, 47784	20	
	,, 47785	20	
	,, 47786	20	
	L/2 33250	10	
6055	A/89 27899	500	Hera Sing.
6057	,, 12422	500	Madhab Chunder Mookerjee.
6059	L/19 28002	50	Khogendronath Mookerjee.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

6017	A/93 29309	50	Preonath Sen Goopta
	L/14 36093	20	
	L/7 93589	20	
	,, 27944	20	
	L/3 91193	10	
	L/1 38086	10	
	L/9 14322	5	
	,, 14321	5	
6024	L/1 13794	10	Mrs. C. G. Anderson.
6026	L/2 60613	10	The Treasury Officer, Budaon.
	A/99 48224	20	
6027	L/3 56424	10	Mrs. M. G. Tayler.
6029	A/98 88525	10	Agajan Khan.
6030	L/11 08984	5	Omesh Chunder Naug.
6031	A/68 05118	10	Gopal Chunder Dhur.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6032	L/12 39637	20	Nobo Coomar Sen.
6034	L/1 75400	10	Gan Chunder Roy Chowdhorie.
	L/5 30106	10	
6035	,, 34087	10	C. R. Jefferies.
	L/14 24232	20	
6037	L/5 29868	100	Sreenath Surmo.
	L/13 89078	20	
	,, 10608	20	
	,, 81308	20	
	L/2 73779	10	
6045	A/99 39827	20	Mrs. S. Auty.
6047	A/71 64391	20	S. P. M. Ansley.
6048	L/9 23924	5	Mrs. E. Howarth.
6049	L/13 33701	20	D. Neville.
	L/5 88384	10	
6050	L/14 52112	20	M. A. David.
	L/32 43362	10	
	L/9 60804	10	
6053	A/91 91327	100	Kallyprosono Banerjee.
	A/84 65022	100	
6054	L/11 07429	5	Soobul Chunder Dey.
6061	A/99 16346	20	Umbica Churn Doss.
	L/9 84610	5	
6062	A/91 87637	100	Bazrajar Furdoonjar.
6063	L/7 31911	20	Nanuck Chand.
	A/98 63089	20	
6064	L/5 36303	10	Nobin Chunder Sircar.
6066	L/10 61685	5	Mir Ahur Ali.
6067	L/13 10578	20	Niaj Bux.
	,, 10580	20	
6069	A/92 04867	50	Gooroochurn Dass.
	A/82 62301	20	
	A/96 19090	10	
6070	L/12 66361	20	Goorooprosad Mozoomdar.
	,, 64650	20	
6071	A/99 72257	20	Shamachurn Mozoomdar.
	A/11 24314	5	

Wrongly joined.

6021	A/94 95305	20	Doorganund Mitter.
	,, 95306		
6025	A/99 54093	20	Lucky Narain Mitter.
	,, 54094		
6033	L/4 12405	10	Obhoy Churn Law.
	,, 12404		
6036	A/96 45725	10	The Deputy Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.
	,, 45726		
6046	L/7 53406	20	H. Herd.
	A/94 32451		
6051	A/99 92504	20	Messrs. Gladstone, Wyllie & Co.
	,, 92506		
6058	A/98 26292	10	Messrs. Makinnon, Mackenzie & Co.
	L/1 14771		
6060	A/91 09596	100	The Treasury Officer, Ellichpore.
	,, 09595		
6065	L/9 45067	5	Ram Chunder Dey.
	,, 45068		
6068	L/8 06505	100	Syud Seejad Hossein.
	,, 06504		

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 13th October 1873.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
4 Casks, [C] M D	Java.
2 Cases, [W]	Meinam.
1 Case, A. C. Litchfield Esq., U.S. Consul General, Calcutta ...	Historian.
1 Case, W. H. D. Howe, Esq., B. I. S. N. Co. ...	Ditto.
1 Case, C. H. Baily, Esq., U.S. Vice-Consul General, Calcutta	Ditto.
38 Cases, 35 Jars, } P. A. C. Dundas Pallee Rajpotana ...	Tanjore.
25 Cases, [C & M] C & B	Ditto.
2 Jars, no mark	Ditto.

N.B.—The above will be sold, if not cleared within the 31st of October 1873.

	Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
1873, Nov. 21st ...	1 Case, [194D] A. B. & Co. ...	City of Madras.
„ 28th...	1 Case, H & C	St. Monan.
Dec. 11th...	1 Case, [G]	Golden Fleece.

N.B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the dates specified against each item.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 11th October 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the undermentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Oct. 11th ...	1 Case, Addressed	... W. Harlow ...	Str. Hindoo.
„ 11th ...	7 Packages, [S. S. & Co.]	... Smith Stanstreet & Co.	Ditto.
„ 11th ...	1 Drum, [C A E]	... Begg Dunlop & Co. ...	Ditto.
„ 11th ...	1 Case, [P] G C	... Order ...	Str. Legislator.
„ 11th ...	1 Case, Addressed	... C. E. Lance ...	S. S. Vibilia.
„ 11th ...	17 Drums, G H	... Order ...	Ditto.
„ 11th ...	10 Drums, [675] J & Co.	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 11th ...	1 Drum, [K]	... „ ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 11th October 1873. (391—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

Citation.

UNDER SECTION 250, ACT X OF 1865.

WHEREAS an application for Probate of the Last Will and Testament and Codicil of Mrs. Anne Deborah Rees, deceased, late of Monghyr, in the district of Monghyr, within this judgeship, has been made by Henry Christian, the executor named in the Will and Codicil above alluded to, and whereas the 25th day of October 1873, has been fixed for the hearing of this case, notice is hereby given that any person having any interest in the estate of the said deceased may, if he desire, appear in this Court on the said day before noon, and show cause why the application of the said Henry Christian (who is an Indigo planter, of Chupron Factory, Tuppa Suronja, Pergunnah Phurkya, district Monghyr,) should not be granted.

In default of such appearance Probate will be granted under the Indian Succession Act to the said Henry Christian.

BHAUGULPORE JUDGE'S COURT, the 20th September 1873. J. M. LOWIS, *Offg. Judge.* (379—3)

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th September 1873.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS							4½ PER CENT. LOANS				5 per cent. loan of 1859-60.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURES FOR		Total amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	5 per cent. P. W. Loan of 1854-55.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.		10 years. Repayable June 1877.	15 years. Repayable June 1882.	
Balance of 15th September 1873	54,100	27,840	2,346	16,63,893	34,60,200	1,36,18,600	1,15,97,700	1,19,94,700	12,500	37,80,900	3,59,000	3,10,51,000	4,46,16,500	36,36,000	30,52,000	12,89,27,279
ADD—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 30th September 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,700	2,300	2,000	...	.....	.....	... ..	... ..	.....	.....	8,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 30th September 1873	...	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500	20,000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th September 1873	...	. ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	73,500	...	.....	... ..	50,000	.....	.....	1,000	124,500
TOTAL ...	54,100	27,840	2,346	16,63,893	34,60,200	1,36,22,300	1,16,01,500	1,20,90,200	12,500	37,80,900	3,59,000	3,11,01,000	4,46,16,500	36,36,000	30,53,000	12,90,81,279
DEDUCT—																
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.. ..	.....	1,280	3,000	84,100	55,200	87,900	...	15,000	.....	84,800	5,14,700	.....	.....	8,45,980
Balance on 30th September 1873	54,100	27,840	2,346	16,62,613	34,57,200	1,35,38,200	1,15,46,300	1,20,02,300	12,500	37,65,900	3,59,000	3,10,16,200	4,41,01,800	36,36,000	30,53,000	12,82,35,299

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st July 1873—Enfaced from India 1,750 lakhs, re-transferred from London 1,792 lakhs.
" 1st August 1873 to 15th Aug. " ditto ditto 2 " ditto ditto 3 "
" 16th " " to 30th " " ditto ditto 8 " ditto ditto 4 "
" 1st Sept. " to 15th Sept. " ditto ditto 6 " ditto ditto 4 "
" 16th " , to 30th " " ditto ditto 1 " ditto ditto 8 "

1,767 — 1,811
1,767

Balance against India ... 44 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 9th October 1873.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

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Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 7th October 1873

LIABILITIES		Rs.	A	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		15,47,696	8	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ..	Rs. 1,63,08,402 8 6	3,81,33,350	13	6
General Treasury Balance at Branches .	„ 2,18,24,948 5 0			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . ..		2,61,44,943	1	10
Bank Post Bills, &c.		4,06,388	3	10
Sundries		6,08,588	9	6
Rupees		8,88,40,967	5	5

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities .. .		1,75,58,980	4	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches . .		48,66,292	3	7
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		32,78,019	4	8
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,04,22,061	0	3
Dead Stock . ..		11,37,278	12	4
Stamps		12,766	2	0
Balances with other Banks . .		11,83,675	4	10
Sundries .		1,01,053	6	9
Bullion		5,58,757	12	3
		4,91,19,884	2	3
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office .	Rs. 1,03,82,708 14 10	3,97,21,083	2	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches .	„ 2,93,38,374 3 11			
Rupees .		8,88,40,967	5	5

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 9th October 1873

F. A. GILLAM,
Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

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Great Eastern Hotel Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

NOTICE.

MR. J J. BRADLY'S connection with this Company as Secretary, ceased as from the 11th instant. By order of the Directors.

A. DONALDSON, *Asst. Secretary.*

CALCUTTA, the 13th October 1873. (391—1)

Bishnauth Tea Company, "Limited."

WE beg to give notice that the Tenth *adinterim* dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. on the paid-up capital will be payable on or after 1st November proximo., at the office of the Company, No. 7, New China Bazar Street.

Shareholders are requested to send in their scrip for examination. By order of the Board,

CALCUTTA, the 11th October 1873. (390—3) WILLIAMSON MAGOR & Co., *Secretaries.*

Coocheela Tea Company, "Limited."

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 104, Clive Street, at noon on Wednesday the 22nd Current, for the purpose of receiving a report of the Directors, and declaring an *adinterim* dividend.

(390—2) BORRADAILE SCHILLER, & Co., *Managing Agents.*

Jokai (Assam) Tea Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the Registered Office thereof, No. 103, Clive Street, Calcutta, on the 28th day of October 1873, at noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration the several matters hereunder mentioned, and for passing such resolutions as may be necessary to be passed in relation thereto.

Namely—

1.—The confirmation of the purchase by the Managing Directors of the Atta Barrie Garden or plantation.

2.—The increase of the capital of this Company from Rs. 1,80,000 to Rs. 2,30,000 by the issue of five hundred new shares of Rs. 100 each.

3.—The appointment of a Board of Directors, and the vesting of the management, and control of the Company's affairs in them.

4.—The adoption of fresh articles of Association in lieu of the present articles.

BALMER, LAWRIE AND CO.,
Managing Directors and Secretaries.

CALCUTTA, the 29th September 1873.

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Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bank of Bengal, General Treasury, and Public Debt Office will be closed on Monday the 20th, and Tuesday the 21st instant, on account of the Hindoo Festival, Kalee Poojah, in conformity with Government Notification No. 3464 on 29th October 1867.

By order of the Director,

(Sd.) R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

CALCUTTA, the 13th October 1873. (393—1)

Notice

Is hereby given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at the Judge's Kutcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale :—

A pucka two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race Course, and renting monthly for Rs. 175.

A thatched bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

A *half-share* of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., Purneah. (386—10)

Just Published.

Rules for the Qualification, Admission, and Enrolment of Pleaders and Mooktears in Mofussil Courts. *Price 4 annas ; by post, 5 annas.*

Just Published.

Rules for Admission of Vakeels in the High Court. *Price 4 annas ; by post 5 annas.*

Will be published on the 1st October.

Bengal Army List—New Number.

The Official Quaterly Army list of H. M.'s Forces in Bengal, corrected to 1st October 1873. To which is added a Non-Official supplement containing the latest corrected Civil List, &c., &c. *Price Rs. 4; packing and postage 8 annas.*

The price of the next and subsequent Numbers of the Bengal Official Quarterly Army List will be reduced from Rs. 5 to Rs. 4 per copy for town subscribers, and from Rs. 5-8 to Rs. 4-8 for copies sent by post.

Copies of the Number published on 1st July are still available at present rates—Rs. 5 and Rs. 58.

IN THE PRESS.—WILL SHORTLY BE PUBLISHED.

New authorized edition of the Pension, Leave, and Acting Allowance Codes corrected to September 1873.

The Civil Pension Code, authorized edition, octavo size, with every alternate page blank for entering notes and alterations. *Price Rs. 1-4 ; packing and postage 4 annas extra.*

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Bengalee Edition of the Acts of Government.

THE Acts of the Government of India, and those of the Government of Bengal, will, after publication in the *Bengalee Government Gazette*, be printed, in pamphlet form, for sale to the public, at a price which will be fixed in each instance to cover the cost of printing and paper. The first of the series will be the Criminal Procedure Act, now *ready*, the price of which is Rs. 1-4 per copy.—Postage 5 annas.

Central Provinces Gazetteer.

EDITION OF 1870 IN one VOL.

A LIMITED number of the above work, strongly bound in cloth, octavo size, for sale at Rs. 12 per vol., exclusive of postage charge. Apply to—

MESSRS. THACKER, VINING, *Bombay*,
MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK & CO., *Calcutta*, or
TO SUPDT., CHIEF COMMR.'S OFFICE, *Nagpur*.

Notice.

COPIES of Act VII of 1871, the Indian Emigration Act, in Urdoo and Hindee, can be obtained on application at the Bengal Secretariat at 8 annas per copy.

Army List—Reduced Price.

The price of the next and subsequent Numbers of the Bengal Official Quarterly Army List will be reduced from Rs. 5 to Rs. 4 per copy for town subscribers, and from Rs. 5-8 to Rs. 4-8 for copies sent by post.

Copies of the Number published on the 1st July are still available at present rates—Rs. 5 and Rs 5-8.

Just Published—New Edition.

Public Works Department Classified List and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 1st June 1873. *Price Rs 2; packing and postage annas 4; payable in advance.*

Now ready.

Revised (Indian) Army Regulations, Regulations and Orders for the Army of the Bengal Presidency. Published by authority. Royal 8vo, cloth boards. *Price, Rs. 4; packing and postage, Re. 1. Interleaved copy, Rs 5; packing and postage, Re. 1-12; payable in advance.*

Book of Forms referred to in the above. Foolscap folio, enclosed in stiff covers. *Price, Rs. 2; packing and postage, Re. 1-8; payable in advance.*

Superintendent Government Printing, 8, Hastings' Street, Calcutta.

New Criminal Procedure Code.

OFFICERS under the Bengal Government, who wish to have copies of the New Criminal Procedure Code, *for sale*, are requested to apply to the Superintendent of Government Printing, Calcutta.

Just Published.

A Report on the Expedition to Western Yunan *via* Bhamo. By John Anderson, M.D., Medical Officer and Naturalist to the Expedition. *Price Rs. 8. Apply at the Office of Superintendent Government Printing Calcutta.*

Report of the Commissioners appointed by the Government of India to inquire into the Origin, Nature, &c., of Indian Cattle Plagues. With Appendices, Calcutta, 1871. Fol. pp. xxx and 999, with Maps. *Price Rs. 10. Packing 4 annas.*

Selections from Unpublished Records of Government for the years 1748 to 1767 inclusive. Relating mainly to the social condition of Bengal. With a Map of Calcutta in 1784. By the Rev. J. Long, Member of the Government Record Commission. *Price Rs. 5. Packing and postage 1 Rupee extra.*

Selections from Calcutta Gazettes of the years 1816 to 1823 inclusive, showing the political and social condition of the English in India upwards of fifty years ago. By Hugh David Sandeman, C.S., Accountant-General, Bengal, and Member of the Record Commission. Volume I, Rs. 3, and Volumes II, III, IV, and V, at Rs. 5 each; packing and postage Re. 1 extra

The above to be had at the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, 8, Hastings Street, Calcutta.

WASTE LAND RULES,

Being Chap. XXVI of the Rules of the Board of Revenue

Price, 4 annas. Packing and postage charges, 2 annas extra.

Calcutta. Office of Supdt. of Government Printing,
No. 8, Hastings Street.

Postal Notices.

SEA OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	7 P.M. ...	19th Oct. ...	*Himalaya.*
Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo ...	7 „ ...	19th „ ...	*Busheer.*
Guadur, Muscat, Linga, Bugdad, Bushire, Bussorah and Bunder Abus.	7 „ ...	20th „ ...	*From Bombay.*
Gopaulpore, Bimlipatam, Vizagapatam, Coconada, Madras, Negapatam, Galle, Colombo, Tuticorin, Allepey, Cochin, Beypore, Tellicherry, Cannanore and Mangalore.	7 „ ...	22nd „ ...	*Patna.*
Madras and Ceylon ...	7 „ ...	22nd „ ..	*Hindoostan.*

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close on Friday, the 17th October 1873.

2. Book post and pattern packets must be posted on the 16th instant.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M., or, bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, up to 8 P.M., and after 8 up to 9 P.M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

CALCUTTA, the 14th October 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Postmaster of Calcutta.*

List of Remaining and Unclaimed Letters accumulated in the Calcutta Post Office during the week ending 11*th October* 1873.

Aldridge and Blackwell, Messrs.
Armitage Brothers, Messrs.
Boynes, Miss.
Carter, Mrs.
Cardozo, Mrs. A.
Chamberlain, Mrs.
Churcher, Mrs. E.
Cunningham, Miss S. A.
Daran, Mrs. B.
Demetrins, Mrs. G.
Delboux, F.
D'Silva, W. R.
Earle, Mrs. A. G.
Emnes, Mrs.
Eddie, Miss J.
Fernando, B. P.
Fransy, Miss M.
Ginchet.
Glassfurd, C. L. R.
Greene, P.
Greene, Mrs. W.
Henderson and Co.
Hoff, Mrs. C.
Kidd, T.
King, S. A.
Kleer, J. W.
Lobunji, L.
Lyons, H. P.
Mannuell, G. B.
Macdonald, A. R.
McGregor, Miss R.
McKinnon, A.
Mecoy, W. R.
Mendes, Miss M.
Migun, Khan and Co.
Murrion, T.
Nesbeth, G.
Oesman, Jooms.
Rich, F. T.
Rividson.
Robertson.
Sanders, Mrs. J. T.
Scheenemans, Mrs. M.
Seymour, G. F.
Simons, W.
Smith, Mr.
Stephenson, J.
Stratford, Miss J.
Stuart, Mrs. R.
Syetz, Mrs. A.
Thomas, J.
Toylucko Nath Ghose.
Trinch, H. G.
Vanenberg, M.
Warren, W.
Weiland, F.
William, T. H.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

Bronfield, F. A.
Corncewich, L.
Garrick, Mrs. D.
Heins, Mrs. M. E.
Jeffreys, A. T.
Jeffreys, A.
Leblang, S. P.
Michell, Colonel, F.
Morby, W. W.
Murphy, Mrs. T.
Ross, H. C.
St. George, F.
Slack, G. W.

E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Postmaster of Calcutta.*

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of TROYLUCKONAUTH ROY, an Insolvent.

On Friday the 19th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday the 18th day of November next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Vertannes and Doss, *Attornies.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 14*th day of October* 1873.

Re-Sale.

ESTATE RAMSEWAK MISR AND OTHERS, INSOLVENTS.

THE following Zemindaries in Ghazipore District, will be sold by auction at Ghazipore (near the Collectorate) on Saturday the 15th November next, being re-sale at the risk of Sheik Pultoo and others, who have failed to pay the deposit of 25 per cent as per conditions of sale.

Talookas	Mowzahs	Pergunnahs	Annual Jamma or Collections.	GOVERNMENT REVENUE PAYABLE.			Annual net profit
				Revenue	Acreage	Total	
			Rs As. P	Rs As P	Rs As. P	Rs As. P	Rs. As P
Nooroodipore .	Nooroodipore	Khanpore	3,654 1 9	1,826 9 1	203 1 1	2,029 10 11	1,624 7 7
Mandra	Hamzapore	Shadiabad	352 11 6	154 1 7	22 7 0	176 8 7	176 2 11
Ditto	Pultoo Oamrao Ráe	Ditto	1,265 7 0	552 1 4	48 3 3	600 4 7	665 2 5
Ditto	„ Duswunt Ráe	Ditto	730 0 0	220 15 2	26 2 4	247 1 6	482 14 6
Ditto	„ Keenar Ráe	Ditto	478 6 0	188 14 6	37 3 2	226 1 8	252 4 4
Ditto	„ Munsa Ráe	Ditto	1,089 10 9	291 3 11	34 1 5	325 5 4	764 5 5
Ditto	Dhumraon	Ditto	198 4 0	72 3 0	11 0 1	83 3 1	115 0 11

For conditions of sale and further particulars, apply to

PHILIP W. CARTER,
Official Assignee's Agent.

BUXAR, the 13th October 1873.

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The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1873.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Fifth Publication.]

THE following Bill as settled by the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, on the 13th September 1873, is by order of the President published for general information.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Embankments and Watercourses.

WHEREAS it is expedient that provision should be made for the better construction, maintenance, and management of embankments and water-courses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows:—

PART I.

Preliminary.

1. This Act may be called "The Bengal Embankment Act, 1873."

It extends to the whole of the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the province of Orissa and the Soonderbuns as defined under the provisions of Clause 2, Section 13, Regulation III of 1828.

And it shall come into force on the day of the passing thereof.

Repeal of former Acts.

2. From such day Act No. XXXII of 1855 (*relating to embankments*) and Bengal Act No. VII of 1866 (*to make better provision for the acquisition of land for embankments and other matters relating thereto*) shall, except so far as relates to the province of Orissa and the said Soonderbuns, be repealed.

Interpretation.

3. The following words shall, for the purposes of this Act, have the meanings hereby declared, save where, from the context, a contrary intention appears:—

"Estate."

"Estate" means—(1) Any land or share in land subject to the payment to Government of an annual sum, in respect of which the name of a proprietor is entered on the register, known as the general register of all revenue-paying estates, or in respect of which a separate account may, in pursuance of Section 10, or Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, have been opened;

(2) Any land entered in the register of revenue-free tenures;

(3) Any land acquired under any rules issued by or under authority of Government for the sale, grant, or clearance of waste lands.

"Embankment."

"Embankment" includes every bank, dam, wall, and dyke, made or used for excluding water from, or for retaining water upon, any land, and every sluice, spur, groyne, training wall, or other work annexed to or portion of any such embankment, and every bank, dam, dyke, wall, groyne or spur made or erected for the protection of any such embankment or of any land from erosion or overflow by or of rivers, tides, waves, or waters; and also all buildings intended for purposes of inspection and supervision.

"Watercourse."

"Watercourse" includes a line of drainage, weir, culvert, pipe, or other channel for the passage of water, whether natural or artificial.

"Zemindar" means all or any of the holders of an estate; and where two or more zemindars are jointly holders thereof, they shall be jointly and severally liable under this Act.

"Zemindar."

"Tenure" includes all interests in land other than estates as above defined, held permanently at a fixed rental, or held lakhiraj.

"Tenure."

"Proprietor" means the holder of a tenure.

"Proprietor."

"Public Embankment" means an embankment maintained by the officers of Government.

"Public Embankment."

"Public watercourse" means any watercourse under the charge of the officers of Government.

"Public watercourse."

"The Engineer" means the District Engineer or any Engineer specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of an Engineer under this Act.

"The Engineer."

"Collector" means any Collector, Deputy Collector or other Revenue Officer in independent charge of any district or portion of a district, or specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of a Collector under this Act.

"Collector."

"District" means the portion of territory throughout which any person vested with the powers of a Collector is authorized to exercise such powers.

"District."

"Land" includes interests in land and benefits arising out of land and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth.

"Land."

PART II.

Powers of Collector and procedure thereon.

Powers of Collector.

4. Under the conditions and in the manner hereinafter provided—

Power to take charge of embankments.

(1.) The Collector may cause any embankment which connects public embankments, or forms, by junction with them, part of a line of embankments, or any embankment or watercourse which is necessary for the protection or drainage of the neighbouring country, to be taken charge of and maintained by the officers of Government.

Power to remove embankments and obstructions.

(2.) The Collector may cause to be removed or altered any embankment which endangers the stability of a public embankment, or any obstruction of any kind which interferes with the general drainage of any tract of land.

Power to change line of embankment.

(3.) The Collector may, when necessary, change the line of or lengthen any public embankment; or make a new embankment in the place of or renew any public embankment; or make an embankment in any place in which he may deem such embankment required for the protection of any lands, or for the improvement of any watercourse; or make a sluice in any public embankment.

Power to improve drainage.

(4.) The Collector may construct any sluice or watercourse, or effect any alteration in any public watercourse, when such construction or alteration may be required for the improvement of the health, or for the protection of any village or cultivable land.

Power to alter roads and construct watercourses

(5.) The Collector may call upon the person in charge of any road which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land to alter such road, or to construct any watercourse under or through such road. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Collector shall prescribe, the said Collector may cause the road to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the person in charge of the said road.

Applications for sluices to be made to Collector.

(6.) If any landholder, farmer, or cultivator be desirous of having a sluice made in any public embankment for the purpose of drainage or irrigation, he shall make an application in writing to the Collector of the district in which such embankment is situate. The application shall contain such particulars of the land to be drained or irrigated as may enable the Collector to judge of the advantage which may be derived from the work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Application for new embankment or drainage to be made to Collector.

(7.) Whenever any person is desirous that any new embankment be erected, or that any new watercourse be made, or that any watercourse be obstructed or diverted, if such work is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede any public embankment or any public watercourse, he shall apply to the Collector, and at the time of making such application shall deposit with him a statement of the proposed work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Procedure.

5. When it shall appear expedient to the Collector that any of the works specified in the last preceding section should be executed, he shall cause to be prepared plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said works, and he shall cause a proclamation to be issued giving notice of his intention to cause such works to be executed. Such proclamation shall be in the form, and state the particulars mentioned in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act; and the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as aforesaid, shall be kept at the office of the Collector and shall be open to the inspection of any interested persons who shall be allowed to take copies thereof. The Collector shall not commence any of such works until final order made in respect thereto under the provisions of Sections 8, 59, and 60 of this Act.

Publication of proclamation.

6. Every such proclamation shall be published by affixing the same at the cutcherry of the Collector, and in the manner provided in the third clause of Section 57.

Proclamation to be published for thirty days

7. Every such proclamation shall be published not less than thirty days before the day appointed for hearing the persons interested.

Hearing of objections to works.

8. The Collector shall, on the day appointed for the hearing, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing shall be adjourned, hear the objections of any persons who may appear, and, after recording any evidence which they may adduce, shall pass an order in regard to the execution of the proposed works. Notice of such order shall be served on such persons as may have appeared in pursuance of the proclamation.

Authority to take proceedings where lands likely to be affected by the works are in different districts;

9. If the lands, which are likely to be affected by any such proposed works, are situated within the limits of different districts, the Collector of any district, within which any portion of such lands is situated, shall apply to the Commissioner of the division for authority to proceed in such matter; and the Commissioner of the division, if all the lands are situated within his division, may give authority to such Collector, or to any other Collector within whose district any portion of such lands is situated, to proceed in respect of all the lands likely to be affected by such works.

or different divisions.

If the districts, within which the lands likely to be affected by any such works are situated, are subject to the Commissioners of different divisions, the Collector shall apply to the Commissioner of the division within which his district is situated, and such Commissioner may, with the concurrence of the Commissioner to whom the other district is subject, give authority to proceed in such matter.

The Collector may delegate certain powers to Engineer.

10. All the powers vested in the Collector by Section 4 of this Act, may be exercised by the Engineer in cases referred to him by the Collector subject to the general orders of the Collector.

PART III.

Procedure in cases of imminent danger to life or property.

Proceedings in emergencies.

11. Whenever the Collector shall be of opinion that the proceedings commenced by notice under Sections 5 to 8 of this Act would cause delay in the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon him by Clauses 2, 3, and 4 of Section 4, likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to commence to exercise such powers. Provided that he shall forthwith cause to be prepared the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as provided in Section 5, and shall cause a proclamation to be issued as provided in that section giving notice that the work mentioned therein has already been commenced, and thereupon such proceedings and inquiries shall be had as in and by Part II of this Act are directed.

Power to take possession of land.

12. Whenever any land, or earth from any land the property of any person, is required for the purposes of any works commenced in pursuance of the provisions of the last preceding section, or for the purposes of Section 18 in cases where the Collector shall be of opinion that proceedings for the acquisition of such land according to the provisions hereinafter contained in Section 25, would cause delay as aforesaid, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act, giving notice thereof at convenient places in the locality in which such land is situated, and he may at the same time take possession of the same for the said purposes.

Compensation for standing crops and trees.

13. The Collector shall ascertain and record the nature and estimated value of the crops and trees (if any) standing on such land, and shall offer adequate compensation to the persons interested. If such offer is not accepted, the value of such crops and trees shall be allowed for in awarding compensation for the land under the provisions of Section 29.

Power to Engineer to act in absence of Collector.

14. The Collector may depute to the Engineer the powers described in Sections 11, 12, and 13 subject to his own general orders, and in that case when the Collector is not present the Engineer may, if he shall be of opinion that delay for the purpose of obtaining the orders of the Collector would be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, exercise the powers conferred on him by the Collector.

Power to restore embankments, &c.

15. Whenever, upon an inquiry had under the provisions of this Part, it has been determined in the final order to be passed on such inquiry that anything done by the Collector, or by the Engineer under the last preceding section was unnecessary, the land or the embankments or drainage shall, so far as any alteration thereof shall appear to be unnecessary, be at the expense of the Government restored as nearly as possible to the state in which they were when the Collector commenced to act under the provisions of this Part; and any person who shall have sustained loss, damage, or injury by the execution of such works, shall receive compensation from the Government to be assessed according to the provisions contained in Part V of this Act.

Section 9 to apply to proceedings under this Part.

16. The provisions of Section 9 shall be applicable to proceedings taken under this Part.

PART IV.

Powers of Engineer.

Engineer subject to control of Collector.

17. The power conferred on the Engineer under this Part shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Collector.

Power to make repairs.

18. The Engineer may make any repairs in, and may do all acts necessary and proper for the maintenance of any public embankment, public watercourse, or other work executed or taken charge of under the provisions of this Act, or of any of the Acts repealed by this Act.

Power to alter railroads or construct watercourses.

19. The Engineer may call upon the manager, or other person in charge of any railroad which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land, to alter such railroad or or to construct any watercourse under or through such railroad.

In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Engineer shall prescribe, the Engineer may thereupon, with the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, cause the said railroad to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the said manager, or other person in charge of the said railroad.

Power to make temporary roadway, watercourse or dam.

20. Whenever any person is desirous that a temporary roadway should be made over, or that a temporary watercourse should be made through, any public embankment, or that a temporary dam should be constructed in any embanked river or public watercourse, he shall apply to the Engineer, who shall communicate the application to the Collector, and the Collector shall pass such orders thereon as he shall think fit. If the proposed work is to be executed by an officer of Government, the applicant, before the commencement of the work, shall deposit the amount estimated by the Engineer to be necessary to defray the expenses of, and incidental to, making and removing such roadway, or of, and incidental to, making and closing or removing such watercourse or dam. If the amount deposited is found insufficient, the Engineer shall recover from the said applicant the further amount required; and if it exceeds the amount required, such excess shall be returned to the said applicant.

Power to remove houses.

21. Whenever the Engineer shall be of opinion that the removal of any trees, houses, huts, or other buildings, situated between a public embankment and the river, is necessary, he shall make a report to that effect, accompanied by a detailed statement of the trees, houses, huts, or other buildings to be removed, to the Collector of the district in whose jurisdiction the land on which such trees, houses, huts, or other buildings stand, is situated; and the Collector shall report the same to the Lieutenant-Governor in order that proceedings may be taken, in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870," or other law for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes, for obtaining possession of such trees, houses, huts, and buildings. Provided always that in case the Collector be of opinion that the delay required by such proceedings is likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to cause such trees, houses, huts, or buildings to be removed, and in such case the compensation due therefor shall be ascertained and paid in the manner hereinafter provided.

Sluices to be opened or shut under authority of the Engineer.

22. Sluices constructed in any public embankment shall be opened or shut only by or with the general or special permission of the officer in the immediate charge of the embankment, under such orders, either general or special, as he may receive from the Engineer.

Power to appropriate land or earth for embanked towpath.

23. In any case where an embanked towpath has heretofore been maintained by Government alongside any canal, river, khal, or channel, the Engineer shall be entitled to appropriate without payment, as heretofore, land or earth for the maintenance, repair, or re-construction of such embanked towpath. If in any case the Engineer shall consider it necessary for the purposes of towing to enlarge an existing towpath, or to construct a new towpath, proceedings shall be taken in accordance with the subsequent provisions of this Act relating thereto.

Power to enter and survey land, &c.

24. It shall be lawful for the Engineer, or any person whom he may authorize in that behalf, in order to carry out any of the purposes of this Act,

to enter upon, and survey, and take levels of any land;

to dig or bore into the sub-soil;

to do all other acts necessary to ascertain whether the land is adapted to the purpose projected by such Engineer; or by the Collector;

Power to mark out line.

to set out the boundaries of the land proposed to be taken, and the intended line of the work proposed to be made thereon;

to mark such levels, boundaries, and line, by placing marks and cutting trenches;

Power to clear land.

and, where otherwise the survey cannot be completed or the levels taken, to cut down and clear away any part of any standing crop, fence, or jungle.

Previous notice of entry.

Provided that no person shall enter into any building or upon any enclosed court or garden attached to a dwelling-house (unless with the consent of the occupier thereof) without previously giving such occupier at least seven days' notice in writing of his intention to do so.

Payment for damage.

The Engineer or other person so authorized shall at the time of such entry pay or tender payment for all necessary damage to be done as aforesaid, and, in case of dispute as to the sufficiency of the amount so paid or tendered, he shall at once refer the dispute to the decision of the Collector, and such decision shall be final.

PART V.

Acquisition of lands.

Acquisition of land.

25. Whenever in the course of proceedings under this Act, save in those cases in which the Collector has proceeded under the provisions of Part III, it appears that land is required for any of the purposes thereof, proceedings shall be forthwith taken for the acquisition of such land in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being for the acquisition of lands for public purposes.

When land taken, proclamation to be published.

26. Whenever any land shall have been taken or used under the provisions of Part III, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (C) annexed to this Act at convenient places on or near the land so taken, stating that Government has taken possession of the land, and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land shall be made to him. Thereupon the land shall vest absolutely in the Government free from all incumbrances, subject, however, to the claims for compensation to

be ascertained in manner as in this Part is provided.

Contents of proclamation.

27. Such proclamation shall state the particulars of the land so taken, and shall require all persons interested in the land to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at a time and place therein mentioned (such time not being earlier than fifteen days after the date of issuing the proclamation), and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interest.

Further notice to be served on certain parties.

28. The Collector shall also serve notice to the same effect on the occupier (if any) of such land, and on all such persons known or believed to be interested therein, or to be entitled to act for persons so interested, as reside, or have agents authorized to receive service on their behalf, within the revenue district in which the land is situate.

Proceedings after notice.

29. After service of such notice proceedings shall be had and taken to determine the amount of compensation to be payable in respect of such land, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Compensation for consequential damage.

30. Whenever any land other than land required or taken by the Engineer, or any right of fishery, right of drainage, right of the use of water, or other right or property, shall have been injuriously affected by the due exercise of the powers or provisions of this Act, the person in whom such property or right is vested may prefer a claim by petition to the Collector for compensation.

Application to be made within a year.

31. No claim shall be entertained which shall be made later than one year next after the completion of the work by which such right is injuriously affected.

Procedure for such compensation.

32. When any such claim is made, proceedings shall be taken in view to determine the amount of compensation, if any, which should be made, and the person to whom the same should be payable, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Matters to be considered in determining compensation.

33. In determining the amount of compensation to be awarded in such cases, the Judge and Assessors shall take into consideration—

First, the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land;

Secondly, the damage sustained by the claimant by reason of such acquisition injuriously affecting the property or right;

Thirdly, the consequent diminution of the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land.

Matters not to be considered in determining compensation.

But the Judge or Assessors shall not take into consideration—

First, the degree of urgency which has led to the acquisition;

Secondly, any damage sustained by the claimant, which, if caused by a private person, would not in any suit instituted against such person justify a decree for damages.

Land, &c., taken possession of to vest in Government.

34. All buildings, land, earth, pathways, sluices, gates, bermes, hedges, belonging to, or forming part of, any embankment or watercourse, of which charge has been or may hereafter be taken by the officers of Government, shall vest in the Government, and shall be held on behalf of the Government in respect of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) annexed to this Act, and in respect of other works on behalf of the persons interested in the lands to be protected or benefited by such embankment or watercourse, subject to the provisions of Section 63; and all monies received on account of such lands shall be payable to the Engineer and credited to the cost of the construction and maintenance of such works respectively.

PART VI.

COST OF WORKS, PROCEEDINGS, &c.

1. *Ascertainment thereof.*

Embankments in Schedule (D).

35. The provisions in this Part contained shall not apply to any of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) to this Act annexed, save so far as any works or repairs are executed therein or in relation thereto under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act; or to any of such embankments as may hereafter be erected for the protection of lands which at the time of the passing of this Act are protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule, save so far as the erection of such embankments may protect lands not protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule. All sums payable in respect of any works or repairs executed therein, or in relation to the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule except under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act, shall be paid by the Government.

Exclusion from Schedule.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II of this Act, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interests to retain any embankment mentioned in Schedule (D), the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that the same shall be no longer included in the said schedule. Provided that the Lieutenant-Governor may restore the same to the said schedule if on any subsequent inquiry similarly conducted it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor that it is necessary so to do.

Addition to Schedule.

The Lieutenant-Governor may at any time after the passing of this Act, by a notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that any embankment not mentioned in Schedule (D) be included in the said schedule, and the provisions of this section shall apply to such embankment.

Contribution of public money towards the maintenance of the embankments in the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (F) to be continued.

36. In accordance with the custom heretofore in force in respect of the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) annexed to this Act, the Government shall continue to contribute annually the sum noted therein for each

pergunnah respectively towards the maintenance of the embankments thereof.

If the embankments maintained in any such pergunnah shall at any time be declared to be public embankments under the provisions of Section 4, the Collector shall, from the date of such declaration, keep a separate account for such pergunnah, in which the aforesaid sum shall be credited at the commencement of each financial year. The unexpended balance at the close of each year shall be carried on to the credit of the account in the next succeeding year, and shall be available for the cost of repairing or erecting all the embankments which it may be deemed necessary to maintain in such pergunnah.

If such embankments are declared to be public, Collector to keep a separate account.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on an inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interest to retain any embankment in either of the said pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that such contribution shall cease in respect of such pergunnah. Provided that such contribution shall again be made in accordance with the provisions hereinbefore contained, if it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor, on the report of an inquiry similarly conducted, that the maintenance of any embankment in such pergunnah has again become necessary for the public interest.

Contribution may be discontinued if it be found unnecessary for the public interest to maintain the embankments.

37. Specifications of any works or repairs to be executed under the provisions of this Act, and estimates of the expenses to be incurred therein or relating thereto, including such proportion of establishment charges as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, shall be prepared by the Engineer as soon after the month of October in each year as may be practicable. And whenever it appears that the actual expenses to be incurred will exceed the amount mentioned in the said estimates by one-tenth, the Engineer shall forthwith prepare further estimates, and, if necessary, further specifications. Copies of all specifications and estimates shall be transmitted to the office of the Collector, together with vernacular translations thereof, or such abstracts thereof as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time direct, and may be examined by any person interested in such works or repairs. Notice of the receipt of specifications and estimates shall be served for all estates chargeable for, or likely to be affected by, the said works or repairs; and should any objection in regard to the amount of such expenses be preferred by any such person within a period of one month from the date of such notice, the Collector shall pass such orders as may appear to him reasonable and proper. Such order shall be subject in any case to an appeal by the person making such objection to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final

Estimates and specifications to be prepared.

38. The accounts of the actual expense incurred in executing any works or repairs shall be prepared as soon as possible after the completion thereof. The Engineer shall sign a certificate stating the true amount of all such expenses, and the names of the estates chargeable for, and of the estates and villages affected by, the said works and repairs. Copies of the said accounts and certificates shall be forwarded to the office of the Collector, and may be there examined by any person interested. Notice of the receipt thereof shall be served for the said estates and villages, and such others as in the opinion of the Collector are liable to contribute to the payment of the said amount; and if, within thirty days from the service of such notice, any interested person shall object to the accounts on the ground either that the work charged for has not been performed, or that the whole sum charged has not been expended, or that the rates of charge are higher than those mentioned in the estimates, the Collector shall inquire into such objection, and may pass any order thereon subject in any case to an appeal by the objector to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Preparation and settlement of accounts.

39. The Collector shall add to the amount appearing in the said certificate all sums which have been paid or have become payable in respect of compensation, costs and expenses under and incidental to any proceedings taken or directed to be taken under Parts II and V of this Act, including costs of all surveys and plans. He shall thereupon make an order specifying the total sum found payable, and in respect of works done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the persons by whom, or in respect, of other works the estates in respect of which, the same is payable to him. If the order is made in respect of work done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the same shall forthwith be served upon the party or parties liable to pay; otherwise the Collector shall proceed under the provisions in the next chapter contained.

Total sum payable.

Interest may be charged upon any sum paid as compensation from the date of payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding 5 per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct.

Interest.

40. The said total sum, save so far as is otherwise provided in this Act, shall be paid to the Collector by the zemindars of the estates in which are situated the lands benefited or protected by the repairs or works executed. Provided that where any specific sum has hitherto been annually demanded in respect of any embankment not included in Schedule (D), and when the said embankment is at the time of this Act coming into operation being maintained by Government, then such special payments shall, after the passing of this Act, thenceforth cease and determine.

Parties liable to pay.

Every zemindar, who is liable under this rule for the payment of the whole or a portion of such total sum, shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of every tenure which is declared to be a part of his estate, the sum apportioned to such tenure by the Collector, under the provisions of Section 45. And similarly, every proprietor shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of any subordinate tenure which is declared to be a part of his tenure, the sum apportioned to such subordinate tenure by the Collector, under the said provisions.

2. *Apportionment thereof.*

41. So soon as the total sum payable as aforesaid has been ascertained, the Collector shall cause a notice to be served for every

Notice to be given before apportionment.

one of the said estates and villages mentioned in Section 38. Every such notice shall specify the estates and villages aforesaid, and that an inquiry will be held at a day and place therein named for the purpose of apportioning amongst the zemindars and proprietors the said total sum, with interest and the costs of apportionment.

Mode of inquiry as to the proportion chargeable to each estate.

42. On the day fixed in the said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days later than the date of any service of such notice, the Collector shall proceed to make the said inquiry. In making this inquiry he shall receive such evidence as may be tendered by, or on behalf of, the said zemindars and proprietors, and by, or on behalf of, any other persons who may claim to be interested therein.

Names of proprietors.

43. In any such inquiry the Collector shall take down in writing the names of all persons who may claim, or who may be alleged by any party interested, to be proprietors of tenures within any of the estates mentioned in such notice. In default of appearance of any such person, the Collector shall issue and serve a notice calling on him to appear at a date and place therein mentioned, and to show cause against being included in the order of apportionment to be made therein, and shall adjourn the inquiry till such date.

Apportionment amongst zemindars.

44. At such or any subsequently adjourned inquiry, the Collector, if there be only one estate liable, shall charge the zemindar thereof with the total amount payable; and if there be two or more estates, he shall apportion the same amongst the zemindars thereof, rateably in proportion to the respective benefits derived by such estates from such works or repairs; or in proportion to the areas of the lands benefited or protected thereby, and comprised within such estates respectively; or, with the sanction of the local Government in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates, if, before the passing of this Act, such proportion has been usually adopted.

Provided that the said total amount payable in respect of the embankments on the right bank of the river Gunduk shall be chargeable, in accordance with the custom in force for such estates, to the zemindars of all the estates situated in the district of Sarun, in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates.

Proviso in respect of the pergunnahs in Schedule (E.)

Provided also that the sum standing to the credit of a pergunnah in Schedule (E) in the account kept by the Collector, at the time when the total amount payable is fixed under the provisions of Section 39, shall be deducted from the total amount payable in respect of such portion of any embankment as is situated in such pergunnah; and that the zemindars of the estates situated therein shall be charged only with the balance of the amount (if any) which may remain payable.

Apportionment amongst proprietors.

45. The Collector shall, in like manner, apportion, except in respect of the said Gunduk embankments, the amount payable in respect of each estate amongst all the tenures therein rateably in the proportion of benefit so received or area so benefited or protected, first deducting therefrom such sum as, on the like principle of proportion, is payable in respect of such portion of the estate as is not included within any tenure.

Apportionment where the lands held without payment of rent, not being estates on the register of revenue-free tenures.

46. All lands held without payment of rent not being estates entered in the register of revenue-free tenures, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to form a part of the tenure within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any tenure, then to be a part of the estate within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any estate, then to be a part of such conterminous estate as the Collector, in whose district such conterminous estate is situated, shall, by an order under his seal and signature, declare.

Amount apportioned payable by instalments.

47. The amount apportioned to any estate or tenure shall be payable in equal instalments on such days as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, provided that no instalment shall exceed four annas for every acre of land in respect of which the same is payable, and that not more than four instalments shall be payable in any one year.

Interest.

Interest shall be charged on the unpaid portion of the said amount from the date of the same becoming due until payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding five per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time determine.

Final order of apportionment.

48. On the completion of the apportionment the Collector shall make an order specifying the estates and tenures, and the several sums payable in respect thereof, the instalments of such sums, and the dates on which the same are payable.

3. *Recovery thereof.*

Orders for payment.

49. The Collector shall, within thirty days from the final order of apportionment, make and serve for every estate therein mentioned an order, stating the amount with interest due in respect thereof, and that the same is payable to him, and the date or dates at which such amount or instalments thereof shall become payable to him.

Recovery from zemindars.

50. If such sum or any instalment thereof be not, pursuant to the said order, paid, the same with interest shall be recoverable as arrears of a demand under the provisions of Bengal Act VII of 1868 (*to make further provision for the recovery of arrears of land revenue and public demands recoverable as arrears of land revenue*).

Recovery by zemindars or proprietors.

51. Every zemindar or proprietor to whom any sum or instalment thereof is payable under the said order, may recover the same with interest as aforesaid in the manner provided for the recovery of arrears of rent in respect of putnee tenures by the provisions of Clauses 2 and 3 of Section 8, Sections 9, 10, 14, 15, and Clauses 1, 4,

and 3 of Section 17 of Regulation VIII of 1819, as amended by Bengal Act VIII of 1865; provided that the right or interest of any person holding from the proprietor of such tenure shall not be affected by any sale held under these provisions.

PART VII.

Miscellaneous.

Penalty for obstructing persons in exercise of powers of Act.

52. Whoever wilfully obstructs any person duly authorized under this Act in removing or levelling any embankment, house, hut, or other building, or in the lawful exercise of any of the powers in this Act conferred, shall, in case such obstruction shall not amount to an offence within the provisions of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for any period not exceeding six months, at the discretion of the Magistrate, or to fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, commutable, if not paid, to a period of imprisonment not exceeding six months.

Penalty on unauthorized interference with embankments or drainage.

53. Every person who, without the previous permission of the Engineer, shall erect, or cause or wilfully permit to be erected, any new embankment, or shall obstruct or divert, or cause or wilfully permit to be obstructed or diverted, any watercourse, if such embankment or watercourse is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede, any public embankment or any public watercourse, or shall abet any such act, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or in default of payment, to imprisonment of either description for a period not exceeding six months.

Penalties for injuring works under Act.

54. No person shall, without due authority, cut through, or attempt to cut through, any public embankment, or destroy, or attempt to destroy any such embankment, or open or shut, or obstruct any sluice in any such embankment, or any public watercourse; and every person who shall commit any breach of the provisions of this section shall, in case the act shall not amount to mischief within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding one month, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Penalties for diverting rivers or permitting cattle to graze on embankments.

55. Every person who shall make any dam or other obstruction for the purpose of diverting or opposing the current of a river, wherein or whereon there are public embankments, without the permission of the officer in immediate charge of the embankments, or shall refuse or neglect to remove any such dam or obstruction when so required by the Engineer, or shall cut or otherwise alter the banks of any embanked river, or shall remove the earth from any public embankment, or shall drive stakes into it, or by any other wilful act destroy or diminish the efficiency of such embankment; and every person who shall cause or knowingly and wilfully permit any cattle to graze upon any such embankment, or shall tether, or cause or wilfully permit any cattle to be tethered upon any such embankment, or who shall root up any grass or other vegetation growing on any such embankment, shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Obstructions to be removed and damage repaired.

56. Whenever any person is convicted of an offence under either of the three last preceding sections, the convicting Magistrate may order that he shall remove the embankment or obstruction, or repair the damage, in respect of which the conviction is held, within a period to be fixed in such order. If such person neglects or refuses to obey such order within the fixed period, the Engineer may remove such embankment or obstruction or repair such damage, and the cost of such removal or repair shall be levied from such person in addition to any other penalty in the manner provided in Section 307 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Service.

57. Every proclamation, notice or order in and by this Act required to be served may, unless when otherwise provided, be served—

(1) by delivering a copy of the same to the person to whom it is directed, or on failure of such service by posting a copy on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person resides, or by delivering a copy to any agent authorized to appear generally for the person to whom such proclamation, notice or order is directed; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing a copy of such proclamation, notice or order directed to the said person at his usual place of abode, or at the place where he may be known to reside; or

(3) by posting a copy of the proclamation, notice or order at the mal-cutcherry of the estate, village or tenure to which the same relates; or if no such mal-cutcherry be found, on some conspicuous place on the said estate, village or tenure, and by delivering, in the case of estates paying their annual revenue by four instalments, another copy thereof to the agent who shall have paid an instalment of revenue next before or after the preparation of such proclamation, notice or order. In all cases where two or more persons are holders of an estate, village or tenure service under this clause shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service on each and all of such persons.

No proceedings to be impeached for want of form.

58. No proceedings under this Act shall be impeached or affected by reason of any mistake in the name of any person thereby rendered liable to pay any sum of money, or in the description of any estate or tenure or land in respect of which he is rendered liable to pay; provided the directions of this Act be in substance and effect complied with; and no proceedings under this Act shall for want of form be quashed or set aside in any Court of Justice.

Appeal from orders made on objection.

59. Every order passed by the Collector in respect to applications under Section 4, Clauses 6 and 7, or under Sections 8, 39, and 48, shall be appealable to the Commissioner of Revenue, and every order of the Commissioner, except when otherwise directed by this Act, shall be appealable to the Board of Revenue, but no appeal shall lie under this section against any order unless the same be presented within one month from the date of the order.

Orders to be final.

60. Subject to the right of appeal above mentioned and to the order and control of Government, every order passed under the provisions aforesaid shall be final, and shall not be open to revision by any Civil Court.

Powers on inquiry and appeal.

61. In any inquiry or appeal held under this Act, the Collector and the Commissioner shall respectively have the same powers as those conferred on Courts by the Code of Civil Procedure of summoning and examining witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

General control of Commissioner and Government.

62. All the powers of a Collector under this Act shall be exercised under the general control and orders of the Commissioner of the Division, and all the powers of Collectors and Commissioners shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Board of Revenue and of the Government.

Disposal of lands no longer required for embankments.

63. Whenever the maintenance of any public embankment, or the retention of any land appropriated to the purposes thereof, may no longer be required, and the permanent relinquishment of the same may be deemed expedient, such land shall be conveyed by the Collector to the proprietor of the land, within the limits of which it may be situated, on payment of the compensation, if any, which was paid for such land when the same was taken for the purpose of the embankment. If the proprietor of such lands refuse or neglect to pay such price within a reasonable time after demand, the same shall be sold by the Collector for such price as he can obtain for the same. All sums obtained for the conveyance of lands under the provisions of this section shall, after the payment of all expenses incurred on account of the same, be applied to the payment of the cost of any new embankment or drainage works affecting the said lands, and in such case the residue only of the cost of such new works shall be charged upon the zemindars of estates benefited as hereinbefore provided.

Collector may delegate any of his powers to a Deputy Collector.

64. A Collector may delegate any of his powers under this Act to a Deputy Collector, but from any order passed by a Deputy Collector to whom powers have been so delegated, an appeal shall lie to the Collector if presented within thirty days of the date of the order.

Jurisdiction.

65. All offences created by this Act shall be inquired into and tried by a Magistrate of the first or second class.

Saving of Bengal Act V of 1871.

66. Nothing in this Act shall affect the provisions of "the Hooghly and Burdwan Drainage Act 1871."

SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

SCHEDULE A.—(*Referred to in Section* 5.)

All persons interested are hereby required to take notice that it is my intention to [*here state the nature of the work to be undertaken*] for the purpose of [*state the purpose*]. For the execution of this work the undermentioned land will be required to be taken up:—

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Area of land.

Plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed work, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said work, are open for inspection by any interested person at this office who is allowed to take copies thereof.

The total probable cost of such work will be the sum of Rs. , and the rate per acre of the area benefited or protected by the said work is estimated at Rs. .

The following estates and villages will probably be affected by the work proposed [*here set out a list of the estates and villages*]:

Any person interested and desirous of showing cause against the execution of the works specified, is hereby required to appear before the Collector for that purpose on the day of

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE B.—(*Referred to in Section* 12.)

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the land hereunder specified has been taken up and notice thereof has been given to the Collector of .

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Approximate boundaries and area of land.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE C.—(*Referred to in Section* 26.)

All persons interested are required to take notice that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the Collector of has taken possession on account of the Government of [*here state particulars of the land taken*], and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land must be made to the Collector. All persons having any such claims are therefore required to appear personally or by agent on day of at , and to state the nature of their respective interests in such land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE D.—(*Referred to in Sections* 34, 35, *and* 40.)

No. 1.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Isnagore to Kola.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 3 miles 4,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Isnagore of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kola in the said pergunnah.

No. 2.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Chota Roopram to Narooa.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 4 miles 770 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Chota Roopram of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Narooa in the said pergunnah.

No. 3.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Srirampore to Ganchia.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 7 miles 2,686 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Srirampore of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ganchia in the said pergunnah.

No. 4.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Kursi to Kulakuri.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 6 miles 5,265 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Kursi of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kulakuri in the said pergunnah.

No. 5.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Bagputta to Radhachuck.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 20 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bagputta of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Radhachuck of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 6.

Left Embankment of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers, 5 miles 250 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Ramnagur of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gasna of Pergunnah Jehanabad.

No. 7.

Right Embankment of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers, 6 miles 3,200 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Digra of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sowey of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 8.

Left Embankment on the Bukhshi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Bukhshi Khall, 6 miles 4,330 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bukhshi of Pergunnah Karijee Mundleghaut, and near the junction of the Roopnarain River and Bukhshi Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gyghattee in the said pergunnah where the Gyghattee Khall leaves the Damoodah.

No. 9.

Right Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the River Roopnarain, 29 miles 2,373 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground distant 57 feet south-east by compass from the Machnan masonry sluice on the right bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, in the village of Machnan of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the zero mile-post on the bank of the Tidal Canal, Reach I. This mile-post bears 500 feet south-west by compass from the Canal Toll-house, in the village of Camalpore of Pergunnah Mysadul.

No. 10.

Right Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,410 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 187 feet west of a temple on the Tumlook Road, in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 11.

Left Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,370 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, and on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 12.

Right Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 3,430 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soodhapore of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 675 feet east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice, in the village of Syedpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 13.

Left Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 1,670 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Mysda of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 170 feet north-east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, in the village of Rogonathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 14.

Right Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 3,990 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar, in the village of Jasamnathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 15.

Left Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 1,690 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Hugla in the said pergunnah.

No. 16.

Right Embankment on the Doobachutty Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Doobachutty Khall, 1 mile 3,510 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at a distance of 550 feet north north-east of the Bhoodah Factory Chimney in the village of Bhoodah of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 57 feet south-east of the Machnan masonry sluice, in the village of Machnan in the said pergunnah.

No. 17.

Mohunkhally Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 28 miles 3,258 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the village of Kooltigree where the Mohunkhally River runs into the Roopnarain River, and passing along the right bank of the Mohunkhally River through the villages of Joligunsam, Seetapore, Manoo to Basantopore, where the Mohunkhally and Doobachutty Rivers bifurcate, thence skirting the left bank of the Doobachutty River it passes through the villages of Shahpore, Posorepore, and Barmogria to Kachara, thence skirting the Roopnarain, right bank, it passes through the village of Doodcoura and Bagchina, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 18.

Pannah Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 9 miles 3,640 feet more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its junction with the Cossye River near a temple, in the village of Bargobindoo, Pergunnah Barda. It passes through the villages of Baramdi and Raneebazar on the left bank of the Selye River and then along the right bank of the Kanta Khall through the villages of Bhaugadow, Parna, Baramdijheel, Tubli and Dhurmpore, and terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 19.

Ghattal Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 10 miles 1,850 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its bifurcation with the Argor River, and passing along the *left* bank of the Selye River and through the villages of Sriampore, Bassodebpore, and Singpore, it skirts the right bank of the Argora Khall through the villages of Ramchunderpore, Rogonathchuck and others, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 20.

Sheikpore Circuit Embankment.

This a circuit embankment 18 miles 5,108 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the bifurcation of the Rivers Sankra and Jhoomee in the village of Sheikpore of Pergunnah Boyrah, and passing along the left bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Srimantpore, Anandopore, and Thakooranchuck, thence along the right bank of the Sankra River through the villages of Nursingchuck, Koolat, Goozrat, and others, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 21.

Khasbar Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 5 miles 5,240 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the point of bifurcation of the Jhoomee and Amada Rivers in the village of Lalchuck, Pergunnah Barda, and passing along the right bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Parbuttichuck, Prosadchuck, and Joybag, and thence along the left bank of the Amada River through the villages of Khasbar, Sowoi, and Lalchuck, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 22.

Chetooa Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 45 miles 1,420 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and Mohunkhally Khall in the village of Moishgatta, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and passing along the left bank of the Mohunkhally Khall through the villages of Dukinbar, Gowreechuck, Gobindnuggur, and Bosuntopore, thence along the left bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Kola, Moheshpore, Gocoolnuggur and Islampore, thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the villages of Soorutpore, Rogonathpore, and Konagore to the junction of the Selye and Roopnarain Rivers at Protabpore, and thence along the right bank of the Roopnarain River through the villages of Hurrishpore, Joleconaram, Raneechuck, and Gopeegunge, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 23.

Doosaspore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 2,350 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the right bank of the Cossye River, distant 704 feet and bearing 20° from the Doosaspore sluice in the village of Doosaspore of Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the right bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Nobinlasdeopore, Koonjpore, Mohespore, Telondee, and Brickobanupore, thence passing along the left bank of the Petooa Khall through the villages of Futtehpore, Godyepore, and Dhamkola, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Kritibaspore, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 24.

Narajole Embankment.

This is an embankment 7 miles 1,735 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye river in the village of Samat, Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the left bank of the Cossye River to the village of Mudunmohunpore, and thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the village of Ramdebpore, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Chandikhally, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 25.

Bindabunchuck Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry Pillar built in the ground in the village of Bindabunchuck, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and running along the *right* bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 26.

Dhangaria Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 2,520 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Dhangaria, Pergunnah Jehanabad, and running along the *left* bank of the Roopnarain River, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 27.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 7 miles 3,980 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Gourbazar of Pergunnah Sheregarh, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Toomnee Khall with the Adjai River in the village of Kejladee of Pergunnah Shanpaharee.

No. 28.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 4 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground near a masonry sluice near the junction of the Toomnee and Balpaharee Khalls in the village of Bistopore of Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Urjunboonee in the said pergunnah.

No. 29.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 11 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Satkonea, Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sagurposta of Pergunnah Gopeebhoom.

No. 30.

Left Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Adjai River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Singhee of Pergunnah Azmutshahi, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bamoonea in the said pergunnah.

No. 31.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 4,488 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sadipore of Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 32.

Left Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Damoodah River, 107 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry

pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sillia, Pergunnah Champanuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Allipore of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 33.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Lakea, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bergang in the said pergunnah.

No. 34.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 3,828 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bulrampore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 35.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the villlage of Zangirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Srekistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 36.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 18 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Oozirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Dehi Barsut of Pergunnah Barsut.

No.-37.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 29 miles 3,560 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Gyghattee Khall with the Damoodah River in the village of Gyghattee, Pergunnah Arsa, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Roopnarain and Hughli Rivers at the 32nd milepost on the Roopnarain left embankment in the village of Magrapathur of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 38.

Left Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Roopnarain, 31 miles 3,762 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and the Bakhsee Khall in the village of Bakhsee, Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Hughli and Roopnarain Rivers at the 32nd milepost of the Roopnarain embankment in the village of Magrapathur, Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 39.

This is a continuous line of embankment 41 miles and 155 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Khodalgobra, Pergunnah Birkul, and running generally parallel with the coast line of the Bay of Bengal, terminates at a masonry pillar on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal.

No. 40.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal, and running along the right bank of the Russulpore River as far as the Contai and Tumlook Road, and thence along the right bank of the Serpai River, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta.

No. 41.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Russulpore River, 2 miles 4,868 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Sanberia, Pergunnah Bahirmutta.

No. 42.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Serpai River as far as the village of Kessoorkunda on the Contai and Midnapore Road, and thence in a northerly direction to Chowmook on the Bagdah River, and thence along the right bank of the Balliaghye Khall to the east of the Dhoobda Jheel, terminates at a masonry pillar on the sand ridge in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi.

No. 43.

This is a continuous line of embankment 17½ miles, more or less, in length. It commences at the great sea dyke, east of the Peechabunnee sluice, on the left bank of the Peechabunnee Khall, and running along the said bank as far as the masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi, and thence along the right bank, terminates at the great sea dyke west of the Peechabunnee sluice.

No. 44.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Bagdah River, 3 miles 2,528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Astichuck, Pergunnah Paharpore.

No. 45.

This is a continuous line of embankment 95 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the left bank of the Iktiarpore Khall to its junction with the Madakhally River, thence running along the left bank of the Madakhally River to the Chowdachoolee Inspection Bungalow at the confluence of the Russulpore River and the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall, thence running along the left bank of the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall to its embouchure in the Bay of Bengal, thence running parallel to the coast line as far as the mouth of the River Huldee, thence following the right bank of this river as far as the junction of the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers, and lastly running along the right bank of the Kaliaghye River, terminates at a masonry pillar at the village of Nilkantapore, Pergunnah Jalamutta.

No. 46.

This is a continuous line of embankment 5 miles, more or less, in length on the right bank of the Kaliaghye River. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Kharan, Pergunnah Pataspore, and terminates at another masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 47.

This is a circuit embankment 34 miles 1,000 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground near the Barju Ghaut in the village of Barju, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the right bank of the Madakhally River, the left bank of the Bagdah River, and the right bank of the Chackbowani Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Barju, Simulbari, Dismila, Khamgara, Idalpore, Kalurathari, Lischintar, Ullalbaria, Koniabar, Bhastagara, Khala Kalkadari, Sundarpore, Mallickpore, Ballabpore, Sukakhola, Udaypore, Gopalpore, Baro Adapore, Tamlapuria, Chakbata, Calsai, Culbaria, Chakmathuri, Chakahabani Bhayrabdari, South Chando, Manglepore, Dakhindara, Partabdigi, Bamanbasan, Sitadigi, Kistanuggur, Panesoori, Sardabar, Mathura, Chakrosal Khacura, Mangalchuck, Tonabila, Arjanuggur, Puruha, Mahesda, Khamgara, Malda, Barjee, and Pergunnahs Narnamutta, Kismat Pataspore, Kismat Danto, Kharaig, Partabjhan, Pataspore, and Bhatgar.

No. 48.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,541 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall in the village of Naturea, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and passing through the villages of Udbadal, Champainuggur, Conasdigi, Nathara, Khatmari, Etabaria, Naudigi, Manikjar, Hasgoria, Manikjor Basdebbaria, Patarbara, Pergunnah Narnamutta, terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 49.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,525 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Iktiarpore Khall, Madakhally River, and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Iktiarpore Khall in the village of Rogonathchuk, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Madakhally River, left bank of the Udbadal Khall, and right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Udbadal, Patna, Dumurdari, Podutardi, South Biada, Ichhapore, Pauchgaria, Bhupatinuggur, Rogonathchuck, Nandichuck, Khorinet, Gobindapore, Jogomohunpore, Champainuggur, Kanjadapore, Udbadal, and the Pergunnahs of Narnamutta and Koaal.

No. 50.

This is a continuous line of embankment 3 miles 3,255 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at a pillar in the village of Radhapore, Pergunnah Erinch.

No. 51.

This is a circuit embankment 7 miles 2,735 feet, more or less, in length, between the Kaliaghye River and the Bagui Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Kaliaghye River with the Bagui Khall in the village of Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, and passing through the villages of Gocoolpore, Gholahat, Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 52.

This is a circuit embankment 20 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the south side of the junction of the Thalputti Khall with the Russulpore River in the village of Gumgar, Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee, and running along the left bank of the Russulpore River to its confluence with the sea, then following the coast line to the embouchure of the Thalputti Khall in the Bay of Bengal, and thence running along the south bank of the Thalputti Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Gorabar, Debichuck, Daudchuck, Katka, Sampore, Baga, Padurbaria, Nenapata, Mohendranuggur, Kolagachia, Pauchbari, Osilchuck, Honabaria, Orukbaria, Salconda, Sahibchuck, Bamunchuck, Barabari, Phulbari and Mulichuck, all in the Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee.

No. 53.

This is a continuous line of embankment 60 miles 4,110 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye River in the village of Bargoda, Pergunnah Tumlook, and running along the left bank of the Cossye and Huldee Rivers to the confluence of the latter with the River Hooghly, and thence along the right bank

of the Hooghly and Roopnarain Rivers, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Banka, about one-fourth of a mile north of a Hindu temple, on the left bank of the Banka Khall.

No. 54.

This is a circuit embankment 12 miles 2,550 feet, more or less, in length, situated between the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the said rivers, and running along the left bank of the Kaliaghye River and the right bank of the Cossye River, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Purso, Nonakhari, Lachanpore, Narkuldi, Soonabhoy, Asnan, Chaundibarya, Machodal, Kholakhally, Kalkadari, Pauchpukhiria, Kistochuck, and Salugaria, all in the Pergunnah Tumlook.

No. 55.

Rampore Beauleah old Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 17,700 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kasubpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar to be fixed at the village Talliamuree, Pergunnah Laskarpore.

No. 56.

Rampore Beauleah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 8,130 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Bolanpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kudulkuttee, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, where it joins the road to Dinagepore.

No. 57.

Maldah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Mahanuddy River, 11,519 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kootubpore, Pergunnah Ameerabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Moheshpore, Pergunnah Vatra.

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No. 58.

Left Embankment on the River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the River Hooghly, 5 miles 4,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at Munneekhallee Khall at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Juggonnathnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of the Hooghly River and Churrial Khall.

No. 59.

Right bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Churrial Khall, 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of Hooghly River and Churrial Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ghurbanmonea, on the north bank of Churrial Khall near the junction of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road.

No. 60.

Left bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Churrial Khall, 3,280 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Jovchundeepore near the junction of left bank of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village of Joychundeepore near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall.

No. 61.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 19 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore, near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall, and continues along the left bank of Hooghly River to Poojallee Khall, on both sides of Poojallee Khall, between the River Hooghly and the road leading from Calcutta to Atcheepore, and again down the left bank of the River Hooghly to the right bank of Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 62.

Right bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta, on the north side of the khall near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Fulta Khall in the village of Soharah.

No. 63.

Left bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,360 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Fulta Khall, in the village of Bosoodeapore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 64.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 11 miles 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemool-

gunge, on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River.

No. 65.

Right bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 3,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemulgunge on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the khall in the village of Durree Govindpore.

No. 66.

Left bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 4,800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, in the village of Jungalparah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Ramchundernuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall.

No. 67.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 3 miles 2,260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Ramchunderpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 68.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 7 miles 3,100 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek in the village of Dearnah.

No. 69.

Left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 6 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Dearnah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 70.

Left bank of the Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 71.

Right bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Janikeemaree.

No. 72.

Left bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Gourypore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 73.

Left bank of River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore.

No. 74.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 8 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore, and terminates at a masonry pillar near the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore.

No. 75.

Right bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah.

No. 76.

Left bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, 9 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee.

No. 77.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 26 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant.

No. 78.

Right Bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 602 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, near a drainage sluice

No. 79.

Left bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 2,040 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Kamaratha.

No. 80.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 19 miles, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Kharee Khall, in the village of Kamaratha, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee.

No. 81.

Right bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Pealee River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee.

No. 82.

Right bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Soorjipore, or Puschunbahum Khall, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee, and terminates at Puschunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah.

No. 83.

Left bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Soorjipore or Puschunbahum Khall, 4 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a Puchunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall, in the village of Ramnuggur.

No. 84.

Right bank of the Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left side of Pealee River, 9 miles 2,160 feet, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall in the village of Ramnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Saungur, near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 85.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 3 miles 3,960 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River in Soonderbun lot, No. 45, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Baugmaree Khall, in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River with Baugmaree Khall.

No. 86.

Left bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Baugmaree Khall, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River and Baugmaree Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Ath Ramdhur.

No. 87.

Right bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right side of Baugmaree Khall, 1 mile 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Koolauree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe.

No. 88.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Pealee River, 4 miles 2,460 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Povan, about a quarter of a mile north of the Calcutta and South-Eastern Railway.

No. 89.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Shrikishenpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 90.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree River.

This is a continuous embankment on the righ, bank of Biddiadhuree River, 8 miles, more or lesst

in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhurree River, in the village of Balleahpore, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the same river near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 91.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 2 miles 3,120 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar near the junction of the Biddiad huree and Pealee rivers, in the village of Saungur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near its junction with Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur.

No. 92.

South side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous embankment on south side of Tolly's Canal, 10 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, near the junction of Biddiadhuree River and Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the south side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Kurramabad.

No. 93.

North side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the north side of Tolly's Canal, 2 miles 4,020 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the north side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Nowabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the jungle in the village of Tehooraha.

No. 94.

Bhagiruttee Embankments.

This is a line of disconnected embankment on the left bank of the Bhagiruttee River, extending from Plassey Bazar, Pergunnah Plassey, District Nuddea, to Dadmootee, Pergunnah Rokunpore, district Moorshedabad, a distance of about 93 miles.

No. 95.

Katcheekuta Embankment.

This is a continuous line of embankment about 4,000 feet in length on the right bank of the Matahbanga River. It commences in the village of Luckimpore, Pergunnah Bajpore, District Nuddea, and terminates at the bottom of the new cut opposite the village of Radhakantpore, in the same pergunnah and district.

SCHEDULE E.—*(Referred to in sections 36 and 44.*

Pergunnah.	District.	Amount of contribution.		
		Rs	A.	P.
Futtehsingh ...	Moorshedabad ...	1,706	10	8
Rokunpore ...	Ditto ...	1,466	2	0

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[Fifth Publication.]

THE following Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein, together with the Bill as amended by the Committee, is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee appointed to consider the Bill "to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," have the honor to make the following report :—

From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 7th March 1873.
From Offg. Secretary, Landholders' Association, dated 6th March 1873.
From Secretary, India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited, dated 17th March 1873.
From the Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 11th March 1873.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 11th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Goalundo, dated 13th March 1873.
From Medical Inspector of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
Remarks and suggestions of the Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta.
From Offg. Magistrate of Sylhet, dated 20th March 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Seebsaugor, dated 21st March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 24th March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 31st March 1873.
Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 3rd April 1873.
From Under-Secretary, Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Revenue, and Commerce, dated 19th April 1873.
Notes by the Agent to the Governor-General, North-East Frontier, and Commissioner of Assam.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 9th June 1873, and enclosures.
Petition of certain contractors under Act II of 1870.
From Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 19th July 1873.

We have received and considered the papers noted in the margin.

We have made numerous alterations in the draft of the Bill, restoring in many cases the language of Act II of 1870, for instance, in Sections 11, 14, 35, 38, 62, 73, 84, 94, 97, 99, 109, 111, 116, 117, 122, and 125. We have altered the definition of "emigrant" and of "magistrate," and in reference to the latter we have specified in Section 93 the sections under which a Subordinate Magistrate may be deputed to act.

We have omitted the provisions relating to evidence in Sections 28, 62, 63, 66, 106, and 133, and the references to the Penal Code in Sections 13, 103, 108, and 132. We have omitted Section 12, the Council of India having brought in a Bill to deal with the subject of it. We have also omitted the definition of "servant" from Section 3; Clauses 4, 15, and 16, from Section 5; and the following sections or parts of sections :—Sections 26, 34 (last part), 42, 65, 67, 83 (last part), 97, 109 (last part), 112, 116 (last sentence), 122 (proviso), 124 (last sentence), and 140.*

We have not required that a garden-sirdar should pay a fee for having his certificate countersigned under Section 19, or that a recruiter should pay a fee to the medical officer for a certificate under Section 45. We have slightly altered the constitution of the Labor Transport Fund to meet the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code, Section 308.

We have given power to a Magistrate to advance any sum which a garden-sirdar may be ordered to pay to an emigrant under Section 31, and to recover the amount from the employer with interest; and we have provided that interest shall be recoverable on sums advanced by a Magistrate under Sections 79, 80, 81, and 86.

We have reduced the amount of fine which may be imposed under Sections 66, 67, 72, 75, 77, and 94. We have given power to the Lieutenant-Governor to affix penalties to the breach of rules framed by him under Section 5, and we have provided that the penalties (if any) shall be published with the rules.

We have required (in Sections 22, 46) that the garden-sirdar or recruiter, as the case may be, shall produce his certificate or license when he appears with a recruit before a

* In this paragraph the numbers of the sections refer to the Bill as preliminarily amended by the Select Committee. Elsewhere the numbers refer to the sections of the Bill as re-amended.

Magistrate for registration. We have struck out the provision that a recruiter shall wear a badge. We have given the same power of cancelling the license or certificate of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar under Sections 21, 36, and 41. We have substituted the word "rice" for "food" in Sections 5 (clause 13), 17, 23, 46, and 114.

We have slightly modified Sections 67, 119, 120, and 135.

We have annexed as Schedules to the Act forms of a garden-sirdar's certificate of a contract between emigrant and employer, and of a certificate of release on determination of contract. We have omitted Schedule D.

We have also made many verbal alterations.

G. C. PAUL.
V. H. SCHALCH.
H. L. DAMPIER.
C. E. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

The 25th August 1873.

As I am going to England for three or four months, I shall be unable to sign the final report of the Select Committee, but having attended nearly all meetings up to this date, I wish to record my general assent to the Bill with the alterations and amendments agreed to by the Select Committee so far as they have at present been considered, viz. to Section 99.

25th June 1873.

B. D. COLVIN.

I agree to the report, but think that the objections raised to the Sections 105, 108 109, and 111 in Act II of 1870 (being part of the Bill, Sections 125, 126, 127, and 128,) still hold good.

T. M. ROBINSON.

RE-AMENDED BILL.

A Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law regulating the emigration of native inhabitants of India from or through the provinces subject to the Government of Bengal to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and the manner of engaging and contracting with native inhabitants of the said provinces to proceed to the said districts, and providing for the protection of the persons so proceeding, and for the enforcement of the contracts of service entered into by them; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Chapter 1.—Application and Miscellaneous.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Labor Districts Emigration Act."

Repeal of Act II of 1870.

2. Bengal Act II of 1870 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to the transport of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and their employment therein*) is hereby repealed. All contracts entered into, appointments made, and licenses granted, under the said Act, or any of the Acts thereby repealed, shall be deemed to have been respectively entered into, made, and granted under this Act.

Interpretation clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

India.

"India" means the territories for the time being vested in Her Majesty by the Statute 21 and 22 Vic., cap. 106, entitled "*An Act for the better government of India,*" other than the settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore, and Malacca.

Labor Districts.

"The Labor Districts" means the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and "a labor district" means one of those districts.

Magistrate.

"Magistrate" includes a magistrate of a district or of a division of a district, and any magistrate of the first and second class, and any magistrate of police for the town of Calcutta.

Employer.

"Employer" means the chief person for the time being in charge of any lands upon which laborers may be employed.

Emigrant.

"Emigrant" means any native of India above the age of sixteen years who has engaged with any garden-sirdar or recruiter to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and has been registered as hereinafter provided.

Laborer.

"Laborer" means any emigrant who has been conveyed to a labor district in accordance with a contract made under the provisions of Bengal Act III of 1863, Bengal Act VI of 1865, Bengal Act II of 1870, or this Act, during the duration of such contract.

Vessel.

"Vessel" includes a steamer, a flat, a boat, and anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property.

Master.

"Master" means the person for the time being in charge of a vessel.

Provisions regarding emigration not to apply to domestic servants, or to persons proceeding alone.

4. The provisions of part II of this Act regarding emigration shall not apply to domestic servants, or to any person proceeding alone, or accompanied by his family only, or to any persons not exceeding twenty in number proceeding to a labor district to labor for hire, without the intervention, direct or indirect, of any person employed to induce natives of India to emigrate to a labor district. In computing the number of persons two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

Power of the Lieutenant-Governor to make rules.

5. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act, and from time to time alter, vary, and revoke such rules:—

(1)—To regulate the subordination of the several officers of emigration to the superintendent.

(2)—To prescribe the periodical returns and reports to be made by the emigration officers, by magistrates, and by the inspectors of laborers.

(3)—To prescribe the amount of the several fees to be paid under the provisions of this Act.

(4)—To provide for the management and regulation of contractors' depôts and of hospital depôts.

(5)—To provide for the medical care of emigrants during their residence at the depôts, and during transport to a labor district.

(6)—To prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be carried on vessels taking emigrants.

(7)—To prescribe the clothing to be supplied to emigrants while proceeding to a labor district.

(8)—To prescribe the description, quantity, and quality of provisions to be taken by vessels carrying emigrants, and the daily allowance to be issued to each emigrant during the journey.

(9)—To provide for the ventilation and cleanliness of vessels during the journey, to prescribe the number of officers, cooks, and other servants, and to provide for their control; and to provide generally for the accommodation of emigrants.

(10)—To provide for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of all emigrants detained at any place by order of a magistrate on account of sickness.

(11)—To provide for the periodical inspection of laborers, and the books to be kept by inspectors of laborers.

(12)—To provide for the house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and supply of rice to be provided by employers for their laborers.

(13)—To provide for the hospital accommodation and medical care of laborers, and to prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be provided for them.

The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time fix penalties not inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act for infringements of any such rules, which may be enforced and recovered as other penalties under this Act on conviction by a magistrate: Provided that no penalty shall exceed five hundred rupees.

All such rules, with the penalties (if any) for their infringement, shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall be separately printed and sold to the public at 4 annas for each copy.

Contract made with emigrant is a charge upon the land;

6. Every contract made with an emigrant, and all arrears of wages due under any such contract, and all fines imposed on any employer under the provisions of this Act, shall be a charge upon the lands upon which such laborer has been engaged to work.

and is transferred with the land.

The owner of such lands for the time being shall have all rights and remedies against such laborer, as if such owner had been originally the party executing such contract as employer.

Determination of ownership determines liability.

No person, after he has ceased to be the owner of such lands, nor his property nor effects, shall be in anywise liable or responsible for any breach of such contract which may have occurred after he has ceased to be such owner.

Any person above the age of 16 years may contract.

7. Any engagement or contract made under the provisions of this Act by a native of India, who is above the age of sixteen years, shall be held valid.

Procedure on trial of offences created by Act.

8. All offences against this Act committed without the town of Calcutta shall be inquired into and tried according to the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and all offences against this Act committed within the said town shall be inquired into and tried by a police magistrate of the said town according to the provisions of the laws regulating the investigation and trial of offences within the said town, which shall be for the time being in force.

Penalty for any offence not especially provided for.

9. For every offence against the provisions of this Act, for which no special penalty or amount of fine is prescribed, the offender shall on conviction by a Magistrate be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees. Wherever in this Act no special term of imprisonment is appointed in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall be liable to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding one month.

PART II.—EMIGRATION.

Chapter 2.—Restrictions and Appointment of Officers.

Power to prevent emigration of laborers.

10. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in case he shall be of opinion that the emigration of natives of India from any district, or to any particular part of any labor district, for the purpose of becoming laborers, is likely to be attended with danger to the health of any native so emigrating or others, or if the Lieutenant-Governor has reason to believe that a political disturbance is likely to occur in any labor district, to prohibit, by an order under his hand, the emigration of such natives from such district, or to such labor district or particular part thereof, and from time to time to revoke or vary any such order; and every such order or variation or revocation thereof shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Penalty on engaging natives contrary to such order.

11. Any person who shall knowingly engage native so to emigrate while any such emigration shall be prohibited under the provisions of the last preceding section, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees for every native who may have been so engaged.

Appointment of superintendent of emigration, embarkation agents, and medical inspectors.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a proper person to be the superintendent of emigration at Calcutta, and may also appoint proper persons to be embarkation agents and medical inspectors of emigrants at any places where he may think proper, and define by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* the local limits within which each such officer shall exercise the powers and authority conferred upon him by this Act. He may at any time suspend or remove any such officer.

Employer may recruit by garden-sirdar.

13. It shall be lawful for any employer to engage, by the agency of a garden-sirdar, or by the agency of a contractor, natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire upon lands of which such employer is in charge.

Superintendent may license contractors and recruiters.

14. It shall be lawful for the superintendent of emigration to grant to such persons as he may think fit licenses to act as contractors for engaging and supplying persons for the purpose of laboring for hire in the labor districts, or to act in behalf of some contractor as recruiters for engaging persons to proceed to the said districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire.

Natives of India shall not be engaged to proceed to the labor districts, or be conveyed there, save under this Act.

15. From and after the commencement of this Act, whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, engage any native of India in any of the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to proceed to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire; and whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, convey any such native through any of the said provinces to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every person so engaged or conveyed.

Penalty.

No person not licensed as a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, may engage or contract to supply laborers.

16. Whoever, not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall otherwise than through or by the agency of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar engage any native of India to proceed to any of the labor-

districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and whoever, not being a contractor, shall enter into any contract to supply, or shall supply, or shall transfer or make over whether to a recruiter or any other person, any such native for the purpose of laboring for hire in any of the labor districts; and whoever not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall enter into any contract to engage, or shall attempt to engage, any such native to proceed to any of the labor-districts for the purpose aforesaid; and whoever shall employ or appoint any person other than a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, to engage any such native, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished for each offence with fine or imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding three months.

Penalty.

17. It shall not be lawful for any emigrant to be conveyed to any labor district, unless and until he shall have entered into a duly registered contract with some person to serve such person there for a fixed period, which shall in no case exceed the term of three years from the date of his arrival on the estate of his employer in the said labor district. Every such contract shall be in the form in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act, and shall be reduced to writing, and shall specify the monthly amount of wages in money, the period of service, the name of the district in which the service is to be performed, and the price at which rice is to be supplied to the laborer.

Emigrant not to be conveyed to or towards a labor district until contract is executed.

Form and particulars of contract.

Chapter 3.—Garden-sirdar.

18. Every garden-sirdar, authorized by an employer under the provisions of section 13 to engage natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, shall, before proceeding to engage any such native, personally present to the magistrate of the district, or division of the district, within which is situate the estate of the employer, a certificate signed by such employer, in which shall be stated the name and description of such garden-sirdar, the name and description of the lands for the purpose of laboring upon which he is about to engage such natives, the district (or the town of Calcutta, as the case may be) in which he is about to engage them, the number which he is authorized to engage, and, if the number exceeds twenty, the name of the contractor to whose depôt they shall be conveyed. The certificate shall be in the form set forth in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act.

Garden-sirdar to obtain certificate from employer, and to present it to magistrate.

19. Such magistrate shall inquire into the facts stated in such certificate, and, upon being satisfied that the same are true, shall, unless it appears to him that the person so presenting such certificate is unfit to be employed for the purpose of engaging natives to proceed to a labor district to labor therein for hire, countersign and date such certificate; and every such certificate shall be in force for six months from the date last mentioned, and no longer.

Magistrate after inquiry to countersign it.

20. If, under his certificate from his employer, any garden-sirdar is authorized to engage more than twenty natives of India, he shall be in all respects, save as regards his certificate, subject to the provisions of this Act which relate to recruiters. The following rules of this chapter shall apply to every garden-sirdar who is not authorized to engage more than twenty such natives.

Garden-sirdar authorized to engage more than twenty natives to be subject to provisions relating to a recruiter.

Garden-sirdar who is not a Recruiter.

21. A garden-sirdar shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant, until his certificate has been countersigned by the magistrate of such district or of such division of the district; or in Calcutta, until his certificate has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta.

Has no authority until certificate is countersigned by magistrate.

It shall be lawful for such magistrate, in case of misconduct or disobedience to or neglect of any of the provisions of this Act by a garden-sirdar, to cancel the certificate of such garden-sirdar.

Magistrate may cancel certificate.

22. Every native of India, who enters into an engagement with a garden-sirdar to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall appear with the garden-sirdar before the magistrate of the district or of the division of the district within which the engagement was made, or through which he shall first pass on the road to his destination. The garden-sirdar shall at the same time produce his certificate to the Magistrate.

Every native to appear before magistrate before removal from district.

23. On the appearance of such native the magistrate shall examine him with reference to his engagement; and, if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register, in a book to be kept for the purpose, the following particulars, viz.—

Magistrate to examine native, and if the examination is satisfactory, to register particulars;

(1)—The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2)—The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3)—The labor district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(4)—The period of service;

(5)—The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

Provided that the magistrate may, if he thinks fit, require such native to appear before such medical officer as he may direct, and may refuse to register such native, unless the medical officer certifies in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor district.

but may require medical certificate.

Magistrate, &c., may refuse to register.

24. If the magistrate finds that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the garden-sirdar shall not have produced his certificate, he shall refuse to register such native.

Fee to be paid for registration.

25. For the registration of every such native the garden-sirdar shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Contract to be executed in duplicate and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by the magistrate;

26. When such registration has been made, the emigrant shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract. Such contract shall, in the presence of the magistrate, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the magistrate for the purpose; and after such abstract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant and the other to the garden-sirdar.

and copy to be sent to superintendent and magistrate

The magistrate shall forward a certified copy of every such abstract so entered as aforesaid to the superintendent of emigration, by whom it shall be forwarded, after entry in his own register, to the magistrate of the district within which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

27. The provisions of the six last preceding sections shall be applicable to natives of India engaged by a garden-sirdar within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall appear for registration and execution of contract before the superintendent of emigration.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

28. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any garden-sirdar from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract to proceed to the labor districts to labor therein for hire, shall be presented by the garden-sirdar for registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the said Lieutenant-Governor into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Garden-sirdar must personally accompany emigrants

29. The garden-sirdar shall personally accompany natives of India engaged by him throughout their journey from the place in which the engagement was made to the place in which they are to be employed.

Garden-sirdar cannot proceed with more than twenty emigrants in one batch.

30. It shall not be lawful for two or more garden-sirdars to proceed together towards a labor-district accompanied by emigrants, if the total number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, or unless the permission of the superintendent of emigration or embarkation agent shall have been first obtained.

Garden-sirdar must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

31. Every garden-sirdar, by whom any emigrant is accompanied, shall provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging throughout such journey. If it shall appear to any magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant, at any place on the journey that he has suffered any ill-treatment during the journey or that the garden-sirdar has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging; or if it be found on examination by a medical officer appointed by a magistrate for such purpose, that any such emigrant is not in a fit state of health to proceed to or to labor in a labor-district; such magistrate may order the garden sirdar to pay to such emigrant a sum of money by way of compensation, or may cancel the contract and order the garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged.

If such not provided, or if emigrant unfit, magistrate may award compensation, or cancel contract.

Recovery of fines ordered to be paid by Magistrate.

32. If any garden-sirder, who may be ordered under the provisions of the last preceding section to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the emigrant named in such order, and to recover from his employer the sum so advanced with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Agent in Calcutta may procure order from superintendent of emigration cancelling the contract on payment of expense of return.

33. On the arrival in Calcutta of any emigrant whose contract has been executed by a garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer, any person empowered to act as the agent or representative of such employer may require the emigrant to appear before the superintendent of emigration for the purpose of cancelling the contract. The superintendent of emigration shall, on the appearance of such emigrant, declare that the contract is cancelled, if a sum of money sufficient for his support during his return to the place at which he was engaged, be paid to him before himself, and not otherwise, and shall make an endorsement to that effect on the contract, and shall attest it with his signature. Provided that the contract of any husband or wife or parent or child of such emigrant, who may have executed a contract at the same time with the same employer, shall be cancelled at the request of such person, and in such case an equal sum of money shall be paid to such person.

Not to embark emigrants on any vessel containing more than twenty persons without a pass from the embarkation agent.

34. It shall not be lawful for a garden-sirdar to embark any emigrants on board a vessel for conveyance to or towards a labor district, if the total number of persons to be carried by such vessel, exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying the emigrants, exceeds twenty, unless such emigrants are furnished with a pass by the embarkation agent in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act.

The embarkation agent shall not grant any such pass without a certificate from the medical inspector that such emigrants may be allowed to embark without danger to the health of other persons on board the vessel.

Pass not to be granted unless medical inspector is satisfied in regard to health.

35. As soon as possible after the arrival of the garden-sirdar with emigrants at the place of disembarkation, or at the nearest civil station in the district within which the emigrant has engaged to labor, the garden-sirdar shall report himself to the magistrate of the district or division of the district or to any subordinate magistrate whom the magistrate may depute for that purpose, and such magistrate shall check the number of emigrants landed with the number of those registered, and shall report to the superintendent of emigration any deaths which may have occurred on the journey. Any garden-sirdar who neglects to report himself as aforesaid shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Must report arrival in labor district.

Chapter 4.—Contractor.

36. The license granted to a contractor under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in the schedule (C) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding one hundred rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a contractor, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Form of license. Fee. Period.

37. It shall be the duty of every contractor to afford such information to the superintendent of emigration, and to make such returns and reports to him as the superintendent, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may from time to time require.

To give information to superintendent.

38. Every contractor shall forthwith, upon obtaining his license, establish a depôt in a place to be approved of by the superintendent of emigration. Every such depôt shall be maintained by such contractor for the reception of natives of India to be supplied or forwarded by or through him. All such natives shall on their arrival at or in the neighbourhood of the depôt so established by the contractor, by, through, to, or for whom they were engaged or forwarded, be forthwith received therein; and shall receive in such depôt, at the expense of such contractor, suitable lodging, food, clothing, and medical attendance, until such native shall be declared by the superintendent to be no longer thereto entitled. Every such depôt as aforesaid shall be under the supervision of the superintendent, and shall be open to his inspection and the inspection of the medical inspector at all times.

To establish and maintain depôts.

39. A contractor may without other license act as a recruiter, and shall in such case be subject to all the provisions hereinafter contained with regard to recruiters.

May act as recruiter.

40. In addition to the depôts for the reception of emigrants which the contractors are required to establish and maintain, the Lieutenant-Governor may at any time direct that a separate depôt shall be established and maintained at any place for the reception of emigrants who are affected with cholera or other contagious disease. Whenever such hospital depôt is established, every contractor may be required to contribute to the expense of establishing and maintaining it in such proportion as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct. Such hospital depôt shall be under the charge of the medical inspector, who shall be competent at any time to direct the transfer thereto of any emigrants on or after their arrival at any depôt.

Establishment of hospital depôt. Contractor to contribute to expense. Under charge of medical inspector.

Chapter 5.—Recruiter.

41. The license granted to a recruiter under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in schedule (D) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding sixteen rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a recruiter, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Form of license. Fee. Period.

42. Every recruiter shall hold a written pass signed by the contractor on whose behalf he is licensed to act.

Recruiter must hold a pass.

43. A recruiter shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant until his license has been countersigned by the magistrate of the district, or of the division of the district, or in Calcutta, until his license has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta; and such magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police shall, unless it appears to him that the person to whom a license has been granted is unfit to be employed as a recruiter, countersign such license.

No authority till license is countersigned by magistrate of recruiting district.

The magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police may at any time for any sufficient reason withdraw such license, provided that in any such case he shall record his reasons in writing, and shall forward a copy thereof without delay to the superintendent of emigration.

Magistrate may withdraw license and suspend recruiting.

44. The magistrate or the commissioner or deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta, to whom any recruiter's license shall have been exhibited for countersignature, shall not countersign the same until he shall be satisfied that sufficient accommodation

Recruiter to provide accommodation for natives before license is countersigned.

has been provided and is available for such natives of India as may be engaged by such recruiter pending their removal to a depôt.

Magistrate charged with superintendence of accommodation.

The magistrate of the district, or division of the district, in which there may be any such accommodation provided, shall have, for the supervision, management, and regulation of such accommodation, all such and the same powers and authorities as are vested in the superintendent of emigration for the supervision, management, and regulation of depôts which are subject to the powers and authority of the superintendent.

Native to be taken for examination to medical officer, who may reject.

45. Every native of India who shall, in any place or town within the said provinces, enter into any engagement with any recruiter to proceed to a labor district, for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall be brought by such recruiter before such medical officer as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time appoint to examine such natives within such place or town; or, if no such officer has been appointed, before such medical officer as the magistrate may direct. The medical officer shall thereupon examine the native brought by the recruiter, and shall reject him or shall certify in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and work for hire in a labor district.

If certified to be fit, native to be taken to magistrate.

46. Every such native who is certified by the medical officer, as required in the last preceding section, to be fit to emigrate to a labor district, shall thereupon appear with the recruiter before the magistrate of the district or division of the district within which the place or town where the engagement was entered into is situate. The recruiter shall at the same time produce his license to the magistrate.

Magistrate to examine native respecting the engagement.

On the appearance of such native the magistrate, after inspecting the medical certificate, shall examine him with reference to his engagement, and if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register in a book to be kept for the purpose—

If satisfied, magistrate will register certain particulars.

(1.) The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2.) The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3.) The contractor's depôt to which it is intended that he shall proceed;

(4.) The labor district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(5.) The period of service;

(6.) The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

If dissatisfied, will reject.

If the magistrate thinks that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the recruiter shall not have produced his license, he shall refuse to register such native.

Copy of registration to be given to emigrant.

47. A certified copy of his registration, written on substantial paper, shall be furnished by the magistrate to each emigrant.

Copy of registration and medical certificate to be sent to superintendent.

48. A certified copy of every such registration and the original certificate of the medical officer shall be forthwith forwarded by the magistrate to the superintendent of emigration.

Fee for registration.

49. For the registration of every such native the recruiter shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

50. The provisions of the five preceding sections shall be applicable to all natives of India engaged by recruiters within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall be brought for registration before the superintendent of emigration therein.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

51. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any recruiter from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract in a district under such control, shall be presented by the recruiter for medical examination and registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Penalty for forwarding natives without registration.

52. Every recruiter, who forwards or accompanies any native of India from the district or division of the district within which the place or town where he has been recruited, is situate, or into which, under the last preceding section, he has first come, or who induces any such native to leave such district or division of district for the purpose of proceeding to a labor district, without being duly registered as above required; or who forwards, accompanies, or induces any such nativ to proceed to any depôt other than the depôt registered under section 38, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished in respect of every such native so forwarded, accompanied, or induced, with a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to one month.

Recruiter must accompany emigrants to depôt, or depute person approved by magistrate.

53. All emigrants proceeding to a depôt shall be accompanied throughout the journey by the recruiter himself, or by a competent person appointed by him with the approval of the magistrate, by whom such emigrants have been registered. The magistrate shall give to the person so appointed a certificate under his signature stating that he has been appointed for the journey to the depôt.

Recruiter must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

54. Every recruiter, by whom any emigrant is forwarded or accompanied to a depôt, shall, throughout the journey, provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging. If it shall appear to a

magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant at any place on the journey, that the recruiter has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging at such place, such recruiter shall, on conviction by such magistrate, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees. The whole or any portion of such fine may be awarded to such emigrant as compensation. If the fine be not paid within twenty-four hours, the recruiter shall be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to one month.

Chapter 6.—Depôt.

Contractor to report arrival of emigrants.

55. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival at any depôt of any emigrant, the contractor by whom such depôt is maintained shall give to the superintendent of emigration a notice in writing of such arrival, which notice shall be in such form and shall contain such particulars as the superintendent shall prescribe.

Emigrants to be inspected by medical inspector immediately on arrival.

56. The copy of the registration and the medical certificate of every emigrant received by the superintendent as provided in section 48 shall be shown to the medical inspector; and all emigrants shall be inspected by the medical inspector at the depôt. If he be satisfied that an emigrant is in a fit state of health, and able in point of physical condition to journey to and labor in a labor-district, he shall countersign the copy of the registration; if he be not satisfied thereof, he shall give a certificate to that effect to the superintendent.

Medical inspector to examine emigrant if medical certificate not given.

The medical inspector shall examine any emigrant in regard to whom a medical certificate is not forthcoming, and shall certify whether such emigrant is in his opinion in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor-district; and if satisfied of his fitness, he shall countersign the copy of the registration.

Emigrant rejected by medical inspector to be sent back.

57. If the medical inspector shall certify that any emigrant so examined is in such a state of health that his journey to a labor-district would be dangerous to himself or to others, or that he is unfit for labor in a labor-district, the superintendent may order the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, if such emigrant has been forwarded or brought to the depôt by a garden-sirdar, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged. Provided that any such person, who from his state of health is, in the opinion of the medical inspector, unfit to undertake the journey back to the place where he was engaged. shall, until he is reported by the medical inspector fit to undertake such journey, be fed, clothed, lodged, and medically attended at the expense of such contractor, or of such garden-sirdar, as the case may be. If such contractor or garden-sirdar negligently or wilfully omits to provide food, clothing, lodging and medical attendance for such person, the superintendent may order such contractor or garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

58. Whenever an emigrant remains behind or is detained under the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so remaining behind or detained. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain behind with the father or mother.

Emigrant ill-treated during journey may obtain compensation.

59. If upon the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, it shall appear to the superintendent of emigration on the complaint of such emigrant, that he has suffered any ill treatment on the journey or that the recruiter or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging, the superintendent may cause him to be removed from the depôt, and may order the contractor or garden-sirdar, for or by whom he shall have been taken to such depôt, to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation, or sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged, and in such latter case he shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Contract to be explained by superintendent and executed in duplicate, and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by superintendent.

60. Every emigrant, who is passed by the medical inspector as in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and labor in a labor-district, shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract before he is forwarded from the depôt. Such contract shall, in the presence of the superintendent of emigration, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the employer with whom he intends to contract or his agent. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. Before the emigrant signs the contract, the superintendent shall personally explain it to him, and shall attest such contract and certify at the foot thereof that he has personally explained the same. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the superintendent for the purpose, and after such contract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant, and the other to the person with whom he has contracted or his agent.

The superintendent shall, within seven days after the entry of such abstract, send by post a certified copy of every such abstract to the magistrate of the district in which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Penalty on emigrant refusing to execute contract.

61. Any emigrant who, without reasonable cause, refuses to execute such contract in conformity with the engagement previously registered shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punished with a fine equal in amount to the entire cost incurred by, or on behalf of, the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, in engaging, registering, and bringing or forwarding him to the depôt, and shall forthwith be discharged from such depôt. Every fine levied under the provisions of this section shall be paid to the

contractor or garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom the person from whom such fine shall have been levied was originally registered.

Penalty on contractor failing to provide contract.

62. If within thirty days after the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, the contractor or, if he has been engaged by a garden-sirdar, the garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom such emigrant has been registered, shall not tender to him for execution such contract as under the provisions of the preceding sections he would be bound to execute, the superintendent may order the contractor or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place where he was engaged, and in such case such emigrant shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Money ordered to be paid by superintendent, may be advanced by him and recovered.

63. If any contractor or garden-sirdar who may be ordered, under the provisions of sections 57, 59, and 62, to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the superintendent to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the person named in such order, and to recover from such contractor or garden-sirdar or his employer the sum so advanced, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Chapter 7.—Transport.

Transport rules when applicable.

64. The provisions of this chapter excepting sections 70, 79, 80, 81, 82, and so much of section 97 as refers to sections 29, 31, 32, and 33, shall not apply to the transport of emigrants recruited by a garden-sirdar when the number of such emigrants does not exceed twenty, unless they have embarked under a pass from the embarkation agent in accordance with the provisions of section 34.

Emigrant to be forwarded to labor-district with permission of superintendent.

65. When the contract of any emigrant has been duly executed, he may, with the permission of the superintendent of emigration, be forwarded to the labor-district in which he has engaged to labor by the contractor in whose depôt he is residing, or by the employer with whom he has made the contract or his agent.

To be furnished with a pass.

Every such emigrant shall be furnished with a pass in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act, signed by the contractor or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and countersigned by the superintendent of emigration and by the embarkation agent at the place at which the laborer embarks, specifying his name and age, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer. Every such pass shall be entered in a book to be kept by the embarkation agent, and shall be dated and numbered in a consecutive series.

Vessel must be licensed to carry emigrants.

66. It shall not be lawful for the master of any vessel, without a license granted by the embarkation agent within the local limits of whose authority any emigrant may embark, to convey more than twenty emigrants at any one time to or towards any labor-district; provided always that the number of persons (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) carried by any vessel shall not exceed twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34.

Fee for license.

A fee not exceeding four annas for every emigrant shall be paid for every such license, and it shall be in the discretion of the embarkation agent to whom application is made to grant or withhold any such license. Such license shall be in force for only one voyage to one or more of the labor-districts, and shall specify the number of emigrants which the vessel is licensed to carry and the number of persons (including the crew) other than emigrants whom such vessel is licensed to carry.

Penalty for carrying without license.

The master of any vessel, in which at one time more than twenty emigrants are conveyed without a license having been obtained as aforesaid, or in which the number of persons on board (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for delay in despatching vessel.

67. Such license shall state the date on which the vessel shall leave the place at which the emigrants are to embark. If the vessel does not leave such place and proceed on its voyage within 24 hours of the day fixed, the master thereof shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each day during which the vessel remains at or within five miles of the place of embarkation. Provided that such penalty shall not be incurred if the delay is caused by or with the sanction of the embarkation agent or by any casualty incidental to or attending navigation, or is due to other reasonable and sufficient cause.

Fraudulent alteration of vessel after grant of certificate.

68. If the master of any vessel, after having obtained a license as aforesaid, fraudulently does or suffers to be done any act or thing whereby the state of the vessel is altered, so that such vessel is unfit for the accommodation of the number of emigrants mentioned in such license, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for receiving on board more passengers than number specified in license.

69. The master of any vessel licensed to carry emigrants, who receives on board his vessel a greater number of emigrants or other persons than the number specified in his license shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every emigrant or other person so received in excess of the licensed number.

Two children under ten to be counted as one person.

70. In computing under this Act the number of persons on board of any vessel, two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

No emigrant to be received on board without pass.

71. The master of any vessel, whether licensed or not, shall not take on board any emigrant, if the number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, unless such emigrant, or some person accompanying him, shall show the pass prescribed by section 65 countersigned by the embarkation agent; or if the

number of persons to be carried by such vessel (exclusive of the crew or of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34. The master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine not exceeding ten rupees for every emigrant illegally taken on board.

Embarkation agent to furnish the master with a list of emigrants on board.

72. The master of a licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall not proceed on the voyage towards a labor-district until he has received from the embarkation agent a list of all the emigrants on board.

List what to contain.

Such list shall contain all the particulars noted in the pass of each such emigrant; but if all the emigrants whose names are entered in any one pass embark on board the same vessel, it shall be sufficient if the number and date of such pass are noted in the list.

To be compared with emigrants by agent and master.

The embarkation agent and the master of the vessel shall together personally ascertain that the number of emigrants on board corresponds with the number entered in such list.

Penalty for admitting emigrants not in list.

If the master of such vessel allows any emigrant not entered in such list to proceed in the vessel, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Copy of list to be sent to magistrate.

The embarkation agent shall send a copy of the said list or an extract from it to the magistrate of the labor-district to which any of the emigrants are proceeding.

Provisions, medical and other stores, medical officers, cooks, &c.

73. There shall be laden under the supervision of the embarkation agent on board of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants to or towards any labor-district, at the time of the embarkation of such emigrants, such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required under the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act.

Penalty if master proceeds without.

The master of any such vessel who shall commence the voyage without having on board such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Vessel carrying 200 emigrants must carry a qualified medical officer.

74. No vessel carrying two hundred emigrants shall be allowed to proceed on the voyage unless a medical officer, who is a licentiate in medicine, or who is declared to be qualified for such charge by order of the Lieutenant-Governor, has been appointed to the charge of such emigrants. And any master who shall commence the voyage without having on board such medical officer as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, and, in default of payment, imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

Emigrant not allowed finally to leave vessel at any place other than that mentioned in pass.

75. If the master of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall, save as hereinafter is provided, cause or permit any emigrant finally to leave such vessel at any place other than that named as the destination of such emigrant in his pass, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each such offence. Provided always that this section shall not be deemed to prevent the master of any vessel from permitting emigrants to disembark at any place or places on the voyage so long as such disembarkation is not intended or known to be likely to be final; nor to prevent the final disembarkation of any emigrants in case of accident or other unavoidable necessity, if such accident or necessity be forthwith reported to the embarkation agent by whom the license of such vessel was granted, and to the nearest magistrate in the district within which such accident may occur or necessity arise.

Master to report arrival of emigrants at every intermediate station where there is a magistrate.

76. Every licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall stop at every place in which a magistrate is stationed, intermediate between the places of embarkation and disembarkation of such emigrants, and shall remain during not less than six hours of daylight. The master of every such vessel shall immediately on arrival report to the magistrate, or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 94, the number of emigrants on board, the general state of their health, and the number of deaths (if any) which have occurred among the persons who embarked on such vessel.

Any master who wilfully omits to comply with the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may at any time inspect vessel.

77. A magistrate may at any time go on board of any such licensed vessel carrying emigrants while within the limits of his jurisdiction, and may inspect the vessel, the emigrants, and all persons on board.

Master bound to give all information required.

The master and officers of such vessel shall be bound to afford to such magistrate all reasonable facility for such inspection, and to give him all such information respecting the emigrants or other persons on board as may be reasonably required, and respecting any deaths which may have occurred on board, and respecting any other facts which may affect the health of the emigrants.

Penalty for omission.

Any master or other officer, who wilfully omits to give any such information to such magistrate, shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may regulate communication between vessel and land.

78. On the arrival of such vessel, or at any time while it is within the limits of his jurisdiction, the magistrate may regulate the communication between such vessel and the land, and may prohibit all persons from leaving the vessel and all persons on land

from proceeding on board. And any person not complying with any order made under this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may detain vessel for inspection and for removal of disease, and may detain sick emigrants.

79. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that any emigrants on board any vessel within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such vessel, and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants on board such vessel, and to report on their health, and whether any or what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease. After the submission of such report the magistrate may detain the vessel for a further period not exceeding five days for the purpose of carrying out such measures, if any, recommended by the medical officer in his report, and he may further detain at such station for medical treatment any emigrant who is affected with any infectious or contagious disease.

Magistrate may detain emigrants proceeding by land.

80. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that a party of emigrants proceeding by land within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such party and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants and to report on their health, and whether any and what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease, and the magistrate may further detain for medical treatment such party or such emigrants of the party as are affected with any infectious or contagious disease for such period as the medical officer may certify to be requisite.

Magistrate may detain sick emigrants,

81. If in any case whatever it appears to a magistrate expedient that any emigrant, in consequence of ill health, should not be allowed to proceed towards a labor district, he may order the detention of such emigrant; and in such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant.

and shall arrange for their accommodation and treatment.

Expenses how to be recovered.

82. All expenses incurred under sections 79, 80, or 81, by a magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the contractor by whom the emigrant has been engaged or forwarded; or in the case of an emigrant engaged by a garden-sirdar, from the employer from whom such garden-sirdar received his certificate.

Measures to be taken if excess number of emigrants is found on board.

83. If it appears to a magistrate making an inspection of any licensed vessel that the number of emigrants on board is larger than the number specified in the license, he may remove the excess number and detain them until another opportunity of forwarding them to their destination is found. The necessary expense of maintaining such emigrants, and of conveying them to their destination, shall be recoverable by such magistrate or other officer who may have been deputed as aforesaid from the master of such vessel.

Infraction of the Act and rules to be reported.

84. In any case in which, on making an inspection of a licensed vessel, a magistrate shall find that any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act have not been complied with, he shall report the same to the embarkation agent by whom the license to carry the emigrants was granted to such vessel;

Vessel may be detained.

and, if the circumstances of the case are such as in such magistrate's opinion make it necessary so to do, he may detain the vessel until the provisions of this Act, or any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor as aforesaid, have been complied with, so far as to make it possible for the voyage to be further prosecuted with safety and reasonable comfort to the emigrants.

On arrival of licensed vessel at the place of disembarkation, the master shall give information to the magistrate.

85. Whenever any licensed vessel carrying emigrants arrives at a civil station at which it is intended that any of such emigrants shall disembark, the master shall immediately give notice of the arrival to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, and shall forward to him at the same time the list furnished to him by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72, or a copy of so much of the said list as relates to the emigrants who are to disembark. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate.

Magistrate shall send information to employer or agent,

Immediately on the receipt of such notice the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. And he shall at the same time direct the civil medical officer of the station, or other qualified medical officer, to go on board such vessel and to inspect such emigrants.

and direct medical inspection.

Report of medical inspection.

Such medical officer shall, without delay, make a careful inspection of all such emigrants; and, after making such inspection, shall prepare and sign a report, in which he shall certify the state of health and general condition of each emigrant so inspected.

Sick emigrants to be detained at station.

86. The magistrate shall detain at the station for medical treatment any emigrant who is, in the opinion of the medical officer, in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the place at which he has contracted to labor. In such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant, and all expenses so incurred by the magistrate in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrant has contracted.

If necessary provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants, they shall be made over to employer or agent.

87. The magistrate shall also ascertain whether reasonable provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination. If he is satisfied that such reasonable provision has been made, the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted or his agent shall forthwith take charge of such emigrants except those, if any, detained under the provisions of the last preceding section. But if such reasonable provision has not been made, or if the employer or his agent shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, the magistrate shall order such arrangements to be made, and incur such expenses as under the circumstances may seem to him necessary; and the amount of expenses so incurred by him in the disembarkation, or in respect of the food, lodging, medicines, hospital attendance, or clothing of the laborers, shall, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted.

If not made, or if employer or agent not present, magistrate to make arrangements;

expenses recoverable from employers.

If emigrants are to disembark at a place other than a civil station, medical inspection to be made at the civil station last preceding.

88. If it is intended that the emigrants on board of any licensed vessel shall disembark at a place which is not a civil station, the master of such vessel shall report the arrival, as required in section 85, to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, at the last civil station which such vessel shall pass before arriving at the said place of disembarkation, and shall not proceed on his voyage until the medical inspection of such emigrants has been made as provided in the said section. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate. Immediately on the receipt of such notice, the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. When such inspection has been made, the magistrate shall, without delay, authorize the master to proceed on his voyage, provided that he may, if he thinks fit, detain any emigrant who is unfit to proceed under the provisions of section 81.

Disembarkation at such place.

89. On the arrival of any licensed vessel at a place of disembarkation which is not a civil station, the emigrants who are to disembark at such place shall, in case the employers with whom they have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, be present, be disembarked and given in charge to such employers or agents. Provided that in case the medical officer in charge of such emigrants, if there be any such medical officer, and if there be not, then the master of the vessel in which such emigrants have been conveyed, shall be of opinion that any of such emigrants are in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the places where they have respectively contracted to labor, or that reasonable provision for the support and lodging of such emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination has not been made, or in case the employers with whom such emigrants have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, then and in every such case the emigrants so unfit to proceed, or for whose support reasonable provision has not been made, or whose employers may not be present personally or by their agents, shall be further conveyed in the vessel to the next civil station, and shall be there disembarked, and the place at which they shall be so disembarked shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be their place of disembarkation.

If necessary provision not made, emigrants to be carried on to next station.

90. Whenever an emigrant is detained under the provisions of sections 81, 86, or 88, or is further conveyed under the provisions of section 89, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so detained, or to be taken forward along with the emigrant so further conveyed. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain, or be taken forward with the father or mother.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

91. Every medical officer who is required to make a report under the provisions of this chapter, shall submit such report to the magistrate, and shall enter therein the name and age of each emigrant, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer, as set forth in the list prepared by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72.

Particulars to be entered in the reports of medical officers.

92. The magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, shall make a detailed report to the superintendent of emigration, of the arrival of all emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, and of all proceedings taken and orders passed by him under the provisions of this chapter, and shall forward with such report a copy of every report made to him by a medical officer relating to emigrants proceeding to a labor-district. He shall also forward to the superintendent any observations which he or the medical officer may think fit to make in regard to the state of health and general condition of the emigrants. Whenever such reports or observations relate to emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, he shall forward them to the embarkation agent by whom such emigrants were despatched, and the agent shall transmit them to the superintendent with any remarks which he may desire to record.

Magistrate to report arrival of all emigrants, and all proceedings, to the superintendent of emigration;

in certain cases through the embarkation agent.

93. The magistrate of a district, or of a division of a district, may depute any subordinate magistrate to exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on a magistrate under the provisions of sections 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 83, 84, 85, 86, 88, and 92.

Magistrate may depute a subordinate magistrate to discharge the functions of the magistrate.

94. Every master of a vessel, or medical officer in charge of emigrants on board of any vessel carrying emigrants, who shall wilfully and knowingly neglect or refuse to obey or to enforce on board of such vessel any rule which may from time to time be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty, if master or medical officer neglects to enforce rules.

95. Any offence against any of the provisions of this chapter, or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act, committed on board of any vessel, may be tried by any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in any place at which emigrants may have embarked on board such vessel, or may have disembarked from such vessel, or in any place in which such vessel may be detained under the provisions of this Act.

Jurisdiction, if offence created by this Act is committed on board.

96. Any emigrant who deserts while in transit from the district in which he has been registered to the district in which he has engaged to labor may, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a period which may extend to three months. Such offence may be inquired into and tried in the district in which such emigrant is apprehended, or in the district in which the desertion took place, or in the district in which he was registered.

Punishment of emigrant for desertion.

97. The provisions with regard to engaged natives of India and emigrants contained in sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, and 88 of this Act, shall be applicable to such women, children, and aged relatives of such natives and emigrants as may, with the consent of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and with the written permission of the registering magistrate or superintendent, accompany them without having entered into an engagement.

Provisions of sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, 88 to apply to children, &c., accompanying emigrants.

PART III.—LABOR DISTRICTS.

Chapter 8.—Inland Labor Transport Fund.

98. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time, by order published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, fix a yearly rate, not exceeding one rupee and eight annas per laborer, for the purpose of defraying the expense of carrying out the purposes of this Act; and the sum or rate so fixed shall be paid half-yearly by each employer on the last day of July and the last day of January in each year for each laborer entered in the last return of laborers furnished (as is hereinafter provided) by such employer before such date.

Annual rate payable by employers.

99. If any employer shall fail to comply with the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to notify such default to him; and if within one month from the receipt of such notification, or such longer period as it may, under special circumstances, appear to the magistrate reasonable, such employer shall not so comply, the magistrate shall, by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer, levy the sum so payable.

Payment of rate how to be enforced.

If there shall be no such moveable property, or insufficient moveable property so found, the amount shall be recoverable by a civil regular suit from the person for whose benefit the laborers in respect of whom the same may be payable shall have been employed. In every such suit the Government shall be named as plaintiff, and the cause of action shall be taken to have arisen within the limits of the jurisdiction of any court having jurisdiction at any place where any such laborers may have been employed by such employer.

100. Subject to the powers conferred on a magistrate by this Act or by the Code of Criminal Procedure, of awarding fines in whole or in part as compensation to or for the benefit of any complainant or other person, all fines, fees, and rates levied and paid under this Act shall be credited to a fund which shall be called the "Inland Labor Transport Fund," and such fund shall be at the disposal of the Lieutenant-Governor for defraying the expenses of carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Fines, fees, and rates to be credited to "Inland Labor Transport Fund."

Chapter 9.—Inspector's Returns and Magistrates' Inspections.

101. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint in any labor district so many inspectors and assistant inspectors of laborers as he may think proper, and may define, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the local limits within which each such inspector and assistant inspector shall exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on him by this Act. Such inspectors and assistant inspectors may be by the said Lieutenant-Governor vested with all or any of the powers of a magistrate.

Appointment of inspectors and assistant inspectors.

102. The Lieutenant-Governor may authorize inspectors and assistant inspectors to entertain such establishment as he may think fit. An assistant inspector shall perform all such duties and exercise all such powers of an inspector as he is authorized in writing by the inspector to perform or exercise.

Establishment.

Duty of assistant inspector.

103. Every employer shall, on or before the last day of January and the last day of July in each and every year, make out in writing, and deliver to the inspector of laborers, a return of the number of all laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed by such employer on the last day of the preceding month, and return of the sickness and mortality among the laborers during the preceding six months.

Half-yearly report of laborers employed, of their state of health, and of mortality.

104. If any employer shall refuse or wilfully omit duly to send in any such return, or shall knowingly send in an incorrect return, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for omission to furnish such report or for submitting false report.

ery inspector of laborers shall once within each of such periods as may be fixed for such purpose by the Lieutenant-Governor, visit all lands limits of his authority on which there ployed any laborers, and inspect every ent, camp, or building in any way used uch laborers, and investigate the condi- e laborers employed; and for such purpose ctor may require that any laborer shall be before him with his contract, and may ch inquiries as may to him seem proper. ch inspector shall keep books, in which from time to time shall be entered the number of laborers then under contract ch employer, the number who shall then or missing, or who shall have complained eatment, the particulars of such complaints, ch other particulars regarding the laborers as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time

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Each inspector shall annually make a report to the Lieutenant-Governor through mmissioner of the division of the aforesaid lars; and every such report, as regards the laborers under any particular employer, shall, at all reasonable times, be o the inspection of such employer or any by him appointed in writing in that behalf, person so inspecting shall be entitled to copy of the report so far as it relates to borers.

enort open to by employer.

It shall be lawful for any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in the district, or any person authorized by him in writing in that behalf, at any o enter and inspect any hospital, tent, camp, ilding, wholly or partially used by or for ers, and to require that any laborer shall be ht before him with his contract, and to any inquiries which he may think proper ing the condition or treatment of any er.

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any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, wilfully obstructs or impedes any entry, inspection, or ry, made under either of the two preceding ns, such employer or other person as aforeshall, on conviction by a magistrate, be hed with fine not exceeding five hundred for each such offence.

alty for obstructing tion or inquiry.

Chapter 10.—*Regulation of Labor.*

Every employer shall from time to time, with the sanction of the inspector previously obtained, fix the daily tasks xecuted by the laborers employed by such er, and shall frame a schedule of such daily and publish the same by posting a copy in the Bengali language upon the door of ce of payment of the laborers employed employer, and by sending a copy thereof nglish language to the inspector.

e of daily tasks med.

108. No laborer shall be bound to work under his contract more than six days in one week, or more than six hours consecutively, or more than nine hours on any one day.

Maximum amount of labor.

109. If at any time the inspector considers such schedule of daily tasks or any part thereof to be unreasonable, he shall refer the consideration of such schedule to a committee consisting of the inspector, of some employer to be nominated by him, and of some person to be nominated by the employer whose schedule is to be considered, or on his default by the inspector.

Inspector may submit schedule to a committee.

110. In case the said committee or the majority in number thereof are of opinion that the daily tasks in such schedule contained, or any of them, unreasonable, they shall modify and reduce such daily tasks in such manner as they shall deem reasonable, and such schedule so modified shall be published in manner aforesaid, and every schedule published as aforesaid shall have effect as between the employer and laborers in substitution for any former schedule.

Committee to revise schedule.

Chapter 11.—*Incapacity for Labor.*

111. It shall be lawful for the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority any laborer may be employed, to suspend, for such period as he shall consider advisable, the contract of such laborer, or any particular term thereof, if such laborer shall be, in the judgment of such inspector, temporarily unfitted for the performance thereof by reason of sickness, pregnancy, or other sufficient cause. Provided that every such suspension shall be endorsed by the inspector on the contract. Provided also that every such laborer shall, during such incapacity, receive such subsistence money from his employer as shall be considered sufficient by the inspector, and that the time during which the suspension continues shall not be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve.

Inspector may suspend contract of any laborer temporarily unfitted for labor.

112. If it shall be found that any laborer has been compelled to perform any species of labor for which he was at the time unfit, the employer by whom he was so employed shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for compelling laborer to perform work for which he is unfit.

113. If, in the opinion of the inspector of laborers, any laborer shall be permanently incapacitated for the performance of his contract or any material part thereof, the inspector shall certify to that effect in writing, and deliver such certificate to the employer of such laborer or some one on his behalf, and from the date of such certificate the contract of such laborer shall wholly cease and determine. The inspector shall make a return of all such cases of determination of contract in his report under section 105. Every laborer whose contract shall have been determined as aforesaid, shall be entitled to receive from his employer such sum, not exceeding three months' wages, as the inspector may award, and such sum shall be recoverable before a magistrate in the manner hereinafter provided for the recovery of wages.

Discharge of laborers permanently incapacitated.

Chapter 12.—Necessary Provision for Laborers.

Sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, and sanitary arrangements to be provided.

114. Whenever any laborers shall be employed in any labor district, the employer of such laborers shall be bound to provide for them sufficient and proper house accommodation, water supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice.

Hospital, medicines, &c., to be provided.

115. Every employer shall be bound to provide for his laborers such sufficient hospital accommodation, and such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor; and if three hundred or more laborers shall be employed by any employer, it shall be the duty of such employer to place in medical charge of such laborers a medical officer holding a medical diploma as licentiate in medicine, from some Indian or European collegiate institution authorized to grant diplomas, or an officer for the time being licensed by the local Government to act in such medical charge of laborers.

Inquiry whether employer has failed to provide as required by the rules.

116. It shall be lawful for any inspector or assistant inspector who is himself a magistrate, to institute within his jurisdiction, on the lands in charge of any employer, or at some place within his jurisdiction not more than ten miles distant from such lands, an inquiry whether such employer has provided for his laborers sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice. On the complaint of any inspector or assistant inspector a similar inquiry may be made by a magistrate.

Punishment for gross neglect as to house accommodation, &c., and for wilfully omitting to comply with the order of the magistrate in such respect.

117. If the employer is convicted of gross neglect in not having provided sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, such employer shall be punished with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees. In any case where a magistrate shall find that proper or sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, has not been provided, he may order the employer to provide such proper and sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice. If the employer wilfully omits to comply with such order, he shall, on conviction, be punished with a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees a day for every day that such omission continues. In default of payment by the employer of the last mentioned fine, the person on whose account such employer has been acting shall be liable to pay the fine.

Penalty for failure to provide hospital accommodation, &c.

118. Wherever such sufficient hospital accommodation or such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, or such medical officer as aforesaid, shall not have been provided, the employer or other person through whose wilful default the same shall not have been provided shall, on conviction by a magistrate, [illegible] with fine for every week during whic[illegible] default continues.

Chapter 13.—Localities unfit for the Re[illegible] Laborers.

Inspector to report.

119. If an inspector of laborers shal[illegible] time have reason t[illegible] that any estate or [illegible] of an estate situated within the limit[illegible] jurisdiction is by reason of climate, situ[illegible] condition unfit for the residence of l[illegible] he shall give notice in writing of his opi[illegible] the magistrate of the district, and such mag[illegible] shall forthwith summon a committee to inqu[illegible]

Magistrate to summon committee.

the fitness of such es[illegible] portion thereof for [illegible] sidence of laborers. [illegible] committee shall consist of the magistra[illegible] inspector of laborers, the medical officer [illegible] district, and one or more employers of la[illegible] when such persons are available. If the [illegible] trate is unable to procure the service o[illegible] committee of any employer of laborers he [illegible] with the sanction of the commissioner [illegible] division, appoint one or more persons wh[illegible] may deem qualified.

Proceedings of committee.

Such committee shall proceed, with a[illegible] delay as possible, to [illegible] into the healthiness [illegible] estate or portion the[illegible] which the order appointing the commit[illegible] reference, and shall hear such information [illegible] subject as the owner of the estate, o[illegible] employer or inspector, may desire to place b[illegible] it; and if such committee, or the major p[illegible] number thereof, shall be of opinion that [illegible] estate or any portion thereof be unfit fo[illegible]

If committee finds unfit, contract to be void as regards such locality.

residence of laborers [illegible] shall record a finding t[illegible] effect; and the contra[illegible] every laborer who shall [illegible] contracted to serve on such estate shall there[illegible] be void as regards such estate or portion of [illegible] as may be found unfit for the residence of lab[illegible]

Proviso as regards other localities.

Provided that every such contract shall con[illegible] valid with regard to [illegible] other portion of such [illegible] or to any other estate [illegible] same employer in the same district.

Lieutenant-Governor how to proceed if mortality in past year exceeds 7 per cent., or if the average of 3 years exceeds 5 per cent.

120. If it shall at any time appear th[illegible] number of laborers ([illegible] laborers defined by t[illegible] as others) who have [illegible] any estate or portio[illegible] estate during the p[illegible] twelve months, bears a larger proportio[illegible] whole number of laborers (as well laborers [illegible] by this Act as others) employed thereon durin[illegible] period than 7 per centum, or if the average [illegible] number of laborers (as well laborers defin[illegible] this Act as others) who have died on such [illegible] or portion thereof during the preceding [illegible] years bears a larger proportion to the [illegible] number of laborers (as well laborers de[illegible] this Act as others) employed thereon dur[illegible] period than 7 per centum, it shall b[illegible]

Lieutenant-Governor to direct the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inquire into and on the following matters :—

s to be inquired

The cause or causes of such mortality.

The want (if any) of due care or precau- and of the adoption of proper and available ry measures, on the part of the owner of estate or portion thereof or the employer, or contributing to such mortality.

The fitness or otherwise of such estate or thereof for the residence of laborers and asons thereof.

ch medical officer shall proceed with as little delay as possible, and shall hear and record such infor- n on the subject of the several matters said as the owner of such estate or portion of, or the employer, or inspector may desire ce before him, and shall visit and inspect estate or portion thereof, and shall make his expressing the reasons of his opinion and mit the same with the recorded information otes of his inspection of such estate or por- hereof to the Lieutenant-Governor.

cal officer to report.

the Lieutenant-Governor, after perusal and consideration of the said report, information, and notes, shall be of opinion that such mortality was caused want of due care or precaution and of tion of proper and available sanitary on the part of the owner of such estate or loyer, and that such estate or portion is unfit for the residence of laborers son of the want of due care or precaution, of the adoption of proper and available sani- measures on the part of the owner of such te or portion thereof or the employer, it shall awful for the Lieutenant-Governor to declare writing that such estate or portion thereof is it for the residence of laborers. Such declaration of the Lieutenant-Governor shall have the same effect as the finding of a mittee under the last preceding section.

ant-Governor estate unfit

ntracts to be void as rds that estate.

21. Every employer who shall cause or permit any laborer to reside upon any such estate or portion of an estate as under the provisions of either of two preceding sections may have been found e unfit for the residence of laborers, shall, on iction by a magistrate, be punished with fine. ided always that in case it shall appear to nspector that any such estate, or portion of tate, or any part of such portion, has become r the residence of laborers, he shall, with nction of the magistrate of the district, give his hand a certificate of such fitness, and nployer shall be liable to fine by reason of nusing or permitting laborers to reside in lace respecting which such certificate of fit- shall have been given.

nalty on employer itting laborer to reside cality declared to be

hapter 14.—*Offences committed by Laborers.*

22. Any laborer, who shall absent himself from his labor without sufficient cause, may, on conviction by a magistrate, be sentenced to lose all claims to wages or allowances during the period of such absence, and also to forfeit to his employer a sum not exceeding four annas for each day during which such absence shall be continued ; and in case such absence shall have exceeded seven days, or in case such laborer shall have been already convicted of the same offence within a period of three months, such laborer shall be furthermore sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for fourteen days.

nalty on laborer for ting himself without ent cause.

123. If any laborer deserts or attempts to desert from his employer's service, such employer or any other person acting in his behalf may, without first procuring a warrant, and without the assistance of any police officer (who, nevertheless, shall be bound to give such assistance if called upon to do so), apprehend such laborer wherever he may be found. Provided, nevertheless, that if such laborer be found in the service of another employer, he shall not be arrested without a warrant. Provided also that such employer or other person shall without delay give the said laborer in charge at the nearest police station, and there enter the charge upon which he shall have apprehended such laborer.

Deserting may be apprehended without warrant.

Any laborer so given in charge shall be conveyed, without delay, to the nearest magistrate; and, if the place from which such laborer is charged with having deserted, be within the jurisdiction of such magistrate, he shall himself adjudicate upon the charge; but if not, he shall forward the said laborer, under custody, to the magistrate within whose jurisdiction such place may be situated, who shall adjudicate upon such charge.

To be taken to nearest magistrate.

Every laborer who deserts from his employer's service shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with rigorous imprisonment which may extend to one month; and every laborer, who after having been convicted of desertion, shall again desert from his employer's service, shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with rigorous imprisonment for a period which may extend to two months; and every laborer who, after having been twice convicted of desertion shall again desert shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Punishment.

124. On the expiry of any sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, save as is provided in section 125, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to make over such laborer to any person appointed on the part of his employer to receive charge of him; and no conviction under this Act, or imprisonment under such conviction, shall, save as is provided in section 125, be held to operate as a release to any laborer from the terms of his contract. Provided, nevertheless, that the period of imprisonment shall in no case be prolonged by reason of their being no person present on the part of the employer to take charge of the laborer at the expiry to his sentence; but such laborer shall in that case be sent to the principal place of business of such employer, and the expense of such conveyance shall be levied from the employer in the manner provided in section 99.

Conviction not to operate as a release.

Cancellation of contract by desertion.

125. Whenever any laborer shall have actually suffered imprisonment amounting in the whole to six months for desertion from his employer's service, it shall be lawful for the inspector, and he is hereby required, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and every such cancellation shall be certified by the inspector on the back of the contract.

Portion of sentence may be cancelled on application of employer.

126. The employer, or any person authorized to act for the employer, of any laborer imprisoned for any offence under this Act, may apply to a magistrate, at any time previous to the expiry of such sentence, that such laborer be made over to him for the purpose of completing his contract; and such magistrate may, if he see good cause, make over or forward such laborer to his employer; and in that case such magistrate shall cancel the remainder of the sentence passed on him, and shall endorse on the contract of such laborer a memorandum signed by him of such cancellation.

Expense of restoring deserting laborer to be paid by employer.

127. Every employer who obtains an order for the return or forwarding of any laborer who has deserted, shall pay the expense incurred in such return or forwarding, and shall, before the order is issued, deposit with the magistrate such sum as such magistrate may in his discretion deem to be sufficient for defraying the expense of such return or forwarding.

Time of unlawful absence or imprisonment to be excluded from contract period.

128. The duration of every unlawful absence from labor, of which any laborer may be convicted, and every sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, shall be endorsed on the contract, at the time of its being passed, by the officer passing it; and no such period of imprisonment or unlawful absence so endorsed shall be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve, but such term shall extend to such further period as shall be equivalent to the aggregate amount of the imprisonment and unlawful absence so endorsed.

Other person enticing away, harbouring, or employing laborer under contract.

129. Any person who knowingly and wilfully entices away, harbours, or employs, or attempts to entice from his employment, any laborer, before such laborer shall have been lawfully released from his contract, shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with fine, the whole or any portion of which may be awarded to the employer of such laborer.

Chapter 15.—*Complaints made by Laborers.*

Employer to give notice to inspector if laborer wishes to complain of personal ill-usage or breach of contract.

130. If any laborer states to his employer, or to any person acting for such employer, that he desires to make a complaint to the inspector of laborers of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act on the part of such employer or other person, the person to whom such statement is made shall, within forty-eight hours, send notice thereof in writing to the inspector, and in default of so doing, such person shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Inspector how to proceed on receipt of notice, or if complaint is made to him, or if he has reason to believe that there is ground for a complaint.

131. Whenever any inspector of l receives such notice i ing as aforesaid, or wh any complaint of pe ill-usage or breach o provision of this Act as aforesaid, is made to by any laborer against his employer or any p acting for such employer, or whenever the in tor has other reaso grounds for believing any such personal ill or breach of any pro of this Act as aforesaid has been suffere laborer, such inspector shall forthwith, place in which such offence has been comm is not situated within the limits of his authority, give notice thereof in writing t inspector within the limits of whose auth such place is situated; and if such plac situated within the limits of his own autho then such inspector shall, so soon as convenie may be, proceed to some place not more than miles from the principal place of busines such employer, and make full inquiry into matter complained of.

Procedure. Penalty for obstructing service of, or disobedience to, summons.

132. For the purposes of such inquiry inspector may summon laborer and any witn any employer, or oth acting for or under ployer, in any way wilfully obstructs the se or obedience to, such summons; or if the la any witness summoned intentionally attend as required in such summons, he s conviction by a magistrate, be punished w

If complaint is untrue or frivolous.

133. If, upon such inquiry made on the plaint of a laborer, the spector is of opinion that complaint is untrue or fri lous, he shall enter in his book the particulars such complaint, and a short statement of grounds of his opinion respecting it, and sh dismiss the complaint, and in such case sh endorse on the employer's copy of the contract such complainant the number of days duri which such complainant has been absent fr work in consequence of such inquiry, and s number of days shall be added to the period of contract of such complainant.

If complaint is well founded.

134. If, upon inquiry as aforesaid, the insp tor is of opinion that t complaint is well-founded, shall, if himself a magistr dispose of the case according to due course of If the inspector shall not be a magistrate, shall without delay send the complainant and witnesses to the nearest magistrate, and such m trate shall thereupon dispose of the case acco to due course of law.

Recovery of arrears of wages.

135. If, upon the complaint of any labor is proved to the satisfa of a magistrate that wages of such laborer in arrear for two months, it shall be lawful the magistrate to award to such laborer the am which shall appear to be then due to him;

Compensation may be given if arrear is for two months.

also, by way of comp sation, such further s not exceeding that amo as shall appear to s

d term of contract deemed to be the ate amount of one for every month of f the first year, of h month of the second r every such month of original term of the

the period of whose contract has expired, or whose contract has been rescinded by the mutual consent of the whose contract has been can- under the provisions of this entitled to receive forthwith from the tor a certificate of release in the form set in Schedule (F) annexed to this Act.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 17.)

RM OF CONTRACT BETWEEN EMIGRANT AND EMPLOYER.

THIS contract made under Bengal Act of between (*emigrant's name*) of the one part and *oyer's name*) of the other part. Whereas the (*employer's name*) has promised the said *grant's name*) (hereinafter called 'the emi- t') that, if he the said emigrant do proceed to district (*name of*) in (*name of labor-district*) and remain and labor therein on the estate of the (*employer's name*) his successors, represen- es and assigns (hereinafter called 'the em- er'), he the said employer will from the date e arrival of the said emigrant on such estate or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, for s from the date of the arrival of the said emi- t on such estate, and that during such period he said employer will supply or cause to be supplied e said emigrant rice according to the rules pre- bed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal der the said Act at a price not exceeding Now this contract witnesseth that the said grant doth hereby, in consideration of the afore- d promise by the said employer and of the eement by him hereinafter contained, agree with said employer that he the said emigrant l, so soon after the execution of these pre- ts as he shall be required so to do, proceed to the d district (*name of*) in (*name of labor-district*), and ll there remain and labor on the estate of the said ployer for a period of years from the date is the said emigrant's arrival on such estate. this contract further witnesseth that the employer doth hereby, on consideration of said agreement by the said emigrant, agree the said emigrant that he the said employer l with all convenient despatch after the ecution of these presents, convey or cause to conveyed the said emigrant free of all costs to the estate of the said employer in the strict aforesaid, and will from the date of his the d emigrant's arrival on such estate employ said emigrant as a laborer for the period esaid, and will pay or cause to be paid to the l emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor thly, and will supply or cause to be supplied said emigrant rice according to the rules ribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal the said Act at a price not exceeding ness whereof the said parties to these presents

magistrate to be just; and in case of default, the magistrate shall levy the entire sum by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer.

Contract may be declared cancelled, if employer is convicted of maltreatment by session court, or twice by magistrate;

136. If any employer, or any person placed in authority over any laborer by such employer, shall be convicted of any offence causing injury to the person or property of such laborer triable under the Code of Criminal Procedure by the court of session; or if any such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall be twice convicted of any such offence against such laborer triable under the said Code by a magistrate;

or if wages are in arrear for four months;

or if it shall be proved before a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear to an amount exceeding the total of such laborer's wages for four months; or if a magistrate shall, on the report of the inspector and after due inquiry, upon oath, in the presence of the parties, be satisfied that any laborer has been compelled to perform any labor while he was unfit for it, or has been subjected to ill-usage by such employer,

or if ill-usage is proved.

or any other person placed in authority over the laborer by such employer; it shall be lawful for the magistrate, if he think fit, on the application of the laborer, in each of such cases, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and award to him compensation not exceeding thirty rupees, and every such cancelment shall be certified by the magistrate on the back of such contract.

Chapter 16.—*Determination of Contract.*

Laborer may appear before the inspector to register completion of contract.

137. Every laborer who has completed the term of his contract shall be forthwith entitled to appear before the inspector or assistant inspector in order that the completion of his contract may be registered.

Penalty if employer detains, or omits to report.

If an employer detains such laborer after the completion of his contract, or fails to give notice of such completion to the inspector within one month after the date of such completion, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Power to redeem contract.

138. If any laborer is able and desirous to redeem the unexpired term of his contract of service by payment of a sum equivalent to the value thereof, such laborer may demand to be taken or allowed to go before the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority he may be employed, and on his depositing such sum in the hands of such inspector, such inspector shall give notice to the employer that such laborer requires him within one week to show cause why the contract of such laborer should not be released; and, in case no sufficient cause should be shown, such inspector shall require the production of the contract of such laborer, and endorse thereon a certificate of release by purchase, and shall hold the sum in deposit on account of the employer of such laborer. If any employer, or other person authorized to act for the employer, shall neglect to comply with such demand as aforesaid, such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

have hereunto set their hands the day of 187 ."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of labourer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

Note.—If the con
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or his agent. It must
executed before the mag
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The execution of the cont
must be attested by the Su
tion, who must also append
certificate to the following e

"I hereby certify that b
tioned (*emigrant's name*) sig
personally explained it to him.

(Sd.) —
Superintendent of Emigrat

SCHEDULE B.

(*See Section* 18.)

Form of Garden-Sirdar's Certificate.

"*Garden-Sirdar's Certificate required under Section* 19 *of Bengal Act of* 187 .

Name of garden-sirdar.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Height.		General appearance and characteristic marks.	Name of place and description of lands on which labor is to be performed.	District (or Calcutta) where natives are to be engaged.	Number of natives the bearer is authorised to engage.	*Name of contractor to whose depôt natives should be conveyed.	Remar
				Feet.	Inch.						

* *N.B.*—If the number of natives engaged exceed twenty, they will have to go to a contractor's depôt.

Countersigned (under Section 19) on the 187 ,
six months from which date this certificate ceases to be in force.

Magistrate of "

(Sd.)

Dated 187 . *Employer.*"

SCHEDULE C.

See Sections 14 *and* 36.

FORM OF CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.

"A. B is hereby licensed to act, throughout the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, as a contractor for engaging and supplying natives for the purpose of laboring for hire in the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE D.

ee Sections 14 *and* 41.

OF RECRUITER'S LICENSE.

ıereby licensed to act on behalf of sed contractor, as a recruiter for inducing natives to proceed to the sam, Cachar, and Sylhet for the oring therein for hire, under the pro- Labor Districts Emigration Act

ɜ will be in force for one year only,

ılcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE E.

. *Sections* 34 *and* 65.

M OF EMIGRANT'S PASS.

Father's name.	Name of employer.	Place in which emigrant has contracted to labor.	Place of disembarkation.

"The emigrants above described are permitted to embark on the , which will leave on the , for the purpose of proceeding to the district of .

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) R. M.,

Contractor [*or Garden-sirdar*].

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) G. D.,

Superintendent of Emigration.

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) A. L.,

Embarkation Agent."

Note.—When the pass is granted by the Embarkation Agent to emigrants brought to him by a garden-sirdar under the provisions of section 34, it need not be signed by the Superintendent of Emigration.

Note.—The names of any number of emigrants proceeding in the same vessel may be entered in one pass.

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 139.)

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE ON DETERMINATION OF CONTRACT.

"I hereby certify that the contract entered into on the day of 187 , under Act of 187 , between [*laborer's name*] of the one part, and [*employer's name*] of the other part, has been determined by effluxion of time (or 'by mutual consent,' or 'under the provisions of section of the said Act,' as the case may be).

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand day of 187 .

Inspector of Laborers."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah	Mouzah.	

L. A. GOODEVE,

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THE following Supplementary Report of the Select Committee on the "Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee on the Bill "to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract-labor and service therein," have read and considered the correspondence noted in the margin relating to a proposal by the Lieutenant-Governor to provide for the gradual introduction of a system of free recruiting of laborers for the labor districts.

From Messrs. Whitney Brothers and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. W. Moran and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. Lyall, Rennie and Company, dated 4th July 1873.
From Messrs. Steel, McIntosh and Company, dated 4th July 1873, and enclosure.
From Dr. C. A. Kernot, M.D., dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs. Robert and Charriol, dated 9th July 1873.
From R. J. Staunton, Esq., dated 10th July 1873.
From Messrs. Young, Gray and Company, dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs. Jardine, Skinner and Company, dated 12th July 1873.
Memorandum by the Collector of Sylhet, dated 8th July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 9th July 1873.
Extract from the *Englishman* of the 9th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Indian Daily News* of the 10th and 12th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Hindu Patriot* of the 14th July 1873.
From R. Blechynden, Esq., dated 15th July 1873.
From Secretary, East India Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From Acting Secretary, Bengal Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From S. H. Robinson, Esq., dated 16th July 1873.
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th July 1873.
From Commissioner of Assam, dated 23rd July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner of Seebsaugor, dated 22nd July 1873.
From Messrs. Begg, Dunlop and Company, dated 31st July 1873.
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 29th July 1873, and enclosures.
From Directors of the Kanchunpore Tea Company, Limited.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 21st July 1873.
Memorandum by the Deputy Commissioner of Luckimpore, dated 30th July 1873.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 8th August, and enclosure.
Notes by the Officiating Magistrate of Bancoorah.
From Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 6th August 1873.
From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 16th August 1873, and enclosure.
From Messrs. Borradaile, Schiller and Company, dated 19th August 1873.

The Committee are una... of opinion that the systems recruiting and recruiting und Act cannot work side by side. do not feel themselves able, materials before them, to recom that Cachar or any other d should be exempted from the ation of the Act, or to make specific recommendation to Council on the general subject

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ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE ORISSA DIVISION FOR 1872-73.

RESOLUTION.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 2nd September 1873.

READ—

The Annual General Report of the Orissa Division for the year 1872-73.

The Lieutenant-Governor's very best thanks are due to Mr. Ravenshaw, the Commissioner of Orissa, for his full, exhaustive, and interesting report, showing as it does how thoroughly he has entered into the many questions affecting the welfare of the people, and how much he has carried his officers along with him in his administration. If he expresses himself somewhat too strongly when he differs from the views of Government, His Honor may accept his testimony as all the more valuable, when he gives an honest and discriminating account of those things in which success has been attained more or less completely. Mr. Beames, the Magistrate of Balasore, has very largely contributed to the interest of the report.

2. After a very careful consideration of the report, the Lieutenant-Governor's feeling is one of decided satisfaction. It shows that the people are on the whole comparatively prosperous and well off; that their condition is improving; and that so far the general outcome of the various administrative reforms is encouraging, and gives prospect of further improvement.

3. It is a great satisfaction to know that since the famine, a succession of favorable years has given continued ease to the province, and that in the year under report food was unusually cheap and plentiful. The partial calamities from flood, which are noticed in the report, have made prominent the better qualities of the people, their patience and industry under such circumstances; and these floods have happily not ended disastrously; their benefits (as the Lieutenant-Governor hoped at the time) having ultimately counterbalanced the injury done in the first instance. Great credit is due to Mr. Beames for his exertions on the occasion of the cyclone at Balasore, and to the irrigation and other officers at Cuttack for their successful exertions to save that city during the inundation.

4. The general testimony to the comparative well-doing of the people is, it cannot be denied, somewhat alloyed by several allusions to the poverty of a large landless laboring class; but on the other hand, not only are the great irrigation works throwing money into the country and giving employment to the people, but also the facilities of going abroad to districts where labor is well paid are increasing daily, and the extraordinary increase of the passenger traffic between Calcutta and Orissa by sea (of which Captain McNeile of the *Celt* was the pioneer) is a most healthy and gratifying sign that the people are more and more learning to help themselves. While this healthy seeking for labor is to be encouraged, the Lieutenant-Governor is glad to see that the Magistrates have dealt energetically with fraudulent recruiters and others who decoy girls and simple-minded persons on false pretences.

5. Among other instruments of improvement, it is encouraging to gather from several notices that the Christian missions have effected, and are effecting, much practical good, and are benefiting both their own people and those around them. Mr. Beames has, during the year under report, located in the Government estate at Noanund a small batch of the orphans from Mr. Smith's establishment, and he observes that this little settlement is prospering. This is a very interesting experiment, and the settlement should be watched and cared for.

6. No opportunity should be lost to do what can be done to trace the coal and minerals which the Commissioner hopes to find in the neighbourhood of Cuttack and in the Khoorda sub-division of Pooree. The experiment of the Taljharee coal-fields will, it is hoped, be successfully continued next year.

7. In respect of trade and commerce, much has been done to open out Orissa in the last few years, and much more will be done as the canals and harbour arrangements are completed. There is good reason for believing that the province is now started on a course of increasing commercial prosperity. The Ooriyas are now much more in connection with the outer world than they were a few years ago. The number of vessels which visited Balasore during 1872-73 was 451 against 394 in 1871-72, and the year under report also shows an increase of about 3½ lakhs of rupees in the value of exports from Cuttack. There is, however, a decrease of about 1½ lakhs of rupees in Balasore. The Lieutenant-Governor hopes that the Commissioner will be able to give further details of trade statistics next year.

The sea exports of rice and paddy from Cuttack, Pooree, and Balasore, to foreign countries and British Indian ports, as obtained from the Collector of Customs in Calcutta, were as follows :—

Whither exported.	Cuttack.		Pooree.		Balasore.		Total.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
To foreign countries	8,736	11,934	6,286	7,921	8,667½	8,988	23,689½	38,843
„ British Indian ports beyond the Bengal Presidency.	91,396	1,30,363	1,37,950	1,85,629	1,85,262½	2,01,295	4,14,608½	5,17,287
Total ...	1,00,132	1,42,297	1,44,236	1,93,550	1,93,930	2,10,283	4,38,298	5,46,130

The above figures do not, however, include the exports to Calcutta or to any other port within the Bengal Presidency, the returns of which are not immediately available.

8. Considering how the zemindars of Orissa have been created by us, as is clearly shown in Mr. Toynbee's recent publication, and how, notwithstanding their great increase in wealth and the enlarged cultivation, the former easy settlement has been extended for another 30 years, the Lieutenant-Governor thinks their grumbling and complaints of a breach of faith (para. 48) because they do not also get constant remission of revenue besides, is most unreasonable and preposterous. It shows that there are some people who are only spoilt by indulgence. The conduct of too large a proportion of these men towards their tenantry makes it clear that, far from doing as they have been done by, they have sought to exact from those beneath them the uttermost farthing of that which had been forgiven to them by their lord. This, and great deal more besides, they have exacted. His Honor, however, is rejoiced to see that even already, independently of the measures which may eventually be adopted, much good has been effected by the exertions of Messrs. Beames, Fiddian, and of the Commissioner himself, and the way in which these officers have brought abuses to light entitles them to the highest credit. If their work is adequately followed up, the Government may hope that much will be done to stop abuses, and put the relations between the zemindars and the inferior holders in Orissa on a sounder footing, and one more consonant with the terms and conditions of the existing settlement.

9. The Lieutenant-Governor is very glad to see (paragraph 49) that many adjustments are now being effected by amicable compromise under the influence of the Government officers. The gist of Mr. Fiddian's remarks is, that the Ooriya ryots, who have hitherto been more than any of the class in helpless and ignorant subjection to the zemindars, are beginning to have some idea of their rights. He speaks of passive refusal to submit to unauthorized demands.

Even Baboo Umbica Churn Roy, the Deputy Collector of Jajipore, who writes more despondingly of the state of bondage in which the zemindars keep the ryots, admits that, although the zemindars have not given up levying illegal exactions, "yet they are doing it with much caution and less impunity."

10. Both for the record of tenures and rents; and for the collection of statistics, His Honor trusts that the fullest use will be made of the Canoongoe establishment which has now been re-organized and so liberally provided for, and he hopes that these ends will be farther secured by an efficient revival of the village accountants, the putwarees or old bhooeas. No lesson is more conclusively taught by Orissa experience than this, that the most careful and just settlement (such as the Orissa settlement

in its origin was), and the most accurate record of rights, soon become totally useless if they are not kept alive by an adequate machinery, such as the wisdom of the old Indian races provided, but which in these provinces we had let go to rack and ruin.

The introduction of printed receipts, instead of the immethodical old palm leaf receipts, as described in paragraph 56 of the report, is a measure which cannot fail to produce beneficial results His Honor desires that it may be made as universal as possible.

11. The Lieutenant-Governor has seen with pleasure the testimony which is borne in more than one passage of the report to the substantial success of the road cess proceedings. Balasore has been the first district in which the cess has been actually collected, and the whole process, valuations and collections have been admirably and successfully managed by Mr. Beames.

It is gratifying to observe testimony to the somewhat unexpected fact, which has also cropped up in the eastern districts, that not unfrequently the road cess proceedings are beneficial, and are recognized by the people as such, inasmuch as they afford a record of rents and holdings, and a starting point from which accurate facts may be derived. The paragraph quoted in the margin, giving the Commissioner's own opinion of the situation on a review of all the district reports seems both true and on the whole satisfactory.

"Road Cess proceedings have, I think, facilitated the ascertainment by zemindars of their actual position and rights, and the necessity for filing returns in the Road Cess Department has certainly been beneficial in bringing zemindars' rent-rolls and accounts into more definite and satisfactory form. I do not pretend to say that the road cess is popular, but it has been looked on as an inevitable necessity, and it has been accepted as such. Except in Balasore, we have not come face to face with the actual realization of the tax; but, so far as I am able to judge, I think it will be realized without any very great difficulty, and it is becoming known that the Government tax is the only tax or cess of any sort legally leviable by the zemindars."

12. The Lieutenant-Governor has perused with satisfaction the Commissioner's thoughtful and just remarks regarding the new irrigation system. He is gratified to know that recent reforms have proved so beneficial. He much hopes that things have really taken the favorable turn that is represented, and that, as said by the Commissioner, "by care and patience steadily persevering in the new system, much improvement to the country and people may surely be achieved, and possibly in the end some financial return for the outlay may be obtained." His Honor is very well pleased with Mr. Toynbee for what he has done to put the canal revenue system into form and shape.

The subject of protection from floods, so necessary in Orissa, has now been combined with the irrigation works, and all that science can do is being brought to bear upon the subject.

13. The Lieutenant-Governor is very glad to observe the Commissioner's testimony to the success of the new system of education, so far as it has yet gone, as summed up in his own words.* The local officers have all worked well in this direction.

* *Para.* 146.—"Good solid work has been and is being done, and the wise and beneficient policy of Government in making education more practical, and bringing knowledge within reach of the mass of the people, has not only obtained the cordial approval and earnest co-operation of every class, but the results are already beginning to be felt and appreciated."

14. The Lieutenant-Governor notices that in Cuttack, during the year under report, two newspapers were started, the *Utkul Dwipica* and *Utkul Putra*. In Balasore a new magazine, the *Utkul Durpun*, or *Mirror of Orissa*, was also first published. Of these papers the *Utkul Dwipica* and *Balasore Putrika* have met with considerable support.

It seems that though the newspapers in Orissa have little influence, they are actuated on the whole by a healthy feeling, and their publication may be taken as an evidence of the awakening intelligence of the Ooriyas, when it is recollected that in many other and richer districts there are no newspapers at all.

15. The working of statistics in this division, calculated to throw light on the condition of the people, has, generally speaking, been well started. The census and road cess valuation have been great works, and with the re-organized Canoongoes and other establishments the Government now have in Orissa, the Lieutenant-Governor hopes that much will be done towards the various inquiries now in progress, and that many agricultural statistics will be collected, as well as some accurate vital statistics.

16. The Lieutenant-Governor was never sanguine of speedily and strikingly succeeding with experimental farms. The small farm system originally suggested by Mr. Ravenshaw and his officers is one in which His Honor is much interested, and on the whole the Commissioner's account is not without hope.

The practical experiments of Mr. Taylor will no doubt have good effect. This is precisely the manner in which it is hoped that improvements introduced by experimental farms will work. His Honor notices with interest (paragraph 91) the practical work on agriculture and gardening which has been published by Baboo Beechitra Nund Dass.

17. The Lieutenant-Governor hopes soon to be able to complete the Grand Trunk Road causeways which are now much needed. In respect to local roads His Honor trusts that the road cess will soon work great improvements.

18. The liberality of the Maharajah of Burdwan in giving land for the False Point harbour work has been favourably noticed by the Lieutenant-Governor, and he trusts that Government will soon possess really good harbours in Orissa which will make it impossible that that province should again be cut off as it was in 1866.

19. Mr. Ravenshaw urges the necessity for establishing local medical schools to train the natives of the province—a course which, if adopted, would make the dispensaries more popular than they are at present while officered by native doctors from Calcutta, who do not sympathise with the people. A scheme of this nature has been under contemplation by Government for Dacca and Patna, and if the Commissioner will submit any practicable and moderate suggestion within the means of Government for Cuttack, the Lieutenant-Governor will give it early consideration.

20. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad that the Commissioner paused before he said, "what he was going to say," in paragraph 156 marginally noted, and that on consideration he began to think that the people may be educated into taking an interest in their own affairs, and expressed himself as in his next paragraph. What he says of the first healthy sign of interest being manifested by the educational committees, exactly corresponds to testimony to the same effect from other parts of the country.

"Road Cess Committees, Municipal Committees, and I was going to say every other committee, are, I fear, a solemn farce."

"I have observed a growing tendency in educational committees every where to take some interest in the subject. I trust this may develop, and I think it is likely to do so; and, now that Road Cess and Municipal Committee members find they have a real and substantial control over their respective funds, it is not improbable they may follow suit."

21. The Lieutenant-Governor notices with approval the excellent example which two zemindars, Baboo Koylas Chunder Roy Mohashoy and Baboo Nemy Churn Bose, have set to their neighbours, standing out as they do conspicuously among so many who have misused their influence, power, and position.

22. The Lieutenant-Governor's very hearty thanks are accorded to the Commissioner for all his zealous and successful labors. No one has the good of the people committed to his charge more thoroughly at heart, or has better labored for them for a series of years, than Mr. Ravenshaw.

His Honor especially acknowledges the services rendered by Mr. Beames in the district of Balasore. Mr. Macpherson was very sound and sensible, and His Honor can say with the Commissioner that his work when done, was well done; but he is sorry to gather that there were delays in his work, which was not always done, and that Mr. Macpherson failed to move actively about his district. His Honor much regrets to see that the interior of the Cuttack district has been so little visited during the year under review, and desires that the Commissioner will be so good as to make arrangements beforehand which shall ensure the Collector and other officers making effectual tours in the ensuing cold season. Mr. Beames' account of his tour shows how much may be done by an intelligent officer who really endeavours to put himself into communication with the people. The Commissioner's tour during the year under review was very complete and satisfactory.

23. Mr. Toynbee's work on Orissa has now been published. It is a work of permanent value, of which the Lieutenant-Governor has elsewhere expressed his high opinion and acknowledgments. His Honor will watch with interest the completion of the histories of Cuttack, Pooree, and Balasore, which are under preparation.

24. Since the close of the year under review the Lieutenant-Governor has had to deplore the death of Mr. V. Irwin, the Officiating Collector of Cuttack, which has deprived Orissa of the services of a valuable and much esteemed officer.

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STATE OF CROPS IN BENGAL.

Circular No. 70, dated Calcutta, the 13th October 1873.

From—The Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Statistical Department,

To—All Commissioners and District Officers.

THE early cessation of the rains having unhappily given reason to fear that in many districts some of the crops will be very short, the Lieutenant-Governor desires that particular care should be taken to keep Government fully informed of the actual result of the harvest in the different parts of the country, so far as can be ascertained. His Honor does not wish to have minute inquiries made, but district and sub-divisional officers are desired to see the crops as much as possible themselves while yet on the ground, so as to form the best estimate they can of the proportionate yield of such description of crop and of the food-crops generally, as compared with average and previous years. Agriculturists are so apt to exaggerate their losses that the greatest care should be taken to ascertain accurately the real yield of the harvest at the time, so as to be able hereafter to check their estimates. The success with which this work is accomplished must depend much on the activity and good sense of individual officers, and the Lieutenant-Governor would urge on them the importance of carefully attending to the instructions given. Of course the state of things will often vary much in different parts of the same district, and it will be the duty of the district officer to compare and compile the report from his various subordinates, and in forwarding a summary of them to give a general view of the aspect of affairs.

2. The weekly weather and crop report should be prepared with special care, and during the period from now up to the end of the harvest, the particulars given in the column "State and prospect of the crops at date"

should be more than ordinarily full and accurate. Further, the Lieutenant-Governor desires that in the first weeks of November, December and January, a special crop report should be sent for each district by the Magistrate-Collector, showing in greater detail what is known of the state of the crops at the time. These reports should be in duplicate, one copy being sent to the Bengal Office direct, and the other to the Commissioner. The price-current statement should also be prepared with particular care at the present season; recent price-currents received from districts, where serious failure of the crops was said to be imminent, have showed no sign of rising prices.

3. Although much has lately been said in the Annual Report regarding the produce and circumstances of various districts, the Lieutenant-Governor is desirous of having precise information concerning the nature and extent of the gross yield in a uniform shape. Officers are therefore requested to furnish the following particulars, not only for their whole districts, but separately for each considerable part of their districts, which may have any very special features of its own :—

(1) How far the district (or tract) is devoted to food-growing crops, and what proportion (if considerable) of its land is taken by any staples other than food.

(2) Whether it exports or imports food; and if it imports, from where.

(3) What are the main food-staples of the people, and, roughly, in what proportions they are consumed.

(4) What are the various rice-crops of the district or tract (such as *aus* or *amun* dhan, &c.); at what season are they reaped, and, roughly, what proportion of the whole rice produce each crop represents in an average year.

(5) The estimated outturn for the present year of each important food-crop which has reached or approached maturity (the different rice-crops being distinguished)—

a.—As compared with an average year (*e.g.*, half or three-quarters as the case may be).

b.—As compared with any previous short year which can be named.

(6) State and prospects of the ensuing cold weather food-crops, and the degree to which people may be expected to derive support from them.

(7) Date, under favorable circumstances, of sowing and reaping of the earliest rice-crop of 1874, and the extent to which the cultivation might be increased to meet a pressing demand.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor would be glad to be supplied with these particulars, as far as possible, in the special report for the first week of November, the information being repeated with improved exactness in the reports of the following months; and His Honor hopes that all officers will give special care and attention to the matter, and endeavour to give accurate and full information on the points above noticed.

Prices Current of Food-grains and Salt in the undermentioned

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																	
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON			GREAT MILLET, CHOLUM, JOWAR, MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.
	BENGAL.															
	Western Districts.															
1	Burdwan	13 0	13 0	14 12	24 0	24 0	21 8	20 0	20 8	20 8	21 0	21 12	22 0			
2	Bancoorah	13 5	13 5	14 0	22 8	22 0	20 0	15 8	16 4	13 12	17 8	19 6	15 8	34 0	34 0	30 0
3	Beerbhoom	13 8	14 8	15 0		.		16 8	16 8	16 8	18 0	20 0	21 0	..		40 0
4	Midnapore	11 0	11 0	12 8		...		19 0	19 0	17 0	25 0	25 0	22 0	.	...	...
5	Hooghly	12 0	12 0	14 0		.	..	11 0	10 0	13 0	19 0	19 0	20 0	.	..	...
	Howrah	12 4	15 0	15 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	18 0		20 0	..
	Central Districts.															
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	13 5	11 8	14 8	24 10	26 8	24 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	18 13	18 13	16 12		..	.
7	Nuddea	13 0	13 0	14 8	26 10½	26 10½	29 2	15 4	15 4	16 0	17 12	17 12	17 12		...	...
8	Jessore* ...															
9	Moorshedabad ...	14 0	15 0	19 0	..	.	...	12 8	13 0	18 0	15 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	...
10	Dinagepore	14 0	14 0	13 4	18 0	18 0	24 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	18 0	24 0	26 0	.		..
11	Maldah	15 0	15 0	16 0	32 0	35 0	35 0	18 0	19 0	21 0	19 0	20 0	22 0	40 0	40 0	40 0
12	Rajshahye ...	13 8	15 0	22 8	30 0	30 0		16 8	15 0	15 0	18 12	21 0	24 0	18 0	18 0	...
13	Rungpore ...	15 0	14 0	15 0	..		...	13 7	11 13	15 0	16 14	15 10	24 10	.	.	...
14	Bograh ...	13 8	15 0	16 0	..	.	...	15 0	13 8	20 8	24 0	24 0	30 0	...		
15	Pubna* ..	15 0	15 0	24 0	.			12 0	12 0	12 0	13 12	25 0	27 8	...	..	. .
16	Darjeeling .. .	6 0	6 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	23 0	23 0	20 0
17	Julpigoree*															
	Cooch Behar *															
	Eastern Districts.															
18	Dacca	12 8	12 8	16 0	20 0	23 0	26 10	21 0	21 0	21 0	26 0	25 0	32 0	...	..	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	24 0	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	10 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	..	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	..		.	...			13 4	13 8	19 0	26 0	26 0	27 0	..	...	...
21	Mymensing	12 8	12 8	12 12			..	20 0	20 0	23 12	23 0	23 8	29 0		. .	..
22	Sylhet ..	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 8	11 8		19 0	22 0	21 0	32 0	31 0	34 0		...	..
23	Cachar	9 2	9 6	9 6		...	..	24 10	24 10	26 10	29 1	32 0	29 1	...		...
24	Chittagong	10 0	10 0	13 0	...		.	16 0	15 0	16 0	22 0	20 0	21 0	..	...	...
25	Noakhally ..	...				...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	23 0	23 0	27 0	..	.	. .
26	Tipperah . ..	12 0	12 0	12 0	.	...	.	19 0	20 0	25 0	24 0	25 0	32 8	. .	...	..
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts		...	...	...	..	..	13 13	13 5	13 5	16 0	16 0	17 8		...	...
	Hill Tipperah.*															
	BEHAR.															
28	Patna	14 0	14 12	24 0	23 0	24 0	31 4	14 4	14 8	..	16 0	16 0	21 0	28 0	25 0	34 8
29	Gya	10 12	12 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	39 0	9 8	11 8	13 0	11 8	12 8	22 0	16 0	...	32 0
30	Shahabad	13 0	14 0	17 0	18 8	22 0	28 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	15 0	14 8	18 0	18 0	22 0	20 8
31	Tirhoot ...	11 0	11 8	13 0	24 0	25 0	20 0	14 0	15 0	14 0	16 0	17 8	15 0	26 0	30 0	...
32	Sarun	13 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	23 0	30 0	12 0	12 8	14 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	23 4	22 0	...
33	Chumparun ...	14 0	14 0	18 0	32 0	31 0	28 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	20 0	21 0	21 0	32 0	32 0	33 0
34	Monghyr ...	13 6	15 7	17 8	27 3	29 4	33 6	12 6	13 6	12 6	15 7	16 8	16 8	26 1	29 4	42 0
35	Bhaugulpore .	13 14	14 8	16 6	22 11	22 11	25 4	15 2	15 2	16 6	17 11	17 11	18 15	27 12	30 5	34 1
36	Purneah	11 0	14 0	16 0	26 0	26 0	30 0	13 5	16 0	18 0	14 5	17 5	22 0			
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs	13 0	13 0	15 0				15 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	19 0	40 0	26 0	50 0
	ORISSA.															
38	Cuttack	17 1	17 11½	15 12	...	...	...	22 5	22 5	15 12	31 8	31 8	20 6	...	...	...
39	Pooree	13 14	14 7	13 2		..	..	23 10	21 0	18 6	32 13	35 7	24 9	.	...	
40	Balasore	12 0	12 0	...	..	.		18 0	18 0	...	38 0	38 0	...	...	...	.
	CHOTA NAGPORE.															
	South-West Frontier Agency.															
41	Hazaribagh ..	12 0	12 8	13 4	18 0	.	17 12	10 0	9 0	11 14	14 0	14 2	16 1	21 0	20 0	28 0
42	Lohardugga	13 0	11 0	12 0		16 0	19 0	14 0	13 0	20 0	18‡ 0	14 0	24 0	24 0	...	30 0
43	Singbhoom .	18 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	22 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...
44	Maunbhoom	12 0	12 0	13 8	..	...	24 0	15 0	14 0	17 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	40 0	..	60 0
	ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.															
45	Goalpara	20 0	23 0	12 0	...	...	.	16 0	15 0	12 0	30 0	32 0	16 0	...	...	...
46	Kamroop ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	...	...	...
47	Durrung ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	..	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	.	...	...
48	Nowgong	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	..		12 0	12 0	12 8	18 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...
49	Seebsaugor	13 0	13 0	13 0	..	...	16 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	10 0	16 0		..	...
50	Lukhimpore	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	6 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	...
51	Naga Hills *															...
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills.	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	12 0	13 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...
53	Garo Hills *															

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th October 1873.

Districts of Bengal on the 30th September 1873.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Bulrush Millet, Cumboo, Bazra.			Lesser Millets, Ragi or Murwa, Cheena, &c.			Gram.			Fire-wood.			Salt.			Remarks.
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Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 11th October 1873.

No	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS
BENGAL						
	Western Districts.	1873				
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan	Oct 14th*	0 41	Next to no rain has fallen in the district.	Crops seriously injured	Price of rice greatly increased Fever as before.
2	Bancoorah	„ 11th	Nil	Dry and clear up to the 10th, when clouds appeared; on the 11th there was some rain in parts of the district.	Suffering much from want of rain, of the approach of which there are however some appearances.	
3	Beerbhoom	„ 11th	Nil	Weather up to 9th instant clear and bright, with cold north wind Since 9th the wind has changed to the south and there appears some prospect of rain.	The prospects of the crops are becoming daily worse owing to the continued drought An early fall of rain may, however, still save about half the harvest.	
4	Midnapore	„ 11th	Nil	No rain, but clouds gathering since Thursday morning The sky is, however, entirely overclouded and it seems probable that copious rain is going to fall, and has already perhaps fallen in parts of the district Indeed there are some grounds to fear that a violent wind storm may be impending	Unless rain falls within a few days, there will be great distress throughout the north of the district and only ¾ crop in the south.	
5	Hooghly	„ 11th	0 60	Clear throughout; a smart shower on the morning of the 11th instant.	Up to the 10th instant the prospects of the rice crop could not have been worse. No rain having fallen since the 14th September, and the cold weather having set in, the late rice crop showed signs of withering and fears are entertained that nothing could save the crop Early this morning however more than half an inch of rain fell, and there are signs of more rain. There is still therefore hope, but unless more rain comes, the rice cannot live except where there are artificial means of irrigation. The jute crop has been good; sugarcane very fair.	
	Howrah	„ 11th	Nil	No rain during the week under report.	Transplantation of the late paddy seedling has been completed. The paddy plants are suffering from want of rain. Sugarcane crop is also suffering	
	Central Districts					
PRESIDENCY DIVISION. 6	24 Pergunnahs	„ 14th*	0 26	Hot during the day, nights a little cooler, occasionally cloudy.	The drought has done much damage to the late rice on high lands, and unless there be an early and heavy fall of rain, the loss will be serious; about one quarter of the crop at Diamond Harbour sub division is reported to be already past saving.	Ordinary fever prevails largely at Sathkhira, and fever of malarious character has appeared at Barrepore

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.—(Contd.)	1873.				
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)						
7	Nuddea ...	Oct. 11th	Nil	A little rain in a few scattered places, but generally very dry and hot in the days and cool at night. Clouds are gathering, and there is some reason to hope for a downpour.	The late rice has been very much burnt by the heat; indigo sowings have been prevented, and the state of things is not favorable for the cold weather crops Rain is very badly wanted.	
8	Jessore ..	„ 11th	Nil	Cool and clear, with wind varying from north-west to north-east.	The want of rain and the early subsidence of the inundation are causing some anxiety. On the 11th a change took place in the direction of wind, and a cloudy sky hold out hopes that rain may fall before long.	
9	Moorshedabad ...	„ 11th	Nil	Weather much cooler, but no rain during the week.	The prospects of the late rice are very gloomy. The crops are drying up everywhere except on the very low lands. Scarcity of grain is already felt in the bazars. The winter crops are being sown in hopes of rain. Distress may be expected, especially in the west.	
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.						
10	Dinagepore ...	„ 11th	Nil	Fine and no symptoms of rain.	Almost as bad as they can be; the rice that has been planted is dying everywhere for want of rain, and unless rain does fall, there will be scarcely any rice at all. Even with rain the crop must be a very short one.	
11	Maldah ...	„ 11th	Nil	Fair; days hot and nights rather cold. Last day slightly cloudy.	Unless there is rain within the next week, the rice crop on the high lands will be very bad. The cold weather crops are being sown.	
12	Rajshahye ...	„ 11th	Nil	There has been no rain throughout the district during the past week.	The prospects of the late rice crop are extremely unfavourable in consequence of the complete cessation of the rains. Land is now being ploughed for cold weather crops. Tobacco, pulses, and (teel) oil-seed, are thriving.	A few cases of small pox have been reported from Charghat station.
13	Rungpore ..	.....	...	.....	.....	Return not received.
14	Bograh ..	„ 11th	Nil	Somewhat hot and dry ...	Unless rain falls soon, the rice crop will fail, except on low lands. The yield of jute is reported fair; sugarcane is doing fairly.	There has been a sudden rise of prices and much anxiety among the people. There has been, however a small fall in the price of rice.
15	Pubna ..	„ 11th	0·08	Weather cool, with one little shower of rain on the 4th instant.	The prospect of the late rice and (teel) oil-seed fair in the sudder, but somewhat bad in Serajgunge sub-division. Rain is wanted for the late rice. Indigo and pulses are being sown.	
COOCH BEHAR DIVN.						
16	Darjeeling ..	„ 11th	Nil	Bright sunny weather, cold in the mornings and evenings, but warm during the day.	The potato crop in the hills is now being gathered in, and although the plants have to all appearance been very promising, the yield has been considerably less than was anticipated, and the potato has not been so fine as usual, but no serious results will ensue. Other crops doing well.	

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central District.—(Contd.)	1873.				
Cooch Behar Divn. 17	Julpigoree ..	Oct. 11th	Nil	Bright sunny weather ..	Rain wanted, otherwise the rice crop will not be a full one.	
	Cooch Behar ..	„ 11th	Nil	Fine ...	In a great part of the district the late rice crop will be a very poor one owing to want of rain. In other parts the crop has a flourishing appearance. The rainfall has been very unequal.	
	Eastern Districts.					
Dacca Division. 18	Dacca ..	„ 14th*	0 20	Weather.—Occasional showers, but on the whole dry.	Late rice ruined; heavy and continuous rain would still save a part.	
19	Furreedpore ..	„ 11th	Nil	Bright sunny and pleasant during the first six days, but the last day hot, close, and very cloudy, rain not unlikely. A little rain has fallen on the 11th, and it looks as if it would be fairly plentiful.	The crops on the low lands on the whole doing well. Rain much wanted.	
20	Backergunge ..	„ 11th	Nil	Cool in the mornings and evenings, but very hot in the middle of the day.	The late rice is beginning to suffer from want of rain, and if the drought continues, the crop will probably be a poor one. There is much less water in the district this year than there was last year, and many boat channels are closed in consequence.	
21	Mymensing ..	„ 11th	Nil	Bright and clear, with symptoms of the approach of the cold weather. Cloudy on the 11th and promising rain.	Very unfavorable	
22	Sylhet ..	„ 4th	2·84	Close during the day, almost chilly at night and towards the early morning.	The crops on the high lands are not promising. A little rain even now will save the crops.	
23	Cachar ..	„ 4th	1·	Hot and sultry, with slight rain.	The rainfall is still too small, and more would be desirable.	
Chittagong Division. 24	Chittagong .	„ 4th	1 04	Cloudy. Showers during the week.	Crops improved by rain during the week. Good accounts from the district generally Kootoobdia.—Prospects improved, sea water has subsided there, and things look better than anticipated No report from Cox's Bazar.	
25	Noakhally .	„ 4th	1·82	Weather variable, at times cool and pleasant, sometimes hot and close	Transplanting of the winter rice completed.	
26	Tipperah ...	„ 11th	0·03	Nights and early mornings cool, days close and oppressive.	Indifferent. The rice crop along a broad belt of land through the centre of the district is almost hopeless. Rain is wanted everywhere, and it should fall judging from the sky.	
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts	„ 4th	3·	Generally cool and pleasant owing to the occasional falls of rain	About one-half of the paddy crop of the district has been harvested and the remainder is being gathered. The paddy crop has not been very successful; there is however no fear of scarcity. The cotton is in flower, and bids fair to be plentiful. Melons and pumpkins are ripening, and are sold plentifully in the local markets.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	„ 4th	0·3	Excessively hot ..	Prospects fair. Rain very much wanted.	

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BEHAR.		1873.				
PATNA DIVISION.						
28	Patna ..	Oct. 13th*	Nil	No rain has fallen as yet	Prospects of crops daily getting worse.	Special inquiry by means of subordinate executive officers is being made. The health of the district continues good.
29	Gya ..	„ 11th	Nil	Fair and cold .	Prospects very gloomy. Rain urgently wanted throughout the district. Rice very much injured, and no moisture in lands for the cold weather sowings.	
30	Shahabad .	„ 11th	Nil	Clear and dry; nights cool; east wind set in since last two days; the change, it is hoped, may bring rain.	Prospects bad. Rice steadily dying, except in the few places where it can be irrigated. In the Sasseeram sub-division it is being irrigated as much as possible. Elsewhere the crops must fail. Rain is very much wanted in order to prepare lands for the winter crops. It can do little towards saving the rice now.	
31	Tirhoot ..	„ 11th	Nil	Hot .	The drought still continues, the prospect of rice crops is very gloomy; if in the course of a few days rain does not fall, preparation of much of the land for winter crop will be impossible.	Prices are rising.
32	Sarun	„ 11th	Nil	Days moderately hot, but the mornings and evenings cool. West wind prevailing.	The prospects of the late rice are getting worse daily owing to absence of rain. No moisture to prepare land for the winter crops. Ruhur—pulse, cotton, and sugar-cane, are, however, progressing favorably.	Price of food-grains is rising.
33	Chumparun ..	„ 11th	Nil	Hot days and cool nights, variable winds.	The prospects of the crops are very unfavorable owing to the continued want of rain. The rice has suffered very considerably; should rain not fall shortly, anxiety for the ensuing year will be felt.	Price of common rice is steadily rising.
BHAUGULPORE DIVISION.						
34	Monghyr .	„ 11th	Nil	Premature cold weather apparently set in On the 11th sky cloudy, and there appears some prospects of rain.	Rice crops on high lands withered or withering If rain falls within a few days, half the rice crop may be saved, otherwise not more than a four-anna crop can be expected; rain is everywhere wanted.	
35	Bhaugulpore ..	„ 14th†	Nil	Rain most urgently required.	There is time yet to save a good deal of low land rice: without rain, crops will be very bad.	General health very good.
36	Purneah .	„ 11th	Nil	Hot days and cold nights	The harvest prospects are as bad as last week; land is being prepared for cold weather sowings.	
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs	„ 11th	Nil	No rain anywhere; clouds about the last two days, with warmer weather.	The rain stopped very early and very suddenly. If there is no more rain, a very fine crop of rice will be greatly spoiled; the tanks are very low; irrigation begun everywhere.	
ORISSA.						
ORISSA DIVISION.						
38	Cuttack ..	„ 14th†	1·42	Rain throughout the district since Friday.	Much good has been done to late rice crop, but much more rain required.	Public health good.
39	Pooree ...	„ 4th	0·27	Hot . ..	Weeding and transplanting in the late rice fields of some pergunnahs are still going on. Rain is much wanted. Early rice and (teel) oil-seed crops are being reaped. The prospects of cold weather crops continue favorable.	

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ORISSA.—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
ORISSA DIVN.—(*Contd.*) 40	Balasore ..	Oct. 11th	0·76	Copious rain on the 10th and 11th October at the Sudder Station.	Abundance of rain has fallen at the sudder station. If the rainfall has been general throughout the district, it will remove the grave apprehension of failure and scarcity which the obstinate drought continued since the middle of September had given rise to.	
CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-West Frontier Agency					
41	Hazareebaugh	„ 11th	Nil	Very fine, light clouds gathered at the latter end of the week, giving hopes of rain.	There is nothing special to report. On the west of the district there has been less rain than about the sudder and to the north. One more heavy shower is what is wanted to ensure an abundant rice harvest.	Rinderpest appeared in two villages north of the Grand Trunk Road, but it has subsided. No cholera. Small-pox is still reported here and there.
42	Lohardugga .	„ 11th	Nil	Bright and clear and cold in the mornings and evenings. Since the 10th the wind has been from the east, and there is appearance of rain coming.	Rain is urgently required both in Chota Nagpore and Palamow, and if there is not a good fall shortly, prospects will alter seriously for the worse.	
43	Singbhoom ..	„ 4th	0·76	Most part of the week was dry. An abundant shower of rain on the night of the 2nd instant. Sky again quite cloudless, but weather cooler.	Much the same as last week More rain wanted to fill the ears of paddy. If the rain of the 2nd has been general over the district, it will do a world of good in improving the prospects of the crops.	A good deal of fever about.
44	Maunbhoom	„ 11th	Nil	Very unfavorable ..	The prospects of the crops are much worse than at the close of the last week; there has been no rain, and consequently the crops are suffering severely, especially those on high lands, which are withering away for want of moisture; if rain does not fall almost immediately, the rice crop will fail and great scarcity, if not famine, will be the result.	
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.						
45	Goalparah .	„ 4th	0·47	A few slight showers of rain during the first part of the week, the latter part was clear and sunny. Mornings moderately cool and sometimes foggy.	The late rain has a little benefited the crops, but more rain is still wanted.	
46	Kamroop ...	„ 13th*	Nil	Weather clear, cold mornings and nights.	Rice crops and tea backward for want of rain. Cotton, sugarcane, and pulse crops progressing fairly.	Public health good.
47	Durrung ...	„ 4th	1·26	Cool nights and mornings, frequent fogs. Little or no breeze.	Rain much wanted in some quarters, all crops requiring it more or less. Tea doing pretty well.	
48	Nowgong ..	„ 4th	0·29	Weather clear, fair, and settled, with cool mornings and nights, and every appearance of an early cold season	The late rice crop doing fairly, but more rain wanted to ensure a bumper crop. Tea operations very favorable.	General health excellent. No epidemic.
49	Seebsaugor ..	„ 4th	0·98	The weather was slightly warm. There was very little rain only on two days in the week.	The prospects of the rice crops have much improved. Tea doing well.	

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ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
50	Luckimpore	Oct. 4th	3·82	The mornings and evenings during the week were pleasantly cool; there was heavy rain on two days.	Crops doing only pretty well.	
51	Naga Hills	Sept. 27th	0·54	Cool and pleasant all over the district.	The most of the early joom paddy has been cut and stored, a fair outturn has been gathered The late joom and cotton crop promise well. Terrai paddy crop promises to be a fair one.	
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills	Oct. 4th	0·34	The weather has been fine, with slight showers of rain.	The early rice crop is being housed and all other standing crops, late paddy, millets, potatoes, &c., are doing well. The cotton is backward for want of rain.	
53	Garo Hills	„ 4th	6·	Very heavy rain on Sunday night, thunder and lightning The rest of the week has been fine and very hot.	The cold weather rice crops under the hills look pretty good, but less land appears to have been brought under cultivation this year than last owing to the want of rain. Had the rain which has fallen of late come earlier, it would have done far more good. Cotton crop seems very good. Some heavy crops of jute on the plains are being gathered. The ground is being prepared for the mustard crop.	

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 7th to 10th Sept. 1873.	Rain from 14th to 20th Sept. 1873.	Rain from 21st to 27th Sept. 1873.	Rain from 28th Sept. to 4th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.									
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.	Inch.	Inch.		1873.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan	2·70	0·68	Nil	Nil	57·24	4th Oct.	
		Cutwa	0·98	1·22	Nil	0·10	39·04	ditto.	
		Culna	1·61	Nil	Nil	1·15	45·99	ditto.	
		Bood-Bood	2·13	2·13	0·20	Nil	47·76	ditto.	
		Raneegunge	2·31	0·24	Nil	0·24	44·51	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	3·17	1·16	Nil	0·56	43·32	ditto.	
	Bancoorah ...	Bancoorah	1·56	0·90	Nil	0·80	46·83	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom ...	Sooree	0·93	1·20	0·01	Nil	52·46	ditto.	
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	3·79	0·14	Nil	0·11	44·77	ditto.	
		Tumlook	1·40	1·40	Nil	Nil	47 34	ditto.	
		Gurbetta	2·57	0·23	Nil	Nil	46·26	ditto.	
		Contai ... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	3·35	0·77	0·88	0·60	43·15	ditto.	
		Contai ... Exe. Engr.'s Office	4·08	0·67	0·98	0·40	47·45	ditto.	
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly	1·68	0·43	Nil	Nil	38·19	ditto.	
		Serampore	3·06	0·69	0·06	Nil	43·10	ditto.	
	Howrah ...	Howrah	2·86	0 30	Nil	1·29	46·32	ditto.	
	Central Districts.								
Presidency.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	2·50	1·10	Nil	1·80	43·43	ditto.	
		Calcutta	2·05	0·26	Nil	2·05	43 96	ditto.	
		Alipore... Dispensary ...	1·81	0·20	0·07	1·32	45·10	ditto.	
		Alipore... Jail	1·69	0·19	0·05	1·35	44·12	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut	1·82	1·05	Not rec.	Not rec.	42·71	20th Sept.	
		Baraset	3·18	0·89	Nil	0·50	40·10	4th Oct.	
		Diamond Harbour... ...	2·24	0·48	Nil	Nil	49·89	ditto.	
		Barripore	3·26	0 20	0·09	Not rec.	49·81	27th Sept.	
		Satkhernah	1·88	2·32	0·36	Not rec.	47·38	ditto.	
		Barrackpore	2·58	1·04	Not rec.	Not rec.	45·72	20th Sept.	
		Dum-Dum	4·67	0·32	Not rec.	Not rec.	48 35	ditto.	
	Nuddea ...	Kishnaghur	0·74	0·17	Not rec.	Not rec.	46·27	ditto.	
		Bongong	2·53	1·64	Not rec.	Not rec.	41·52	ditto.	
		Meherpore	1·83	0·08	0·22	1·93	51·81	4th Oct.	
		Chooadangah	2·67	0·32	Not rec.	Not rec.	43·82	20th Sept.	
		Kooshtea	0·42	0·37	Not rec.	Not rec.	36·24	ditto.	
		Ranaghat	0·61	0·67	Not rec.	Not rec.	38·98	ditto.	
	Jessore ...	Jessore	1·38	0·31	0·01	1·30	43·84	4th Oct.	
		Nurrail	4·12	2·28	1·65	0·50	66·02	ditto.	
		Khoolneah	2·37	1·30	1·05	Nil	58·65	ditto.	
		Jenadah	2·41	0·33	0·33	0·32	42·87	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut	1·68	1·40	0·70	Nil	54·53	ditto.	
		Magoorah	2·72	1·80	0·37	0·97	46·77	ditto.	
Rajshahye.	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	1·33	0 68	Nil	0·46	31·17	ditto.	
		Ramporehaut	1·56	0·65	Not rec.	Not rec.	28·29	20th Sept.	
		City Moorshedabad ...	1·53	1·75	Not rec.	0·10	26·74	4th Oct. ...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
		Jungipore	3·54	1·83	0·09	1·13	36·01	ditto.	
		Azimgunge	2·50	Nil	0·10	Nil	34·78	ditto.	
		Lalgolla	1·22	0·38	Nil	2·82	40·38	ditto ...	From 1st Feb.
	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	0·72	0·39	Nil	0·17	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah ...	Maldah	0·46	1·47	Nil	1·89	26·10	ditto.	
	Rajshahye ...	Beauleah	0·59	0·42	Nil	0·97	31·86	ditto.	
		Nattore	1·68	1·47	0 30	1·50	43·49	ditto.	
	Rungpore ...	Rungpore	0·12	1 56	0·25	0·55	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge	0 85	3·08	0·96	1·76	47·12	ditto.	
		Titalya	2·62	4·63	1·07	0·66	82·72	ditto.	
	Bograh ...	Bograh	0·87	1·07	Nil	0·67	36·74	ditto.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	1·71	2·16	0·07	0·09	42·81	ditto.	
		Serajgunge	1·40	1·60	Not rec.	0·30	34·63	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling Telegraph Office	Not rec.	Not rec.	Not rec.	Not rec.	71·82	15th Aug.	
		Darjeeling Hospital ...	3·80	0·88	1·06	0·44	77·74	4th Oct.	
	Julpigoree ...	Julpigoree	1·11	2·70	7·38	0·63	88·20	ditto.	
		Fallacotta	2·32	0·92	1·06	2·67	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah	0·15	4·22	0·81	0·94	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar	3·43	1·94	3·01	0·38	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars ...	Buxa	0·96	9·58	11·16	0·80	175·64	ditto.	
	Eastern Districts.								
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca ... Telegraph Office ...	3·10	0·45	0·19	Nil	60·42	ditto.	
		Dacca ... Hospital ...	2·14	0·37	0·25	0·24	58·18	ditto.	
		Moonshegunge	1·22	0·89	Nil	Nil	63·01	ditto.	
		Manickgunge	2·05	0·01	Nil	0·78	48·55	ditto.	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	4·75	2·84	0·90	Nil	50·55	ditto.	
		Goalundo	2·99	0·78	Not rec.	Nil	41·73	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
	Backergunge ...	Burrisaul	2·14	0·72	2·71	1·48	58·88	ditto.	
		Perozepore	1·45	0·33	0·85	0·81	55·27	ditto.	
		Madaripore	1·01	1·05	1·80	Nil	59·59	ditto.	
		Patooakhally	2·76	3·35	1·25	2·10	85·23	ditto.	
		Dowlat Khan	2·40	3·34	2·15	2·54	93·81	ditto.	
	Mymensing ...	Mymensing	0·72	0·30	1·10	1·34	61·12	ditto.	
		Jamalpore	0·92	3·31	0·85	Nil	48·31	ditto.	
		Atteah	1·55	1·65	0·45	0·10	43·70	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge	0·50	1·50	3·14	0·30	65·07	ditto.	
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	1·24	2·71	7·85	1·04	125·68	ditto.	
	Cachar ...	Cachar	0·65	4·33	4·58	1·00	94·92	ditto.	
		Hylakandy	2·33	0·81	2·93	2·96	82·85	ditto.	
		Koyah	1·67	2·44	Not rec.	Not rec.	77·64	20thSept.	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	4·60	0·30	1·40	1·50	80·70	4th Oct.	
		Chittagong Jail	4·12	0·76	1·61	1·04	81·94	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar	1·85	4·21	Not rec.	Not rec.	139·06	20th Sept.	
	Noakhally ..	Noakhally	1·08	3·86	0·73	1·81	108·61	4th Oct.	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	1·44	0·21	1·05	0·03	71·68	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah	3 29	0·96	0·94	0·06	55·24	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill	1·32	1·25	3·17	3·00	70·51	ditto.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	3·37	1·68	1·15	0·30	56·65	ditto.	

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 7th to 13th Sept. 1873.	Rain from 14th to 20th Sept. 1873.	Rain from 21st to 27th Sept. 1873.	Rain from 28th Sept. to 4th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BEHAR.			Inches.	Inches.				1873.	
Patna	Patna	Patna	0·67	0·05	Nil	Nil	30·49	4th Oct.	
		Behar	0·97	0·45	Nil	0·25	38·09	ditto.	
		Barh	1·30	0·34	Nil	Nil	33·18	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Jail	0·40	Nil.	Nil	Nil	33·96	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Cantonment	0·55	Nil.	Nil	Nil	34·60	ditto.	
	Gya	Gya	1·74	0·53	Nil	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah	1·84	1·00	Nil	Nil	40·94	ditto.	
		Arungabad	1 00	0·30	Nil	0·37	33·04	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	0·61	0·57	Nil	Not rec.	38·73	27th Sept.	
	Shahabad	Arrah	1·83	1·17	Nil	Nil	37·72	4th Oct.	
		Sasseram	0·38	0·78	Nil	0·05	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar	1·35	Nil.	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhubooah	0·69	0·73	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozufferpore	0·27	1·76	Not rec.	Not rec.	28·94	20th Sept.	
		Durbhangah	1·70	0·22	Not rec.	Not rec.	23·46	ditto.	
		Hajeepore	1·04	0·12	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·36	ditto.	
		Mudhubani	4·58	Nil.	Not rec.	Not rec.	27·20	ditto.	
		Seetamaree	1·30	1·70	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·60	ditto.	
		Tajpore	0·51	1·89	0·15	Nil	31·11	4th Oct.	
	Sarun	Chuprah	0·83	Nil.	Nil	Nil	33·88	ditto.	
		Sewan	0·60	0·20	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Chumparun	Moteehari	0·23	Nil.	Nil	0·11	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah	Nil.	Nil.	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
Bhaugulpore	Monghyr	Monghyr	1·25	1·34	Nil	0·66	38·20	ditto.	
		Begooserai	2·29	0·56	Nil	0·95	35·45	ditto.	
		Jamooie	2·12	0·21	Not rec.	Not rec.	43·09	20th Sept.	
	Bhaugulpore	Bhangulpore	1·17	0·57	Nil	0 10	28·62	4th Oct.	
		Soopool	2·18	0·99	Nil	0·68	26·73	ditto.	
		Mudheypoorah	1·40	1·00	0·10	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka	3·02	1·04	Nil	0·84	36·42	ditto.	
		Sanborsa	1·02	0·41	Nil	0·21	27·12	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah	2·28	2·36	0·13	1·20	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge	2 32	0·43	Nil	0·24	37 69	ditto.	
		Arrareah	4·52	0·37	Nil	Nil	35·00	ditto.	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Deoghur	1·55	3·61	Nil	1·22	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara	1·00	1·00	Nil	Not rec.	34·07	27th Sept.	Not recorded 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal	1·80	0·50	0·20	0·50	23 00	4th Oct.	
		Moheshpore	1·80	0·68	Not rec.	Not rec.	25·24	20th Sept.	From 15th June.
		Nya-Doomka	1·48	4·70	0·02	1·10	52·94	4th Oct.	
		Godda	2·23	1·70	Nil	1·65	35·81	ditto.	
ORISSA.									
Orissa	Cuttack	Cuttack Telegraph Office	0·70	Nil.	0·40	1·70	32·40	ditto.	
		Cuttack Hospital	0·75	0·45	0·65	1·31	36·40	ditto.	
		Jajipore	3·20	Nil.	Nil	Nil	30·81	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	1·10	1·90	1·80	Nil	52 50	ditto.	
		Juguts ingpore	0·69	1·37	0·13	0·74	35·74	ditto.	
		False Point	1 45	0·50	0·45	Nil	36 35	ditto.	
	Pooree	Pooree	3·72	2·00	0·72	0·50	42·76	ditto.	
		Khurdah	2·24	0·85	0·26	2·28	46·64	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	3·17	1·37	Nil	0·56	43·04	ditto.	
		Bhuddruck	3·76	0·26	Not rec.	Nil	31·84	ditto ...	Not received 21-27 Sept.
		Jellasore	2·13	1·13	0·38	0·16	47·61	ditto ...	From 1st April.
		Sorah	4·32	0·61	Nil	0·58	35·29	ditto ...	Ditto.
		Chandbally	2 37	0·28	Nil	Nil	29·08	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sambalpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	Not rec.	Not rec.	44·12	23rd Aug.	
CHOTA NAGPORE.									
South-Western Frontier Agency.									
	Hazareebaugh	Hazareebaugh Jail	5·46	1·81	Nil	2·36	59·04	4th Oct.	
		Hazareebaugh Dispensary	3·72	2·77	Nil	2·70	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba	1·89	0·65	Nil	1·60	51·55	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah	Ranchee	3·91	3·85	Nil	1·71	49 95	ditto.	
		Palamow	1·85	0·55	Nil	0·50	39·08	ditto.	
	Singbhoom	Chyebassa	3·01	0·72	Nil	0·76	38·39	ditto.	
	Maunbhoom	Purulia	1·69	0·33	Nil	0·06	40·61	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	2·10	5·98	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.									
	Goalparah	Goalparah	1·99	0·69	0·46	0·47	68·21	ditto.	
		Dhoobree	5·65	Nil.	Nil	0·10	9·42	ditto.	
	Kamroop	Gowhatty	Nil.	1·09	0·06	1·74	48·79	ditto.	
		Burpettah	0·11	1·00	0 44	Not rec.	69·60	27th Sept.	
	Durrung	Tezpore	1·35	1·49	0·57	Not rec	63·39	ditto.	
		Mungledye	0·26	0·60	2·17	Not rec.	53·00	ditto.	
	Nowgong	Nowgong	3·29	0·51	0·87	0·29	70·56	4th Oct.	
	Seebsaugor	Seebsaugor	0·30	2·27	2·62	Not rec.	70·58	27th Sept.	
		Golaghat	0·92	1·70	0·47	Not rec.	63·72	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	1·52	1·07	4·55	Not rec.	57 60	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	0·27	3·92	2·24	Not rec.	72·30	ditto.	
	Luckimpore	Debrooghur	0·12	2·72	2·70	Not rec	85·93	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	1·55	1·70	4·82	Not rec.	97·44	ditto.	
	Naga Hills	Suddya	3·09	2·93	1·17	Not rec.	81·12	ditto.	
		Samoogoodting	0·69	0·56	0·55	Not rec.	41·52	ditto.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills.	Shillong	1·12	3·14	Nil	Not rec.	52·57	ditto.	
		Jaowai	0·99	1·38	1·30	Not rec.	70 95	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	4·59	3·26	2·45	Not rec.	290·15	ditto.	
	Garo Hills	Tura	1·62	0·69	0·67	Not rec.	84·80	4th Oct.	
		Benares	0·77	0·92	Nil	Nil	35·83	ditto.	
		Akyab	5·50	2·70	6 90	2·40	188·40	ditto.	

CALCUTTA,
The 11th October 1873.

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Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 5th to 11th Oct. 1873.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. * Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials
Calcutta.	Oct. 5th	10	29·853	29·871	87·4	77·0	60	E N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29 740	29 758	90·4	76·2	50	N E	...	..	K, C	
	6th	10	29 907	29·925	86·0	71·6	46	E N E	.	...	C	
		16	29 781	29 799	88·2	72·5	44	N W	.	...	.....	b
	7th	10	29·909	29·927	85 5	72·0	49	N E	.	...	C	
		16	29 780	29·798	88·6	73·8	47	N W		...	.. ..	b
	8th	10	29·908	29·926	85·3	74·3	57	N N W	..	...	.. ..	b
		16	29·791	29·809	88 5	73 0	44	N N W		..	.....	b
	9th	10	29 918	29·966	84·2	77·2	71	N E	...	...	CK	
		16	29·843	29 861	86 7	77 4	64	E by S	...	...	CK	
	10th	10	29·952	29·970	86·5	76·5	61	E	.	..	C	
		16	29·827	29·845	87·2	79 2	68	E by S	...	.	CK	
	11th	10	29·945	29 963	84·0	78·5	77	E by S	...	...	S	
		16	29·818	29 836	79 9	76·5	84	S by E	..	0 04	S	
Saugor Island.	Oct. 5th	10	29·858	29 864	88	75	52	N E	5·0	.	K	b, v
		16	29·745	29·751	88	77	58	N	12·1	..	C	b
	6th	10	29 912	29·918	86	74	54	N N E	5 4	...	C	b, v
		16	29·790	29·796	86	73	51	N N W	10·2	...	C	b
	7th	10	29·919	29 925	85	75	60	N N W	4·7	...	C	b, v
		16	29·799	29·805	86	72	48	N	6·9	...	C	b, v
	8th	10	29·915	29·921	84	75	64	N N W	6·4	...	C	b
		16	29·815	29 821	86	72	48	N N W	7·8	...	C	b, v
	9th	10	29·943	29 949	85	76	64	N	6·9	..	C	b, v
		16	29 840	29 846	84	78	75	E N E	8·6	...	N	b, u
	10th	10	29·967	29 973	80	78	91	E	6·1	...	N	d, o, u
		16	29·869	29·875	81	78	86	S E	2·6	...	N	o, v, u
	11th	10	29·956	29·962	76	75	95	E S E	4·4	1·00	N	o, r
		16	29·818	29·824	76	75	95	E	5·3	0·60	N	o, r
Chittagong.	Oct. 5th	10	29 787	29·880	82	80	91	N W	1·6	.	KS	g
		16	29·670	29 762	85	80	79	W S W	4·8	.	C, CK, K	v
	6th	10	29·844	29·937	82	75	70	N	2·5	...	CK, KS	v
		16	29 727	29 819	84	75	64	W	3·4	...	CK, C	b, v
	7th	10	29 854	29·946	84	74	60	N	3·6	...	....	b, u
		16	29·725	29·817	86	78	68	W	4·9	.	.....	b, v
	8th	10	29·842	29 934	85	76	64	N W	2·8	.	.....	b, v
		16	29·801	29·893	87	78	65	W S W	4·7	..	.....	b, v
	9th	10	29 892	29 984	85	78	71	N	3 2	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·791	29 883	87	78	65	W S W	5·2	...	.....	b, v
	10th	10	29·886	29·978	86	80	75	N	2·5	...	K, CK	b, v
		16	29·820	29 914	77	74	86	E	4 7	...	KS	t, u
	11th	10	29 892	29·985	80	75	78	N N W	3·6	0·20	KS	v
		16	29·784	29·876	83	78	78	N W	4·0	...	KS	g
Madras.	Oct. 4th	10	29 822	29 852	82	78	82	W	9	0·24	.....	c
		16	29·683	29·713	85	79	75	N E by E	6	...	.....	b c
	5th	10	29·813	29·843	87	80	72	S by E	4	0·61	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·690	29 720	86	79	72	N E by E	10	..	.....	c
	6th	10	29·853	29·883	87	80	72	E by N	7	0·59	.....	c
		16	29·730	29·760	86	79	72	E by N	8	...	.....	c
	7th	10	29 867	29·897	84	77	71	N N W	9	0·24	.....	c
		16	29·759	29·789	79	76	86	W by N	7	...	.....	cloudy.
	8th	10	29·832	29·862	78	75	86	N W by N	9	0·08	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·733	29 763	76	75	95	N by W	10	0·35	.....	o
	9th	10	29·837	29·867	75	74	95	W N W	7	1·02	.....	o
		16	29·731	29 761	78	75	86	N W by N	7	0·65	.....	o
	10th	10	29 814	29·844	80	76	82	N N W	11	0·20	.....	o
		16	29 721	29·751	84	78	75	N by W	9	...	.....	cloudy.
Cuttack.	Oct. 5th	10	29 785	29·867	88	79	65	N N E	0·4	...	K	b
		16	29·690	29·772	87	77	61	E N E	5·3	...	CK, C	
	6th	10	29 827	29·909	86	76	61	N E	0·9	...	CK	b
		16	29·723	29 805	88	74	49	N E	5 5	...	CK	b
	7th	10	29·837	29 919	86	76	58	N	0·4	...	CK	b
		16	29 693	29 775	89	75	49	N E	2·5	...	C	b
	8th	10	29·827	29 909	87	75	55	N N E	0·5	...	C	b
		16	29·733	29·814	90	76	50	N N E	2·9	...	CK	b
	9th	10	29 857	29 939	86	74	54	N E	2·4	...	CK	b
		16	29·765	29·847	85	72	50	E N E	5·3	...	K, KS, C	
	10th	10	29·875	29·958	78	76	90	N E	3·2	0·10	N	r
		16	29·756	29·839	77	75	90	N E	6·5	...	N	p
	11th	10	29·841	29·925	75	74	95	N N E	4·1	0·80	N	r
		16	29·682	29·765	77	75	90	N E	4·9	...	N	d
Akyab.	Oct. 5th	10	29·859	29·880	84	79	79	N	0·7	0·20	.....	g
		16	29 727	29·748	83	78	78	S E	2·5	0·10	.....	b
	6th	10	29·879	29·901	82	79	87	E	1·6	1·50	.....	b, g
		16	29·759	29·780	85	80	79	S	3·1	...	.....	b
	7th	10	29·889	29·911	81	79	91	N N E	0·9	...	.....	g
		16	29·766	29·787	88	82	76	S S E	3·8	...	.....	b
	8th	10	29·896	29·917	84	80	83	N E	1·1	...	.....	b
		16	29·780	29·801	89	80	66	W	4·0	...	.....	b
	9th	10	29·934	29·955	85	81	83	E	1·3	...	.....	b
		16	29 823	29·844	88	80	69	S W	3·5	...	.....	b
	10th	10	29·924	29·945	85	80	79	E	2·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·848	29·869	84	79	79	S S W	4 3	...	.....	b
	11th	10	29·919	29 941	82	78	82	E N E	3·8	...	.....	g
		16	29·801	29·822	84	80	83	N W	3 6	...	.....	b
												g

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 11th October 1873.

H. F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 1st to 7th October 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer: Highest reading.	Thermometer: Lowest reading.	Thermometer: Max. solar radiation.	Thermometer: Mean dry bulb	Mean wet bulb	Computed mean dew-point	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind: Prevailing direction	Wind: Max. pressure.	Wind: Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Remarks.
		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	°			lb	Miles	In.		
Oct. ...	1st	29 799	91·0	79·5	140·0	84 9	80 0	76 6	0·77	E S E & E	...	87·4	...		Clear, cumuli and cirri.
	2nd	·788	91·5	80 0	144·6	84·8	80 0	76·6	·77	E & S E	..	100·9			Clear and cumuli.
	3rd	·777	93·0	78·5	145·0	85·7	80·1	76·2	·74	S E & E	1 8	101·5	2·05	.	Cirri, cirrostrati and cumuli. Thunder and Lightning at 8½ and 11 P.M. Rain at 8 and 9 P.M.
	4th	773	89·5	79·2	139·4	83·9	79·2	75·9	·78	S W & N E	...	112 6	..		Stratoni, & cirro-cumuli. Thunder at Midnight. Lightning at Midnight and 1 A.M.
	5th	788	91·0	78·0	138·5	84·4	77·3	72·3	·68	E N E & N by W		112 4	.	...	Clear and cumuli.
	6th	·832	89·5	76·8	135·6	82·6	74·0	68·0	·63	N N E & W N W		134·8		O	Clear and cirri.
	7th	·843	88·8	76·0	137·0	82 1	74·0	68·3	·64	W N W	...	189·2		..	Clear and cirri. Slightly foggy from 1 to 4 A.M.

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means, are derived from the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represent the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of the lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of the ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noon.

		°
The extreme variation of temperature during the past seven days	..	17·0
The max. temperature during the past seven days	..	93·0
The max. temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	...	91·3
The mean humidity during the past seven days	...	0·72
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·84
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 1st to 7th ... by lower rain gauge	...	2·05
The total fall of rain from 1st to 7th ... by anemometer gauge	...	1·90
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	.	1 73
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 7th October	...	43·96
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	64·55

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
In charge of the Observatory.

The 9th October 1873.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT.—No. 357.—*The 13th October* 1873.

Statement showing heights over mean sea level and low water on Rivers Ganges, Bhagirutty, and Brahmapootra during the month of September 1873.

Date.	Miles.	River Ganges.														River Bhagirutty.				Brahmapootra.	
		Benares.		Buxar.		Dinapore.		Monghyr.		Sahibgunge.		Rampore Beauleah.		Goalundo.		Berhampore.		Kishnaghur.		Gowhatty.	
				90.		177.	87.	287.	110.	381.	94.	471.	90.	591.	120.			70.			
	Distance.			From Benares.		From Benares.	From Buxar.	From Benares.	From Dinapore.	From Benares.	From Monghyr.	From Benares.	From Sahibgunge.	From Benares.	From Rampore Beauleah.			From Berhampore.			
		Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.
1st		.....	.....	19′7″	185·37	15′2″	155·14	14′9″	116·60	19′9″	87·75	19′1″	61·08	19′3″	28·19	20′7″	52·98	19′8½″	28·49	24′9½″	
2nd		.....	.....	20′0″	185·98	14′10¼″	154·86	14′4″	116·18	19′5″	87·41	18′7″	60·58	19′11″	28·02	20′2″	52·58	19′3″	28·04	24′00″	173·56
3rd		.....	.....	20′2″	186·15	15′10¼″	155·86	14′6″	116·35	19′1″	87·03	18′2″	60·16	18′11″	27·85	19′10″	52·23	18′8″	27·45	23′6″	172·76
4th		.....	.....	20′3″	186·23	16′00″	156·00	15′11″	117·76	19′2″	87·16	17′11″	59·91	18′10″	27·77	19′6″	51·90	18′3½″	27·08	23′00″	172·26
5th		.....	.....	26′0″	191·98	17′6″	157·49	16′3″	118·10	19′5″	87·41	17′11″	59·91	18′9″	27·69	19′5¾″	51·88	17′10″	26·62	22′8½	171·76
6th		.....	.....	27′8″	193·65	18′11″	158·90	16′10″	118·58	19′9″	87·75	17′11″	59·91	18′10″	27·77	19′6½″	51·94	17′4½″	26·16	22′9½	171·46
7th		.....	.....	28′7″	194·57	19′4″	159·34	19′4″	121·18	20′11″	88·91	18′5″	60·41	19′0″	27·94	19′10½″	52·27	17′8″	26·46	23′1″	171·56
8th		.....	.....	28′10″	194·82	20′7″	159·56	20′2″	121·91	21′9″	89·75	19′4″	61·33	18′10″	27·77	20′5″	52·81	17′10″	26·26	23′2½″	171·86
9th		.....	.....	29′1″	195·07	20′9½″	160·80	20′9″	122·60	22′5″	90·41	19′10″	61·83	18′10″	27·77	21′1″	53·48	18′7″	27·37	23′1¼″	171·96
10th		.....	.....	29′7″	195·57	20′10½″	160·86	21′9″	123·60	22′10″	90·83	20′3″	62·25	18′10″	27·77	21′3″	54·06	19′1″	27·87	23′2½″	171·86
11th		.....	.....	30′3″	196·23	21′11″	161·93	22′1″	123·93	23′1″	91·08	20′2″	62·16	19′0″	27·94	22′0″	54·40	19′6½″	28·33	23′0″	171·96
12th		.....	.....	31′10″	197·82	22′5″	162·45	23′6″	124·35	23′6″	91·50	21′1″	63·08	19′1″	28·02	22′2¼″	54·58	19′7″	28·37	22′7¼	171·76
13th		.....	.....	32′10″	198·82	23′1″	163·08	23′11″	124·76	24′1″	92·08	21′2″	63·16	19′3″	28·19	22′7¼″	54·98	19′8″	28·45	22′1¼	171·36
14th		.....	.....	33′4″	199·32	23′11″	163·94	24′4″	126·18	24′7″	92·58	21′8″	63·66	19′4″	28·27	22′10″	55·23	19′10½″	28·66	21′9″	170·86
15th		43′6″	240·00	33′10″	199·82	24′3″	164·25	24′9″	126·60	25′2″	93·16	22′2″	64·16	19′3″	28·19	23′3¼″	55·69	20′0½″	28·83	20′7½″	170·56
16th		44′0″	240·50	34′1″	200·07	23′11″	163·93	25′1″	126·63	25′6″	93·50	22′7″	64·58	19′0″	27·94	23′7¾″	56·00	20′7″	29·37	19′4″	169·36
17th		44′8″	241·16	34′1″	200·07	24′11″	164·93	25′2″	127·01	25′9″	98·75	22′10″	64·83	19′0″	27·94	23′11¼″	56·33	20′11¼″	29·74	18′8½″	168·06
18th		45′0″	241·50	34′0″	199·98	25′4¾″	165·39	25′7″	127·43	26′3″	94·25	23′1″	65·08	19′0″	27·94	24′2″	56·56	21′3″	30·04	18′0″	167·46
19th		45′0″	241·50	34′0″	199·98	24′7¼″	164·61	25′6½″	127·39	26′7″	94·58	23′4″	65·33	18′9″	27·69	24′4¾″	56·75	21′4″	30·12	17′9½″	166·76
20th		44′9″	241·25	34′2″	200·14	24′8″	164·67	25′5½″	127·30	26′10″	94·83	23′7″	65·58	18′11″	27·85	24′7¼″	57·02	21′6″	30·29	18′2½″	166·56
21st		O	.....	34′0″	199·98	24′9¼″	164·77	25′8″	127·51	27′1″	95·08	23′10″	65·83	18′9″	27·69	24′9½″	57·19	21′8″	30·45	18′8½″	166·96
22nd		40′6″	237·00	33′7″	199·57	24′4″	164·33	25′9″	127·66	27′2″	95·16	23′8″	65·66	18′8″	27·60	25′0″	57·40	21′10½″	30·66	19′0″	167·46
23rd		35′0″	231·50	31′8″	197·65	24′1¼″	164·10	25′6″	127·35	27′3″	95·25	23′11″	65·91	18′8″	27·60	25′2″	57·56	22′0½″	30·83	20′2½″	167·76
24th		30′0″	226·50	31′1″	197·07	22′11½″	162·96	24′9″	126·60	27′2″	95·16	24′6″	66·00	18′7″	27·52	25′3¼″	57·67	22′1″	30·87	19′9¾″	168·96
25th		27′4″	223·83	27′4″	193·32	20′5″	160·40	23′0″	124·85	26′10″	94·83	24′0″	66·00	18′5″	27·35	25′3″	57·65	22′2″	30·95	19′8½″	168·56
26th		25′2″	221·66	26′1″	192·07	18′6″	158·50	20′9″	122·60	25′7″	93·58	23′11″	65·91	18′5″	27·35	25′1½″	57·50	22′3″	31·04	19′2½″	168·46
27th		23′8″	220·16	24′0″	189·98	17′5″	157·42	18′9″	119·60	22′2″	92·16	23,3″	65·25	18′8″	27·60	24′0½″	57·19	22′3″	31·04	19′1¼″	167·96
28th		O	.....	23′1″	189·07	16′4″	156·32	17′4″	119·18	22′1″	90·41	22′3″	64·25	18′6″	27·44	24′2	56·56	22′1″	30·87	19′0″	167·86
29th		21′6″	218·00	21′10″	187·82	15′6½″	155·54	16′5″	118·26	21′1″	89·08	21′1″	63·08	18′3″	27·19	23′½″	55·50	21′9″	30·54	19′3″	167·76
30th		20′6″	217·00	21′0″	186·98	14′10¾″	154·88	15′9″	117·60	20′2″	88·16	20′0″	62·00	18′0″	26·94	22′0″	54·40	21′4″	30·12	23′2	168·26

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Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th September 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
the week	101,868	1,22,829 9 3	11,259 7 7	684,539 0	3,07,398 4 3	28,178 3 6	39,437 11 1
railway	.....	95 15 4	8 15 11	.....	240 2 6	22 0 4	30 16 3
weeks of half-year...	1,076,217	13,07,708 1 9	1,10,873 4 10	5,807,712 0	25,53,986 15 9	2,34,115 9 6	3,53,988 14 4
for 12 weeks... ...	1,178,085	14,30,537 11 0	1,31,132 12 5	6,492,251 0	28,61,385 4 0	2,62,293 13 0	3,93,426 5 5
MPARISON.							
orresponding week of ear	95,412	1,16,627 5 8	10,690 16 10	483,997 30	2,49,165 11 11	22,840 3 10	33,531 0 8
f railway, corresponding revious year	.....	91 1 10	8 7 0	.....	194 10 7	17 16 11	26 3 11
corresponding date of year	1,127,442	13,41,596 14 6	1,22,979 14 4	5,032,612 0	2,45,641 7 6	2,42,517 2 9	3,65,496 17 1

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th September 1873, on 223½ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
ic for the week	2,894	8,477 4 0	777 1 8	42,717 0	12,101 5 3	1,109 5 9	1,886 7 5
ie of railway	.....	37 14 10	3 9 7	.....	54 2 4	4 19 3	8 8 10
us 11 weeks of half-year...	39,472	91,817 5 3	8,419 6 9	254,599 20	1,09,050 6 3	9,996 5 9	18,415 12 6
otal for 12 weeks... ...	42,366	100,324 9 3	9,196 8 5	297,316 20	1,21,151 11 6	11,105 11 6	20,301 19 11
COMPARISON.							
corresponding week of year	4,352	9,262 14 11	849 2 0	33,942 10	10,252 7 2	939 16 2	1,788 18 2
railway, corresponding revious year	.....	41 7 1	3 16 0	.....	45 14 0	4 4 1	8 0 1
esponding date of pre-	48,437	1,05,929 15 5	9,710 4 11	346,198 30	98,939 4 2	9,069 8 8	18,779 13 7

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th September 1873, on 158¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
for the week	27,924	17,278 1 3	1,583 16 5	173,550 25	76,354 9 11	6,999 3 5	8,582 19 10
f railway	176	109 2 11	10 0 2	1,097 0	482 7 11	44 3 8	54 3 10
s 11 weeks of half-	336,202½	191,797 3 6	17,581 7 11	1,288,922 34	4,12,129 3 0	37,778 11 11	55,359 19 10
12 weeks	364,126½	209,075 4 9	19,165 4 4	1,462,472 19	4,88,483 12 11	44,777 15 4	63,941 19 8
OMPARISON.							
esponding week of	21,269	12,121 9 10	1,111 3 0	147,089 21	34,321 13 7	3,146 3 4	4,257 6 4
way, corresponding ous year	136	77 7 3	7 2 0	940 0	219 4 11	20 2 1	27 4 1
nding date of pre-	3,24,133	176,179 7 7	16,149 15 8	1,723,642 25	4,21,864 7 5	38,670 18 2	54,820 13 10

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th September 1873, on 158¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
the week	43,591	28,553 7 6	2,617 16 4	1,39,708 9	63,515 2 0	5,822 4 5	8,440 0 9
railway	275	180 6 11	16 10 10	882 0	401 5 9	36 15 10	53 6 8
weeks of half-year...	336,202½	2,09,075 4 9	19,165 4 4	1,462,472 19	4,88,483 12 11	44,777 15 4	63,941 19 8
13 weeks	379,793½	2,37,628 12 3	21,783 0 8	1,602,180 28	5,51,998 14 11	50,599 19 9	72,382 0 5
MPARISON.							
esponding week of	38,237½	19,090 7 7	1,749 19 2	179,995 15	38,787 13 8	3,555 11 1	5,305 10 3
dway, corresponding ious year	244	121 15 9	11 3 8	1,150 0	247 13 6	22 14 4	33 18 10
esponding date of	362,370½	1,95,269 15 2	17,899 14 10	1,903,638 0	4,60,652 5 1	42,226 9 3	60,126 4 1

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 4th October 1873, on 1280 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.	
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	110,378	151,805 13 9	13,915 10 9	495,574 0	2,34,299 5 3	21,477 8 9
Or per mile of railway ...		118 9 7	10 17 5	.....	183 0 9	16 15 7
For previous 13 weeks of half-year	1,308,835	16,05,157 8 0	147,139 8 9	7,248,541 10	31,75,239 0 9	291,063 11 7
Total for 14 weeks	1,419,213	17,56,963 5 9	161,054 19 6	7,744,115 10	34,09,538 6 0	312,541 0 4
COMPARISON.						
Total for corresponding week of previous year	102,465	142,329 11 2	13,046 17 10	559,089 10	2,61,976 1 7	24,014 9 6
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	111 3 2	10 3 10	.....	204 10 8	18 15 3
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,329,653	1,601,824 14 2	146,833 19 0	6,151,166 10	32,02,413 14 10	293,554 12 3

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th September 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	5,156	927 0 0	92 14 0	9,219 0	305 0 0	30 10 0
Or per mile of railway	184	33 0 0	3 6 0	329 0	11 0 0	1 2 0
For previous 12 weeks of half-year...	49,558	8,534 0 0	853 8 0	218,236 0	7,143 0 0	714 6 0
Total for 13 weeks	54,714	9,461 0 0	946 2 0	227,455 0	7,448 0 0	744 16 0
COMPARISON.						
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,210	707 5 6	70 14 8	14,565 17	443 0 0	44 16 1
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	150	25 4 2	2 10 6	520 8	16 0 0	1 12 0
Total to corresponding date of previous year	50,278	8,789 12 3	878 19 6	159,077 9	4,789 7 6	478 18 11

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 4th October 1873, on 223¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	3,787	10,298 3 9	944 0 1	55,747 20	17,379 7 6	1,593 2 4
Or per mile of railway	.....	46 1 3	4 4 5	.....	77 12 2	7 2 7
For previous 13 weeks of half-year	45,756	1,09,008 4 6	9,992 8 6	449,725 30	1,37,170 13 0	12,573 10 10
Total for 1 week	49,543	1,19,306 8 3	10,936 8 7	505,473 10	1,54,550 4 6	14,167 2 2
COMPARISON.						
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,187	8,909 8 7	816 14 2	38,270 30	11,949 7 7	1,095 7 4
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	39 13 10	3 13 1	.....	53 7 5	4 18 0
Total to corresponding date of previous year	53,791	1,26,217 0 7	11,569 17 11	421,738 20	1,21,936 0 7	11,177 9 4

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th September 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	1,30,750	1,74,619 13 0	16,006 16 4	756,290 10	3,13,853 12 9	28,763 18 7
Or per mile of railway	.....	136 6 9	12 10 1	.....	245 3 2	22 9 7
For previous 12 weeks of half-year	1,178,085	14,30,537 11 0	1,31,132 12 5	6,492,251 0	28,61,385 4 0	262,298 13 0
Total for 13 weeks ...	1,308,835	16,05,157 8 0	1,47,139 8 9	7,248,541 10	31,75,239 0 9	291,063 11 7
COMPARISON.						
Total for corresponding week of previous year	99,746	1,17,808 4 6	10,807 6 10	559,465 0	2,94,796 5 9	27,023 0 0
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	92 1 9	8 8 10	.....	230 4 11	21 2 3
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,227,188	14,59,495 3 0	1,33,787 1 2	5,592,077 0	29,40,437 13 3	269,540 2 9

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

pproximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th September 1873, on 223½ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
fic for the week	3,390	8,683 11 3	796 0 1	52,409 10	10,019 1 6	1,468 8 4	2,264 8 5
fic of railway ...	.....	32 13 8	3 11 3	.....	71 10 9	6 11 5	10 2 8
ous 12 weeks of half-year ...	42,366	1,00,324 9 3	9,193 8 5	897,316 20	1,21,151 11 6	11,105 11 6	20,301 19 11
al for 13 weeks ...	45,756	1,09,008 4 6	9,992 8 6	449,725 30	1,37,170 13 0	12,573 19 10	22,566 8 4
COMPARISON.							
r corresponding week of s year	4,167	11,377 8 7	1,042 18 10	37,269 0	11,047 4 10	1,012 13 4	2,056 12 2
of railway, corresponding previous year	.....	50 14 6	4 13 4	.....	49 6 10	4 10 7	9 3 1
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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1556.

GENERAL.—*The 22nd September* 1873.—Mr. Charles Randall Marindin, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred to Furreedpore.

The 15th October 1873.—Mr. James Francis Bradbury, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is allowed two weeks' leave of absence to present himself for examination in Bengali by the high proficiency test at the examinations which will be held in Calcutta in January next.

The 16th October 1873.—Mr. Thomas Frank Bignold, B.A., is appointed to officiate as Inspector-General of Registration during the absence on furlough of Mr. H. Beverley, or until further orders. Mr. Bignold will also officiate as Marriage Registrar of Calcutta under Act V of 1872, Senior Marriage Registrar of that Town under Section 16 of Act V of 1865, and Registrar of Parsee Marriages under Act XV of 1865 beyond the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court.

Mr. Charles Arthur Kelly, M.A., is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Durbhungah in the Fourth Grade during the absence on duty of Mr. A. B. Falcon, or until further orders.

Mr. Reginald Porch, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Second Grade, Beerbhoom, is transferred to Pubna.

Mr. William Henry Maffett Gun, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack, is appointed to have charge of the Jajipore division in that district during the absence on leave of Babu Umbica Churn Roy Chowdhry, or until further orders.

The following Extra Assistant Commissioners in Hazareebaugh are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class:—

Baboo Rajgopal Roy.
" Hurrihur Churn Lall.

Baboo Kasturi Lall, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hazareebaugh, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Moulvi Mahomed-ul-Nobi is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in the district of Gya.

The 17th October 1873.—Rai Gutgnath Roy, a temporary first grade Sub-Collector, is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Shahabad.

Baba Jaukey Prasad, deceased.

Moulvi Athar Hossein, Second Grade Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be porarily a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Chumparun.

Mr. William Darcy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakhaly, is al privilege leave for five months, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

The Senior Covenanted Assistant to the Magistrate of Moorshedabad is vested powers under Section 20, Act XXII of 1864, to try breaches of the rules passed Section 19 of the said Act in the Cantonment of Berhampore.

Moulvi Syed Ameer Hossein, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Nov having returned to duty on the morning of the 7th July, the unexpired portion of the granted to him under orders of the 30th June last is cancelled.

The 18th October 1873.—Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India has grant Mr. Thomas Durant Beighton, C.S., an extension of leave for four months on medical ficate.

Baboo Tarinee Coomar Ghose, B.A., Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, bhoom, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

The 20th October 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor has learned with grief and pa accidental death of that very promising and meritorious officer Mr. Rowland Vyner Coc Acting Additional Judge, 24-Pergunnahs and Hooghly.

The following appointments are made with effect from the date of Mr. R. V. Cock death :—

Mr. Albert Champion Mangles to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third
,, Charles Cecil Stevens to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Fourth in Nuddea.
,, David Robert Lyall to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector First Grade, and to continue to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of in the Third Grade.
,, William Wavell to officiate in the Third Grade of Magistrates and Collect

The following appointments are made with effect from the 16th October, on whic Mr. Henry Abbott Robert Alexander's resignation takes effect :—

Mr. Arthur Levien to be a Judge of the Second Grade.
,, Charles Theophilus Metcalfe to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Grade, but to continue to officiate as Commissioner of the Cooch B Division.
,, Warren Hastings D'Oyly to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third G in Rajshahye.
,, Henry Leland Harrison to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third Gr in Midnapore, but to continue to officiate in the Second Grad Magistrates and Collectors.
,, William Kemble to be Magistrate and Collector of Purneah in the Fourth Gr but to continue to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of that district the Third Grade.
,, James O'Kinealy to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the F Grade, but to continue to officiate as Superintendent and Remembrancer Legal Affairs.
,, A. Smith to officiate in the First Grade of Magistrates and Collectors.
,, George Stewart Park to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade.
,, Joseph Samuel Armstrong to officiate in the Third Grade of Magistrates a Collectors.
,, Edward George Glazier to officiate in the Third Grade of Magistrates a Collectors.

Mr. Henry Blunt Beames, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, transferred to Patna.

Baboo Akhoy Coomer Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, i transferred to Chittagong.

The 21st October 1873.—Mr. Henry Haddon Davis, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Chittagong Division, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Captain R. Hunter, Superintendent of Keddahs, is vested with the powers of an Assistant to the Superintendent of the Tributary Mehals, Cuttack.

The following Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Districts noted against their names are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class :—

Baboo Poorno Chunder Roy	.. ..	24-Pergunnahs.
,, Jogut Chunder Shome	.. ..	
,, Girindronath Chatterjee	.. ..	
,, Soorji Coomar Sen	.. ..	Nuddea.
,, Heralal Biswas ..	.. ..	

Baboo Radhakant Banerjea ... } Jessore.
,, Bhyrub Nath Palit ... }
,, Annundprosad Sen ... }

Mr. Charles Dickenson Field, M.A. and LL.B., is appointed to officiate temporarily as tional District and Sessions Judge of Hooghly and the 24-Pergunnahs.

Mr. Francis Lestock Beaufort, District and Sessions Judge of the 24-Pergunnahs, is nted, under Section 3, Act X of 1870, to perform the functions of a Judge in the Town lcutta for the purpose of disposing of cases of land acquisition under the provisions t Act.

Mr. Edward George Glazier, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Rungpore, is ed privilege leave of absence for seven weeks, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code, the 10th November next, or any date within one month thereafter on which he may himself of it.

Mr. Ebenezer Johnstone Barton, M.A., is appointed to officiate temporarily as Magistrate Collector of Rungpore in the Third Grade during Mr. Glazier's absence on leave, or l further orders.

The 22nd October 1873.—As Mr. S. Wauchope, C.B., will to-morrow make over charge is office of Commissioner of Police for Calcutta, the Lieutenant-Governor tenders his thanks for the very valuable assistance Mr. Wauchope has rendered in that capacity. feels that Mr. Wauchope's great knowledge, experience, and judgment, have been minent service to the public.

POLICE.—*The 17th October* 1873.—Mr. Edward B. Baker is appointed to officiate as uty Inspector-General of Police during the absence on duty of Colonel A. H. Paterson, ntil further orders.

Major John Charles Campbell Daunt, V.C., is appointed to officiate in the First Grade istrict Superintendents of Police.

Mr. Francis Thomas Platts is appointed to officiate in the Second Grade of District erintendents of Police.

Mr. James Hammond Thompson is appointed to officiate in the Third Grade of District erintendents of Police.

Mr. Frederick Wilcox is appointed to officiate in the Fourth Grade of District Superin- dents of Police.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 16th October* 1873.—Baboo Behari Lall Chundra, Sub-Registrar f Furreedpore, is licensed, under Clause 5, Section 5, Act XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage between Native Christians.

EDUCATION.—*The 15th October* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District School Committee at Seebsaugor :—

Lieutenant Malcolm Alexander Gray.
Mr. Annundram Burooah.

The 17th October 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to form a Branch School Committee at Burpettah :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer } *Ex-Officio.*
,, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Kamroop }
,, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Burpettah }
,, Extra Assistant Commissioner of Burpettah }
Baboo Kamesoar Das.
,, Joororam Das.
,, Asradhi Das.
,, Ramdas Das.
,, Anador Das.

Babu Jugutbundhu Nag, B.L., to be Secretary to the Committee.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District School Committee of Kamroop in addition to the members previously notified :—

Baboo Sarut Chundra Banerjee, M.A. and B.L.
The Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge of Burpettah.
Baboo Jaggoram Das.
The Sub-Inspector of Schools, Burpettah.
Baboo Ramdas Das.
,, Anador Das.

MEDICAL.—*The 14th October* 1873.—Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Soorjee Narain Sing, of the Pilgrim Hospital at Gya, is appointed to have charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Behar.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Zuheer Uddin, of the Endemic Dispensary at Dabeebarpore in Burdwan, is appointed to have charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Barh in Patna.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Kristo Churn Basu, of the Endemic Dispensary at Deeelgram in Burdwan, is appointed to have charge of the Pilgrim Hospital at Gya.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Debendronath Roy, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, is appointed to have charge of the Endemic Dispensary at Debeebarpore in Burdwan.

Civil Surgeon. Sub-Assistant Surgeon Baboo Kristina Datta, is Supernumerary and Unattached, is appointed to have charge of the Cadamic Dispensary at Degelgram in Burd

The 15th October 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of Committee for the Management of the Charitable Dispensary at Seebsangor:—

Lieutenant Malcolm Alexander Gray.
Mr. Anundram Burooah.

The 16th October 1873.—Surgeon Russiclall Dutt, M.D., to be Inspecting Medical O in Midnapore.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Sonatun Bysack, attached to the Charitable Dispensa Julpigoree, is allowed one month's privilege leave, under Section 18 of the Civil Code. Hospital Assistant Shaik Saadut will remain in charge of the Dispensary during Sonatun Bysack's absence.

The 18th October 1873.—Surgeon-Major Edwin Clement Bensley, Civil Surge Rajshahye, is allowed three weeks' privilege leave, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave C from the date on which he may have availed himself of it. Native Doctor Baroda Kant will remain in charge of the civil medical duties of the station during Dr. Bensl absence.

Mr. William Blackburn Grassby, Apothecary, General Hospital, is allowed two mon privilege leave, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code, from the 15th of December ne

The 21st October 1873.—Dr. J. F. P. McConnell, Professor of Pathology and Cur of the Pathological Museum, Medical College, officiated as Professor of the Compara Anatomy Section of the College Museum in addition to his own duties from the aftern of the 9th July 1873, the date on which he took charge from Dr. J. Anderson, to the on which he was relieved by Mr. Wood Mason.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Rajkissen Mookerjee, in charge of the Chupra Dispensary allowed fifteen days' privilege leave, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code. The Native Doctor will remain in charge of the Dispensary during the Sub-Assistant Surge absence.

Local Committee.—*The 17th October* 1873.—The Deputy Commissioner of Haza baugh and the Extra Assistant Commissioner of Chatra are appointed respectively t *ex-officio* Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Chatra Town Committee.

Road Cess.—*The 15th October* 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appo the following members of the District Road Committee in the Seebsaugor District:—

Lieutenant Malcolm Alexander Gray.
Mr. Anundram Burooah.

The 18th October 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following members of the Branch Road Cess Committees at the Divisions noted in the Bhaugulpore District, under Section 76, Act X (B.C.) of 1871:—

Banka.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Kally Prosad Sing of Soobalpore, Zemindar ...	Vice-Chairman.
,, Musoodun Sing of Panjwarah, ditto ...	Members.
,, Nundlall Chowdhry of Khurbura, ditto ...	
,, Teknarain Sing of Rutta, ditto ...	
Lalla Sowkilall of Kusba, ditto ...	
Baboo Huri Proshad Jha of Dakka, ditto ...	
Agun Sing of Katoriah, Ryot ...	
Dhuni Mundar of Labokhur, ditto ...	
Parusnath Jha of Futtehpore, ditto ...	
Luckhi Mundur of Khaira, Money-dealer and Cultivator	
Baboo Surwan Singh of Katoriah, Laldholder ...	
,, Aughun Sing of ditto, ditto ...	

Muddehpoorah.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Kristodhun Das, Pleader	Vice-Chairman.
,, Rudernarain Sing of Puchguchia, Zemindar ...	Members.
,, Kunhya Lall Mundur of Ramiputti, ditto ...	
,, Choonee Mundur of Muddehpoorah, ditto ...	
Syud Mumtaz Hossein of ditto, Pleader ...	
Baboo Lall Behary Lall of ditto, Mooktear ...	
,, Gunsyam Lall of ditto, ditto ...	
Nuthoolall of Singessur, Ryot	
Duttoo Sahoo of Babhungawan, Zemindar and Money-dealer and Ryot	
Chedee Sahoo of Muddehpoorah, Shopkeeper ...	
Umrit Sahoo of ditto, ditto ...	
Choonni Sahoo of ditto, ditto ...	
Nund Koomar Misser of Kisengunj, ditto and Cultivator..	
Mr. William Douzelle of Toolsia, Indigo Planter and Farmer	

Soopole.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	...	Chairman.
Baboo Thakurmun Sing of Seokpore, Zemindar	...	Vice-Chairman.
Mr. Patrick Duff of Pipra,	Indigo Planter and Farmer	Members.
,, William Duff of Rajpore,	ditto	
,, John Misselback of Chaudpepur,	ditto	
,, John Christian of Bungaon,	ditto	
,, Thomas Bowers of Inampatti,	ditto	
Baboo Roodernarain Sing of Puchguchia,	Zemindar	
,, Nurinderarain Sing of Barwari,	ditto	
,, Khoobilall Sahoo of Kusabur,	ditto	
Kari Mundar of Bhaptiahi,	Ryot	
Tulsi Rai of Sukhaila,	ditto	
Purtab Sing of Dabra,	ditto	
Boku Sing of Mohessi,	ditto	

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th October 1873.—A plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 12,990, for doubling present gates and the covered ways at the Jetty enclosure of the Port of Calcutta, so as provide accommodation for the additional traffic at the Jetties consequent upon the npletion of the export sheds, and the loading as well as discharging of vessels, having been mitted by the Vice-Chairman to the Commissioners for making Improvements in the rt of Calcutta with his letter No. 4032, dated the 25th September 1873, the Lieutenant-overnor has been pleased to sanction the construction of the work under Section 35, 4 V (B.C.) of 1870.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following orders issued by the Government of India, in the Financial Department, re republished for general information :—

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

Simla, the 9th October 1873.

No. 3551.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be added to the exception under Section I of Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code :—

"A peon belonging to the Inland Customs Department, and a police constable in the Central Provinces, sick in hospital, is entitled to full pay for one month. Provided that this indulgence may not be repeated for a year, save with the special sanction of the Local Government, which should be given only when the sufferer has been posted in a notoriously unhealthy district."

The 10th October 1873.

No. 3601.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be added as Section 2 A. of the Civil Leave Code :—

If an absentee makes over charge of his office before noon, his leave begins on and includes that date, otherwise it begins on the following day.

But if the absence of the absentee does not involve the deputation of any officer from another station; or any formal transfer of charge in the way of taking over money, or the like, then the Local Government may, by a special order, permit the absentee to leave his station at the close of the last day on which the office is open for business before his leave begins. In such case the several transfers of charge dependent upon the departure of the absentee shall take effect from the close of the last working day as aforesaid. But the leave of the absentee and the re-arrangement of allowances, if any, depending upon his departure, shall begin from and include the first day thereafter on which the office is open for business.

[NOTE.—This section applies to leave granted under any of the supplements to this Code.]

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 9th October 1873.

No. 3598.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be added as Rule 8 to Section 34 of the Civil Pension Code :—

An officer who is paid from a local fund may, on first appointment, with the permission of the Local Government, and upon production of a medical certificate under Section 49, Rule 2, subscribe for a pension or gratuity under this section.

The rules of the Code would then apply to such officer so long as he continued to subscribe for pension or gratuity, as if he were paid from the general revenues.

The 10th October 1873.

No. 3662.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following be substi[illegible] for Rule 1 of Section 114 of the Civil Pension Code :—

The heirs of native soldiers killed in action succeed in the following order—son, widow, daughter, [illegible] mother.

To a male the pension is given as follows :—

If the pensioner is under six years of age, till he is eighteen years old,

If above six and under fifty years, for twelve years,

If above fifty years, for life.

To a female the pension is for life.

This order need not be followed absolutely in the Civil Department, but it should not be lightly rejected.

The pension of a male should not ordinarily be continued after he is eighteen years old. The pension [illegible] female should last only until marriage, but on marriage she may have a dowry equal to five y[illegible] pension.

SEPARATE REVENUE—OPIUM.

The 10th October 1873.

No. 3649.—Opium Revenue to date compared with the estimate for the year 1873-74 [illegible]

Presidency.	Latest Month.			Seven Sales of Bengal Op[illegible] and six months' duty on Malwa Opium.		
	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.	Estimate.	Actual.	Better [illegible] Estim[illegible]
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bengal	420,000	429,168	9,168	2,940,000	3,071,411	131,4[illegible]
Bombay	181,254	268,260	87,006	1,025,739	1,353,840	328,1[illegible]
Total ...	601,254	697,428	96,174	3,965,739	4,425,251	459,51[illegible]

The following orders issued by the Government of India, in the Military Department, ar[illegible] republished for general information :—

No. 1070.—*Simla, the 8th October* 1873.—The under-mentioned officers are permitted t[illegible] proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

* * * * * * * *

Captain Linley Blathwayt, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, Bengal,—for 2 years, under the Regulations of 1868.

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No. 1072.—The following paragraphs of a Military letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 170, dated the 26th August 1873, are published for general information :—

PARA. 1. The following candidates having completed the course of instruction at the Army Medical School, and having been reported qualified, have been appointed Surgeons on the Bengal Establishment; their commissions as such bearing date 1st April, 1873, viz.—

David Wilkie, M.B.
William Edward Battersby, M.B.
Alfred John Wall, M.B.
Robert Moodie, M.B.
Francis Joseph Twohy, M.D.
William Edward Bonsall Moynan, M.D.
Denis Peter Macdonald, M.D.
Oswald Baker.
Henry Mallins, M.B.
Frederick William Wright, M.B.

2. If accommodation be available, they will be provided with passages on board one of Her Majesty's Indian troop-ships.

3. They will be allowed to count as service for full pay pension the period of their residence at Netley from the 1st April 1873 to the 4th August, inclusive.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th October 1873.—Under Section 82 of Act VI (B.C.) of 1868 (The District Towns Act), the Clauses 7, 8, 9, 12 and 13 of Schedule K annexed to the Act, are hereby extended to the town of Busseerhaut, in the District of the 24-Pergunnahs.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

he 8th October 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that s required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., e construction of a local road from Berhampore to Garhpada in Pergunnahs Tulsabary, h, and Garhpada, Zillah Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose e of land, measuring more or less 20 beegahs 6 ghoonte 4 biswas of standard measure- and 3 miles 4 furlongs in length, with an average breadth of 40 feet, is required within llages of Garhpada, Uria Sasun, Hirapore, Bhutkhandi, Pergunnah Garhpada, Patpore, unah Bustah Anko, Turadih Patpore, Kasipada, Atiadilla, Berhampore, Kadomanda, nnah Tulsabang, is required.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th October 1873.—In continuation of the notification dated the 8th e 1872, declaring that a settlement should be made of Pergunnah Hendwa, Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under Section 9 of the Regulation for the ce and good Government of the Territory known as the Sonthal Pergunnahs, tioned by the Governor-General in Council on the 29th April 1872, to declare a settlement shall be made of the under-mentioned pergunnahs, tuppehs, talooks (with the exception of such detached villages as are excluded from peration of the notification issued by the Government of India in the e Department, No. 478, dated the 12th of March 1872), for the purpose of rtaining and recording the various interests and rights in the lands :—

ZILLAH BHAUGULPORE:
1. Amba.
2. Sooltanabad.
3. Belputta.
4. Godda.
5. Umloo Mooteah.
6. Pussye.
7. Barkopa.
8. Patsunda.
9. Muniharee.
10. Mundar.
11. Sathearee.

ZILLAH BEERBHOOM:
12. Dhumsyne.
13. Durreen Molissur, such portion thereof as lies north of the Chundun Nuddee.
14. Mohamedabad.
15. Pubhia.
16. Narainpore.
17. Ghattee.
18. Kujra.
19. Bhorechundee.
20. Goomroo.
21. Tessoria, within Tuppeh Kundit Kurayeh.

With reference to the above notification, declaring that a settlement shall be made of twenty-one pergunnahs, tuppehs, and talooks in the Sonthal Pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under Section 10 of the same Regulation, to appoint Mr. Browne Wood, Deputy Commissioner of the Sonthal Pergunnahs, to be the officer by whom the settlement of the said pergunnahs, tuppehs, and talooks, shall be made, and Messrs. J. F. Blumhardt, J. D. White, L. B. Roberts, and J. R. Hand, to be assistant settlement officers to perform such duties as the settlement officer may assign to them.

The Commissioner of the Sonthal Pergunnahs is vested with full control over the proceedings of the officers by way of appeal, and of revision where no appeal may have been preferred. The ultimate power of revision is reserved to the Lieutenant-Governor.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1557.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that that portion of the Notificati Government dated the 2nd November 1872, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th declaring that Mr. J. W. Pritchard, late Jailor of the Central Jail at Midnapore, shall n re-employed by any department under this Government, is cancelled.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the orders of the Gov ment of India, all vessels licensed to convey emigrants beyond sea from the Por Calcutta will in future as a rule be prohibited from carrying such articles of ca as are prohibited to vessels conveying troops, viz. raw hides, molasses, bones, camph cutters, collodion, fire-works, gunpowder, lucifer matches, naphtha, essential oils, phosphor quick-lime, rock-oil, spirits, turpentine, spirits of turpentine, arsenic, orpiment, corros sublimate, cotton, ghee, butter, fixed oils, pitch, tar, dammer, quicksilver, rags, sulph tallow, wax, chlorate of potash, nitre (nitrate of soda), saltpetre, jute, or any other arti or substance whatever of an inflammable or combustible nature, and unrefined sugar. shipment of ghee and fixed oils will however be permitted in emigrant vessels if the arti are certified to be securely packed and properly stowed to the satisfaction of the Ma Attendant, but no more than ten tons in the aggregate of these commodities will be allo to be carried in any one vessel.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18th October 1873.

No. 358.—*Leave of Absence.*—Mr. G. Pothecary, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, Assistant Secretary in this Department, is allowed privilege leave for one month under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 359.—*Notification.*—Mr. F. Moore, Deputy Controller, rejoined the Central Office of Accounts, Bengal, on the 11th October 1873, before noon.

No. 360.—*Erratum.*—In Notification No. 333 of the 15th September 1873 for "Wicks," read "Wickes."

COMMUNICATIONS.

The 18th October 1873.

No. 361.—*Declaration under Section 6 of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the constructio of a towing-path between Alipore and Gillahtollah, in the villages of Gillahtollah, Chan Bazaar and Futtehpore, in Pergunnah Hoglah, in the Civil Sub-Division of Khoolna, in Zillah Jessore, on the right or south bank of the River Bhyrub, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, 10,540 feet in length and averaging 85 feet in breadth, and measuring, more or less, 64 beegahs 18 cottahs and 2 chittacks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Gillahtollah, Chand Bazaar and Futtehpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

No. 362.—*Declaration under Section 6 of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a towing-path from Játrapore in Pergunnah Rangdia to the village of Gilátaláh in Pergunnah Hoglá in the Civil Sub-Division of Bagirhaut, in Zillah Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose the under-mentioned pieces of land measuring, more or less, 321 beegahs 9 cottahs and 5 chittacks of standard measurement, is required :—

1*st.*—From the new cut at Játrapore to 13th chain through the village of Játrapore, 50 feet width of land, measuring from the bank of the River Bhyrub.

2nd.—From the 13th chain to the 120th chain at Kamarpore Khál passing through the villages of Massidpore and Kamarpore, 100 feet width of land from river bank.

3rd.—From 120th to the 149th chain passing by the village of Páikpárá, 60 feet width of land from river bank.

4th.—From 149th chain to 290th chain, at the commencement of the new Fakirhat, passing by the villages of Kátáltalá and Attáki, 100 feet width of land from the river bank.

5th.—From 290th chain to 327th chain, about 600 feet beyond old Fakirhat; the land required is on an average 70 feet wide from the river bank.

6th.—From the 327th chain to 395th chain, situated midway between the villages of Attáki and Mánsá, 100 feet width of land from the river bank.

7th.—From 395th chain to 431st chain, at the commencement of Mánsá Bazaar; land, on average, 60 feet width from the river bank.

8th.—From 431st to 480th chain, midway between Mánsá and Gilátaláh; land, on average, 70 feet width from the river bank.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 16th October 1873.

No. 419.—*Notifications.*—Mr. G. F. Moore, Probationary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, joined the Hidgellee Division on the forenoon of the 23rd September 1873.

No. 420.—Baboo B. Kamajee, Probationary Overseer, Third Grade, joined the Cossye Division on the afternoon of the 9th October 1873.

No. 421.—The privilege leave granted to Mr. R. J. Beckwith, Overseer, First Grade, Dehree Division, in the orders marginally noted, is cancelled at his own request.

No. 333, dated 18th August 1873.

No. 422.—*Leave.*—Baboo Charoo Churn Bose, Probationary Overseer, Third Grade, Arrah Division, is granted privilege leave for one month under Supplement F, Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 25th September 1873.

No. 423.—*Notifications.*—Mr. J. G. Pew, Sub-Engineer, First Grade, Behar Survey, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 2nd October 1873.

No. 424.—Mr. J. G. Pew, Sub-Engineer, First Grade, joined the Behar Survey on the forenoon of the 4th October 1873.

The 18th October 1873.

No. 425.—*Leave.*—Baboo Heera Lall Mitter, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Dehree Division, is granted special leave for three months to study the native language under Public Works Code, Chapter II, Section 4, paragraph 28.

No. 426.—*Notifications.*—Mr. T. M. L. Thompson, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, passed in the Lower Strandard on the 4th August 1873.

No. 427.—Baboo Dwarka Nath Mookerjee, Overseer, First Grade, Byturnee Division, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Department with effect from the forenoon of the 10th September 1873.

No. 428.—*Leave.*—Mr. R. Read, Supervisor, First Grade, Cossye Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted on the afternoon of the 29th September 1873.

No. 318, dated 8th August 1873.

No. 429.—*Leave.*—Mr. J. Campbell, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Southern Hooghly Drainage Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted on the afternoon of the 14th October 1873.

No. 303, dated 31st July 1873.

IRRIGATION.

The 18th October 1873.

No. 430.—*Notification.*—The Canal from Oolooberriah to Midnapore is now available for navigation by all boats not drawing more than three feet of water.

2. His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor takes this opportunity of recording his appreciation of the skill and energy displayed by Mr. J. Kimber, the Executiue Engineer, under whose supervision these works have been since their commencement.

No. 431.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an Aqueduct to divert the Namtikiri Nalá in Mouzah Namtikiri,

Pergunnah Joudah, and Mouzah Nargá, Pergunnah Matkatabad, in the District of Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose the two strips of land described below, measuring in the aggregate acres 8-2-21, more or less, are required within the aforesaid villages of Namtikiri and Nargá:—

1st Plot.—Situated in the aforesaid Mouzah Nargá on either side of the Namtikiri Nalá, extending in length 650 feet to the east from the eastern boundary of the land taken up for the 3rd Section, High Level Canal, and terminating on the northern bank of the Búrhá River, and averaging in breadth 200 feet, more or less.

2nd Plot.—Situated in the aforesaid Mouzah Namtikiri on either side of the Namtikiri Nalá, extending in length 1,209 feet alongside the western boundary of the land taken up for the 3rd Section, High Level Canal, and averaging in breadth 200 feet, more or less.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. W. GULLIVER, *Lieut.-Col., R.E.,*
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

TREASURY NOTICES.

MOULVI ABDOOL JABBAR KHAN, BAHADOOR, Uncovenanted Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Treasury at Monghyr, and has been authorized to draw bills on all other treasuries.

COMMR.'s OFFICE, BHAUGULPORE,
The 18th October 1873.

S. P. CHATTERJEE,
for Offg. Commissioner.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. William Davey, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the District Treasury of Noakhally from the 11th October 1873, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

CAMP COMILLAH, the 16th October 1873.

F. C. FOWLE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 790B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 6th November 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 chests, viz.—

				Chests.
Behar Opium	...	...	...	2,125
Benares "	...	...	...	1,375
		Total	...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual; they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 21st November respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 21st November 1873.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 4th Dec. 1873 ...	2,125	1,375	3,500

By order of the Member in Charge,
T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 23rd September 1873.

Statement showing the importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly, subject to Customs Duty, on the 1st October 1873.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	664,278½	.....	277,857	942,135½
French Kurkutch...	10,005	.....	24,936½	34,941½
Italian ,, ...	34,080	.....	27,517½	61,597½
Bombay ,, ...	149,524½	.....	14,074½	163,599
Madras ,, ...	81,247	.....	29,321	110,568
Arabian and Persian Gulfs' Kurkutch and Muscat Rock	244,585½	.....	133,416¼	378,001¾
Total ...	1,183,720½	.....	507,122¾	1,690,843¼

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 14th October 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1873.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of lands no longer required by the Government, situated in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Railway Deputy Collector's Office at Gyntheea, adjoining the East Indian Railway Station, at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 10th day of November 1873, corresponding with 26th Kartic *B.S.*

The purchasers of these plots will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plots will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

4th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt of the orders of the Collector confirming the sales. But such possession shall be liable to be disturbed in case the final sanction of the Member of the Board of Revenue in charge should not be accorded to the proceedings.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonbant, Mouzah Chackpara.	131	West ...	11 2 8	3 2 28	Occupied by Nulla.	0 0 20	Commences on 2,765 feet of mile 131 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan. South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindarees land.
2	ditto ...	ditto ...	131	East ...	11 7 8	3 3 2	ditto ...	0 0 6	Commences on 2,680 feet of mile 131, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan. South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By zemindarees land. West—By railway fencing.
3	ditto ...	ditto ...	132	West ..	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 131, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindarees land.

Consecutive Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in Bigah and acre.		Area excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Cs.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
4	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara.	132	East ...	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 131, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
5	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara and Dangal.	132	West ...	11 9 8	3 3 7	.....	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 132, as per plan. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
6	ditto ...	ditto ...	132	East ...	11 9 8	3 3 7	.....	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 132, as per plan. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
7	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Dangal and Pelsa.	133	West ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	North—By a nullah. South—By end of mile 132, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
8	ditto ...	ditto ...	133	East ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	North—By a nullah. South—By end of mile 132, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
9	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Cheetoree and Majcund.	133	West ...	10 8 10	3 1 32	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 11. South—By a nullah. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
10	ditto ...	ditto ...	133	East ...	10 8 0	3 1 31	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 12. South—By a nullah. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
11	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Majcund.	133	West ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 133, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 9. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
12	ditto ...	ditto ...	133	East ...	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133, and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 133, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 10. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
13	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	West ...	6 14 10	2 0 36	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 15. South—By end of mile 133, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
14	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	East ...	6 18 0	2 1 6	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 16. South—By end of mile 133, as per plan. East—By zemindaree. West—By railway fencing.
15	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Roorka.	134	West ...	7 15 11	2 2 12	.....	...	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 17. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 13. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
16	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka and Burrisal.	134	East ...	7 18 0	2 3 18	.....	.....	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By [illegible] boundary of lot No. 13. South—By northern boundary of No. 15. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
17	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,450 feet of mile 134 and terminates at end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 16. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
18	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	East ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 16. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
19	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Burrisal.	135	West ...	6 13 4	2 0 18	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 134, as per plan, and terminates on 1,400 feet of mile 135.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
20	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	6 14 0	2 0 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
21	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Pakoorodh.	135	West ...	8 2 0	2 2 29	.....	.....	Commences on 1,440 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 3,240 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
22	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	8 15 0	0 3 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
23	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	West ...	8 14 8	2 3 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,200 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 6,080 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
24	ditto ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	9 2 8	3 0 3	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
25	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Chandpore and Ramrampore.	137	West ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	Commences on 1,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates on 3,080 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary No. 27. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
26	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Rampore, Chandpore, and Ramrampore.	137	East ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 25. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

No.	District.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which land is situated.	Whether on the right or left side of the Railway.	Approximate area of land in bigahs, &c., &c.			Land granted free of sale tax from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.		Reasons for exclusion.	A. K. P.		
27	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Badesbari, Mouzah Ramrampore.	137	West ...	6 16 2	2 1 0		.....	.....	Commences on 3,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 173, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 25. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
28	ditto ...	ditto ...	137	East ...	6 16 2	2 1 0		.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 137, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 26. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
29	ditto ...	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courparta, Mouzah Ramrampore.	138	West ...	8 5 10	2 2 38		.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 137, as per plan, and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 138.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 31. South—By end of mile 137, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
30	ditto ...	ditto ...	138	East ...	8 5 10	2 2 38		.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 32. South—By end of mile 137, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
31	ditto ...	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courparta, Mouzah Telaye.	138	West ...	7 3 1	2 1 18		.....	.....	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 138 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 138, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 29. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
32	ditto ...	ditto ...	138	East ...	7 3 1	2 1 18		.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 138, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 30. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
33	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaon and Bonehaut, Mouzah Telaye and Kaheelpore.	139	West ...	6 15 4	2 0 38		.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 138 and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 139, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 138, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
34	ditto ...	ditto ...	139	East ...	6 15 4	2 0 38		.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 138, as per plan, and terminates on 1,430 feet of mile 139.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 138, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
35	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaon and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore.	139	West ...	8 5 8	2 2 38		.....	.....	Commences on 1,515 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,615 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 37. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
36	ditto ...	ditto ...	139	East ...	8 5 8	2 2 38		.....	.....	Commences on 1,445 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,570 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 38. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
37	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaon and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore and Shadinpore.	139	West ...	5 8 5	1 3 6		.....	.....	Commences on 3,615 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 35. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive lot number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
38	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzahs Kaheelpore and Shadinpore.	139	East ...	5 8 6	1 3 6	.....	...	Commences on 3,570 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 39. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
39	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab, Mouzah Shadinpore.	140	West ...	6 10 8	2 0 25	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 139, as as per plan, and terminates on 1,950 feet of mile 140.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
40	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	East ...	6 7 0	2 0 16	.....	...	ditto	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
41	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	West	6 10 3	2 0 24	.....	...	Commences on 1,970 feet of mile 140 and terminates on 3,580 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 43. South—By railway level crossing. East—by railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
42	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	East ...	7 0 8	2 1 11	.....	...	ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 44. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
43	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Shadinpore and Lukheebatee.	140	West ...	7 7 2	2 1 29	.....	...	Commences on 3,580 feet of mile 140 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 41. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
44	ditto ...	ditto ...	140	East	7 6 0	2 1 26	.....	...	ditto	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 42. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
45	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	9 7 12	3 0 17	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 140, as per plan, and terminates on 2,280 feet of mile 141.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 47. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
46	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpore.	141	East ...	9 9 8	3 0 21	.....	...	ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 48. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
47	ditto ...	ditto ...	141	West ...	7 11 8	2 2 1	.....	...	Commences on 2,280 feet of mile 141 and terminates on 4,215 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 45. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
48	ditto ...	ditto ...	141	East ...	7 16 8	2 2 14	.....	...	ditto	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 46. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

Number of lot.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigahs and cotahs. B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from each lot. Reason for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
48	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	5 1 6	1 2 23	.....	.....	Commences on 4,240 feet of mile 141 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 141, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 47 and 49. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
50	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpoor.	141	East ...	5 5 8	1 2 39	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 141, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 48 and 50. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
51	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Horishara.	142	West ...	6 12 4	2 0 39	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 141, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 142.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 53. South—By end of mile 141, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
52	ditto ...	ditto ...	142	East ...	7 14 8	2 2 9	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By a nulla. South—By end of mile 141, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
53	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Harishara.	142	West ...	10 19 8	3 2 21	.....	.....	Commences on 1,500 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 55. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 51. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
54	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Tighatee.	142	East ...	10 14 4	3 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 1,575 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 56. South—By a nullah. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
55	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Tighatee and Ghoseematee.	142	West ...	10 7 10	3 1 29	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 142, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 53. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
56	ditto ...	ditto ...	142	East ...	10 9 4	3 1 31	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 142, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 54. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
57	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Ghoseematee and Pantia.	143	West ...	10 15 8	3 2 10	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 142, as per plan, and terminates on 2,025 feet of mile 143.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 59. South—By end of mile 142, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
58	ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East ...	9 12 8	3 0 29	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 60. South—By end of mile 142, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
59	ditto ...	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	West ...	9 15 0	3 0 36	.....	.....	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 57. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
60	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	East ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	.....	...	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 58. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
61	ditto ...	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Banti.	143	West ...	6 18 0	2 1 5	.....	...	Commences on 4,010 feet of mile 143 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 59-61. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
62	ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East ...	6 3 0	2 0 5	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 60-62. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
63	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Banti.	144	West ...	13 1 12	4 1 12	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 143, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 144.	North—By Brahminee River. South—By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
64	ditto ...	ditto ...	144	East ...	11 5 10	3 2 37	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By Brahminee River. South—By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
65	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Jugdharee.	144	West ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	Occupied by road.	0 0 6	Commences on 1,900 feet of mile 144, and terminates on 3,180 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 67. South—By Brahminee River. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
66	ditto ...	ditto ...	144	East ...	7 3 8	2 1 20	ditto ...	0 0 6	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 68. South—By Brahminee River. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
67	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Hurreepore and Kurtimpore.	144	West ...	4 16 8	1 2 16	.....	...	Commences on 3,180 feet of mile 144 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 65. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
68	ditto ...	ditto ...	144	East ...	5 10 8	1 3 12	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 66. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
69	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanager, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	West ...	12 12 8	4 0 28	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 144, as per plan, and terminates on 2,900 feet of mile 145.	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station lands. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
70	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanagger, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	East ...	11 1 0	3 2 25	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station land. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
71	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanugger, Mouzahs Beersumbur and Lushkerpore.	145	West ...	5 11 0	1 3 14	.....	...	Commences on 4,105 feet of mile 145 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 145, as per plan. South—By fencing of Nulhatte station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
72	ditto ...	ditto ...	145	East ...	5 2 8	1 2 31	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 145, as per plan. South—By fencing of Nulhatte station land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
73	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzahs Lushkurpore and Paikparah.	146	West ...	10 4 6	3 1 20	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 145, as per plan, and terminates on 3,150 feet of mile 146.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 75. South—By end of mile 145, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
74	ditto ...	ditto ...	146	East ...	11 13 3	3 3 17	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 176. South—By end of mile 145, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
75	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Paikparrah.	146	West ...	8 16 0	2 3 26	Occupied by road.	...	Commences on 3,150 feet of mile 146 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 146, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 73. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
76	ditto ...	ditto ...	146	East ...	9 11 7	3 0 26	ditto ...	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 146, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 74. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
77	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 146, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 147.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. [illegible] South—By end of mile 146, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
78	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	East ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 80. South—By end of mile 146, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
79	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 147 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 147, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 77. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
80	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	East ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 147, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 78. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
81	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Shajadpoor, Mouzahs Dhaoa and Deeba.	148	West ...	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,826 feet of mile 148.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 83. South—By end of a mile 147, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
82	Moorshedabad. ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa and, Shajadpore Mouzah Pukparah and Deeha.	148	East ...	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 81. South—By end of mile 147, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
83	ditto ...	Ditto Mouzah Deeha.	148	West ...	7 0 0	2 1 10	Occupied by nullah. Occupied by road.	0 0 7 0 0 4	Commences on 3,825 feet of mile 148, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 81. East—By Railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
84	ditto ...	ditto ...	148	East ...	7 15 0	2 2 10	ditto ... ditto ...	0 0 7 0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 82. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
85	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa Mouzah Denonauthpore.	149	West ...	10 14 10	3 2 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 148 as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 149.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 87. South—By end of mile 148, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
86	ditto ...	ditto ...	149	East ...	10 14 0	3 2 6	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 88. South—By end of mile 148, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
87	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Denonathpore and Soojanpore.	149	West ...	10 3 13	3 1 19	.....	.....	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 149 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 86. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
88	ditto ...	ditto ...	149	East ...	9 3 14	3 0 6	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 86. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
89	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Habishpore, Koolgachee and Sahara.	150	West ...	16 1 0	5 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 149 and terminates at the end of mile 150, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
90	ditto ...	ditto ...	150	East ...	16 0 12	5 1 8	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
91	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanurger, Mouzah Chatra.	151	West ...	14 4 4	4 2 32	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 150 as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 151.	North—By southern boundary of lot 93. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
92	ditto ...	ditto ...	151	East ...	14 3 8	4 2 30	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 91. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
93	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Chotra and Bootea.	151	West ...	13 9 0	4 1 32	Occupied by nullah	0 0 9	Commences on 3,050 feet of mile 151 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 151, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 91. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
94	ditto ...	ditto ...	151	East ...	13 9 0	4 1 32	ditto ...	0 0 9	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 151, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 92. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
95	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Bhoteea and Doorea.	152	West ...	12 8 0	4 0 16	Occupied by road.	0 0 4	Commences at the mile 151, as per plan, and terminates on 3,330 feet of mile 152.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 151, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
96	ditto ...	ditto ...	152	East ...	12 5 0	4 0 8	ditto ...	0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of the mile 151, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
97	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Doorea.	152	West ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	.....	Commences on 3,360 feet of mile 152 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 152, as per plan. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
98	ditto ...	ditto ...	152	East ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 152, as per plan. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
99	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	West ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 101. South—By end of mile 152, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
100	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	East ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 152, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 102. South—By end of mile 152, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
101	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Doorea, Dadpore, and Baladoorpore.	153	West ...	14 5 2	4 2 34	.....	.....	Commences on 1,725 feet of mile 153 and terminates on 4,270 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By Pugla nullah diversion. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 99. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
102	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	East ...	14 11 10	4 3 11	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Pugla nullah diversion. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 100. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
103	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Baladoorpore and Dadpore.	153	West ...	14 0 0	0 4 0	Occupied by nullah.	4 2 21	Commences on the outer boundary of the B lands situate on the west facing of the Pugla Bridge, and runs in a westerly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By zemindaree land. East—By land of lots Nos. 101 and 105. West—By Pugla nullah.

Consecutive No. of lot.	Kilah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in length and area.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
104	Meershed-abad.	Pergunnah Nowa-nagger, Mouzah Dadpore and Gooskeera.	152	East ...	6 3 0	2 0 3	Occupied by sullah.	0 3 26	Commences on the outer boundary of the B. land situated on the east facing of the Pugla Bridge and runs in an easterly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By ditto. East—By ditto. West—By land of lots Nos. 102 and 106.
105	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	West ...	5 12 0	1 3 16	.....	.....	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 152 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 153, as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
106	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	East ...	5 15 8	1 3 26	Nullah between lots 101 and 105. Nullah between lots 102 and 106.	0 0 21 0 0 21	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 153 as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
107	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowa-nagger, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	West ...	13 16 8	4 2 11	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 153, as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 154.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 109. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
108	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Nowa-nagger and Raj-shahye, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	East ...	17 4 14	5 2 32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 110. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
109	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Nowa-nagger and Raj-shahye, Mouzahs Gooskeera and Gopalpore.	154	West ...	20 14 12	6 3 17	.....	.....	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 154 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 107. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
110	ditto ...	ditto ...	154	East ...	11 12 8	7 0 24	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 108. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
111	ditto ...	Pergunnah Raj-shahye, Mouzah Gopalpore.	155	West ...	11 11 6	3 3 12	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 154, as per plan, and terminates on 1,720 feet of mile 155.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 112. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
112	ditto ...	ditto ...	155	East ...	11 8 8	2 2 31	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By the southern boundary of lot No. 114. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
113	ditto ...	Pergunnah Raj-shahye, Mouzah Bhadsar.	155	West ...	6 15 8	2 0 39	.....	.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,000 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Moorarooee station land. South—By southern boundary of lot No. 111. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
114	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	East ...	7 16 10	2 2 14	.....	.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,045 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Mooraroaee station land. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 112. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
115	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Bhadisur and Dhetora.	155	West ...	8 4 11	2 2 36	.....	.....	Commences on 3,870 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 155, as per plan. South—By a public road. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
116	ditto ...	ditto	155	East ..	4 8 4	1 1 34	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Mooraroaee station.	0 1 14	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 155, as per plan. South—By A. class land of Mooraroaee station tank. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
117	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Dhetora.	156	West ...	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 155, as per plan, and terminates on 3,215 feet of mile 156.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 119. South—By end of mile 155, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
118	ditto ...	ditto ...	156	East ..	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 120. South—By end of mile 155, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
119	ditto ...	ditto ..	156	West ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	.....	.....	Commences on 3,215 feet of mile 156 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 156, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 117. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
120	ditto ...	ditto ..	156	East ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 156, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 118. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
121	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Dhetora and Pulsa.	157	West ...	15 2 9	5 0 0	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 156, as per plan, and terminates on 2,475 feet of mile 157.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 123. South—By end of mile 156, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
122	ditto ...	ditto ..	157	East ..	15 8 0	5 0 15	.....	.....	ditto ..	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 124. South—By end of mile 156, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
123	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	157	West ...	17 8 8	5 3 2	.....	.....	Commences on 2,457 feet o mile 157 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 157, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 121. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
124	ditto ...	ditto ...	157	East ..	16 10 9	5 1 34	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 157, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 122. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of map in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigahs and acre.						Land excluded from sale from each lot.			Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B.	C.	Ch.	A.	R.	P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A.	R.	P.	
125	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	158	West ...	18	2	0	6	0	0	Occupied by road.	0	0	2	Commences at the end of mile 157, as per plan, and terminates on 1,765 feet of mile 158.	North—By Paosh Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
126	ditto ...	ditto ...	158	East ...	19	3	6	6	1	27	ditto ...	0	0	22	ditto ...	North—By Banali Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
127	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Ruttonpore and Pulsa.	158	West ...	36	12	10	12	0	18	.....		.....		Commences on 2,405 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
128	ditto ...	ditto ...	158	East ...	30	9	8	12	0	9	.....		.....		Commences on 2,725 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
129	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Pulsa, Sumbulpore, and Macwa.	159	West ...	15	16	5	5	0	37	.....		.....		Commences at the end of mile 158, as per plan, and terminates on 2,500 feet of mile 159.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 131. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
130	ditto ...	ditto ...	159	East ...	30	9	11	6	3	3	.....		.....		ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 132. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
131	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Macwa.	159	West ...	21	3	8	2	0	0	.....		.....		Commences on 2,500 feet of mile 159 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 129. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
132	ditto ...	ditto ...	159	East ...	18	0	0	5	3	32	.....		.....		ditto ...	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 130. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
133	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Macwa and Bhatra.	160	West ...	8	17	13	2	3	30	.....		.....		Commences at the end of mile 159, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 160.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 135. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
134	ditto ...	ditto ...	160	East ...	0	3	5	3	0	6	.....		.....		ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 136. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
135	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	West ...	12	7	10	4	0	15	Occupied by road.	0	0	2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 133. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
136	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	East ...	13 13 0	4 2 2	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 134. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
137	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra and Rajgaon.	161	West ...	9 5 15	3 0 12	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 160 as per plan and terminates on 2,465 feet of mile 161.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 139. South—By end of mile 160 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
138	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ...	11 0 9	3 2 21	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 140. South—By end of mile 160 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
139	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon.	161	West ...	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	Commences on 2,465 feet of mile 161 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 161 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 137. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
140	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ...	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 161 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 138. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
141	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon and Amhoca.	162	West ...	9 16 8	3 1 0	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 161 as per plan and terminates on 2,350 feet of mile 162.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 161 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
142	ditto ...	ditto ...	162	East ...	10 17 9	3 2 15	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 161 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
143	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Amhoca.	162	West ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	.....	.....	Commences on 2,690 feet of mile 162 and terminates on 3,970 feet of same as per plan.	North—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company for Rajgaon Station Extension. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
144	ditto ...	ditto ...	162	East ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	2 2 20	ditto ...	North—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. South—By Railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
145	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Amhoca and Goorsa.	163	West ...	17 0 0	5 2 19	.....	.....	Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3,840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 147. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
146	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Aushoosh and Goorsa.	163	East ...	17 0 0	5 2 19	.....	.....	Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 2840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 148. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
147	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye Mouzah Goorsa.	163	West ...	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,840 feet of mile 163 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 145. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
148	ditto ...	ditto ...	163	East ...	10 10 10	3 1 37	6 land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	0 1 10	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 146. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
149	ditto ...	ditto ...	164	West ...	13 0 0	4 1 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 163 as per plan and terminates on 1,650 feet of mile 164.	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
150	ditto ...	ditto ...	164	East ...	12 6 0	4 0 11	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

W. HEYSHAM, *Offg. Railway Deputy Collector.*

CYNTHEA, RAILWAY DY. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 19th September 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Monghyr, will be put up to sale at the Monghyr Collectorate on Monday, the 10th November 1873, corresponding with 6th Aughan 1281, F.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The estate will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
111	4462	Khana Sakunat Dheraj Lal, Sepoy, and Khanabari of Khajah Ali, Havildar, in Mouzah Punsara Kadampur, Pergunnah Monghyr, Thannah Dharahra.	0 1 2	42 0 0	

E. LOCKWOOD, *Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام ۔

اس تحریر کے رو سے خاص و عام کو اطلاع دیجاتي هی که حقیقت ملکیت سرکار بہادر محال مفصله ذیل واقع ضلع مونگیر بتاریخ دهم ماه نومبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ ع مطابق ۶ ماه اگهن سنه ۱۲۸۱ فصلي روز دوشنبه و کلکٹري ضلع مونگیر مین نیلام هوگا ۔

خریدارونکو ان محالات کے پانچي شرایط ذیل کي کرني هوگي ۔

۱— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید نهو تو کل زر نیلامي فورا داخل کرنا هوگا ۔

۲— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید هو تو ایک ربع کل زر نیلامي کا فورا داخل کرنا هوگا اور اگر بقیه زر ثمن پانرهوین روز دو پهر تک که اوس مین روز نیلام بهي محسوب هی یا اگر اوس روز تعطیل عام هو تو اوسکے بعد جس روز کچهرے پهلے کهلے دو پهر تک داخل نکیا جائي تو زر امانتے ضبط سرکار هوکر بعد اجراے اشتهار مطابق نیلام اول بجواب دهي خریدار خطا کار محال مذکور ثانیا نیلام کیا جایگا ۔

۳— محال مذکور بصورت لاخراج بیچا جایگا اور جو خریدار قیمت مظهرة سرکار پر سب سے زیادہ ڈاک بولیگا نیلام اوسکے نام ختم کیا جایگا ۔

نمبر مندرجه نقشه محالات سرکار	نمبر توزیع	نام محال بقید پرگنه	رقبه تخمیني بحساب ایکر	قیمت مظهرة سرکار	کیفیت
۱۱۱	۴۴۶۲	خانه سکونتے دیهراج لعل سپاهي و خانه بازي خواجه علے چوبدار واقع موضع پنسارا خادم پور تهانه دهرهرا پرگنه مونگیر	ایکر روة پول ۰ ۱ ۲	۴۲	

اي : لکوڈ وفیسي اتینگ کلکٹر

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, corresponding with 27th Kartic 1280, B.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The estate will be sold revenue free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. As. P.	
75	7	Katalikoree, Pergunnah Ajmutshahur.	2 2 30	123 0 0	
76	27	ditto ...	0 3 28	151 0 0	

E. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT BURDWAN, the 12th September 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 17th October 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Charirasia ...	13	3	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles ...	6	3	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles ...	8	6	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles ...	8	3	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles ...	8	3	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles ...	12	3	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 20th October 1873, above zero, 8 ft. 11 inches.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Moorshedabad District.*

BERHAMPORE, the 20th October 1873.

Wanted

A SHERISTADAR for the Office of the Collector of Noakhally; salary Rs. 120 per month. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received up to 1st proximo.

NOAKHALLY COLLR.'S OFFICE, the 11th October 1873. L. B. B. KING, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
4 Casks, [C] M D ...	Java.
1 Case, W. H. D. Howe, Esq., B. I. S. N. Co.	Historian.
25 Cases, [C & M] C & B ...	Tanjore.
1 Jar, no mark ...	Ditto.

N.B.—The above will be sold, if not cleared within the 31st of October 1873.

	Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
1873, Nov. 21st ...	1 Case, [194D] A. B. & Co. ...	City of Madras.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, H & C ...	St. Monan.

N.B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the dates specified against each item.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 18th October 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the undermentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Oct. 18th ...	1 Case, A B	... Order ...	Queen Victoria.
,, 18th ...	14 Cases, B M T S	... G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	4 Cases, [B] H D	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [B]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [C B]	... F. Muir & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, C [D]	... H. Miller & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Bale, C [D Y G]	... J. N. Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	4 Bales, [E]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	22 Cases, E H	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Bale, [G] O O 60	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Bale, [G] 50	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [G A C] B	... Graham & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [G] F M	... J. N. Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [G A]	... Graham & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	7 Cases, [H] M M	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	35 Packages, [J D S] L R C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	2 Bales, [J G]	... Ede, Hobson. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, J G C	... Graham & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [P W]	... F. Muir & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [R]	... Graham & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	15 Bales, S & C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	3 Bales, [200]	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, [G] M	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, [H B G] 4 H B	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, S. & Co	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, [M C]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, addressed	... Morpith Dock, Birkenhead, care of Greenshild & Co., Liverpool.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, addressed	... G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, E & O H. or	... E. and Oesterley ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, [A C B B]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, [B S C]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, [J D S] L R C	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, [G] A	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, [27] W [M A]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Truss, [M]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample case, E H	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	5 Cases, [60] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	S. S. Calcutta.
,, 18th ...	3 Bales, ==78==	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	4 Bales, A B S G	... A. Schillizie & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	7 Bales, [A C W W]	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	25 Cases, B S C S	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Bale, [B]	... J. N. Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [B S & C]	... B. Smyth & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	15 Cases, G W K	... Renhold & Co ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [G]	... W. Wilman & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, H	... Hurry Dass Dutt ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [H F B A]	... Bissonath Law & Co..	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, I. N. F. & Co. V V	... J. N. Fleming & Co..	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	8 Bundles Hoop Iron, no mark	... Dykes & Co ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Iron Weight, no mark	... Order ...	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Oct. 18th ...	16 Packages, J N F C	... J. N. Fleming & Co..	S. S. Calcutta.
,, 18th ...	6 Cases, [J C H]	... J. H. Fergusson & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	4 Packages, [J D S] L R C	... Lyall, Rennie & Co...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	3 Cases, addressed	... Meerza Khuda By ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [77] M. C. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	3 Packages, no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	13 Cases, O & S C	... Oakes & Sons ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Bale, [R F T Y] 4	... Kally P. Sein ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [R. & Co.]	... Ranken & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, S. M. & Co. B	... Steel, McIntosh & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	30 Cases, [W B] H. Lahore	... G. Arbuthnot & Co...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	3 Cases, [W B L] C. A. & Co.	.. Order ..	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [W. G. W. & Co.]	... F. T. Brooks & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [W G D T & V]	... G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	3 Cases, addressed	... J. B. Warwick, Esq.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [W G D T & Co.]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Cask, [W N]	... Watts & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, K [W T]	... J. N. Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	7 Bales, [200]	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, addressed	... J. Dass Sing, care of Lyall, Rennie & Co., or [J D S] L R C	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, addressed	... J. Mackillican & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample parcel, [W] A, or	... Gisbourne & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Truss, [A C W W]	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 16th ...	1 Package, [S]	... Order ...	Hindoo.
,, 16th ...	2 Packages, H T F	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 16th ...	60 Casks, S. S. & Co.	... S. Smidt & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 16th ...	13 Casks, [X]	... Ahmuty & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 16th ...	1 Cask, no mark	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 16th ...	1 Cask, [K]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 16th ...	2 Casks, [H R]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 16th ...	2 Cases, [315]	... ,, ...	Peter Stuart.
,, 16th ...	1 Case, [M A]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 16th ...	1 Case, [N A]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	3 Cases, [315]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [195] A. B. & Co.	... Md. Hassen ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [243]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	2 Bales, [A C W W]	... A. Wright & Co. ...	S. S. Orchis.
,, 18th ...	1 Iron Weight, C.H. P. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Bundle Iron, C. H. P. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	4 Bales, C W W	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	2 Cases, C & T L or [F B]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, addressed	... J. Hosack, Esq., H. M.'s 14th Regt.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	17 Pieces Fire Bars R C [S K B], or no mark	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	9 Cases, J L	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	5 Cases, [J D S] L R C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	10 Cases, [J B C] B C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Cask [N. E. Co. C]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, H [R B] W	... Ralli Brothers ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Bale, [R F T Y] 4	... Kally P. Sein ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	6 Packages, [200]	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample Case, J P C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample Case, [J P] D	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Truss, [A C W W]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample Parcel, E & O H, or	... E. & Oesterley ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample Parcel, [M S J]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Sample Parcel, addressed	... A. Yule & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, addressed	... John Thomson ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 18th October 1873. (402—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.		No. of Notes.		Value.		Name of Claimant.
				Rs.		
6016	...	A/21 02809	...	100	...	Ramruttone Mozoomdar.
6018	...	L/3 36994	...	100	...	E. Stewart.
6020	...	L/5 77736	...	10	...	Mrs. A. Roberts.
		L/14 23016	...	20	...	
6022	...	3 56900	...	10	...	Sham Behary.
6038	...	A/92 65878	...	50	...	William Chance.
		,, 98012	...	50	...	
		A/19 07414	...	50	...	
		,, 08504	...	50	...	
6039	...	L/3 77735	...	10	...	The Postmaster, Calcutta.
		L/14 23616	...	20	...	
6040	...	L/8 14180	...	100	...	The District Supdt. of Police, Darjeeling.
		,, 14181	...	100	...	
6041	...	L/12 97174	...	20	...	S. Davis.
6042	...	,, 40215	...	20	...	
		L/6 59306	...	100	...	Woomesh Chunder Roy.
		,, 59307	...	100	...	
		,, 59308	...	100	...	
6043	...	,, 72133	...	100	...	Narain Chunder Patter.
		,, 72134	...	100	...	
		,, 72135	...	100	...	
		,, 72136	...	100	...	
6053	...	L/10 11328	...	5	...	Kallyprosono Banerjee.
		A/92 50520	...	50	...	
		,, 93440	...	50	...	
		,, 93427	...	50	...	
		L/7 47779	...	20	...	
		,, 47780	...	20	...	
		,, 47781	...	20	...	
		,, 47782	...	20	...	
		,, 47783	...	20	...	
		,, 47784	...	20	...	
		,, 47785	...	20	...	
		,, 47786	...	20	...	
		L/2 83250	...	10	...	
6055	...	A/82 27899	...	500	...	Hera Sing.
6057	...	,, 12422	...	500	...	Madhab Chunder Mookerjee.
6059	...	L/19 28002	...	50	...	Khogendronath Mookerjee.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

6017	...	A/93 29309	...	50	...	Preonath Sen Goopta.
		L/12 36093	...	20	...	
		L/7 93589	...	20	...	
		,, 27944	...	20	...	
		L/3 91193	...	10	...	
		L/7 38086	...	10	...	
		L/9 14322	...	5	...	
		,, 14321	...	5	...	
6024	...	L/7 13794	...	10	...	Mrs. C. G. Anderson.
6026	...	L/3 60613	...	10	...	The Treasury Officer, Budaon.
		A/95 48224	...	20	...	
6027	...	L/3 56424	...	10	...	Mrs. M. G. Tayler.
6029	...	A/93 88525	...	10	...	Agajan Khan.
6030	...	L/11 68984	...	5	...	Omesh Chunder Naug.
6031	...	A/68 05118	...	10	...	Gopal Chunder Dhur.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6032	L/12 39637	20	Nobo Coomar Sen.
6034	L/1 75400	10	Gan Chunder Roy Chowdhorie.
	L/2 30106	10	
6035	,, 34087	10	C. R. Jefferies.
	L/4 24232	20	
6037	L/2 29868	100	Sreenath Surmo.
	L/13 89078	20	
	,, 10608	20	
	,, 81308	20	
	L/2 78779	10	
6045	A/99 39827	20	Mrs. S. Auty.
6047	A/71 64391	20	S. P. M. Ansley.
6048	L/9 23924	5	Mrs. E. Howarth.
6049	L/17 33701	20	D. Neville.
	L/5 88384	10	
6050	L/16 52112	20	M. A. David.
	L/19 43362	10	
	L/9 60804	10	
6053	A/91 91327	100	Kallyproseno Banerjee.
	A/84 65022	100	
6054	L/11 07429	5	Soobul Chunder Dey.
6061	A/99 16346	20	Umbica Churn Doss.
	L/9 84610	5	
6062	A/91 87637	100	Bazrajar Furdoonjar.
6063	L/7 31911	20	Nanuck Chand.
	A/93 63089	20	
6064	L/5 36303	10	Nobin Chunder Sircar.
6066	L/16 61685	5	Mir Ahur Ali.
6067	L/13 10578	20	Niaj Bux.
	,, 10580	20	
6069	A/92 04867	50	Gooroochurn Dass.
	A/82 62301	20	
	A/96 19090	10	
6070	J/12 66361	20	Goorooprosad Mozoomdar.
	,, 64650	20	
6071	A/99 72257	20	Shamachurn Mozoomdar.
	A/11 24314	5	

Wrongly joined.

6021	A/94 95305	20	Doorganund Mitter.
	,, 95306		
6025	A/99 54093	20	Lucky Narain Mitter.
	,, 54094		
6033	L/4 12405	10	Obhoy Churn Law.
	,, 12404		
6036	A/96 45725	10	The Deputy Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.
	,, 45726		
6046	L/7 53406	20	H. Herd.
	A/94 32451		
6051	A/99 92504	20	Messrs. Gladstone, Wyllie & Co.
	,, 92506		
6058	A/98 26292	10	Messrs. Makinnon, Mackenzie & Co.
	L/1 14771		
6060	A/91 09596	100	The Treasury Officer, Ellichpore.
	,, 09595		
6065	L/9 45067	5	Ram Chunder Dey.
	,, 45068		
6068	L/8 06505	100	Syud Seejad Hossein.
	,, 06504		

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 13th October 1873.

R. A. STEENDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 14th October 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000		0
Reserve Fund		15,47,636	8	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... Rs.	94,97,236 3 10	3,50,41,183	3	11
General Treasury Balance at Branches ... ,,	2,55,43,947 0 1			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		3,26,80,850	8	5
Bank Post Bills, &c.		2,52,118	12	9
Sundries		5,43,889	15	10
Total ...		9,20,64,679	1	8

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,75,58,980	4	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		44,92,242	3	7
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		26,94,953	10	6
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		1,80,98,782	13	5
Dead Stock		11,37,837	14	1
Stamps		12,993	4	0
Balances with other Banks		7,01,924	7	2
Sundries		93,971	15	2
Bullion		3,47,575	7	6
		4,50,49,261	15	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... Rs.	1,40,98,768 5 0	4,70,15,417	2	3
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... ,,	3,29,16,648 13 3			
Total ...		9,20,64,679	1	8

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 18th October 1873.

F. A. GILLAM,
Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(397—1)

The East India Tea Company, "Limited."

THE Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Registered Office, No. 7, Church Lane, on Wednesday, the 29th October, at 4 o'clock, to receive the Directors' report and accounts, declare an *ad interim* dividend, and transact such other business as may be brought forward.

CALCUTTA, the 17th October 1873. (403—2) R. BLECHYNDEN.

Muddenhaut Tea Company, "Limited."

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Muddenhaut Tea Company, "Limited," held at the Registered Office, No. 1, Vansittart Row, on the 25th September ultimo, it was resolved—

"That the affairs of this Company be voluntarily wound up, and that Mr. Walter Gray be appointed liquidator."

(396—2) ROBERT AND CHARRIOL, *Secretaries.*

Chandypore Tea Company, "Limited."

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 104, Clive Street, at one o'clock, P.M., on Saturday, the 25th current, for the purpose of receiving a report of the Directors, and declaring an *ad interim* dividend.

(399—1) BORRADAILE, SCHILLER AND CO., *Secretaries.*

Jokai (Assam) Tea Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company will be held at the Registered Office thereof, No. 103, Clive Street, Calcutta, on the 28th day of October 1873, at noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration the several matters hereunder mentioned, and for passing such resolutions as may be necessary to be passed in relation thereto.

Namely—

1.—The confirmation of the purchase by the Managing Directors of the Atta Barrie Garden or plantation.

2.—The increase of the capital of this Company from Rs. 1,80,000 to Rs. 2,30,000 by the issue of five hundred new shares of Rs. 100 each.

3.—The appointment of a Board of Directors, and the vesting of the management, and control of the Company's affairs in them.

4.—The adoption of fresh articles of Association in lieu of the present articles.

BALMER, LAWRIE AND CO.,
Managing Directors and Secretaries.

CALCUTTA, the 29th September 1873. (384—4)

Bishnauth Tea Company, "Limited."

WE beg to give notice that the Tenth *adinterim* dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. on the paid-up capital will be payable on or after 1st November proximo., at the office of the Company, No. 7, New China Bazar Street.

Shareholders are requested to send in their scrip for examination. By order of the Board,

CALCUTTA, the 11th October 1873. (390—3) WILLIAMSON MAGOR & Co., *Secretaries.*

Coocheela Tea Company, "Limited."

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 104, Clive Street, at noon on Wednesday the 22nd Current, for the purpose of receiving a report of the Directors, and declaring an *adinterim* dividend.

(390*a*—2) BORRADAILE SCHILLER, & Co., *Managing Agents.*

Notice

Is hereby given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at the Judge's Kutcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale :—

A pucka two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race Course, and renting monthly for Rs. 175.

A thatched bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

A *half-share* of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., Purneah. (386—10)

Tea Gardens for sale in Chittagong.

MUDDENHAUT TEA COMPANY, "LIMITED," IN LIQUIDATION.

THE following Tea Gardens to be sold by auction (unless previously disposed of privately) at No. 1, Vansittart Row, on Saturday, 8th November, at noon :—

Goramarah, situated 15 miles from the Sudder Station, consisting of 1,737 acres, of which about 100 acres are under cultivation.

Muddenhaut, situated 12 miles from the Sudder Station, consisting of 1,311 acres, of which about 50 acres are under cultivation.

Each garden is provided with Manager's bungalow, tea-houses, bins, and all the requisites for manufacturing tea.

Offers for purchase of either or both of the gardens will be received by the liquidator, from whom further particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained.

WALTER GRAY, *Liquidator,*
Muddenhaut Tea Company, "Limited."
(395—2)

1, VANSITTART ROW, CALCUTTA,

Administrator-General's Office.

MRS. SCOTT, widow of Rev. G. W. Scott, of Sealkote. Certificate granted to the Rev. S. Martin of Sealkote as guardian of the deceased's children, under Section 34, Act XXIV of 1867.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, Calcutta, 20th September 1873. (398-1)

Notice

Is hereby given that from this day the business of the *Bentinck Press*, No. 19, Mangoe Lane, will be carried on under the firm, name, and style of Mitter and Company, and the firm of Mohendro Nath Ghose and Company, which was carrying on the said business since the determination of the firm of Mohendro Nath Ghose, ceases to exist from this day. Any person transacting business with the firm of Mohendro Nath Ghose and Company, or Mohendro Nath Ghose, for or on account of the said Press will do so at his own risk and peril.

19, MANGOE LANE, the 9th October 1873. (401—3) SOORESH CHUNDER MITTER.

Pursuant to the above advertisement it is hereby notified that my connection in the Bentinck Press ceases from this day. All debts and assets to be paid and payable by and to Mitter and Co.

CALCUTTA, the 9th October 1873. (400—3) MOHENDRO NATH GHOSE.

Just Published.

Rules for the Qualification, Admission, and Enrolment of Pleaders and Mooktears in Mofussil Courts. *Price 4 annas; by post, 5 annas.*

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Will be published on the 1st October.

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The Official Quaterly Army list of H. M.'s Forces in Bengal, corrected to 1st October 1873. To which is added a Non-Official supplement containing the latest corrected Civil List, &c., &c. *Price Rs. 4; packing and postage 8 annas.*

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THE Acts of the Government of India, and those of the Government of Bengal, will, after publication in the *Bengalee Government Gazette*, be printed, in pamphlet form, for sale to the public, at a price which will be fixed in each instance to cover the cost of printing and paper. The first of the series will be the Criminal Procedure Act, now *ready*, the price of which is Rs. 1-4 per copy.—Postage 5 annas.

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Ditto ditto 1869	...	...	...	2	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1870	...	...	...	2	6 ,,
Ditto ditto 1871	...	...	...	2	8 ,,
Ditto ditto 1872	...	...	...	3	0 ,,
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Ditto ditto 1871-72	...	...	...	0	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1872-73	...	...	...	0	4 ,,

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HENRY F. BLANFORD, *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

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Madras and Ceylon ...	7 ,, ...	22nd ,, ...	*Hindoostan.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	7 ,, ...	26th ,, ...	*Dacca.*
Akyab and Rangoon ...	7 ,, ...	26th ,, ...	*Satara.*
France, Foreign Europe *via* France, the intermediate Ports, Mauritius and China.	7 ,, ...	27th ,, ...	*Meinam.*
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The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 24th October 1873.

2. Book post and pattern packets must be posted on the 23rd idem.

Letters, &c., for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Natal, and the Cape of Good Hope.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M., or, bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, up to 8 P.M., and after 8 up to 9 P.M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

CALCUTTA, the 21st October 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.*

List of Remaining and Unclaimed Letters accumulated in the Calcutta Post Office during the week ending 18th October 1873.

Aburow, C. F.
Baboo Gopaul Chowdry and Co.
Baker, W. C.
Bany Madhub Dass and Co.
Barth, Miss.
Bell, S.
Bitson.
Curator of Government Books.
Curator, Government Book Depôt.
Davis, Mr.
D'Cruze, Mrs. W.
Dinshaw, Ardasur & Co.
Doyle, M.
Gopaul Chunder Ghose.
Goyaram Banerjee.
Grish Chunder Chakravati.
Halliffax, J. W.
Henderson, and Co.
Higgins, Mrs.
Jelly, W.
Jones, J. C.
Kamagee, B.
Kerver, S. C.
Leach and Co.
Lee, J.
Leiwnson, F.
Mohes Chunder Roy.
Morston, Mrs. R.
Peacock, A. W.
Pemberton, F. B.
Pentin, T.
Ragah, Mr.
Roberts Mr. M. A.
Rozario, J.
Skinner, Mrs. A.
Smith, Mrs. R.
Snydar, C. B.
Swan J. T.
Vandenberg, J. B.
Voss, Mrs. S.
Weston, J. R.
Wilson, G.
Woomachurn Bose.
Wyatt, G.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

Cohn, J.
Connell, J.
Eshgrane, E.
Goose, Mr.
Hudson, G.
Lewis, W. S
Marett, C. J.
Meridith, C.

E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Postmaster of Calcutta.*

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of TROYLUCKONAUTH ROY, an Insolvent.

On Friday the 19th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday the 18th day of November next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Vertannes and Doss, *Attornies.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 14th day of October 1873.

Re-Sale.

ESTATE RAMSEWAK MISR AND OTHERS, INSOLVENTS.

THE following Zemindaries in Ghazipore District, will be sold by auction at Ghazipore (near the Collectorate) on Saturday the 15th November next, being re-sale at the risk of Sheik Pultoo and others, who have failed to pay the deposit of 25 per cent as per conditions of sale.

Talookas.	Mowzahs.	Pergunnahs.	Annual Jumma or Collections.	GOVERNMENT REVENUE PAYABLE.			Annual net profit.
				Revenue.	Acreage.	Total.	
			Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.
Noorodipore ...	Noorodipore ...	Khanpore ...	3,654 1 9	1,826 9 1	203 1 1	2,029 10 11	1,624 7 2
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Ditto ...	" Keenar Ráe	Ditto ...	478 6 0	188 14 6	37 3 2	226 1 8	252 4 4
Ditto ...	" Munsa Ráe	Ditto ...	1,089 10 9	291 3 11	34 1 5	325 5 4	764 5 5
Ditto ...	Dhumraon ...	Ditto ...	198 4 0	72 3 0	11 0 1	83 3 1	115 0 11

For conditions of sale and further particulars, apply to

PHILIP W. CARTER,
Official Assignee's Agent.

BUXAR, the 13th October 1873.

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The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1873.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Sixth Publication.]

THE following Bill as settled by the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, on the 13th September 1873, is by order of the President published for general information.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Embankments and Watercourses.

WHEREAS it is expedient that provision should be made for the better construction, maintenance, and management of embankments and watercourses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows:—

PART I.

Preliminary.

1. This Act may be called "The Bengal Embankment Act, 1873."

It extends to the whole of the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the province of Orissa and the Soonderbuns as defined under the provisions of Clause 2, Section 13, Regulation III of 1828.

And it shall come into force on the day of the passing thereof.

Repeal of former Acts.

2. From such day Act No. XXXII of 1855 (*relating to embankments*) and Bengal Act No. VII of 1866 (*to make better provision for the acquisition of land for embankments and other matters relating thereto*) shall, except so far as relates to the province of Orissa and the said Soonderbuns, be repealed.

Interpretation.

3. The following words shall, for the purposes of this Act, have the meanings hereby declared, save where, from the context, a contrary intention appears:—

"Estate."

"Estate" means—(1) Any land or share in land subject to the payment to Government of an annual sum, in respect of which the name of a proprietor is entered on the register, known as the general register of all revenue-paying estates, or in respect of which a separate account may, in pursuance of Section 10, or Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, have been opened;

(2) Any land entered in the register of revenue-free tenures;

(3) Any land acquired under any rules issued by or under authority of Government for the sale, grant, or clearance of waste lands.

"Embankment."

"Embankment" includes every bank, dam, wall, and dyke, made or used for excluding water from, or for retaining water upon, any land, and every sluice, spur, groyne, training wall, or other work annexed to or portion of any such embankment, and every bank, dam, dyke, wall, groyne or spur made or erected for the protection of any such embankment or of any land from erosion or overflow by or of rivers, tides, waves, or waters; and also all buildings intended for purposes of inspection and supervision.

"Watercourse."

"Watercourse" includes a line of drainage, weir, culvert, pipe, or other channel for the passage of water, whether natural or artificial.

"Zemindar." "Zemindar" means all or any of the holders of an estate; and where two or more zemindars are jointly holders thereof, they shall be jointly and severally liable under this Act.

"Tenure." "Tenure" includes all interests in land other than estates as above defined, held permanently at a fixed rental, or held lakhiraj.

"Proprietor." "Proprietor" means the holder of a tenure.

"Public Embankment." "Public Embankment" means an embankment maintained by the officers of Government.

"Public watercourse." "Public watercourse" means any watercourse under the charge of the officers of Government.

"The Engineer." "The Engineer" means the District Engineer or any Engineer specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of an Engineer under this Act.

"Collector." "Collector" means any Collector, Deputy Collector or other Revenue Officer in independent charge of any district or portion of a district, or specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of a Collector under this Act.

"District." "District" means the portion of territory throughout which any person vested with the powers of a Collector is authorized to exercise such powers.

"Land." "Land" includes interests in land and benefits arising out of land and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth.

PART II.

Powers of Collector and procedure thereon.

Powers of Collector. **4.** Under the conditions and in the manner hereinafter provided—

Power to take charge of embankments. (1.) The Collector may cause any embankment which connects public embankments, or forms, by junction with them, part of a line of embankments, or any embankment or watercourse which is necessary for the protection or drainage of the neighbouring country, to be taken charge of and maintained by the officers of Government.

Power to remove embankments and obstructions. (2.) The Collector may cause to be removed or altered any embankment which endangers the stability of a public embankment, or any obstruction of any kind which interferes with the general drainage of any tract of land.

Power to change line of embankment. (3.) The Collector may, when necessary, change the line of or lengthen any public embankment; or make a new embankment in the place of or renew any public embankment; or make an embankment in any place in which he may deem such embankment required for the protection of any lands, or for the improvement of any watercourse; or make a sluice in any public embankment.

Power to improve drainage. (4.) The Collector may construct any sluice or watercourse, or effect any alteration in any public watercourse, when such construction or alteration may be required for the improvement of the health, or for the protection of any village or cultivable land.

Power to alter roads and construct watercourses. (5.) The Collector may call upon the person in charge of any road which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land to alter such road, or to construct any watercourse under or through such road. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Collector shall prescribe, the said Collector may cause the road to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the person in charge of the said road.

Applications for sluices to be made to Collector. (6.) If any landholder, farmer, or cultivator be desirous of having a sluice made in any public embankment for the purpose of drainage or irrigation, he shall make an application in writing to the Collector of the district in which such embankment is situate. The application shall contain such particulars of the land to be drained or irrigated as may enable the Collector to judge of the advantage which may be derived from the work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Application for new embankment or drainage to be made to Collector. (7.) Whenever any person is desirous that any new embankment be erected, or that any new watercourse be made, or that any watercourse be obstructed or diverted, if such work is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede any public embankment or any public watercourse, he shall apply to the Collector, and at the time of making such application shall deposit with him a statement of the proposed work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Procedure. **5.** When it shall appear expedient to the Collector that any of the works specified in the last preceding section should be executed, he shall cause to be prepared plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said works, and he shall cause a proclamation to be issued giving notice of his intention to cause such works to be executed. Such proclamation shall be in the form, and state the particulars mentioned in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act; and the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as aforesaid, shall be kept at the office of the Collector and shall be open to the inspection of any interested persons who shall be allowed to take copies thereof. The Collector shall not commence any of such works until final order made in respect thereto under the provisions of Sections 8, 59, and 60 of this Act.

Publication of proclamation. **6.** Every such proclamation shall be published by affixing the same at the cutcherry of the Collector, and in the manner provided in the third clause of Section 57.

7. Every such proclamation shall be published not less than thirty days before the day appointed for hearing the persons interested.

Proclamation to be published for thirty days.

8. The Collector shall, on the day appointed for the hearing, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing shall be adjourned, hear the objections of any persons who may appear, and, after recording any evidence which they may adduce, shall pass an order in regard to the execution of the proposed works. Notice of such order shall be served on such persons as may have appeared in pursuance of the proclamation.

Hearing of objections to works.

9. If the lands, which are likely to be affected by any such proposed works, are situated within the limits of different districts, the Collector of any district, within which any portion of such lands is situated, shall apply to the Commissioner of the division for authority to proceed in such matter; and the Commissioner of the division, if all the lands are situated within his division, may give authority to such Collector, or to any other Collector within whose district any portion of such lands is situated, to proceed in respect of all the lands likely to be affected by such works.

Authority to take proceedings where lands likely to be affected by the works are in different districts;

If the districts, within which the lands likely to be affected by any such works are situated, are subject to the Commissioners of different divisions, the Collector shall apply to the Commissioner of the division within which his district is situated, and such Commissioner may, with the concurrence of the Commissioner to whom the other district is subject, give authority to proceed in such matter.

or different divisions.

10. All the powers vested in the Collector by Section 4 of this Act, may be exercised by the Engineer in cases referred to him by the Collector subject to the general orders of the Collector.

The Collector may delegate certain powers to Engineer.

PART III.

Procedure in cases of imminent danger to life or property.

11. Whenever the Collector shall be of opinion that the proceedings commenced by notice under Sections 5 to 8 of this Act would cause delay in the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon him by Clauses 2, 3, and 4 of Section 4, likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to commence to exercise such powers. Provided that he shall forthwith cause to be prepared the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as provided in Section 5, and shall cause a proclamation to be issued as provided in that section giving notice that the work mentioned therein has already been commenced, and thereupon such proceedings and inquiries shall be had as in and by Part II of this Act are directed.

Proceedings in emergencies.

12. Whenever any land, or earth from any land the property of any person, is required for the purposes of any works commenced in pursuance of the provisions of the last preceding section, or for the purposes of Section 18 in cases where the Collector shall be of opinion that proceedings for the acquisition of such land according to the provisions hereinafter contained in Section 25, would cause delay as aforesaid, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act, giving notice thereof at convenient places in the locality in which such land is situated, and he may at the same time take possession of the same for the said purposes.

Power to take possession of land.

13. The Collector shall ascertain and record the nature and estimated value of the crops and trees (if any) standing on such land, and shall offer adequate compensation to the persons interested. If such offer is not accepted, the value of such crops and trees shall be allowed for in awarding compensation for the land under the provisions of Section 29.

Compensation for standing crops and trees.

14. The Collector may depute to the Engineer the powers described in Sections 11, 12, and 13 subject to his own general orders, and in that case when the Collector is not present the Engineer may, if he shall be of opinion that delay for the purpose of obtaining the orders of the Collector would be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, exercise the powers conferred on him by the Collector.

Power to Engineer to act in absence of Collector.

15. Whenever, upon an inquiry had under the provisions of this Part, it has been determined in the final order to be passed on such inquiry that anything done by the Collector, or by the Engineer under the last preceding section was unnecessary, the land or the embankments or drainage shall, so far as any alteration thereof shall appear to be unnecessary, be at the expense of the Government restored as nearly as possible to the state in which they were when the Collector commenced to act under the provisions of this Part; and any person who shall have sustained loss, damage, or injury by the execution of such works, shall receive compensation from the Government to be assessed according to the provisions contained in Part V of this Act.

Power to restore embankments, &c.

16. The provisions of Section 9 shall be applicable to proceedings taken under this Part.

Section 9 to apply to proceedings under this Part.

PART IV.

Powers of Engineer.

17. The power conferred on the Engineer under this Part shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Collector.

Engineer subject to control of Collector.

18. The Engineer may make any repairs in, and may do all acts necessary and proper for the maintenance of any public embankment, public watercourse, or other work executed or taken charge of under the provisions of this Act, or of any of the Acts repealed by this Act.

Power to make repairs.

19. The Engineer may call upon the manager, or other person in charge of any railroad which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land, to alter such railroad or or to construct any watercourse under or through such railroad.

Power to alter railroads or construct watercourses.

In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Engineer shall prescribe, the Engineer may thereupon, with the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, cause the said railroad to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the said manager, or other person in charge of the said railroad.

Power to make temporary roadway, watercourse or dam.

20. Whenever any person is desirous that a temporary roadway should be made over, or that a temporary watercourse should be made through, any public embankment, or that a temporary dam should be constructed in any embanked river or public watercourse, he shall apply to the Engineer, who shall communicate the application to the Collector, and the Collector shall pass such orders thereon as he shall think fit. If the proposed work is to be executed by an officer of Government, the applicant, before the commencement of the work, shall deposit the amount estimated by the Engineer to be necessary to defray the expenses of, and incidental to, making and removing such roadway, or of, and incidental to, making and closing or removing such watercourse or dam. If the amount deposited is found insufficient, the Engineer shall recover from the said applicant the further amount required; and if it exceeds the amount required, such excess shall be returned to the said applicant.

Power to remove houses.

21. Whenever the Engineer shall be of opinion that the removal of any trees, houses, huts, or other buildings, situated between a public embankment and the river, is necessary, he shall make a report to that effect, accompanied by a detailed statement of the trees, houses, huts, or other buildings to be removed, to the Collector of the district in whose jurisdiction the land on which such trees, houses, huts, or other buildings stand, is situated; and the Collector shall report the same to the Lieutenant-Governor in order that proceedings may be taken, in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870," or other law for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes, for obtaining possession of such trees, houses, huts, and buildings. Provided always that in case the Collector be of opinion that the delay required by such proceedings is likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to cause such trees, houses, huts, or buildings to be removed, and in such case the compensation due therefor shall be ascertained and paid in the manner hereinafter provided.

Sluices to be opened or shut under authority of the Engineer.

22. Sluices constructed in any public embankment shall be opened or shut only by or with the general or special permission of the officer in the immediate charge of the embankment, under such orders, either general or special, as he may receive from the Engineer.

Power to appropriate land or earth for embanked towpath.

23. In any case where an embanked towpath has heretofore been maintained by Government alongside any canal, river, khal, or channel, the Engineer shall be entitled to appropriate without payment, as heretofore, land or earth for the maintenance, repair, or re-construction of such embanked towpath. If in any case the Engineer shall consider it necessary for the purposes of towing to enlarge an existing towpath, or to construct a new towpath, proceedings shall be taken in accordance with the subsequent provisions of this Act relating thereto.

Power to enter and survey land, &c.

24. It shall be lawful for the Engineer, or any person whom he may authorize in that behalf, in order to carry out any of the purposes of this Act,

to enter upon, and survey, and take levels of any land;

to dig or bore into the sub-soil;

to do all other acts necessary to ascertain whether the land is adapted to the purpose projected by such Engineer; or by the Collector;

Power to mark out line.

to set out the boundaries of the land proposed to be taken, and the intended line of the work proposed to be made thereon;

to mark such levels, boundaries, and line, by placing marks and cutting trenches;

Power to clear land.

and, where otherwise the survey cannot be completed or the levels taken, to cut down and clear away any part of any standing crop, fence, or jungle.

Previous notice of entry.

Provided that no person shall enter into any building or upon any enclosed court or garden attached to a dwelling-house (unless with the consent of the occupier thereof) without previously giving such occupier at least seven days' notice in writing of his intention to do so.

Payment for damage.

The Engineer or other person so authorized shall at the time of such entry pay or tender payment for all necessary damage to be done as aforesaid, and, in case of dispute as to the sufficiency of the amount so paid or tendered, he shall at once refer the dispute to the decision of the Collector, and such decision shall be final.

PART V.

Acquisition of lands.

Acquisition of land.

25. Whenever in the course of proceedings under this Act, save in those cases in which the Collector has proceeded under the provisions of Part III, it appears that land is required for any of the purposes thereof, proceedings shall be forthwith taken for the acquisition of such land in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being for the acquisition of lands for public purposes.

When land taken, proclamation to be published.

26. Whenever any land shall have been taken or used under the provisions of Part III, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (C) annexed to this Act at convenient places on or near the land so taken, stating that Government has taken possession of the land, and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land shall be made to him. Thereupon the land shall vest absolutely in the Government free from all incumbrances, subject, however, to the claims for compensation to

be ascertained in manner as in this Part is provided.

Contents of proclamation.

27. Such proclamation shall state the particulars of the land so taken, and shall require all persons interested in the land to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at a time and place therein mentioned (such time not being earlier than fifteen days after the date of issuing the proclamation), and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interest.

Further notice to be served on certain parties.

28. The Collector shall also serve notice to the same effect on the occupier (if any) of such land, and on all such persons known or believed to be interested therein, or to be entitled to act for persons so interested, as reside, or have agents authorized to receive service on their behalf, within the revenue district in which the land is situate.

Proceedings after notice.

29. After service of such notice proceedings shall be had and taken to determine the amount of compensation to be payable in respect of such land, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Compensation for consequential damage.

30. Whenever any land other than land required or taken by the Engineer, or any right of fishery, right of drainage, right of the use of water, or other right or property, shall have been injuriously affected by the due exercise of the powers or provisions of this Act, the person in whom such property or right is vested may prefer a claim by petition to the Collector for compensation.

Application to be made within a year.

31. No claim shall be entertained which shall be made later than one year next after the completion of the work by which such right is injuriously affected.

Procedure for such compensation.

32. When any such claim is made, proceedings shall be taken in view to determine the amount of compensation, if any, which should be made, and the person to whom the same should be payable, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Matters to be considered in determining compensation.

33. In determining the amount of compensation to be awarded in such cases, the Judge and Assessors shall take into consideration—

First, the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land;

Secondly, the damage sustained by the claimant by reason of such acquisition injuriously affecting the property or right;

Thirdly, the consequent diminution of the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land.

Matters not to be considered in determining compensation.

But the Judge or Assessors shall not take into consideration—

First, the degree of urgency which has led to the acquisition;

Secondly, any damage sustained by the claimant, which, if caused by a private person, would not in any suit instituted against such person justify a decree for damages.

Land, &c., taken possession of to vest in Government.

34. All buildings, land, earth, pathways, sluices, gates, bermes, hedges, belonging to, or forming part of, any embankment or watercourse, of which charge has been or may hereafter be taken by the officers of Government, shall vest in the Government, and shall be held on behalf of the Government in respect of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) annexed to this Act, and in respect of other works on behalf of the persons interested in the lands to be protected or benefited by such embankment or watercourse, subject to the provisions of Section 63; and all monies received on account of such lands shall be payable to the Engineer and credited to the cost of the construction and maintenance of such works respectively.

PART VI.

COST OF WORKS, PROCEEDINGS, &c.

1. *Ascertainment thereof.*

Embankments in Schedule (D).

35. The provisions in this Part contained shall not apply to any of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) to this Act annexed, save so far as any works or repairs are executed therein or in relation thereto under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act; or to any of such embankments as may hereafter be erected for the protection of lands which at the time of the passing of this Act are protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule, save so far as the erection of such embankments may protect lands not protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule. All sums payable in respect of any works or repairs executed therein, or in relation to the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule except under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act, shall be paid by the Government.

Exclusion from Schedule.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II of this Act, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interests to retain any embankment mentioned in Schedule (D), the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that the same shall be no longer included in the said schedule: Provided that the Lieutenant-Governor may restore the same to the said schedule if on any subsequent inquiry similarly conducted it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor that it is necessary so to do.

Addition to Schedule.

The Lieutenant-Governor may at any time after the passing of this Act, by a notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that any embankment not mentioned in Schedule (D) be included in the said schedule, and the provisions of this section shall apply to such embankment.

Contribution of public money towards the maintenance of the embankments in the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (F) to be continued.

36. In accordance with the custom heretofore in force in respect of the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) annexed to this Act, the Government shall continue to contribute annually the sum noted therein for each

proportion of the expenses of the maintenance of the embankments thereof.

If such embankments are declared to be public, Collector to keep a separate account.

If the embankments maintained in any such pergunnah shall at any time be declared to be public embankments under the provisions of Section 4, the Collector shall, from the date of such declaration, keep a separate account for such pergunnah, in which the aforesaid sum shall be credited at the commencement of each financial year. The unexpended balance at the close of each year shall be carried on to the credit of the account in the next succeeding year, and shall be available for the cost of repairing or erecting all the embankments which it may be deemed necessary to maintain in such pergunnah.

Contribution may be discontinued if it be found unnecessary for the public interest to maintain the embankments.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on an inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interest to retain any embankment in either of the said pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that such contribution shall cease in respect of such pergunnah. Provided that such contribution shall again be made in accordance with the provisions hereinbefore contained, if it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor, on the report of an inquiry similarly conducted, that the maintenance of any embankment in such pergunnah has again become necessary for the public interest.

Estimates and specifications to be prepared.

37. Specifications of any works or repairs to be executed under the provisions of this Act, and estimates of the expenses to be incurred therein or relating thereto, including such proportion of establishment charges as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, shall be prepared by the Engineer as soon after the month of October in each year as may be practicable. And whenever it appears that the actual expenses to be incurred will exceed the amount mentioned in the said estimates by one-tenth, the Engineer shall forthwith prepare further estimates, and, if necessary, further specifications. Copies of all specifications and estimates shall be transmitted to the office of the Collector, together with vernacular translations thereof, or such abstracts thereof as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time direct, and may be examined by any person interested in such works or repairs. Notice of the receipt of specifications and estimates shall be served for all estates chargeable for, or likely to be affected by, the said works or repairs; and should any objection in regard to the amount of such expenses be preferred by any such person within a period of one month from the date of such notice, the Collector shall pass such orders as may appear to him reasonable and proper. Such order shall be subject in any case to an appeal by the person making such objection to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Preparation and settlement of accounts.

38. The accounts of the actual expense incurred in executing any works or repairs shall be prepared as soon as possible after the completion thereof. The Engineer shall sign a certificate stating the true amount of all such expenses, and the names of the estates chargeable for, and of the estates and villages affected by, the said works and repairs. Copies of the said accounts and certificates shall be forwarded to the office of the Collector, and may be there examined by any person interested. Notice of the receipt thereof shall be served for the said estates and villages, and such others as in the opinion of the Collector are liable to contribute to the payment of the said amount; and if, within thirty days from the service of such notice, any interested person shall object to the accounts on the ground either that the work charged for has not been performed, or that the whole sum charged has not been expended, or that the rates of charge are higher than those mentioned in the estimates, the Collector shall inquire into such objection, and may pass any order thereon subject in any case to an appeal by the objector to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Total sum payable.

39. The Collector shall add to the amount appearing in the said certificate all sums which have been paid or have become payable in respect of compensation, costs and expenses under and incidental to any proceedings taken or directed to be taken under Parts II and V of this Act, including costs of all surveys and plans. He shall thereupon make an order specifying the total sum found payable, and in respect of works done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the persons by whom, or in respect, of other works the estates in respect of which, the same is payable to him. If the order is made in respect of work done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the same shall forthwith be served upon the party or parties liable to pay; otherwise the Collector shall proceed under the provisions in the next chapter contained.

Interest.

Interest may be charged upon any sum paid as compensation from the date of payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding 6 per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct.

Parties liable to pay.

40. The said total sum, save so far as is otherwise provided in this Act, shall be paid to the Collector by the zemindars of the estates in which are situated the lands benefited or protected by the repairs or works executed. Provided that where any specific sum has hitherto been annually demanded in respect of any embankment not included in Schedule (D), and when the said embankment is at the time of this Act coming into operation being maintained by Government, then such special payments shall, after the passing of this Act, thenceforth cease and determine.

Every zemindar, who is liable under this rule for the payment of the whole or a portion of such total sum, shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of every tenure which is declared to be a part of his estate, the sum apportioned to such tenure by the Collector, under the provisions of Section 45. And similarly, every proprietor shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of any subordinate tenure which is declared to be a part of his tenure, the sum apportioned to such subordinate tenure by the Collector, under the said provisions.

2. *Apportionment thereof.*

Notice to be given before apportionment.

41. So soon as the total sum payable as aforesaid has been ascertained, the Collector shall cause a notice to be served for every

one of the said estates and villages mentioned in Section 38. Every such notice shall specify the estates and villages aforesaid, and that an inquiry will be held at a day and place therein named for the purpose of apportioning amongst the zemindars and proprietors the said total sum, with interest and the costs of apportionment.

Mode of inquiry as to the proportion chargeable to each estate.

42. On the day fixed in the said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days later than the date of any service of such notice, the Collector shall proceed to make the said inquiry. In making this inquiry he shall receive such evidence as may be tendered by, or on behalf of, the said zemindars and proprietors, and by, or on behalf of, any other persons who may claim to be interested therein.

Names of proprietors.

43. In any such inquiry the Collector shall take down in writing the names of all persons who may claim, or who may be alleged by any party interested, to be proprietors of tenures within any of the estates mentioned in such notice. In default of appearance of any such person, the Collector shall issue and serve a notice calling on him to appear at a date and place therein mentioned, and to show cause against being included in the order of apportionment to be made therein, and shall adjourn the inquiry till such date.

Apportionment amongst zemindars.

44. At such or any subsequently adjourned inquiry, the Collector, if there be only one estate liable, shall charge the zemindar thereof with the total amount payable; and if there be two or more estates, he shall apportion the same amongst the zemindars thereof, rateably in proportion to the respective benefits derived by such estates from such works or repairs; or in proportion to the areas of the lands benefited or protected thereby, and comprised within such estates respectively; or with the sanction of the local Government in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates, if, before the passing of this Act, such proportion has been usually adopted.

Provided that the said total amount payable in respect of the embankments on the right bank of the river Gunduk shall be chargeable, in accordance with the custom in force for such estates, to the zemindars of all the estates situated in the district of Sarun, in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates.

Proviso in respect of the pergunnahs in Schedule (E.)

Provided also that the sum standing to the credit of a pergunnah in Schedule (E) in the account kept by the Collector, at the time when the total amount payable is fixed under the provisions of Section 39, shall be deducted from the total amount payable in respect of such portion of any embankment as is situated in such pergunnah; and that the zemindars of the estates situated therein shall be charged only with the balance of the amount (if any) which may remain payable.

Apportionment amongst proprietors.

45. The Collector shall, in like manner, apportion, except in respect of the said Gunduk embankments, the amount payable in respect of each estate amongst all the tenures therein rateably in the proportion of benefit so received or area so benefited or protected, first deducting therefrom such sum as, on the like principle of proportion, is payable in respect of such portion of the estate as is not included within any tenure.

Apportionment where the lands held without payment of rent, not being estates on the register of revenue-free tenures.

46. All lands held without payment of rent not being estates entered in the register of revenue-free tenures, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to form a part of the tenure within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any tenure, then to be a part of the estate within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any estate, then to be a part of such conterminous estate as the Collector, in whose district such conterminous estate is situated, shall, by an order under his seal and signature, declare.

Amount apportioned payable by instalments.

47. The amount apportioned to any estate or tenure shall be payable in equal instalments on such days as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, provided that no instalment shall exceed four annas for every acre of land in respect of which the same is payable, and that not more than four instalments shall be payable in any one year.

Interest.

Interest shall be charged on the unpaid portion of the said amount from the date of the same becoming due until payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding five per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time determine.

Final order of apportionment.

48. On the completion of the apportionment the Collector shall make an order specifying the estates and tenures, and the several sums payable in respect thereof, the instalments of such sums, and the dates on which the same are payable.

3. *Recovery thereof.*

Orders for payment.

49. The Collector shall, within thirty days from the final order of apportionment, make and serve for every estate therein mentioned an order, stating the amount with interest due in respect thereof, and that the same is payable to him, and the date or dates at which such amount or instalments thereof shall become payable to him.

Recovery from zemindars.

50. If such sum or any instalment thereof be not, pursuant to the said order, paid, the same with interest shall be recoverable as arrears of a demand under the provisions of Bengal Act VII of 1868 (*to make further provision for the recovery of arrears of land revenue and public demands recoverable as arrears of land revenue*).

Recovery by zemindars or proprietors.

51. Every zemindar or proprietor to whom any sum or instalment thereof is payable under the said order, may recover the same with interest as aforesaid in the manner provided for the recovery of arrears of rent in respect of putnee tenures by the provisions of Clauses 2 and 3 of Section 8, Sections 9, 10, 14, 15, and Clauses 1, 2,

and [illegible] of Regulation III of 1819, as amended by Bengal Act VIII of 1885, provided that the liability to increase, by any person holding from the proprietor of such tenure, shall not be affected by any sale held under these provisions.

PART VII.

Miscellaneous.

Penalty for obstructing persons in exercise of powers of Act.

52. Whoever wilfully obstructs any person duly authorized under this Act in removing or levelling any embankment, house, hut, or other building, or in the lawful exercise of any of the powers in this Act conferred, shall, in case such obstruction shall not amount to an offence within the provisions of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for any period not exceeding six months, at the discretion of the Magistrate, or to fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, commutable, if not paid, to a period of imprisonment not exceeding six months.

Penalty on unauthorized interference with embankments or drainage.

53. Every person who, without the previous permission of the Engineer, shall erect, or cause or wilfully permit to be erected, any new embankment, or shall obstruct or divert, or cause or wilfully permit to be obstructed or diverted, any watercourse, if such embankment or watercourse is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede, any public embankment or any public watercourse, or shall abet any such act, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or in default of payment, to imprisonment of either description for a period not exceeding six months.

Penalties for injuring works under Act.

54. No person shall, without due authority, cut through, or attempt to cut through, any public embankment, or destroy, or attempt to destroy any such embankment, or open or shut, or obstruct any sluice in any such embankment, or any public watercourse; and every person who shall commit any breach of the provisions of this section shall, in case the act shall not amount to mischief within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding one month, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Penalties for diverting rivers or permitting cattle to graze on embankments.

55. Every person who shall make any dam or other obstruction for the purpose of diverting or opposing the current of a river, wherein or whereon there are public embankments, without the permission of the officer in immediate charge of the embankments, or shall refuse or neglect to remove any such dam or obstruction when so required by the Engineer, or shall cut or otherwise alter the banks of any embanked river, or shall remove the earth from any public embankment, or shall drive stakes into it, or by any other wilful act destroy or diminish the efficiency of such embankment; and every person who shall cause or knowingly and wilfully permit any cattle to graze upon any such embankment, or shall tether, or cause or wilfully permit any cattle to be tethered upon any such embankment, or who shall root up any grass or other vegetation growing on any such embankment, shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Obstructions to be removed and damage repaired.

56. Whenever any person is convicted of an offence under either of the three last preceding sections, the convicting Magistrate may order that he shall remove the embankment or obstruction, or repair the damage, in respect of which the conviction is held, within a period to be fixed in such order. If such person neglects or refuses to obey such order within the fixed period, the Engineer may remove such embankment or obstruction or repair such damage, and the cost of such removal or repair shall be levied from such person in addition to any other penalty in the manner provided in Section 307 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Service.

57. Every proclamation, notice or order in and by this Act required to be served may, unless when otherwise provided, be served—

(1) by delivering a copy of the same to the person to whom it is directed, or on failure of such service by posting a copy on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person resides, or by delivering a copy to any agent authorized to appear generally for the person to whom such proclamation, notice or order is directed; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing a copy of such proclamation, notice or order directed to the said person at his usual place of abode, or at the place where he may be known to reside; or

(3) by posting a copy of the proclamation, notice or order at the mal-cutcherry of the estate, village or tenure to which the same relates; or if no such mal-cutcherry be found, on some conspicuous place on the said estate, village or tenure, and by delivering, in the case of estates paying their annual revenue by four instalments, another copy thereof to the agent who shall have paid an instalment of revenue next before or after the preparation of such proclamation, notice or order. In all cases where two or more persons are holders of an estate, village or tenure service under this clause shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service on each and all of such persons.

No proceedings to be impeached for want of form.

58. No proceedings under this Act shall be impeached or affected by reason of any mistake in the name of any person thereby rendered liable to pay any sum of money, or in the description of any estate or tenure or land in respect of which he is rendered liable to pay; provided the directions of this Act be in substance and effect complied with; and no proceedings under this Act shall for want of form be quashed or set aside in any Court of Justice.

Appeal from orders made on objection.

59. Every order passed by the Collector in respect to applications under Section 4, Clauses 6, and 7, or under Sections 8, 39, and 48, shall be appealable to the Commissioner of Revenue, and every order of the Commissioner, except when otherwise directed by this Act, shall be appealable to the Board of Revenue, but no appeal shall lie under this section against any order unless the same be presented within one month from the date of the order.

Orders to be final.

60. Subject to the right of appeal above mentioned and to the order and control of Government, every order passed under the provisions aforesaid shall be final, and shall not be open to revision by any Civil Court.

Powers on inquiry and appeal.

61. In any inquiry or appeal held under this Act, the Collector and the Commissioner shall respectively have the same powers as those conferred on Courts by the Code of Civil Procedure of summoning and examining witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

General control of Commissioner and Government.

62. All the powers of a Collector under this Act shall be exercised under the general control and orders of the Commissioner of the Division, and all the powers of Collectors and Commissioners shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Board of Revenue and of the Government.

Disposal of lands no longer required for embankments.

63. Whenever the maintenance of any public embankment, or the retention of any land appropriated to the purposes thereof, may no longer be required, and the permanent relinquishment of the same may be deemed expedient, such land shall be conveyed by the Collector to the proprietor of the land, within the limits of which it may be situated, on payment of the compensation, if any, which was paid for such land when the same was taken for the purpose of the embankment. If the proprietor of such lands refuse or neglect to pay such price within a reasonable time after demand, the same shall be sold by the Collector for such price as he can obtain for the same. All sums obtained for the conveyance of lands under the provisions of this section shall, after the payment of all expenses incurred on account of the same, be applied to the payment of the cost of any new embankment or drainage works affecting the said lands, and in such case the residue only of the cost of such new works shall be charged upon the zemindars of estates benefited as hereinbefore provided.

Collector may delegate any of his powers to a Deputy Collector.

64. A Collector may delegate any of his powers under this Act to a Deputy Collector, but from any order passed by a Deputy Collector to whom powers have been so delegated, an appeal shall lie to the Collector if presented within thirty days of the date of the order.

Jurisdiction.

65. All offences created by this Act shall be inquired into and tried by a Magistrate of the first or second class.

Saving of Bengal Act V of 1871.

66. Nothing in this Act shall affect the provisions of "the Hooghly and Burdwan Drainage Act 1871."

SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

SCHEDULE A.—(*Referred to in Section* 5.)

All persons interested are hereby required to take notice that it is my intention to [*here state the nature of the work to be undertaken*] for the purpose of [*state the purpose*]. For the execution of this work the undermentioned land will be required to be taken up:—

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Area of land.

Plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed work, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said work, are open for inspection by any interested person at this office who is allowed to take copies thereof.

The total probable cost of such work will be the sum of Rs. , and the rate per acre of the area benefited or protected by the said work is estimated at Rs.

The following estates and villages will probably be affected by the work proposed [*here set out a list of the estates and villages*]:

Any person interested and desirous of showing cause against the execution of the works specified, is hereby required to appear before the Collector for that purpose on the day of

The day of

A. B.,

Collector of

SCHEDULE B.—(*Referred to in Section* 12.)

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the land hereunder specified has been taken up and notice thereof has been given to the Collector of

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Approximate boundaries and area of land.

The day of

A. B.,

Collector of

SCHEDULE C.—(*Referred to in Section* 26.)

All persons interested are required to take notice that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the Collector of has taken possession on account of the Government of [*here state particulars of the land taken*], and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land must be made to the Collector. All persons having any such claims are therefore required to appear personally or by agent on day of at , and to state the nature of their respective interests in such land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

The day of

A. B.,

Collector of

SCHEDULE D.—(*referred to in Schedules B and C*.)

No. 1.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Isnagore to Kola.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 3 miles 4,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Isnagore of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kola in the said pergunnah.

No. 2.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Chota Roopram to Narooa.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 4 miles 770 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Chota Roopram of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Narooa in the said pergunnah.

No. 3.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Srirampore to Ganchia.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 7 miles 2,686 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Srirampore of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ganchia in the said pergunnah.

No. 4.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Kursi to Kulakuri.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 6 miles 5,265 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Kursi of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kulakuri in the said pergunnah.

No. 5.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Bagputta to Radhachuck.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 20 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bagputta of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Radhachuck of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 6.

Left Embankment of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers, 5 miles 250 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bomnagur of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gosna of Pergunnah Johanabad.

No. 7.

Right Embankment of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers, 6 miles 3,200 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Digra of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sowey of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 8.

Left Embankment on the Bukhshi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Bukhshi Khall, 6 miles 4,330 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bukhshi of Pergunnah Karijee Mundleghaut, and near the junction of the Roopnarain River and Bukhshi Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gyghattee in the said pergunnah where the Gyghattee Khall leaves the Damoodah.

No. 9.

Right Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the River Roopnarain, 29 miles 2,373 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground distant 57 feet south-east by compass from the Machnan masonry sluice on the right bank of the Doorbachati Khall, in the village of Machnan of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the zero mile-post on the bank of the Tidal Canal, Reach I. This mile-post bears 500 feet south-west by compass from the Canal Toll-house, in the village of Camalpore of Pergunnah Mysadul.

No. 10.

Right Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,410 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 187 feet west of a temple on the Tumlook Road, in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 11.

Left Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,370 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, and on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 12.

Right Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 3,430 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soodhapore of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 675 feet east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice, in the village of Syedpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 13.

Left Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 1,670 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Mysda of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 170 feet north-east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, in the village of Rogonathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 14.

Right Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 3,990 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar, in the village of Jasamnathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 15.

Left Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 1,690 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Hugla in the said pergunnah.

No. 16.

Right Embankment on the Doobachutty Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Doobachutty Khall, 1 mile 3,510 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at a distance of 550 feet north north-east of the Bhoodah Factory Chimney in the village of Bhoodah of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 57 feet south-east of the Machnan masonry sluice, in the village of Machnan in the said pergunnah.

No. 17.

Mohunkhally Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 28 miles 3,258 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the village of Kooltigree where the Mohunkhally River runs into the Roopnarain River, and passing along the right bank of the Mohunkhally River through the villages of Joliguusam, Seetapore, Manoo to Basautopore, where the Mohunkhally and Doobachutty Rivers bifurcate, thence skirting the left bank of the Doobachutty River it passes through the villages of Shahpore, Posorepore, and Barmogrin to Kachara, thence skirting the Roopnarain, right bank, it passes through the village of Doodeoura and Bagcuina, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 18.

Pannah Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 9 miles 3,640 feet more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its junction with the Cossye River near a temple, in the village of Bargobindoo, Pergunnah Barda. It passes through the villages of Baramdi and Ranebazar on the left bank of the Selye River and then along the right bank of the Kanta Khall through the villages of Bhaugadow, Parna, Barandiibeel, Tubh and Dhurmpore, and terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 19.

Ghattal Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 10 miles 1,850 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its bifurcation with the Argor River, and passing along the *left* bank of the Selye River and through the villages of Srirampore, Bassodebpore, and Singpore, it skirts the right bank of the Argora Khall through the villages of Ramchunderpore, Rogonathchuck and others, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 20.

Sheikpore Circuit Embankment.

This a circuit embankment 18 miles 5,108 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the bifurcation of the Rivers Sankra and Jhoomee in the village of Sheikpore of Pergunnah Boyrah, and passing along the left bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Srimantpore, Anandopore, and Thakooranchuck, thence along the right bank of the Sankra River through the villages of Nursingchuck, Kooiat, Goozrat, and others, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 21.

Khashar Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 5 miles 5,240 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the point of bifurcation of the Jhoomee and Amada Rivers in the village of Lalchuck, Pergunnah Barda, and passing along the right bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Parburtichuck, Prasadchuck, and Joybag, and thence along the left bank of the Amada River through the villages of Khashar, Sowoi, and Lalchuck, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 22.

Chetoon Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 10 miles 1,420 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and Mohunkhally Khall in the village of Moishgatta, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and passing along the left bank of the Mohunkhally Khall through the villages of Dukinbar, Gowreechuck, Gobindnuggur, and Bountopore, thence along the left bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Kola, Moheshpore, Gocoolnuggur and Islampore, thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the villages of Scorutpore, Rogonathpore, and Konagore to the junction of the Selye and Roopnarain Rivers at Protabpore, and thence along the right bank of the Roopnarain River through the villages of Hurrishpore, Joleconaram, Raneechuck, and Gopeegunge, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 23.

Doosaspore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 2,350 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the right bank of the Cossye River, distant 704 feet and bearing 20° from the Doosaspore sluice in the village of Doosaspore of Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the right bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Nobiulasdeopore, Koonjpore, Mohespore, Telondee, and Brickobanupore, thence passing along the left bank of the Fetoon Khall through the villages of Futtehpore, Godyepore, and Dhankola, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Kritibaspore, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 24.

Narajole Embankment.

This is an embankment 7 miles 1,735 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye river in the village of Samat, Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the left bank of the Cossye River to the village of Mudunmohunpore, and thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the village of Ramdebpore, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Chandikhally, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 25.

Bindabunchuck Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry Pillar built in the ground in the village of Bindabunchuck, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and running along the *right* bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 26.

Dhangaria Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 2,520 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Dhangaria Pergunnah Jehanabad, and running along the *left* bank of the Roopnarain River, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 27.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 7 miles 3,980 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Gourbazar of Pergunnah Sheregarh, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Toomnee Khall with the Adjai River in the village of Kejhadee of Pergunnah Shanpaharee.

No. 28.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 4 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground near a masonry sluice near the junction of the Toomnee and Balpaharee Khalls in the village of Bistopore of Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Urjunboonee in the said pergunnah.

No. 29.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 11 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Satkonea, Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sagurposta of Pergunnah Gopeebhoom.

No. 30.

Left Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Adjai River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Singhee of Pergunnah Azmutshahi, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bamoonea in the said pergunnah.

No. 31.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 4,488 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sadipore of Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 32.

Left Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Damoodah River, 107 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry

pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sillia, Pergunnah Champanuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Alipore of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 33.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Lakea, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bergang in the said pergunnah.

No. 34.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 3,828 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bulrampore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 35.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the villlage of Zangirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Srekistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 36.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 18 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Oozirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Dehi Barsut of Pergunnah Barsut.

No. 37.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 29 miles 3,560 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Gyghattee Khall with the Damoodah River in the village of Gyghattee, Pergunnah Arsa, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Roopnarain and Hughli Rivers at the 32nd milepost on the Roopnarain left embankment in the village of Magrapathur of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 38.

Left Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Roopnarain, 31 miles 3,762 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and the Bakhsee Khall in the village of Bakhsee, Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Hughli and Roopnarain Rivers at the 32nd milepost of the Roopnarain embankment in the village of Magrapathur, Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 39.

This is a continuous line of embankment 41 miles and 155 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Khodalgobra, Pergunnah Birkul, and running generally parallel with the coast line of the Bay of Bengal, terminates at a masonry pillar on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal.

No. 40.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal, and running along the right bank of the Russulpore River as far as the Contai and Tumlook Road, and thence along the right bank of the Serpai River, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta.

No. 41.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Russulpore River, 2 miles 4,868 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Sanberia, Pergunnah Bahirimutta.

No. 42.

This is a continuous line of embankment 39 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Serpai River as far as the village of Kessoorkunda on the Contai and Midnapore Road, and thence in a northerly direction to Chowmook on the Bagdah River, and thence along the right bank of the Balliaghye Khall to the east of the Dhoobda Jheel, terminates at a masonry pillar on the sand ridge in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi.

No. 43.

This is a continuous line of embankment 17½ miles, more or less, in length. It commences at the great sea dyke, east of the Peechabunnee sluice, on the left bank of the Peechabunnee Khall, and running along the said bank as far as the masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi, and thence along the right bank, terminates at the great sea dyke west of the Peechabunnee sluice.

No. 44.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Bagdah River, 3 miles 2,528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Astichuck, Pergunnah Paharpore.

No. 45.

This is a continuous line of embankment 25 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the left bank of the Iktiarpore Khall to its junction with the Madakhally River, thence running along the left bank of the Madakhally River to the Chowdachoolee Inspection Bungalow at the confluence of the Russulpore River and the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall, thence running along the left bank of the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall to its embouchure in the Bay of Bengal, thence running parallel to the coast line as far as the mouth of the River Huldee, thence following the right bank of this river as far as the junction of the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers, and lastly running along the right bank of the Kaliaghye River, terminates at a masonry pillar at the village of Nilkantapore, Pergunnah Jalamutta.

No. 46.

This is a continuous line of embankment 5 miles, more or less, in length on the right bank of the Kaliaghye River. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Kharan, Pergunnah Pataspore, and terminates at another masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 47.

This is a circuit embankment 34 miles 1,000 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground near the Barju Ghaut in the village of Barju, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the right bank of the Madakhally River, the left bank of the Bagdah River, and the right bank of the Chackbowani Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Barju, Simulbari, Dismila, Khamgara, Idalpore, Kalurathari, Lischintar, Ullalbara, Koniabar, Bhastagara, Khala Kalkadari, Sundarpore, Mallickpore, Ballabpore, Sukakhola, Udaypore, Gopalpore, Baro Adapore, Tamlapura, Chakbata, Calsai, Culbaria, Chakmathuri, Chakahabani Bhayrabdari, South Chando, Manglepore, Dakhindara, Partabdigi, Bamanbasan, Sitadigi, Kistanuggur, Panesoori, Sardabar, Mathura, Chakrosal Khacura, Mangalchuck, Tonabila, Arjanuggur, Purulia, Mahesda, Khamgara, Malda, Barjee, and Pergunnahs Narnamutta, Kismat Pataspore, Kismat Danto, Kharaig, Partabhan, Pataspore, and Bhatgar.

No. 48.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,541 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall in the village of Naturea, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and passing through the villages of Udbadal, Champainuggur, Conasdigi, Nathara, Khatmari, Etabaria, Naudigi, Manikjar, Hasgoria, Manikjor Basdebbaria, Patarbara, Pergunnah Narnamutta, terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 49.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,525 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Iktiarpore Khall, Madakhally River, and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Iktiarpore Khall in the village of Rogonathchuk, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Madakhally River, left bank of the Udbadal Khall, and right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Udbadal, Patna, Dumurdari, Podutardi, South Biada, Ichhapore, Pauchgaria, Bhupatinuggur, Rogonathchuck, Nandichuck, Khorinet, Gobindapore, Jogomohunpore, Champainuggur, Kanjadapore, Udbadal, and the Pergunnahs of Narnamutta and Koaal.

No. 50.

This is a continuous line of embankment 3 miles 3,255 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at a pillar in the village of Radhapore, Pergunnah Erinch.

No. 51.

This is a circuit embankment 7 miles 2,735 feet, more or less, in length, between the Kaliaghye River and the Bagui Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Kaliaghye River with the Bagui Khall in the village of Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, and passing through the villages of Gocoolpore, Gholahat, Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 52.

This is a circuit embankment 20 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the south side of the junction of the Thalputti Khall with the Russulpore River in the village of Gumgar, Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee, and running along the left bank of the Russulpore River to its confluence with the sea, then following the coast line to the embouchure of the Thalputti Khall in the Bay of Bengal, and thence running along the south bank of the Thalputti Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Gorabar, Debichuck, Dandchuck, Katka, Sampore, Baga, Padurbaria, Nenapata, Mohendranuggur, Kolagachia, Pauchbari, Osilchuck, Honabaria, Orukbaria, Salconda, Sahibchuck, Bamunchuck, Barabari, Phulbari and Mulichuck, all in the Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee.

No. 53.

This is a continuous line of embankment 60 miles 4,110 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye River in the village of Bargoda, Pergunnah Tumlook, and running along the left bank of the Cossye and Huldee Rivers to the confluence of the latter with the River Hooghly, and thence along the right bank

of the Hooghly and Roopnarain Rivers, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Banka, about one-fourth of a mile north of a Hindu temple, on the left bank of the Banka Khall.

No. 54.

This is a circuit embankment 12 miles 2,550 feet, more or less, in length, situated between the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the said rivers, and running along the left bank of the Kaliaghye River and the right bank of the Cossye River, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Purso, Nonakhari, Lachanpore, Narkuldi, Soonabhoy, Asnan, Chaundibarya, Machodal, Kholakhally, Kalkadari, Pauchpukhiria, Kistochuck, and Salugaria, all in the Pergunnah Tumlook.

No. 55.

Rampore Beauleah old Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 17,700 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kasubpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar to be fixed at the village Tallamuree, Pergunnah Laskarpore.

No. 56.

Rampore Beauleah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 8,130 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Bolanpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kudulkuttee, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, where it joins the road to Dinagepore.

No. 57.

Maldah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Mahanuddy River, 11,519 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kootubpore, Pergunnah Ameerabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Moheshpore, Pergunnah Vatra.

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No. 58.

Left Embankment on the River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the River Hooghly, 5 miles 4,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at Munneekhallee Khall at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Juggonnathnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of the Hooghly River and Churrial Khall.

No. 59.

Right bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Churrial Khall, 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of Hooghly River and Churrial Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ghurbanmonea, on the north bank of Churrial Khall near the junction of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road.

No. 60.

Left bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Churrial Khall, 3,280 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore near the junction of left bank of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village of Joychundeepore near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall.

No. 61.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 19 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore, near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall, and continues along the left bank of Hooghly River to Poojallee Khall, on both sides of Poojallee Khall, between the River Hooghly and the road leading from Calcutta to Atcheepore, and again down the left bank of the River Hooghly to the right bank of Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 62.

Right bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta, on the north side of the khall near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Fulta Khall in the village of Soharah.

No. 63.

Left bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,360 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Fulta Khall, in the village of Bosoodeapore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 64.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 11 miles 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemool-

gunge, on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River.

No. 65.

Right bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 3,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemulgunge on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the khall in the village of Durree Govindpore.

No. 66.

Left bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 4,800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, in the village of Jungalparah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Ramchundernuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall.

No. 67.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 3 miles 2,260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Ramchunderpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 68.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 7 miles 3,100 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek in the village of Deurnah.

No. 69.

Left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 6 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Deurnah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 70.

Left bank of the Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 71.

Right bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Janikeemaree.

No. 72.

Left bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Gourypore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 73.

Left bank of River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore.

No. 74.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 8 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore, and terminates at a masonry pillar near the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore.

No. 75.

Right bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah.

No. 76.

Left bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, 9 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee.

No. 77.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 26 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant.

No. 78.

Right Bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 602 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, near a drainage sluice

No. 79.

Left bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 2,040 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Kamaratha.

No. 80.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 19 miles, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Kharee Khall, in the village of Kamaratha, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee.

No. 81.

Right bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Pealee River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee.

No. 82.

Right bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Soorjipore, or Puschunbahum Khall, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee, and terminates at Puschunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah.

No. 83.

Left bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Soorjipore or Puschunbahum Khall, 4 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a Puchunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall, in the village of Ramnuggur.

No. 84.

Right bank of the Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left side of Pealee River, 9 miles 2,160 feet, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall in the village of Ramnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Saungur, near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 85.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 3 miles 3,960 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River in Soonderbun lot, No. 45, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Baugmaree Khall, in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River with Baugmaree Khall.

No. 86.

Left bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Baugmaree Khall, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River and Baugmaree Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Ath Ramdhur.

No. 87.

Right bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right side of Baugmaree Khall, 1 mile 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Koolauree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe.

No. 88.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Pealee River, 4 miles 2,460 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Povan, about a quarter of a mile north of the Calcutta and South-Eastern Railway.

No. 89.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Shrikishenpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 90.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree River.

This is a continuous embankment on the righ, bank of Biddiadhuree River, 8 miles, more or lesst

in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Balleahpore, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the same river near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 91.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 2 miles 3,120 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar near the junction of the Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers, in the village of Saungur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near its junction with Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur.

No. 92.

South side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous embankment on south side of Tolly's Canal, 10 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, near the junction of Biddiadhuree River and Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the south side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Kurramabad.

No. 93.

North side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the north side of Tolly's Canal, 2 miles 4,020 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the north side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Nowabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the jungle in the village of Tehooraha.

No. 94.

Bhagiruttee Embankments.

This is a line of disconnected embankment on the left bank of the Bhagiruttee River, extending from Plassey Bazar, Pergunnah Plassey, District Nuddea, to Dadmootee, Pergunnah Rokunpore, district Moorshedabad, a distance of about 93 miles.

No. 95.

Katcheekuta Embankment.

This is a continuous line of embankment about 4,000 feet in length on the right bank of the Matahbanga River. It commences in the village of Luckimpore, Pergunnah Bajpore, District Nuddea, and terminates at the bottom of the new cut opposite the village of Radhakantpore, in the same pergunnah and district.

SCHEDULE E.—*(Referred to in sections 36 and 44.)*

Pergunnah.	District.	Amount of contribution.
		Rs A. P.
Futtehsingh ...	Moorshedabad ...	1,708 10 8
Rokunpore ...	Ditto ...	1,466 2 0

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[Sixth Publication.]

THE following Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein, together with the Bill as amended by the Committee, is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee appointed to consider the Bill "to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," have the honor to make the following report :—

From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 7th March 1873.
From Offg. Secretary, Landholders' Association, dated 6th March 1873.
From Secretary, India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited, dated 17th March 1873.
From the Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 11th March 1873.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 11th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Goalundo, dated 13th March 1873.
From Medical Inspector of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
Remarks and suggestions of the Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta.
From Offg. Magistrate of Sylhet, dated 20th March 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Seebsaugor, dated 21st March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 24th March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 31st March 1873.
Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 3rd April 1873.
From Under-Secretary, Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Revenue, and Commerce, dated 19th April 1873.
Notes by the Agent to the Governor-General, North-East Frontier, and Commissioner of Assam.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 9th June 1873, and enclosures.
Petition of certain contractors under Act II of 1870.
From Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 19th July 1873.

We have received and considered the papers noted in the margin.

We have made numerous alterations in the draft of the Bill, restoring in many cases the language of Act II of 1870, for instance, in Sections 11, 14, 35, 38, 62, 73, 84, 94, 97, 99, 109, 111, 116, 117, 122, and 125. We have altered the definition of "emigrant" and of "magistrate," and in reference to the latter we have specified in Section 93 the sections under which a Subordinate Magistrate may be deputed to act.

We have omitted the provisions relating to evidence in Sections 28, 62, 63, 66, 106, and 133, and the references to the Penal Code in Sections 13, 103, 108, and 132. We have omitted Section 12, the Council of India having brought in a Bill to deal with the subject of it. We have also omitted the definition of "servant" from Section 3; Clauses 4, 15, and 16, from Section 5; and the following sections or parts of sections :—Sections 26, 34 (last part), 42, 65, 67, 83 (last part), 97, 109 (last part), 112, 116 (last sentence), 122 (proviso), 124 (last sentence), and 140.*

We have not required that a garden-sirdar should pay a fee for having his certificate countersigned under Section 19, or that a recruiter should pay a fee to the medical officer for a certificate under Section 45. We have slightly altered the constitution of the Labor Transport Fund to meet the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code, Section 308.

We have given power to a Magistrate to advance any sum which a garden-sirdar may be ordered to pay to an emigrant under Section 31, and to recover the amount from the employer with interest; and we have provided that interest shall be recoverable on sums advanced by a Magistrate under Sections 79, 80, 81, and 86.

We have reduced the amount of fine which may be imposed under Sections 66, 67, 72, 75, 77, and 94. We have given power to the Lieutenant-Governor to affix penalties to the breach of rules framed by him under Section 5, and we have provided that the penalties (if any) shall be published with the rules.

We have required (in Sections 22, 46) that the garden-sirdar or recruiter, as the case may be, shall produce his certificate or license when he appears with a recruit before a

* In this paragraph the numbers of the sections refer to the Bill as preliminarily amended by the Select Committee. Elsewhere the numbers refer to the sections of the Bill as re-amended.

Magistrate for registration. We have struck out the provision that a recruiter shall wear a badge. We have given the same power of cancelling the license or certificate of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar under Sections 21, 36, and 41. We have substituted the word "rice" for "food" in Sections 5 (clause 13), 17, 23, 46, and 114.

We have slightly modified Sections 67, 119, 120, and 135.

We have annexed as Schedules to the Act forms of a garden-sirdar's certificate of a contract between emigrant and employer, and of a certificate of release on determination of contract. We have omitted Schedule D.

We have also made many verbal alterations.

G. C. PAUL.
V. H. SCHALCH.
H. L. DAMPIER.
C. E. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

The 25th August 1873.

As I am going to England for three or four months, I shall be unable to sign the final report of the Select Committee, but having attended nearly all meetings up to this date, I wish to record my general assent to the Bill with the alterations and amendments agreed to by the Select Committee so far as they have at present been considered, viz. to Section 99.

25th June 1873.

B. D. COLVIN.

I agree to the report, but think that the objections raised to the Sections 105, 108 109, and 111 in Act II of 1870 (being part of the Bill, Sections 125, 126, 127, and 128,) still hold good.

T. M. ROBINSON.

RE-AMENDED BILL.

A Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law regulating the emigration of native inhabitants of India from or through the provinces subject to the Government of Bengal to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and the manner of engaging and contracting with native inhabitants of the said provinces to proceed to the said districts, and providing for the protection of the persons so proceeding, and for the enforcement of the contracts of service entered into by them; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Chapter I.—Application and Miscellaneous.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Labor Districts Emigration Act."

Repeal of Act II of 1870.

2. Bengal Act II of 1870 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to the transport of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and their employment therein*) is hereby repealed. All contracts entered into, appointments made, and licenses granted, under the said Act, or any of the Acts thereby repealed, shall be deemed to have been respectively entered into, made, and granted under this Act.

Interpretation clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

India.

"India" means the territories for the time being vested in Her Majesty by the Statute 21 and 22 Vic., cap. 106, entitled "*An Act for the better government of India*," other than the settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore, and Malacca.

Labor Districts.

"The Labor Districts" means the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and "a labor district" means one of those districts.

Magistrate.

"Magistrate" includes a magistrate of a district or of a division of a district, and any magistrate of the first and second class, and any magistrate of police for the town of Calcutta.

Employer.

"Employer" means the chief person for the time being in charge of any lands upon which laborers may be employed.

Emigrant.

"Emigrant" means any native of India above the age of sixteen years who has engaged with any garden-sirdar or recruiter to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and has been registered as hereinafter provided.

Laborer.

"Laborer" means any emigrant who has been conveyed to a labor district in accordance with a contract made under the provisions of Bengal Act III of 1863, Bengal Act VI of 1865, Bengal Act II of 1870, or this Act, during the duration of such contract.

Vessel.

"Vessel" includes a steamer, a flat, a boat, and anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property.

Master.

"Master" means the person for the time being in charge of a vessel.

Provisions regarding emigration not to apply to domestic servants, or to persons proceeding alone.

4. The provisions of part II of this Act regarding emigration shall not apply to domestic servants, or to any person proceeding alone, or accompanied by his family only, or to any persons not exceeding twenty in number proceeding to a labor district to labor for hire, without the intervention, direct or indirect, of any person employed to induce natives of India to emigrate to a labor district. In computing the number of persons two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

Power of the Lieutenant-Governor to make rules.

5. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act, and from time to time alter, vary, and revoke such rules:—

(1)—To regulate the subordination of the several officers of emigration to the superintendent.

(2)—To prescribe the periodical returns and reports to be made by the emigration officers, by magistrates, and by the inspectors of laborers.

(3)—To prescribe the amount of the several fees to be paid under the provisions of this Act.

(4)—To provide for the management and regulation of contractors' depôts and of hospital depôts.

(5)—To provide for the medical care of emigrants during their residence at the depôts, and during transport to a labor district.

(6)—To prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be carried on vessels taking emigrants.

(7)—To prescribe the clothing to be supplied to emigrants while proceeding to a labor district.

(8)—To prescribe the description, quantity, and quality of provisions to be taken by vessels carrying emigrants, and the daily allowance to be issued to each emigrant during the journey.

(9)—To provide for the ventilation and cleanliness of vessels during the journey, to prescribe the number of officers, cooks, and other servants, and to provide for their control; and to provide generally for the accommodation of emigrants.

(10)—To provide for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of all emigrants detained at any place by order of a magistrate on account of sickness.

(11)—To provide for the periodical inspection of laborers, and the books to be kept by inspectors of laborers.

(12)—To provide for the house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and supply of rice to be provided by employers for their laborers.

(13)—To provide for the hospital accommodation and medical care of laborers, and to prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be provided for them.

The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time fix penalties not inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act for infringements of any such rules, which may be enforced and recovered as other penalties under this Act on conviction by a magistrate: Provided that no penalty shall exceed five hundred rupees.

All such rules, with the penalties (if any) for their infringement, shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall be separately printed and sold to the public at 4 annas for each copy.

Contract made with emigrant is a charge upon the land;

6. Every contract made with an emigrant, and all arrears of wages due under any such contract, and all fines imposed on any employer under the provisions of this Act, shall be a charge upon the lands upon which such laborer has been engaged to work.

and is transferred with the land.

The owner of such lands for the time being shall have all rights and remedies against such laborer, as if such owner had been originally the party executing such contract as employer.

Determination of ownership determines liability.

No person, after he has ceased to be the owner of such lands, nor his property nor effects, shall be in anywise liable or responsible for any breach of such contract which may have occurred after he has ceased to be such owner.

Any person above the age of 16 years may contract.

7. Any engagement or contract made under the provisions of this Act by a native of India, who is above the age of sixteen years, shall be held valid.

Procedure on trial of offences created by Act.

8. All offences against this Act committed without the town of Calcutta shall be inquired into and tried according to the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and all offences against this Act committed within the said town shall be inquired into and tried by a police magistrate of the said town according to the provisions of the laws regulating the investigation and trial of offences within the said town, which shall be for the time being in force.

Penalty for any offence not especially provided for.

9. For every offence against the provisions of this Act, for which no special penalty or amount of fine is prescribed, the offender shall on conviction by a Magistrate be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees. Wherever in this Act no special term of imprisonment is appointed in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall be liable to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding one month.

PART II.—EMIGRATION.

Chapter 2.—Restrictions and Appointment of Officers.

Power to prevent emigration of laborers.

10. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in case he shall be of opinion that the emigration of natives of India from any district, or to any particular part of any labor district, for the purpose of becoming laborers, is likely to be attended with danger to the health of any native so emigrating or others, or if the Lieutenant-Governor has reason to believe that a political disturbance is likely to occur in any labor district, to prohibit, by an order under his hand, the emigration of such natives from such district, or to such labor district or particular part thereof, and from time to time to revoke or vary any such order; and every such order or variation or revocation thereof shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Penalty on engaging natives contrary to such order.

11. Any person who shall knowingly engage native so to emigrate while any such emigration shall be prohibited under the provisions of the last preceding section, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees for every native who may have been so engaged.

Appointment of superintendent of emigration, embarkation agents, and medical inspectors.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a proper person to be the superintendent of emigration at Calcutta, and may also appoint proper persons to be embarkation agents and medical inspectors of emigrants at any places where he may think proper, and define by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* the local limits within which each such officer shall exercise the powers and authority conferred upon him by this Act. He may at any time suspend or remove any such officer.

Employer may recruit by garden-sirdar.

13. It shall be lawful for any employer to engage, by the agency of a garden-sirdar, or by the agency of a contractor, natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire upon lands of which such employer is in charge.

Superintendent may license contractors and recruiters.

14. It shall be lawful for the superintendent of emigration to grant to such persons as he may think fit licenses to act as contractors for engaging and supplying persons for the purpose of laboring for hire in the labor districts, or to act in behalf of some contractor as recruiters for engaging persons to proceed to the said districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire.

Natives of India shall not be engaged to proceed to the labor districts, or be conveyed there, save under this Act.

15. From and after the commencement of this Act, whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, engage any native of India in any of the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to proceed to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire; and whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, convey any such native through any of the said provinces to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every person so engaged or conveyed.

Penalty.

No person not licensed as a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, may engage or contract to supply laborers.

16. Whoever, not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall otherwise than through or by the agency of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar engage any native of India to proceed to any of the labor-

districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and whoever, not being a contractor, shall enter into any contract to supply, or shall supply, or shall transfer or make over whether to a recruiter or any other person, any such native for the purpose of laboring for hire in any of the labor districts; and whoever not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall enter into any contract to engage, or shall attempt to engage, any such native to proceed to any of the labor-districts for the purpose aforesaid; and whoever shall employ or appoint any person other than a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, to engage any such native, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished for each offence with fine or imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding three months.

Penalty.

17. It shall not be lawful for any emigrant to be conveyed to any labor district, unless and until he shall have entered into a duly registered contract with some person to serve such person there for a fixed period, which shall in no case exceed the term of three years from the date of his arrival on the estate of his employer in the said labor district. Every such contract shall be in the form in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act, and shall be reduced to writing, and shall specify the monthly amount of wages in money, the period of service, the name of the district in which the service is to be performed, and the price at which rice is to be supplied to the laborer.

Emigrant not to be conveyed to or towards a labor district until contract is executed.

Form and particulars of contract.

Chapter 3.—Garden-sirdar.

18. Every garden-sirdar, authorized by an employer under the provisions of section 13 to engage natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, shall, before proceeding to engage any such native, personally present to the magistrate of the district, or division of the district, within which is situate the estate of the employer, a certificate signed by such employer, in which shall be stated the name and description of such garden-sirdar, the name and description of the lands for the purpose of laboring upon which he is about to engage such natives, the district (or the town of Calcutta, as the case may be) in which he is about to engage them, the number which he is authorized to engage, and, if the number exceeds twenty, the name of the contractor to whose depôt they shall be conveyed. The certificate shall be in the form set forth in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act.

Garden-sirdar to obtain certificate from employer, and to present it to magistrate.

19. Such magistrate shall inquire into the facts stated in such certificate, and, upon being satisfied that the same are true, shall, unless it appears to him that the person so presenting such certificate is unfit to be employed for the purpose of engaging natives to proceed to a labor district to labor therein for hire, countersign and date such certificate; and every such certificate shall be in force for six months from the date last mentioned, and no longer.

Magistrate after inquiry to countersign it.

20. If, under his certificate from his employer, any garden-sirdar is authorized to engage more than twenty natives of India, he shall be in all respects, save as regards his certificate, subject to the provisions of this Act which relate to recruiters. The following rules of this chapter shall apply to every garden-sirdar who is not authorized to engage more than twenty such natives.

Garden-sirdar authorized to engage more than twenty natives to be subject to provisions relating to a recruiter.

Garden-sirdar who is not a Recruiter.

21. A garden-sirdar shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant, until his certificate has been countersigned by the magistrate of such district or of such division of the district; or in Calcutta, until his certificate has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta.

Has no authority until certificate is countersigned by magistrate.

It shall be lawful for such magistrate, in case of misconduct or disobedience to or neglect of any of the provisions of this Act by a garden-sirdar, to cancel the certificate of such garden-sirdar.

Magistrate may cancel certificate.

22. Every native of India, who enters into an engagement with a garden-sirdar to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall appear with the garden-sirdar before the magistrate of the district or of the division of the district within which the engagement was made, or through which he shall first pass on the road to his destination. The garden-sirdar shall at the same time produce his certificate to the Magistrate.

Every native to appear before magistrate before removal from district.

23. On the appearance of such native the magistrate shall examine him with reference to his engagement; and, if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register, in a book to be kept for the purpose, the following particulars, viz.—

Magistrate to examine native, and if the examination is satisfactory, to register particulars;

(1)—The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2)—The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3)—The labor district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(4)—The period of service;

(5)—The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

Provided that the magistrate may, if he thinks fit, require such native to appear before such medical officer as he may direct, and may refuse to register such native, unless the medical officer certifies in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor district.

but may require medical certificate.

Magistrate, &c., may refuse to register.

24. If the magistrate finds that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the garden-sirdar shall not have produced his certificate, he shall refuse to register such native.

Fee to be paid for registration.

25. For the registration of every such native the garden-sirdar shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Contract to be executed in duplicate and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by the magistrate;

26. When such registration has been made, the emigrant shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract. Such contract shall, in the presence of the magistrate, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the magistrate for the purpose; and after such abstract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant and the other to the garden-sirdar.

and copy to be sent to superintendent and magistrate.

The magistrate shall forward a certified copy of every such abstract so entered as aforesaid to the superintendent of emigration, by whom it shall be forwarded, after entry in his own register, to the magistrate of the district within which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

27. The provisions of the six last preceding sections shall be applicable to natives of India engaged by a garden-sirdar within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall appear for registration and execution of contract before the superintendent of emigration.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

28. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any garden-sirdar from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract to proceed to the labor districts to labor therein for hire, shall be presented by the garden-sirdar for registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the said Lieutenant-Governor into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Garden-sirdar must personally accompany emigrants.

29. The garden-sirdar shall personally accompany natives of India engaged by him throughout their journey from the place in which the engagement was made to the place in which they are to be employed.

Garden-sirdar cannot proceed with more than twenty emigrants in one batch.

30. It shall not be lawful for two or more garden-sirdars to proceed together towards a labor-district accompanied by emigrants, if the total number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, or unless the permission of the superintendent of emigration or embarkation agent shall have been first obtained.

Garden-sirdar must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

31. Every garden-sirdar, by whom any emigrant is accompanied, shall provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging throughout such journey. If it shall appear to any magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant, at any place on the journey that he has suffered any ill-treatment during the journey or that the garden-sirdar has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging; or if it be found on examination by a medical officer appointed by a magistrate for such purpose, that any such emigrant is not in a fit state of health to proceed to or to labor in a labor-district; such magistrate may order the garden sirdar to pay to such emigrant a sum of money by way of compensation, or may cancel the contract and order the garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged.

If such not provided, or if emigrant unfit, magistrate may award compensation, or cancel contract.

Recovery of fines ordered to be paid by Magistrate.

32. If any garden-sirder, who may be ordered under the provisions of the last preceding section to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the emigrant named in such order, and to recover from his employer the sum so advanced with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Agent in Calcutta may procure order from superintendent of emigration cancelling the contract on payment of expense of return.

33. On the arrival in Calcutta of any emigrant whose contract has been executed by a garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer, any person empowered to act as the agent or representative of such employer may require the emigrant to appear before the superintendent of emigration for the purpose of cancelling the contract. The superintendent of emigration shall, on the appearance of such emigrant, declare that the contract is cancelled, if a sum of money sufficient for his support during his return to the place at which he was engaged, be paid to him before himself, and not otherwise, and shall make an endorsement to that effect on the contract, and shall attest it with his signature. Provided that the contract of any husband or wife or parent or child of such emigrant, who may have executed a contract at the same time with the same employer, shall be cancelled at the request of such person, and in such case an equal sum of money shall be paid to such person.

Not to embark emigrants on any vessel containing more than twenty persons without a pass from the embarkation agent.

34. It shall not be lawful for a garden-sirdar to embark any emigrants on board a vessel for conveyance to or towards a labor district, if the total number of persons to be carried by such vessel, exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying the emigrants, exceeds twenty, unless such emigrants are furnished with a pass by the embarkation agent in the form set-forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act.

Pass not to be granted unless medical inspector is satisfied in regard to health.

The embarkation agent shall not grant any such pass without a certificate from the medical inspector that such emigrants may be allowed to embark without danger to the health of other persons on board the vessel.

Must report arrival in labor district.

35. As soon as possible after the arrival of the garden-sirdar with emigrants at the place of disembarkation, or at the nearest civil station in the district within which the emigrant has engaged to labor, the garden-sirdar shall report himself to the magistrate of the district or division of the district or to any subordinate magistrate whom the magistrate may depute for that purpose, and such magistrate shall check the number of emigrants landed with the number of those registered, and shall report to the superintendent of emigration any deaths which may have occurred on the journey. Any garden-sirdar who neglects to report himself as aforesaid shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Chapter 4.—Contractor.

Form of license. Fee. Period.

36. The license granted to a contractor under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in the schedule (C) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding one hundred rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a contractor, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

To give information to superintendent.

37. It shall be the duty of every contractor to afford such information to the superintendent of emigration, and to make such returns and reports to him as the superintendent, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may from time to time require.

To establish and maintain depôts.

38. Every contractor shall forthwith, upon obtaining his license, establish a depôt in a place to be approved of by the superintendent of emigration. Every such depôt shall be maintained by such contractor for the reception of natives of India to be supplied or forwarded by or through him. All such natives shall on their arrival at or in the neighbourhood of the depôt so established by the contractor, by, through, to, or for whom they were engaged or forwarded, be forthwith received therein; and shall receive in such depôt, at the expense of such contractor, suitable lodging, food, clothing, and medical attendance, until such native shall be declared by the superintendent to be no longer thereto entitled. Every such depôt as aforesaid shall be under the supervision of the superintendent, and shall be open to his inspection and the inspection of the medical inspector at all times.

May act as recruiter.

39. A contractor may without other license act as a recruiter, and shall in such case be subject to all the provisions hereinafter contained with regard to recruiters.

Establishment of hospital depôt.

40. In addition to the depôts for the reception of emigrants which the contractors are required to establish and maintain, the Lieutenant-Governor may at any time direct that a separate depôt shall be established and maintained at any place for the reception of emigrants who are affected with cholera or other contagious disease. Whenever such hospital depôt is established, every contractor may be required to contribute to the expense of establishing and maintaining it in such proportion as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct. Such hospital depôt shall be under the charge of the medical inspector, who shall be competent at any time to direct the transfer thereto of any emigrants on or after their arrival at any depôt.

Contractor to contribute to expense.

Under charge of medical inspector.

Chapter 5.—Recruiter.

Form of license. Fee. Period.

41. The license granted to a recruiter under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in schedule (D) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding sixteen rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a recruiter, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Recruiter must hold a pass.

42. Every recruiter shall hold a written pass signed by the contractor on whose behalf he is licensed to act.

No authority till license is countersigned by magistrate of recruiting district.

43. A recruiter shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant until his license has been countersigned by the magistrate of the district, or of the division of the district, or in Calcutta, until his license has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta; and such magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police shall, unless it appears to him that the person to whom a license has been granted is unfit to be employed as a recruiter, countersign such license.

Magistrate may withdraw license and suspend recruiting.

The magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police may at any time for any sufficient reason withdraw such license, provided that in any such case he shall record his reasons in writing, and shall forward a copy thereof without delay to the superintendent of emigration.

Recruiter to provide accommodation for natives before license is countersigned.

44. The magistrate or the commissioner or deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta, to whom any recruiter's license shall have been exhibited for countersignature, shall not countersign the same until he shall be satisfied that sufficient accommodation

has been provided and is available for such natives of India as may be engaged by such recruiter pending their removal to a depôt.

Magistrate charged with superintendence of accommodation.

The magistrate of the district, or division of the district, in which there may be any such accommodation provided, shall have, for the supervision, management, and regulation of such accommodation, all such and the same powers and authorities as are vested in the superintendent of emigration for the supervision, management, and regulation of depôts which are subject to the powers and authority of the superintendent.

Native to be taken for examination to medical officer, who may reject.

45. Every native of India who shall, in any place or town within the said provinces, enter into any engagement with any recruiter to proceed to a labor district, for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall be brought by such recruiter before such medical officer as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time appoint to examine such natives within such place or town; or, if no such officer has been appointed, before such medical officer as the magistrate may direct. The medical officer shall thereupon examine the native brought by the recruiter, and shall reject him or shall certify in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and work for hire in a labor district.

If certified to be fit, native to be taken to magistrate.

46. Every such native who is certified by the medical officer, as required in the last preceding section, to be fit to emigrate to a labor district, shall thereupon appear with the recruiter before the magistrate of the district or division of the district within which the place or town where the engagement was entered into is situate. The recruiter shall at the same time produce his license to the magistrate.

Magistrate to examine native respecting the engagement.

On the appearance of such native the magistrate, after inspecting the medical certificate, shall examine him with reference to his engagement, and if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register in a book to be kept for the purpose—

If satisfied, magistrate will register certain particulars.

(1.) The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2.) The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3.) The contractor's depôt to which it is intended that he shall proceed;

(4.) The labor district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(5.) The period of service;

(6.) The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

If dissatisfied, will reject.

If the magistrate thinks that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the recruiter shall not have produced his license, he shall refuse to register such native.

Copy of registration to be given to emigrant.

47. A certified copy of his registration, written on substantial paper, shall be furnished by the magistrate to each emigrant.

Copy of registration and medical certificate to be sent to superintendent.

48. A certified copy of every such registration and the original certificate of the medical officer shall be forthwith forwarded by the magistrate to the superintendent of emigration.

Fee for registration.

49. For the registration of every such native the recruiter shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

50. The provisions of the five preceding sections shall be applicable to all natives of India engaged by recruiters within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall be brought for registration before the superintendent of emigration therein.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

51. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any recruiter from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract in a district under such control, shall be presented by the recruiter for medical examination and registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Penalty for forwarding natives without registration.

52. Every recruiter, who forwards or accompanies any native of India from the district or division of the district within which the place or town where he has been recruited is situate, or into which, under the last preceding section, he has first come, or who induces any such native to leave such district or division of district for the purpose of proceeding to a labor district, without being duly registered as above required; or who forwards, accompanies, or induces any such native to proceed to any depôt other than the depôt registered under section 38, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished in respect of every such native so forwarded, accompanied, or induced, with a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to one month.

Recruiter must accompany emigrants to depôt, or depute person approved by magistrate.

53. All emigrants proceeding to a depôt shall be accompanied throughout the journey by the recruiter himself, or by a competent person appointed by him with the approval of the magistrate, by whom such emigrants have been registered. The magistrate shall give to the person so appointed a certificate under his signature stating that he has been appointed for the journey to the depôt.

Recruiter must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

54. Every recruiter, by whom any emigrant is forwarded or accompanied to a depôt, shall, throughout the journey, provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging. If it shall appear to a

magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant at any place on the journey, that the recruiter has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging at such place, such recruiter shall, on conviction by such magistrate, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees. The whole or any portion of such fine may be awarded to such emigrant as compensation. If the fine be not paid within twenty-four hours, the recruiter shall be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to one month.

Chapter 6.—Depôt.

Contractor to report arrival of emigrants.

55. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival at any depôt of any emigrant, the contractor by whom such depôt is maintained shall give to the superintendent of emigration a notice in writing of such arrival, which notice shall be in such form and shall contain such particulars as the superintendent shall prescribe.

Emigrants to be inspected by medical inspector immediately on arrival.

56. The copy of the registration and the medical certificate of every emigrant received by the superintendent as provided in section 48 shall be shown to the medical inspector; and all emigrants shall be inspected by the medical inspector at the depôt. If he be satisfied that an emigrant is in a fit state of health, and able in point of physical condition to journey to and labor in a labor district, he shall countersign the copy of the registration; if he be not satisfied thereof, he shall give a certificate to that effect to the superintendent.

Medical inspector to examine emigrant if medical certificate not given.

The medical inspector shall examine any emigrant in regard to whom a medical certificate is not forthcoming, and shall certify whether such emigrant is in his opinion in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor district; and if satisfied of his fitness, he shall countersign the copy of the registration.

Emigrant rejected by medical inspector to be sent back.

57. If the medical inspector shall cerify that any emigrant so examined is in such a state of health that his journey to a labor district would be dangerous to himself or to others, or that he is unfit for labor in a labor district, the superintendent may order the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, if such emigrant has been forwarded or brought to the depôt by a garden-sirdar, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged. Provided that any such person, who from his state of health is, in the opinion of the medical inspector, unfit to undertake the journey back to the place where he was engaged, shall, until he is reported by the medical inspector fit to undertake such journey, be fed, clothed, lodged, and medically attended at the expense of such contractor, or of such garden-sirdar, as the case may be. If such contractor or garden-sirdar negligently or wilfully omits to provide food, clothing, lodging and medical attendance for such person, the superintendent may order such contractor or garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

58. Whenever an emigrant remains behind or is detained under the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so remaining behind or detained. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain behind with the father or mother.

Emigrant ill-treated during journey may obtain compensation.

59. If upon the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, it shall appear to the superintendent of emigration on the complaint of such emigrant, that he has suffered any ill-treatment on the journey, or that the recruiter or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging, the superintendent may cause him to be removed from the depôt, and may order the contractor or garden-sirdar, for or by whom he shall have been taken to such depôt, to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation, or sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged, and in such latter case he shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Contract to be explained by superintendent and executed in duplicate, and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by superintendent.

60. Every emigrant, who is passed by the medical inspector as in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and labor in a labor district, shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract before he is forwarded from the depôt. Such contract shall, in the presence of the superintendent of emigration, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the employer with whom he intends to contract or his agent. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. Before the emigrant signs the contract, the superintendent shall personally explain it to him, and shall attest such contract and certify at the foot thereof that he has personally explained the same. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the superintendent for the purpose, and after such contract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant, and the other to the person with whom he has contracted or his agent.

The superintendent shall, within seven days after the entry of such abstract, send by post a certified copy of every such abstract to the magistrate of the district in which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Penalty on emigrant refusing to execute contract.

61. Any emigrant who, without reasonable cause, refuses to execute such contract in conformity with the engagement previously registered shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punished with a fine equal in amount to the entire cost incurred by, or on behalf of, the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, in engaging, registering, and bringing or forwarding him to the depôt, and shall forthwith be discharged from such depôt. Every fine levied under the provisions of this section shall be paid to the

contractor or garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom the person from whom such fine shall have been levied was originally registered.

Penalty on contractor failing to provide contract.

62. If within thirty days after the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, the contractor or, if he has been engaged by a garden-sirdar, the garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom such emigrant has been registered, shall not tender to him for execution such contract as under the provisions of the preceding sections he would be bound to execute, the superintendent may order the contractor or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place where he was engaged, and in such case such emigrant shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Money ordered to be paid by superintendent may be advanced by him and recovered.

63. If any contractor or garden-sirdar who may be ordered, under the provisions of sections 57, 59, and 62, to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the superintendent to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the person named in such order, and to recover from such contractor or garden-sirdar or his employer the sum so advanced, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Chapter 7.—Transport.

Transport rules when applicable.

64. The provisions of this chapter excepting sections 70, 79, 80, 81, 82, and so much of section 97 as refers to sections 29, 31, 32, and 33, shall not apply to the transport of emigrants recruited by a garden-sirdar when the number of such emigrants does not exceed twenty, unless they have embarked under a pass from the embarkation agent in accordance with the provisions of section 34.

Emigrant to be forwarded to labor district with permission of superintendent.

65. When the contract of any emigrant has been duly executed, he may, with the permission of the superintendent of emigration, be forwarded to the labor district in which he has engaged to labor by the contractor in whose depôt he is residing, or by the employer with whom he has made the contract or his agent.

To be furnished with a pass.

Every such emigrant shall be furnished with a pass in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act, signed by the contractor or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and counter-signed by the superintendent of emigration and by the embarkation agent at the place at which the laborer embarks, specifying his name and age, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer. Every such pass shall be entered in a book to be kept by the embarkation agent, and shall be dated and numbered in a consecutive series.

Vessel must be licensed to carry emigrants.

66. It shall not be lawful for the master of any vessel, without a license granted by the embarkation agent within the local limits of whose authority any emigrant may embark, to convey more than twenty emigrants at any one time to or towards any labor district; provided always that the number of persons (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) carried by any vessel shall not exceed twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34.

Fee for license.

A fee not exceeding four annas for every emigrant shall be paid for every such license, and it shall be in the discretion of the embarkation agent to whom application is made to grant or withhold any such license. Such license shall be in force for only one voyage to one or more of the labor districts, and shall specify the number of emigrants which the vessel is licensed to carry and the number of persons (including the crew) other than emigrants whom such vessel is licensed to carry.

Penalty for carrying without license.

The master of any vessel, in which at one time more than twenty emigrants are conveyed without a license having been obtained as aforesaid, or in which the number of persons on board (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for delay in despatching vessel.

67. Such license shall state the date on which the vessel shall leave the place at which the emigrants are to embark. If the vessel does not leave such place and proceed on its voyage within 24 hours of the day fixed, the master thereof shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each day during which the vessel remains at or within five miles of the place of embarkation. Provided that such penalty shall not be incurred if the delay is caused by or with the sanction of the embarkation agent or by any casualty incidental to or attending navigation, or is due to other reasonable and sufficient cause.

Fraudulent alteration of vessel after grant of certificate.

68. If the master of any vessel, after having obtained a license as aforesaid, fraudulently does or suffers to be done any act or thing whereby the state of the vessel is altered, so that such vessel is unfit for the accommodation of the number of emigrants mentioned in such license, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for receiving on board more passengers than number specified in license.

69. The master of any vessel licensed to carry emigrants, who receives on board his vessel a greater number of emigrants or other persons than the number specified in his license shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every emigrant or other person so received in excess of the licensed number.

Two children under ten to be counted as one person.

70. In computing under this Act the number of persons on board of any vessel, two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

No emigrant to be received on board without pass.

71. The master of any vessel, whether licensed or not, shall not take on board any emigrant, if the number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, unless such emigrant, or some person accompanying him, shall show the pass prescribed by section 65 countersigned by the embarkation agent; or if the

number of persons to be carried by such vessel (exclusive of the crew or of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34. The master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine not exceeding ten rupees for every emigrant illegally taken on board.

Embarkation agent to furnish the master with a list of emigrants on board.

72. The master of a licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall not proceed on the voyage towards a labor district until he has received from the embarkation agent a list of all the emigrants on board.

List what to contain.

Such list shall contain all the particulars noted in the pass of each such emigrant; but if all the emigrants whose names are entered in any one pass embark on board the same vessel, it shall be sufficient if the number and date of such pass are noted in the list.

To be compared with emigrants by agent and master.

The embarkation agent and the master of the vessel shall together personally ascertain that the number of emigrants on board corresponds with the number entered in such list.

Penalty for admitting emigrants not in list.

If the master of such vessel allows any emigrant not entered in such list to proceed in the vessel, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Copy of list to be sent to magistrate.

The embarkation agent shall send a copy of the said list or an extract from it to the magistrate of the labor district to which any of the emigrants are proceeding.

Provisions, medical and other stores, medical officers, cooks, &c.

73. There shall be laden under the supervision of the embarkation agent on board of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants to or towards any labor district, at the time of the embarkation of such emigrants, such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required under the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act.

Penalty if master proceeds without.

The master of any such vessel who shall commence the voyage without having on board such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Vessel carrying 200 emigrants must carry a qualified medical officer.

74. No vessel carrying two hundred emigrants shall be allowed to proceed on the voyage unless a medical officer, who is a licentiate in medicine, or who is declared to be qualified for such charge by order of the Lieutenant-Governor, has been appointed to the charge of such emigrants. And any master who shall commence the voyage without having on board such medical officer as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, and, in default of payment, imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

Emigrant not allowed finally to leave vessel at any place other than that mentioned in pass.

75. If the master of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall, save as hereinafter is provided, cause or permit any emigrant finally to leave such vessel at any place other than that named as the destination of such emigrant in his pass, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each such offence. Provided always that this section shall not be deemed to prevent the master of any vessel from permitting emigrants to disembark at any place or places on the voyage so long as such disembarkation is not intended or known to be likely to be final; nor to prevent the final disembarkation of any emigrants in case of accident or other unavoidable necessity, if such accident or necessity be forthwith reported to the embarkation agent by whom the license of such vessel was granted, and to the nearest magistrate in the district within which such accident may occur or necessity arise.

Master to report arrival of emigrants at every intermediate station where there is a magistrate.

76. Every licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall stop at every place in which a magistrate is stationed, intermediate between the places of embarkation and disembarkation of such emigrants, and shall remain during not less than six hours of daylight. The master of every such vessel shall immediately on arrival report to the magistrate, or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 94, the number of emigrants on board, the general state of their health, and the number of deaths (if any) which have occurred among the persons who embarked on such vessel.

Any master who wilfully omits to comply with the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may at any time inspect vessel.

77. A magistrate may at any time go on board of any such licensed vessel carrying emigrants while within the limits of his jurisdiction, and may inspect the vessel, the emigrants, and all persons on board.

Master bound to give all information required.

The master and officers of such vessel shall be bound to afford to such magistrate all reasonable facility for such inspection, and to give him all such information respecting the emigrants or other persons on board as may be reasonably required, and respecting any deaths which may have occurred on board, and respecting any other facts which may affect the health of the emigrants.

Penalty for omission.

Any master or other officer, who wilfully omits to give any such information to such magistrate, shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may regulate communication between vessel and land.

78. On the arrival of such vessel, or at any time while it is within the limits of his jurisdiction, the magistrate may regulate the communication between such vessel and the land, and may prohibit all persons from leaving the vessel and all persons on land

from proceeding on board. And any person not complying with any order made under this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may detain vessel for inspection and for removal of disease, and may detain sick emigrants.

79. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that any emigrants on board any vessel within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such vessel, and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants on board such vessel, and to report on their health, and whether any or what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease. After the submission of such report the magistrate may detain the vessel for a further period not exceeding five days for the purpose of carrying out such measures, if any, recommended by the medical officer in his report, and he may further detain at such station for medical treatment any emigrant who is affected with any infectious or contagious disease.

Magistrate may detain emigrants proceeding by land.

80. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that a party of emigrants proceeding by land within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such party and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants and to report on their health, and whether any and what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease, and the magistrate may further detain for medical treatment such party or such emigrants of the party as are affected with any infectious or contagious disease for such period as the medical officer may certify to be requisite.

Magistrate may detain sick emigrants,

and shall arrange for their accommodation and treatment.

81. If in any case whatever it appears to a magistrate expedient that any emigrant, in consequence of ill health, should not be allowed to proceed towards a labor district, he may order the detention of such emigrant; and in such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant.

Expenses how to be recovered.

82. All expenses incurred under sections 79, 80, or 81, by a magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, in respect of any emigrant so detained, shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the contractor by whom the emigrant has been engaged or forwarded; or in the case of an emigrant engaged by a garden-sirdar, from the employer from whom such garden-sirdar received his certificate.

Measures to be taken if excess number of emigrants is found on board.

83. If it appears to a magistrate making an inspection of any licensed vessel that the number of emigrants on board is larger than the number specified in the license, he may remove the excess number and detain them until another opportunity of forwarding them to their destination is found. The necessary expense of maintaining such emigrants, and of conveying them to their destination, shall be recoverable by such magistrate or other officer who may have been deputed as aforesaid from the master of such vessel.

Infraction of the Act and rules to be reported.

84. In any case in which, on making an inspection of a licensed vessel, a magistrate shall find that any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act have not been complied with, he shall report the same to the embarkation agent by whom the license to carry the emigrants was granted to such vessel;

Vessel may be detained.

and, if the circumstances of the case are such as in such magistrate's opinion make it necessary so to do, he may detain the vessel until the provisions of this Act, or any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor as aforesaid, have been complied with, so far as to make it possible for the voyage to be further prosecuted with safety and reasonable comfort to the emigrants.

On arrival of licensed vessel at the place of disembarkation, the master shall give information to the magistrate.

85. Whenever any licensed vessel carrying emigrants arrives at a civil station at which it is intended that any of such emigrants shall disembark, the master shall immediately give notice of the arrival to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, and shall forward to him at the same time the list furnished to him by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72, or a copy of so much of the said list as relates to the emigrants who are to disembark. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate.

Magistrate shall send information to employer or agent,

Immediately on the receipt of such notice the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. And he shall at the same time direct the civil medical officer of the station, or other qualified medical officer, to go on board such vessel and to inspect such emigrants.

and direct medical inspection.

Report of medical inspection.

Such medical officer shall, without delay, make a careful inspection of all such emigrants; and, after making such inspection, shall prepare and sign a report, in which he shall certify the state of health and general condition of each emigrant so inspected.

Sick emigrants to be detained at station.

86. The magistrate shall detain at the station for medical treatment any emigrant who is, in the opinion of the medical officer, in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the place at which he has contracted to labor. In such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant, and all expenses so incurred by the magistrate in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrant has contracted.

87. The magistrate shall also ascertain whether reasonable provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination. If he is satisfied that such reasonable provision has been made, the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted or his agent shall forthwith take charge of such emigrants except those, if any, detained under the provisions of the last preceding section. But if such reasonable provision has not been made, or if the employer or his agent shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, the magistrate shall order such arrangements to be made, and incur such expenses as under the circumstances may seem to him necessary; and the amount of expenses so incurred by him in the disembarkation, or in respect of the food, lodging, medicines, hospital attendance, or clothing of the laborers, shall, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted.

If necessary provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants, they shall be made over to employer or agent.

If not made, or if employer or agent not present, magistrate to make arrangements;

expenses recoverable from employers.

88. If it is intended that the emigrants on board of any licensed vessel shall disembark at a place which is not a civil station, the master of such vessel shall report the arrival, as required in section 85, to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, at the last civil station which such vessel shall pass before arriving at the said place of disembarkation, and shall not proceed on his voyage until the medical inspection of such emigrants has been made as provided in the said section. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate. Immediately on the receipt of such notice, the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. When such inspection has been made, the magistrate shall, without delay, authorize the master to proceed on his voyage, provided that he may, if he thinks fit, detain any emigrant who is unfit to proceed under the provisions of section 81.

If emigrants are to disembark at a place other than a civil station, medical inspection to be made at the civil station last preceding.

89. On the arrival of any licensed vessel at a place of disembarkation which is not a civil station, the emigrants who are to disembark at such place shall, in case the employers with whom they have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, be present, be disembarked and given in charge to such employers or agents. Provided that in case the medical officer in charge of such emigrants, if there be any such medical officer, and if there be not, then the master of the vessel in which such emigrants have been conveyed, shall be of opinion that any of such emigrants are in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the places where they have respectively contracted to labor, or that reasonable provision for the support and lodging of such emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination has not been made, or in case the employers with whom such emigrants have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, then and in every such case the emigrants so unfit to proceed, or for whose support reasonable provision has not been made, or whose employers may not be present personally or by their agents, shall be further conveyed in the vessel to the next civil station, and shall be there disembarked, and the place at which they shall be so disembarked shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be their place of disembarkation.

Disembarkation at such place.

If necessary provision not made, emigrants to be carried on to next station.

90. Whenever an emigrant is detained under the provisions of sections 81, 86, or 88, or is further conveyed under the provisions of section 89, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so detained, or to be taken forward along with the emigrant so further conveyed. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain, or be taken forward with the father or mother.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

91. Every medical officer who is required to make a report under the provisions of this chapter, shall submit such report to the magistrate, and shall enter therein the name and age of each emigrant, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer, as set forth in the list prepared by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72.

Particulars to be entered in the reports of medical officers.

92. The magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, shall make a detailed report to the superintendent of emigration, of the arrival of all emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, and of all proceedings taken and orders passed by him under the provisions of this chapter, and shall forward with such report a copy of every report made to him by a medical officer relating to emigrants proceeding to a labor district. He shall also forward to the superintendent any observations which he or the medical officer may think fit to make in regard to the state of health and general condition of the emigrants. Whenever such reports or observations relate to emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, he shall forward them to the embarkation agent by whom such emigrants were despatched, and the agent shall transmit them to the superintendent with any remarks which he may desire to record.

Magistrate to report arrival of all emigrants, and all proceedings, to the superintendent of emigration;

in certain cases through the embarkation agent.

93. The magistrate of a district, or of a division of a district, may depute any subordinate magistrate to exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on a magistrate under the provisions of sections 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 83, 84, 85, 86, 88, and 92.

Magistrate may depute a subordinate magistrate to discharge the functions of the magistrate.

Penalty, if master or medical officer neglects to enforce rules.

94. Every master of a vessel, or medical officer in charge of emigrants on board of any vessel carrying emigrants, who shall wilfully and knowingly neglect or refuse to obey or to enforce on board of such vessel any rule which may from time to time be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Jurisdiction, if offence created by this Act is committed on board.

95. Any offence against any of the provisions of this chapter, or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act, committed on board of any vessel, may be tried by any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in any place at which emigrants may have embarked on board such vessel, or may have disembarked from such vessel, or in any place in which such vessel may be detained under the provisions of this Act.

Punishment of emigrant for desertion.

96. Any emigrant who deserts while in transit from the district in which he has been registered to the district in which he has engaged to labor may, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a period which may extend to three months. Such offence may be inquired into and tried in the district in which such emigrant is apprehended, or in the district in which the desertion took place, or in the district in which he was registered.

Provisions of sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, 88 to apply to children, &c., accompanying emigrants.

97. The provisions with regard to engaged natives of India and emigrants contained in sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, and 88 of this Act, shall be applicable to such women, children, and aged relatives of such natives and emigrants as may, with the consent of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and with the written permission of the registering magistrate or superintendent, accompany them without having entered into an engagement.

PART III.—LABOR DISTRICTS.

Chapter 8.—Inland Labor Transport Fund.

Annual rate payable by employers.

98. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time, by order published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, fix a yearly rate, not exceeding one rupee and eight annas per laborer, for the purpose of defraying the expense of carrying out the purposes of this Act; and the sum or rate so fixed shall be paid half-yearly by each employer on the last day of July and the last day of January in each year for each laborer entered in the last return of laborers furnished (as is hereinafter provided) by such employer before such date.

Payment of rate how to be enforced.

99. If any employer shall fail to comply with the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to notify such default to him; and if within one month from the receipt of such notification, or such longer period as it may, under special circumstances, appear to the magistrate reasonable, such employer shall not so comply, the magistrate shall, by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer, levy the sum so payable.

If there shall be no such moveable property, or insufficient moveable property so found, the amount shall be recoverable by a civil regular suit from the person for whose benefit the laborers in respect of whom the same may be payable shall have been employed. In every such suit the Government shall be named as plaintiff, and the cause of action shall be taken to have arisen within the limits of the jurisdiction of any court having jurisdiction at any place where any such laborers may have been employed by such employer.

Fines, fees, and rates to be credited to "Inland Labor Transport Fund."

100. Subject to the powers conferred on a magistrate by this Act or by the Code of Criminal Procedure, of awarding fines in whole or in part as compensation to or for the benefit of any complainant or other person, all fines, fees, and rates levied and paid under this Act shall be credited to a fund which shall be called the "Inland Labor Transport Fund," and such fund shall be at the disposal of the Lieutenant-Governor for defraying the expenses of carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Chapter 9.—Inspector's Returns and Magistrates' Inspections.

Appointment of inspectors and assistant inspectors.

101. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint in any labor district so many inspectors and assistant inspectors of laborers as he may think proper, and may define, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the local limits within which each such inspector and assistant inspector shall exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on him by this Act. Such inspectors and assistant inspectors may be by the said Lieutenant-Governor vested with all or any of the powers of a magistrate.

Establishment.

102. The Lieutenant-Governor may authorize inspectors and assistant inspectors to entertain such establishment as he may think fit. An assistant inspector shall perform all such duties and exercise all such powers of an inspector as he is authorized in writing by the inspector to perform or exercise.

Duty of assistant inspector.

Half-yearly report of laborers employed, of their state of health, and of mortality.

103. Every employer shall, on or before the last day of January and the last day of July in each and every year, make out in writing, and deliver to the inspector of laborers, a return of the number of all laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed by such employer on the last day of the preceding month, and return of the sickness and mortality among the laborers during the preceding six months.

Penalty for omission to furnish such report, or for submitting false report.

104. If any employer shall refuse or wilfully omit duly to send in any such return, or shall knowingly send in an incorrect return, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Periodical inspection of laborers to be made by inspector.

105. Every inspector of laborers shall once within each of such periods as may be fixed for such purpose by the Lieutenant-Governor, visit all lands within the limits of his authority on which there shall be employed any laborers, and inspect every hospital, tent, camp, or building in any way used by any such laborers, and investigate the condition of the laborers employed; and for such purpose the inspector may require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and may make such inquiries as may to him seem proper. Every such inspector shall keep books, in which from time to time shall be entered the number of laborers then under contract with each employer, the number who shall then be sick or missing, or who shall have complained of ill-treatment, the particulars of such complaints, and such other particulars regarding the laborers as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time direct. Each inspector shall annually make a written report to the Lieutenant-Governor through the Commissioner of the division of the aforesaid particulars; and every such report, as regards the laborers under any particular employer, shall, at all reasonable times, be open to the inspection of such employer or any person by him appointed in writing in that behalf, and the person so inspecting shall be entitled to take a copy of the report so far as it relates to such laborers.

Books to be kept by inspector.

Annual report.

Such report open to inspection by employer.

106. It shall be lawful for any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in the district, or any person authorized by him in writing in that behalf, at any time to enter and inspect any hospital, tent, camp, or building, wholly or partially used by or for laborers, and to require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and to make any inquiries which he may think proper touching the condition or treatment of any laborer.

Magistrate may at any time inspect laborers' buildings used by them, &c.

If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, wilfully obstructs or impedes any entry, inspection, or inquiry, made under either of the two preceding sections, such employer or other person as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees for each such offence.

Penalty for obstructing inspection or inquiry.

Chapter 10.—*Regulation of Labor.*

Schedule of daily tasks to be framed.

107. Every employer shall from time to time, with the sanction of the inspector previously obtained, fix the daily tasks to be executed by the laborers employed by such employer, and shall frame a schedule of such daily tasks, and publish the same by posting a copy thereof in the Bengali language upon the door of each place of payment of the laborers employed by such employer, and by sending a copy thereof in the English language to the inspector.

Maximum amount of labor.

108. No laborer shall be bound to work under his contract more than six days in one week, or more than six hours consecutively, or more than nine hours on any one day.

Inspector may submit schedule to a committee.

109. If at any time the inspector considers such schedule of daily tasks or any part thereof to be unreasonable, he shall refer the consideration of such schedule to a committee consisting of the inspector, of some employer to be nominated by him, and of some person to be nominated by the employer whose schedule is to be considered, or on his default by the inspector.

Committee to revise schedule.

110. In case the said committee or the majority in number thereof are of opinion that the daily tasks in such schedule contained, or any of them, unreasonable, they shall modify and reduce such daily tasks in such manner as they shall deem reasonable, and such schedule so modified shall be published in manner aforesaid, and every schedule published as aforesaid shall have effect as between the employer and laborers in substitution for any former schedule.

Chapter 11.—*Incapacity for Labor.*

Inspector may suspend contract of any laborer temporarily unfitted for labor.

111. It shall be lawful for the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority any laborer may be employed, to suspend, for such period as he shall consider advisable, the contract of such laborer, or any particular term thereof, if such laborer shall be, in the judgment of such inspector, temporarily unfitted for the performance thereof by reason of sickness, pregnancy, or other sufficient cause. Provided that every such suspension shall be endorsed by the inspector on the contract. Provided also that every such laborer shall, during such incapacity, receive such subsistence money from his employer as shall be considered sufficient by the inspector, and that the time during which the suspension continues shall not be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve.

Penalty for compelling laborer to perform work for which he is unfit.

112. If it shall be found that any laborer has been compelled to perform any species of labor for which he was at the time unfit, the employer by whom he was so employed shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Discharge of laborers permanently incapacitated.

113. If, in the opinion of the inspector of laborers, any laborer shall be permanently incapacitated for the performance of his contract or any material part thereof, the inspector shall certify to that effect in writing, and deliver such certificate to the employer of such laborer or some one on his behalf, and from the date of such certificate the contract of such laborer shall wholly cease and determine. The inspector shall make a return of all such cases of determination of contract in his report under section 105. Every laborer whose contract shall have been determined as aforesaid, shall be entitled to receive from his employer such sum, not exceeding three months' wages, as the inspector may award, and such sum shall be recoverable before a magistrate in the manner hereinafter provided for the recovery of wages.

Chapter 12.—Necessary Provision for Laborers.

Sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, and sanitary arrangements to be provided.

114. Whenever any laborers shall be employed in any labor district, the employer of such laborers shall be bound to provide for them sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice.

Hospital, medicines, &c., to be provided.

115. Every employer shall be bound to provide for his laborers such sufficient hospital accommodation, and such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor; and if three hundred or more laborers shall be employed by any employer, it shall be the duty of such employer to place in medical charge of such laborers a medical officer holding a medical diploma as licentiate in medicine, from some Indian or European collegiate institution authorized to grant diplomas, or an officer for the time being licensed by the local Government to act in such medical charge of laborers.

Inquiry whether employer has failed to provide as required by the rules.

116. It shall be lawful for any inspector or assistant inspector who is himself a magistrate, to institute within his jurisdiction, on the lands in charge of any employer, or at some place within his jurisdiction not more than ten miles distant from such lands, an inquiry whether such employer has provided for his laborers sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice. On the complaint of any inspector or assistant inspector a similar inquiry may be made by a magistrate.

Punishment for gross neglect as to house accommodation, &c., and for wilfully omitting to comply with the order of the magistrate in such respect.

117. If the employer is convicted of gross neglect in not having provided sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, such employer shall be punished with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees. In any case where a magistrate shall find that proper or sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, has not been provided, he may order the employer to provide such proper and sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice. If the employer wilfully omits to comply with such order, he shall, on conviction, be punished with a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees a day for every day that such omission continues. In default of payment by the employer of the last mentioned fine, the person on whose account such employer has been acting shall be liable to pay the fine.

Penalty for failure to provide hospital accommodation, &c.

118. Wherever such sufficient hospital accommodation or such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, or such medical officer as aforesaid, shall not have been provided, the employer or other person through whose wilful default the same shall not have been provided shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for every week during which any such default continues.

Chapter 13.—Localities unfit for the Residence of Laborers.

Inspector to report.

119. If an inspector of laborers shall at any time have reason to believe that any estate or portion of an estate situated within the limits of his jurisdiction is by reason of climate, situation, or condition unfit for the residence of laborers, he shall give notice in writing of his opinion to the magistrate of the district, and such magistrate shall forthwith summon a committee to inquire into the fitness of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers. Such committee shall consist of the magistrate, the inspector of laborers, the medical officer of the district, and one or more employers of laborers, when such persons are available. If the magistrate is unable to procure the service on such committee of any employer of laborers he may, with the sanction of the commissioner of the division, appoint one or more persons whom he may deem qualified.

Magistrate to summon committee.

Proceedings of committee.

Such committee shall proceed, with as little delay as possible, to inquire into the healthiness of the estate or portion thereof to which the order appointing the committee has reference, and shall hear such information on the subject as the owner of the estate, or the employer or inspector, may desire to place before it; and if such committee, or the major part in number thereof, shall be of opinion that such estate or any portion thereof be unfit for the residence of laborers, it shall record a finding to that effect; and the contract of every laborer who shall have contracted to serve on such estate shall thereupon be void as regards such estate or portion of estate as may be found unfit for the residence of laborers.

If committee finds unfit, contract to be void as regards such locality.

Proviso as regards other localities.

Provided that every such contract shall continue valid with regard to any other portion of such estate or to any other estate of the same employer in the same district.

Lieutenant-Governor how to proceed if mortality in past year exceeds 7 per cent., or if the average of 3 years exceeds 5 per cent.

120. If it shall at any time appear that the number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on any estate or portion of an estate during the preceding twelve months, bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, or if the average annual number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on such estate or portion thereof during the preceding three years bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, it shall be lawful

for the Lieutenant-Governor to direct the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inquire into and report on the following matters:—

Matters to be inquired into.

(1) The cause or causes of such mortality.

(2) The want (if any) of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures, on the part of the owner of such estate or portion thereof or the employer, causing or contributing to such mortality.

(3) The fitness or otherwise of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers and the reasons thereof.

Such medical officer shall proceed with as little delay as possible, and shall hear and record such information on the subject of the several matters aforesaid as the owner of such estate or portion thereof, or the employer, or inspector may desire to place before him, and shall visit and inspect such estate or portion thereof, and shall make his report expressing the reasons of his opinion and transmit the same with the recorded information and notes of his inspection of such estate or portion thereof to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Medical officer to report.

If the Lieutenant-Governor, after perusal and consideration of the said report, information, and notes, shall be of opinion that such mortality was caused by the want of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or the employer, and that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers by reason of the want of due care or precaution, and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or portion thereof or the employer, it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to declare in writing that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers. Such declaration of the Lieutenant-Governor shall have the same effect as the finding of a committee under the last preceding section.

Lieutenant-Governor may declare estate unfit for residence.

Contracts to be void as regards that estate.

121. Every employer who shall cause or permit any laborer to reside upon any such estate or portion of an estate as under the provisions of either of the two preceding sections may have been found to be unfit for the residence of laborers, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine. Provided always that in case it shall appear to the inspector that any such estate, or portion of an estate, or any part of such portion, has become fit for the residence of laborers, he shall, with the sanction of the magistrate of the district, give under his hand a certificate of such fitness, and no employer shall be liable to fine by reason of his causing or permitting laborers to reside in any place respecting which such certificate of fitness shall have been given.

Penalty on employer permitting laborer to reside in locality declared to be unfit.

Chapter 14.—Offences committed by Laborers.

122. Any laborer, who shall absent himself from his labor without sufficient cause, may, on conviction by a magistrate, be sentenced to lose all claims to wages or allowances during the period of such absence, and also to forfeit to his employer a sum not exceeding four annas for each day during which such absence shall be continued; and in case such absence shall have exceeded seven days, or in case such laborer shall have been already convicted of the same offence within a period of three months, such laborer shall be furthermore sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for fourteen days.

Penalty on laborer for absenting himself without sufficient cause.

123. If any laborer deserts or attempts to desert from his employer's service, such employer or any other person acting in his behalf may, without first procuring a warrant, and without the assistance of any police officer (who, nevertheless, shall be bound to give such assistance if called upon to do so), apprehend such laborer wherever he may be found. Provided, nevertheless, that if such laborer be found in the service of another employer, he shall not be arrested without a warrant. Provided also that such employer or other person shall without delay give the said laborer in charge at the nearest police station, and there enter the charge upon which he shall have apprehended such laborer.

Deserting may be apprehended without warrant.

Any laborer so given in charge shall be conveyed, without delay, to the nearest magistrate; and, if the place from which such laborer is charged with having deserted, be within the jurisdiction of such magistrate, he shall himself adjudicate upon the charge; but if not, he shall forward the said laborer, under custody, to the magistrate within whose jurisdiction such place may be situated, who shall adjudicate upon such charge.

To be taken to nearest magistrate.

Every laborer who deserts from his employer's service shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with rigorous imprisonment which may extend to one month; and every laborer, who after having been convicted of desertion, shall again desert from his employer's service, shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with rigorous imprisonment for a period which may extend to two months; and every laborer who, after having been twice convicted of desertion shall again desert shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Punishment.

124. On the expiry of any sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, save as is provided in section 125, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to make over such laborer to any person appointed on the part of his employer to receive charge of him; and no conviction under this Act, or imprisonment under such conviction, shall, save as is provided in section 125, be held to operate as a release to any laborer from the terms of his contract. Provided, nevertheless, that the period of imprisonment shall in no case be prolonged by reason of their being no person present on the part of the employer to take charge of the laborer at the expiry to his sentence; but such laborer shall in that case be sent to the principal place of business of such employer, and the expense of such conveyance shall be levied from the employer in the manner provided in section 99.

Conviction not to operate as a release.

Cancellation of contract by desertion.

125. Whenever any laborer shall have actually suffered imprisonment amounting in the whole to six months for desertion from his employer's service, it shall be lawful for the inspector, and he is hereby required, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and every such cancellation shall be certified by the inspector on the back of the contract.

Portion of sentence may be cancelled on application of employer.

126. The employer, or any person authorized to act for the employer, of any laborer imprisoned for any offence under this Act, may apply to a magistrate, at any time previous to the expiry of such sentence, that such laborer be made over to him for the purpose of completing his contract; and such magistrate may, if he see good cause, make over or forward such laborer to his employer; and in that case such magistrate shall cancel the remainder of the sentence passed on him, and shall endorse on the contract of such laborer a memorandum signed by him of such cancellation.

Expense of restoring deserting laborer to be paid by employer.

127. Every employer who obtains an order for the return or forwarding of any laborer who has deserted, shall pay the expense incurred in such return or forwarding, and shall, before the order is issued, deposit with the magistrate such sum as such magistrate may in his discretion deem to be sufficient for defraying the expense of such return or forwarding.

Time of unlawful absence or imprisonment to be excluded from contract period.

128. The duration of every unlawful absence from labor, of which any laborer may be convicted, and every sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, shall be endorsed on the contract, at the time of its being passed, by the officer passing it; and no such period of imprisonment or unlawful absence so endorsed shall be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve, but such term shall extend to such further period as shall be equivalent to the aggregate amount of the imprisonment and unlawful absence so endorsed.

Other person enticing away, harbouring, or employing laborer under contract.

129. Any person who knowingly and wilfully entices away, harbours, or employs, or attempts to entice from his employment, any laborer, before such laborer shall have been lawfully released from his contract, shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with fine, the whole or any portion of which may be awarded to the employer of such laborer.

Chapter 15.—Complaints made by Laborers.

Employer to give notice to inspector if laborer wishes to complain of personal ill-usage or breach of contract.

130. If any laborer states to his employer, or to any person acting for such employer, that he desires to make a complaint to the inspector of laborers of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act on the part of such employer or other person, the person to whom such statement is made shall, within forty-eight hours send notice thereof in writing to the inspectors and in default of so doing, such person shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Inspector how to proceed on receipt of notice, or if complaint is made to him,

or if he has reason to believe that there is ground for a complaint.

131. Whenever any inspector of laborer receives such notice in writing as aforesaid, or whenever any complaint of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid, is made to him by any laborer against his employer or any person acting for such employer, or whenever the inspector has other reasonable grounds for believing that any such personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid has been suffered by a laborer, such inspector shall forthwith, if the place in which such offence has been committed is not situated within the limits of his own authority, give notice thereof in writing to the inspector within the limits of whose authority such place is situated; and if such place be situated within the limits of his own authority, then such inspector shall, so soon as conveniently may be, proceed to some place not more than ten miles from the principal place of business of such employer, and make full inquiry into the matter complained of.

Procedure.
Penalty for obstructing service of, or disobedience to, summons.

132. For the purposes of such inquiry the inspector may summon such laborer and any witnesses. If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, in any way wilfully obstructs the service of, or obedience to, such summons; or if the laborer or any witness summoned intentionally omits to attend as required in such summons, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

If complaint is untrue or frivolous.

133. If, upon such inquiry made on the complaint of a laborer, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is untrue or frivolous, he shall enter in his book the particulars of such complaint, and a short statement of the grounds of his opinion respecting it, and shall dismiss the complaint, and in such case shall endorse on the employer's copy of the contract of such complainant the number of days during which such complainant has been absent from work in consequence of such inquiry, and such number of days shall be added to the period of the contract of such complainant.

If complaint is well founded.

134. If, upon inquiry as aforesaid, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is well-founded, he shall, if himself a magistrate, dispose of the case according to due course of law. If the inspector shall not be a magistrate, he shall without delay send the complainant and his witnesses to the nearest magistrate, and such magistrate shall thereupon dispose of the case according to due course of law.

Recovery of arrears of wages.

135. If, upon the complaint of any laborer, it is proved to the satisfaction of a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear for two months, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to award to such laborer the amount which shall appear to be then due to him; and

Compensation may be given if arrear is for two months.

also, by way of compensation, such further sum, not exceeding that amount, as shall appear to such

magistrate to be just; and in case of default, the magistrate shall levy the entire sum by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer.

Contract may be declared cancelled, if employer is convicted of maltreatment by session court, or twice by magistrate;

136. If any employer, or any person placed in authority over any laborer by such employer, shall be convicted of any offence causing injury to the person or property of such laborer triable under the Code of Criminal Procedure by the court of session; or if any such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall be twice convicted of any such offence against such laborer triable under the said Code by a magistrate;

or if wages are in arrear for four months;

or if it shall be proved before a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear to an amount exceeding the total of such laborer's wages for four months; or if a magistrate shall, on the report of the inspector and after due inquiry, upon oath, in the presence of the parties, be satisfied that any laborer has been compelled to perform any labor while he was unfit for it,

or if ill-usage is proved.

or has been subjected to ill-usage by such employer, or any other person placed in authority over the laborer by such employer; it shall be lawful for the magistrate, if he think fit, on the application of the laborer, in each of such cases, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and award to him compensation not exceeding thirty rupees, and every such cancelment shall be certified by the magistrate on the back of such contract.

Chapter 16.—*Determination of Contract.*

Laborer may appear before the inspector to register completion of contract.

137. Every laborer who has completed the term of his contract shall be forthwith entitled to appear before the inspector or assistant inspector in order that the completion of his contract may be registered.

Penalty if employer detains, or omits to report.

If an employer detains such laborer after the completion of his contract, or fails to give notice of such completion to the inspector within one month after the date of such completion, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Power to redeem contract.

138. If any laborer is able and desirous to redeem the unexpired term of his contract of service by payment of a sum equivalent to the value thereof, such laborer may demand to be taken or allowed to go before the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority he may be employed, and on his depositing such sum in the hands of such inspector, such inspector shall give notice to the employer that such laborer requires him within one week to show cause why the contract of such laborer should not be released; and, in case no sufficient cause should be shown, such inspector shall require the production of the contract of such laborer, and endorse thereon a certificate of release by purchase, and shall hold the sum in deposit on account of the employer of such laborer. If any employer, or other person authorized to act for the employer, shall neglect to comply with such demand as aforesaid, such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Value of unexpired term of contract.

The value of the unexpired term of contract shall be deemed to be the aggregate amount of one rupee for every month of the unexpired portion of the first year, of three rupees for every such month of the second year, and of five rupees for every such month of the third year, of the original term of the laborer's engagement.

Certificate to be given of determination of contract.

139. Every laborer the period of whose contract has expired, or whose contract has been rescinded by the mutual consent of the parties thereto, or whose contract has been cancelled or redeemed under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to receive forthwith from the inspector a certificate of release in the form set forth in Schedule (F) annexed to this Act.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 17.)

FORM OF CONTRACT BETWEEN EMIGRANT AND EMPLOYER.

"THIS contract made under Bengal Act- of 187 , between (*emigrant's name*) of the one part and (*employer's name*) of the other part. Whereas the said (*employer's name*), has promised the said (*emigrant's name*) (hereinafter called 'the emigrant') that, if he the said emigrant do proceed to the district (*name of*) in (*name of labor district*) and do remain and labor therein on the estate of the said (*employer's name*) his successors, representatives and assigns (hereinafter called 'the employer'), he the said employer will from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, for years from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate, and that during such period he the said employer will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

Now this contract witnesseth that the said emigrant doth hereby, in consideration of the aforesaid promise by the said employer and of the agreement by him hereinafter contained, agree with the said employer that he the said emigrant will, so soon after the execution of these presents as he shall be required so to do, proceed to the said district (*name of*) in (*name of labor district*), and will there remain and labor on the estate of the said employer for a period of years from the date of his, the said emigrant's, arrival on such estate. And this contract further witnesseth that the said employer doth hereby, on consideration of the said agreement by the said emigrant, agree with the said emigrant that he, the said employer will with all convenient despatch after the execution of these presents, convey or cause to be conveyed the said emigrant free of all costs unto the estate of the said employer in the district aforesaid, and will from the date of his the said emigrant's arrival on such estate employ the said emigrant as a laborer for the period aforesaid, and will pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, and will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

In witness whereof the said parties to these presents

have hereunto set their hands the day of 187 ."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

Note.—If the contract is one under section 28, it must be signed by the garden-sirdar on behalf of the employer, if under section 61, by the person with whom the emigrant intends to contract, or his agent. It must, if under section 28, be executed before the magistrate; if under sections 29 or 61, before the superintendent of emigration. The execution of the contract, if under section 16, must be attested by the superintendent of emigration, who must also append to the foot thereof a certificate to the following effect:

"I hereby certify that before the within-mentioned (*emigrant's name*) signed this contract, I personally explained it to him.

(Sd.) ———

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE B.

(*See Section* 18.)

Form of Garden-Sirdar's Certificate.

"*Garden-Sirdar's Certificate, required under Section* 19 *of Bengal Act of* 187 .

Name of garden-sirdar.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Height.		General appearance and characteristic marks.	Name of place and description of lands on which labor is to be performed.	District (or Calcutta) where natives are to be engaged.	Number of natives the bearer is authorized to engage.	*Name of contractor to whose depôt natives should be conveyed.	Remarks.
				Feet.	In.						

* *N.B.*—If the number of natives engaged exceed twenty, they will have to go to a contractor's depôt.

Countersigned (under Section 19) on the 187 , by months from which date this certificate ceases to be in force.

(Sd.)

Magistrate of .

Dated 187 .

Employer."

SCHEDULE C.

(*See Sections* 14 *and* 36).

FORM OF CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.

"A. B. is hereby licensed to act, throughout the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, as a contractor for engaging and supplying natives for the purpose of laboring for hire in the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE D.

(*See Sections* 14 *and* 41).

FORM OF RECRUITER'S LICENSE.

"C. D. is hereby licensed to act on behalf of A. B., a licensed contractor, as a recruiter for engaging or inducing natives to proceed to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE E.

(*See Sections* 34 *and* 65).

FORM OF EMIGRANT'S PASS.

Name of emigrant.	Age.	Father's name.	Name of employer.	Place in which emigrant has contracted to labor.	Place of disembarkation.

"The emigrants above described are permitted to embark on the , which will leave on the , for the purpose of proceeding to the district of .

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) R. M.,

Contractor [*or Garden-sirdar*].

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) G. D.,

Superintendent of Emigration.

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) A. L.,

Embarkation Agent."

Note.—When the pass is granted by the embarkation agent to emigrants brought to him by a garden-sirdar under the provisions of section 34, it need not be signed by the superintendent of emigration.

Note.—The names of any number of emigrants proceeding in the same vessel may be entered in one pass.

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 139.)

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE ON DETERMINATION OF CONTRACT.

"I hereby certify that the contract entered into on the day of 187 , under Act of 187 , between [*laborer's name*] of the one part, and [*employer's name*] of the other part, has been determined by effluxion of time (or 'by mutual consent,' or 'under the provisions of section of the said Act,' as the case may be).

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand day of 187 .

Inspector of Laborers."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

L. A. GOODEVE,

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Judicial and Legislative Depts.

THE following Supplementary Report of the Select Committee on the "Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee on the "Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract-labor and service therein," have read and considered the correspondence noted in the margin relating to a proposal by the Lieutenant-Governor to provide for the gradual introduction of a system of free recruiting of laborers for the labor districts.

The Committee are unanimously of opinion that the systems of free recruiting and recruiting under the Act cannot work side by side. They do not feel themselves able, on the materials before them, to recommend that Cachar or any other district should be exempted from the operation of the Act, or to make any specific recommendation to the Council on the general subject.

G. C. PAUL.
V. H. SCHALCH.
C. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

From Messrs. Whitney Brothers and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. W. Moran and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. Lyall, Rennie and Company, dated 4th July 1873.
From Messrs. Steel, McIntosh and Company, dated 4th July 1873, and enclosure.
From Dr. C. A. Kernot, M.D., dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs. Robert and Charriol, dated 9th July 1873.
From R. J. Staunton, Esq., dated 10th July 1873.
From Messrs. Young, Gray and Company, dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs. Jardine, Skinner and Company, dated 12th July 1873.
Memorandum by the Collector of Sylhet, dated 8th July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 9th July 1873.
Extract from the *Englishman* of the 9th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Indian Daily News* of the 10th and 12th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Hindu Patriot* of the 14th July 1873.
From R. Blechynden, Esq., dated 15th July 1873.
From Secretary, East India Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From Acting Secretary, Bengal Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From S. H. Robinson, Esq., dated 16th July 1873.
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th July 1873.
From Commissioner of Assam, dated 23rd July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner of Seebsaugor, dated 22nd July 1873.
From Messrs. Begg, Dunlop and Company, dated 31st July 1873.
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 29th July 1873, and enclosures.
From Directors of the Kanchunpore Tea Company, Limited.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 21st July 1873.
Memorandum by the Deputy Commissioner of Luckimpore, dated 30th July 1873.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 8th August, and enclosure.
Notes by the Officiating Magistrate of Bancoorah.
From Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 6th August 1873.
From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 16th August 1873, and enclosure.
From Messrs. Borradaile, Schiller and Company, dated 19th August 1873.

The 27th August 1873.

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PART VI.

Bills of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First Publication.]

THE following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor-General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 10th October 1873, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in a month :—

No. 20 of 1873.

A Bill to provide for the liquidation of the debts of the Nawáb Názim of Bengal, and for his protection against legal process.

Preamble.

Whereas divers large pecuniary claims have been made against Savyad Mansur Alí, the present Nawáb Názim of Bengal, Behar, and Orissa, commonly called the Nawáb Názim, which he has not the means of satisfying, and for the purpose of recovering such claims divers suits have been brought against him, and divers attachments have been issued against his property in India :

And whereas the Government of India is desirous of freeing the said Nawáb Názim and his property respectively from such suits and attachments, and of discharging such of the said claims as are proper to be paid :

And whereas in the meantime and for the future, it is expedient to exempt the said Nawáb Názim, except as hereinafter mentioned, from the jurisdiction of the Civil Courts, and to render him incapable of contracting further pecuniary obligations ;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Nawáb Nazím's Debts Act, 1873 :"

Local extent.

It extends to all persons and places for whom and for which the Governor-General in Council has power to make laws ;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Power to appoint Commission.

2. The Governor-General in Council may, from time to time, nominate and appoint such persons as he thinks fit to be a Commission to investigate claims against the said Nawáb Názim.

All persons so nominated and appointed (hereinafter called "the Commissioners") shall continue to be members of the said Commission during the pleasure of the Governor-General in Council.

Notice to claimants.

3. The Commissioners shall publish thrice in the *Gazette of India* in English, and in the *Calcutta Gazette* in English, Urdú, and Bengálí, and in such other mode and languages as they think fit, a notice calling upon all persons having claims against the said Nawáb Názim or his property, whether moveable or immoveable, to notify the same in writing to the Commissioners within six months from the date of the earliest of such publications.

Bar of debts not duly notified.

4. Every debt or liability to which the said Nawáb Názim is subject, or with which his property, or any part thereof, is charged, and which is not duly notified to the Commissioners within the time and in the manner hereinbefore mentioned, shall be barred :

Proviso.

Provided that, on sufficient cause being shown to the Commissioners, they may admit such claim within the further period of six months from the expiration of the said period of six months.

Particulars of claim.

5. Every such claimant shall along with his claim present full particulars thereof.

Every document on which he founds his claims, or on which he relies in support thereof, shall be delivered to the Commissioners along with the claim.

If the document be an entry in any book, the claimant shall produce the book to the Commissioners, together with a copy of the entry on which he relies. The Commissioners shall mark the book for the purpose of indentification, and after examining and comparing the copy with the original, shall return the book to the claimant.

Entries in books.

If any document in the possession or under the control of the claimant is not delivered or produced by him to the Commissioners along with the claim, the Commissioners may refuse to receive such document in evidence on the claimant's behalf at the investigation of the case.

Exclusion of documents not produced.

The Commissioners may, from time to time, call for further and more detailed particulars of any claim preferred before them under this Act, and may, at their discretion, refuse to proceed with the investigation of the claim until such particulars are supplied.

May call for or admit any further evidence.

6. For the purposes of this Act, the Commissioners may summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses, and compel them to give evidence, and compel the production of documents by the same means, and, as far as possible, in the same manner as is provided in the case of a Civil Court by the Code of Civil Procedure.

Power of Commissioners to summon witnesses.

7. The Commissioners may administer an oath or affirmation, in such form as they think fit, to any person examined before them, touching the matters to be enquired into under this Act.

Power to administer oaths.

8. Every investigation conducted by the Commissioners, with reference to any claim preferred before them under this Act, or to any matter connected with any such claim, shall be deemed a judicial proceeding within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

Investigation to be a judicial proceeding.

And every statement made by any person examined by or before the Commissioners with reference to such investigation, whether upon oath or otherwise, shall be deemed to be evidence within the meaning of the same Code.

9. Every witness required to attend and give evidence under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to a reasonable sum (to be allowed by the Commissioners) for his expenses in travelling to and from, and remaining at the place at which he is required to attend.

Expenses of witnesses.

10. The Commissioners shall, by agreement with the claimant or otherwise, determine the amount which, on the consideration of all the circumstances, they may consider to be in fairness and justice due to each claimant.

Commissioners to determine amount due to each claimant.

11. The Commissioners shall certify in each case the amount so determined, and upon the Governor-General in Council paying to any claimant the amount so certified, all claims of such claimant against the Nawáb Názim or his property shall be satisfied and extinguished.

Sum found due to be certified to Government.

12. No suit shall be commenced or prosecuted, and no writ or process shall at any time be sued for, against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim, unless such suit be commenced, or such writ or process be sued for, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council first had and obtained.

Bar of suits against Nawáb Názim.

Such consent shall be certified by the signature of one of the Secretaries to the Government of India, and every such signature shall be judicially noticed.

And any suit which at any time shall have been, or shall be, commenced, and any writ or process which at any time shall have been, or shall be, sued for, against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim without such consent so certified as aforesaid, shall be null and void.

13. The said Nawáb Názim shall be incapable of entering into any contract which may give rise to any pecuniary obligation on his part.

Nawáb Názim to be incapable of contracting.

14. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to render the Secretary of State for India in Council, or the Government of India, liable for any debt heretofore contracted by, or on behalf of, the said Nawáb Názim, or in respect of any claim to be reimbursed, which may be made by any person supplying him with necessaries.

Saving of Secretary of State in Council.

15. No suit or other proceeding shall be maintained against any person in respect of anything done by him in good faith under this Act.

Bar of suits for acts done *bonâ fide*.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The Náwab Názim of Bengal belongs to one of the ancient and noble Indian families, which it is the policy of the British Government to maintain. To this end a sum of nearly seven lakhs has been annually allotted out of the public treasury to the Nawáb Názim, but owing to his extravagance this great income has proved quite unequal to his personal expenditure, and he is now involved in debt exceeding thirty lakhs of rupees, and carrying ruinous rates of interest.

Some steps must be taken to preserve the dignity of the Nawáb Názim's family; to keep Government out of the litigation which his creditors have already commenced, and which threatens to absorb property designed for the maintenance of the family; and to save the Indian tax-payers from further drafts on the public purse.

For this purpose the present Bill has been prepared. It empowers the Governor-General in Council to appoint a Commission to investigate claims against the Nawáb Názim. It provides for giving public notice to such claimants, and bars debts not notified to the Commission within six months from such publication; it gives the Commissioners the usual powers to summon witnesses, and compel the production of evidence; and it declares that the Commissioners shall, by agreement with each claimant or otherwise, determine the amount fairly due to him; that they shall certify the amount so determined; and that, upon the Governor-General in Council paying to the claimant the amount so certified, his claims against the Nawáb Názim or his property shall be extinguished.

The Bill then (here following the King of Oudh's Act No. XIII of 1868) bars suits against the Nawáb Názim, unless such suits have been commenced with the consent of the Government of India, and declares the Nawáb Názim incapable of contracting so as to involve himself in any pecuniary obligation.

SIMLA, A. HOBHOUSE.

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WHITLEY STOKES,
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ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE BHAUGULPORE DIVISION FOR 1872-73.

RESOLUTION.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 2nd September 1873.

READ—

The Annual Administration Report of the Commissioner of the Bhaugulpore Division for the year 1872-73.

THE thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are due to the Commissioner, Mr. Barlow, for his complete report. Although he was only for a part of the year in charge of the division, and unable to go about much, his personal knowledge as a Magistrate, so far as Monghyr is concerned, supplied the want for that district; and for the rest, by judicious selections and extracts from the district officer's reports, he has made his account interesting and effective. Upon the subjects of police and crime, revenue, wards' estates, and some other sub-heads, the Commissioner has, however, introduced some matter which would have been better reserved for the departmental reports, and the Lieutenant-Governor desires that in future the general report may be confined to broad expressions of opinion on these subjects, and that the details of the departments which are reported on separately may be avoided.

2. Mr. Kemble, the Magistrate of Purneah, who seems to have made himself thoroughly acquainted with his district by repeated tours and by careful observation, has supplied for the Commissioner's report much that is

interesting and important. The statements of Mr. Lockwood, the district officer of Monghyr, are not always such as the Lieutenant-Governor can express his full concurrence with, and his experience of the district is limited; but there is a great deal that suggests discussion and inquiry in some of his remarks. Mr. Taylor, the Magistrate of Bhaugulpore, is not very largely quoted; but he knows his district, and what he says is valuable. The Lieutenant-Governor would have expected to have had more and peculiarly interesting notices of the Sonthal Pergunnahs, but no doubt the special measures there have very fully occupied the Deputy Commissioner, and much matter connected with the Pergunnahs has been separately disposed of.

3. On the whole, it seems that the year's report is favorable; the season was fair, and the condition of the people, comparatively at least, tolerable. There seems to be a good deal of difference of opinion regarding the general condition of the people of the division. Mr. Lockwood certainly takes too sanguine a view. In the Bhaugulpore and Monghyr districts the population is large and rents are high; wages, on the other hand, are low—certainly lower than in most districts in Bengal Proper—and very much lower than in the eastern districts. Food also is dearer than in these latter. Wages have risen, compared to former times; but so, it is stated, has the price of food.

Still the people are, for the most part, a decidedly industrious people, quiet, simple, and careful. They seem to be content in their small humble way. There is little or no emigration, the small number of emigrants reported being, in great part, inhabitants of other districts. What emigration does take place is confined, the Lieutenant-Governor believes, to the north-west corner of the division adjoining Tirhoot. In the reports of the eastern districts it is not often said that labourers from Bhaugulpore come to seek for labour.

4. The result of Mr. Kemble's inquiries on the Nepaul frontier is discouraging, in that after very fairly weighing the respective advantages and disadvantages of both, he comes to the conclusion that the condition of the Nepaul ryot is on the whole better than that of the British ryot. Although the smaller rent taken from the former by the Nepaulese Government is supplemented by forced labour and the purveyance system, on the other hand, the illegal cesses and exactions of zemindars, middlemen, &c., and other vexations, turn the scale against the British cultivator. It may be questioned whether the barbarous punishments of the Nepaulese for offences against marriage laws which Mr. Kemble mentions are not more consonant to native feeling than our mode of dealing with such cases.

In Purneah, where the population is much more sparse, it is probably a correct statement that the people are better off. They suffer a good deal from fever and from the ravages of the river Kosee, but those who escape these evils are perhaps in their means above the average of the ryots of these provinces.

5. The people of the Sonthal Pergunnahs are a simple and improvident race. They had in the past earned easily a poor living, and spent their little easily, so long as they had plenty of land, light rents, and little interference in their own jungly country. But since they have been invaded by grasping speculators and adventurers, and the zemindars by these instruments have begun to levy heavy rents and exactions, they have felt distress. The account of the working of the new regulation and new system is however decidedly satisfactory. We are told that the attitude of the zemindars is generally passive, with a tinge of dissatisfaction towards the new law. Balancing the curtailment of their powers over their ryots against the fact that the result of the new settlement will probably put an end to agitation for a long time to come, there remains to be got over the natural dislike which every one feels to having the management of his affairs taken out of his hands and settled for him; yet, says Mr. Barlow, there will certainly be no opposition experienced from the zemindars. At the same time, the people are very decidedly in favor of the settlement, and the only alarms that have recently been reported are from the Sonthals outside the Pergunnahs, who not unnaturally agitate for the same advantages as have been accorded there. The Commissioner remarks on the not unfrequent emigration of the Pahareas of the Rajmehal hills to secure labour. These are

the savage Rajmehal hillmen who were reclaimed from robbery but were long notoriously idle; and it is gratifying to know that they now take so much to labour.

6. The Lieutenant-Governor has been much interested in Mr. Kemble's allusion at page 5 of the report to the *guch bundi* system of cultivation, which obtains in the Kaliagunge thannah of the Purneah district. A *guch* comprises from about 30 to 400 bigahs, and is cultivated nearly entirely by hired labour, like an ordinary English farm. His Honor in his experience of India has never heard of such large farms being usual, and he would be glad to be favoured with a full report upon the system, including the condition of the labourers. In the north of Oudh and elsewhere, Sir George Campbell has known farm labourers to be common, but they were virtually slaves under the curious hereditary bond system noticed in His Honor's last Administration Report.

7. Mr. Lockwood's remarks on the want of grazing ground for cattle are very true and forcible. It is a cruel misfortune, and a want of economy in these provinces, that the old Indian rule of setting apart a common grazing ground has been forgotten. In the directions for new settlements which are now issuing, an attempt has been made to make some such arrangements. The Lieutenant-Governor quite thinks that the subject of food for cattle, and again, through cattle, the importance of making manure for land, are the most vital agricultural questions of the day in India.

The Magistrate of Monghyr testifies to the great relief and benefit of the people in the destruction of tigers, leopards, and wild animals. He says he has as many as 100 leopard skins brought in at a time. It appears that if the scanty jungle does not give grazing for tame animals, at least it ceases to harbour wild ones.

8. The Lieutenant-Governor notices Mr. Kemble's description of the *harhasli jumma* in the large Dhurrumpore ward's estate. The ryot pays according to the crop he sows, not according to the quality of the land cultivated. After the harvest, the putwaree goes round, finds out how much land each ryot has cultivated with each crop, and assesses the rent accordingly. This system of cultivation is not uncommon in native states, and the people do not always dislike it. But it gives rise to constant opportunities for peculation, and no doubt as matters settle down fixed rents should be arranged in preference. In the meantime, however, an exceptionally good opportunity is afforded of getting agricultural statistics on this ward's estate, and the Board of Revenue will be specially addressed to this effect. The Collector remarks that the present rates of rent for the fields are very low, but he should be cautioned against making "the great change" of which he speaks in the shape of a very sudden and excessive enhancement. The Lieutenant-Governor must again repeat that the enhancement of the rental of the estate is not the main object of wards' management, although no doubt in this case some enhancement is necessary.

It is satisfactory to note that the general result of Mr. Lockwood's inquiries was to show that the cultivation of poppy was popular.

9. The Lieutenant-Governor is struck with Mr. Kemble's remark in the description of his tour in Purneah (page 5): "*I was much surprised to find the people here growing indigo freely and willingly.*" Sir George Campbell fears that this is too often the feeling of Government officers of much experience, and that in many or most districts there is too much to justify it. He has before noticed, and heartily rejoices, that Purneah is an honorable exception to this state of things, and has frequently held out the example of Purneah as showing that free trade in indigo cultivation is possible. Indigo is a most profitable staple in Behar, and its manufacture is in itself an industry much to be encouraged. It is sad then that except in Purneah there should be about its cultivation the element of compulsion described by the Commissioner. The Lieutenant-Governor must again say that this cannot be a wholesome state of things. "The system being a bad one at the best," writes Mr. Barlow, "it is only a question of toleration, and in isolated instances it has been proved that the ryots suffer much oppression under it. There is more or less of a recognized antagonism at work, which a word of agitation may at any time stir up." His Honor fears that this description is a very true one.

It seems from the account of Mr. Wilkins, the sub-divisional officer of Begoo Serai, that the factories on getting farms take a portion of the lands, whether the cultivators like it or not (and they can hardly be expected to like it), without discrimination of the presence or absence of occupancy rights. The Lieutenant-Governor again reproduces the remarks of the Commissioner on this subject: "I am completely satisfied," says Mr. Barlow, "that the blot upon the whole arrangement, and that which sets the opposite parties by the ears, is the appropriation by the factory of the ryots' lands *nolens volens* when indigo operations are commenced in any village. It is only in human nature that such should be the case, and I doubt if it would alter the condition of feeling engendered in the people's minds even if indigo presented the most remunerative cultivation of all the crops—a fact which I think no one will now contend for. As matters stand, the connection with a factory begins by an exaction from the ryots of a proportion of the best lands of the village. I suppose I am hardly unfair in my view, if I suggest that in his subsequent relation as a labourer working for the factory, admitting him to be paid every farthing due for the miscellaneous duties he is bound to perform, the ryot is expected to be a submissive servant, working his plough or his cart at the call of the factory, and without consulting his own inclinations. In all this last respect, I am far from saying that formal injustice is committed by the factory in requiring the ryot to work out his contract; but I say the arrangements are sufficient to account for the irritation in the minds of the people, which sometimes shows itself."

These observations are remarkably corroborated by a statement of the Collector of Bogra, to which the Lieutenant-Governor's attention has been drawn in the Administration Report of the Rajshahye Division. A considerable settlement of immigrants from the Monghyr district (to which Begoo Serai belongs) into that district was explained by one of the immigrants to Mr. Bignold to be in consequence of "all the best lands in Monghyr having been taken up by indigo."

On the other hand, as regards the Purneah system, the Collector writes: "Petty differences occasionally arise between planters and their ryots, such as always will crop up in all business transactions; but I have seen none of that universal disaffection and discontent which prevailed for years in Bengal."

10. A conspicuous fact connected with the land system of the division is stated to be the absence of intermediate permanent rights between those of the zemindars and the cultivating ryot, and the general practice of farming estates in short leases. This is a thoroughly bad system, like that of the old Irish middlemen. There are very few, if any, zemindars, says the Commissioner, who can be brought to the notice of Government for anything done by them during the year to improve the condition of their villages. As a rule, big estates are let out in farm, and the condition of the ryots is not cared for. The zemindars do not understand or care for improvement; in many cases they are spendthrifts, and their estates are heavily encumbered. The Government is making efforts to rid every estate over which it has influence from this farming system, and executive influence has been brought to bear with the most beneficial effect in the case of the estates of Rajah Leelanund Sing, the greatest zemindar of the division. Since the Lieutenant-Governor had an interview with him, and the late Commissioner, Mr. Dalrymple, took him in hand, and prevailed on him to permit a tried old Deputy Collector to settle the most disorganised part of his estates, there has been a great reduction of nominal rents without any loss to the Rajah, as the sum was covered by the assessment of lands newly brought under khas management.

The indebtedness and embarrassment of Leelanund Sing's estate is a lesson that ought not to be lost upon other large zemindars who will resort to litigation. No man has been so systematic a litigant, and so successful, as Rajah Leelanund; he has got many great decrees against Government as well as against others, and yet the net result of it all is that he is greatly involved in debt, and until Government afforded its assistance his people were mismanaged and discontented.

11. The Lieutenant-Governor believes that nowhere have the rents of a peaceable, industrious, and submissive population been more screwed than

in Bhaugulpore. It was the same action of the zemindars that was leading to rebellion in the Sonthal Pergunnahs. As regards particular zemindari estates however, where the tenantry belong chiefly to low castes (see paragraph 189), it is stated that they will leave an estate on the smallest provocation, and it is a comfort that the industrious poor are thus able to go off to another estate when exaction is carried to excess. A marked contrast to the condition of the zemindars' ryots is afforded by the tenantry in the Government ryotwar tract of the Damin-i-koh. "Whatever," says Mr. Barlow, "may stir the minds of the Sonthal population generally, the residents in the Damin are quiet and unmoved. There is no oppression, no levying of cesses and abwabs, the rates of rent are low, and the ryots are well off."

12. The road cess valuations, as described by the Commissioner (paragraphs 127 to 133), seem to have been on the whole successfully carried out, and the Lieutenant-Governor will look with interest to learn how the cess may in practice be found to work. It is to be hoped that the division may be provided with good local roads from its proceeds. Mr. Kemble reports favorably of the popularity of the cess in Purneah, explaining that he has widely made it known that the money collected in the district will be spent in the district. His Honor trusts that all officers will assiduously impress this distinctive feature of the Road Cess Act upon the people.

13. The questions connected with butwarra, mutation, and the sale laws, alluded to by the Commissioner in paragraphs 117 to 126, are all of importance, and the Lieutenant-Governor quite thinks that the law on these and other important subjects connected with the land, and the machinery for giving them effect, require overhaul and amendment, but the subjects are of too wide a scope to be considered in this place.

14. The remarks of the Commissioner on the subject of the transfer of the rent-suits to the civil courts demand also careful consideration. Mr. Barlow strongly recommends an additional Moonsiff for the Banka sub-division of the district of Bhaugulpore, and in a country where the system of distraining standing crops prevails, as it does here, the injury to ryots from the want of speedy justice must no doubt be great. His Honor has requested the High Court to take into consideration the need of an additional Moonsiff at Banka.

15. The Lieutenant-Governor trusts that the work of collecting agricultural statistics will now be carried on vigorously, so far as the means at our disposal will allow. With the Sub-Deputies, the Putwaries of this division re-organized as now directed, and such records as that of the *harhasli* system of the Dhurrumpore estate, we should be able to add to the record of tenures resulting from the road cess proceedings many agrarian details, just as our specimen areas for vital statistics are adding details to the knowledge acquired by the census.

The Lieutenant-Governor observes that the district officers of Bhaugulpore and Monghyr would extend to the whole district the collection of vital statistics, as they are now collected in the selected areas; but His Honor fears that such an attempt would be premature at present, and he would be quite content if at the first we can secure accurate registration upon a small scale. It is the quality and not the quantity of statistical information that is of value, and we must be quite successful in our small endeavours before we can hope for large results.

16. No effort will be spared by Government to ascertain the actual mineral resources of this division. There are coal mines in the Sonthal country, though the coal is said to be of a poor description; and minerals—lead, silver, and copper—are found in Bhaugulpore and elsewhere.

17. The Ganges-borne traffic from the Bhaugulpore Division is very large indeed. Nearly all the wheat that comes down the river is supplied at marts in the Monghyr and Bhaugulpore districts. Of the pulses also more than one-half is supplied from Monghyr, Purneah, and Bhaugulpore. There is a very large export of oil-seeds also from the division.

The Lieutenant-Governor would be glad to know if the Commissioner can explain why rice, as stated in his 64th paragraph, is now exported westwards so much less than formerly.

18. His Honor is glad to see that the summary-trial system under the Criminal Procedure Code works well in this division, while at the same time it is not overdone, and does not send every one to prison, as some of the native organs seemed at one time to apprehend. The subject of police will be more properly dealt with in the Crime Report; but the Lieutenant-Governor notes the Commissioner's statement that there is not really a large amount of crime in the division compared to the population, and that this result is due to the peaceful character of the people quite as much as to the police management.

19. The Lieutenant-Governor agrees with the Commissioner's general remarks on pound administration, and of the system of charges in force; and now that the Purneah pounds are to be put under punchayets, he will be glad to approve of such a scheme as Mr. Barlow proposes; but the subject should be reconsidered under a special report.

20. The question of the extradition of criminals from Nepaul has been carefully watched by the Commissioner. The Lieutenant-Governor quite concurs that it is urgently necessary that something should be arranged on this subject, which will meet the particular attention of Government in the Political Department.

21. As regards civil justice, Mr. Barlow's account is more favorable than usual, especially with reference to the character of the Bhaugulpore bar; and His Honor believes that that bar is really unusually good. Mr. Dalrymple, the late Commissioner, also held the same opinion. The people seem to have more taste for law than literature, for, while there are so many excellent lawyers, His Honor observes (paragraph 75) that there is no public press nor a single newspaper in the division.

22. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad that the people have confidence in the Registration Department, and trusts that we may be able to multiply offices and induce the people to take more advantage of it.

23. The Lieutenant-Governor is unable to understand the Commissioner's remarks under the heading of Excise. If it is as he says, His Honor has no doubt that it is due to the combination alluded to by Mr. Barlow in his 137th paragraph, and will pass off. Details on the subject should be reserved for the departmental report. The whole question is important and difficult, and receives the earnest attention of Government.

24. His Honor has been struck by the instances of corruption on the part of railway native officials to which the Commissioner has rightly given prominence. There seems to have been a regular system of organized fraud kept up. The subject has been separately reported on by the Commissioner, and is now under consideration.

25. The Lieutenant-Governor is much gratified that mass education should have been so well started in the plain districts of the division, and he trusts that the apathy of the landlords will be overcome and great results obtained. Although it is true that the Sonthal Pergunnahs have Missionary Schools, His Honor must express his regret at the failure to begin pathsalas in that district; it is true that Mr. Wood has a valid excuse in the absorbing nature of his settlement work, but it is to be hoped that now, either through or independently of the Missionaries, the extension of primary education, so much wanted to raise the Sonthals, will be energetically undertaken and thoroughly carried out. The Magistrates of Purneah, Bhaugulpore, and Monghyr, are entitled to much credit for their zeal in the cause of education. Provision for the training of pathsala gurus has now been made.

26. It is stated that the people are pleased at the use of Hindi instead of Hindustani, for many Court processes. "In most places," says one officer, "people desire to learn Hindustani merely to enable them to take appointments in the police, &c. As soon as I explained that Hindi would soon be used all over the west of the district, no objections were made. 'We will now,' say the villagers, 'be able to read the papers the constables bring, and see what they are—an order to levy a fine, or make an arrest!'" It is very satisfactory to know that the Government measures in establishing Hindi for these purposes are so much appreciated.

27. Very little interest, it seems, is taken, in the division, in the Town and Dispensary Committees. The Lieutenant-Governor very much regrets this apathy. Every effort should be made to improve and lead the members of the Committees to take an active part. The interest taken in the Education and Road Cess Committees is, on the other hand, a more hopeful index of the progress of municipal institutions. The Lieutenant-Governor would be especially sorry to see the practice of taking local public works from the members of the Committees and concentrating the responsibility in the District Engineer carried too far, and begs that the practice may be carefully watched.

28. The Lieutenant-Governor notices the favorable testimony borne by the Commissioner to the public spirit of the following gentlemen and landholders:—Maharajah Sir Joy Mungul Singh, K.C.S.I.; Baboos Hur Bullub Narayan Singh, Ram Narayan Singh, Kartik Nauth Das Panday, Ram Persaud Das, Shah Abdool Hossein, and Sheik Tajali. Meerza Mahomed Hossein of Purneah is specially commended for his creditable interest in municipal matters. Baboo Surwan Singh of Bhitya is an exceptional zemindar, doing much to benefit the condition of his ryots.

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His Honor's special acknowledgments are due to Mr. Barlow for his successful administration during a great part of the year as Collector and Magistrate, and afterwards as Commissioner of the Division.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS AND SALT IN THE UNDER-

The price-current for the first half of October is not due in the *Gazette* until the 29th important districts have been received, the Lieutenant-Governor has caused an

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																										
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			GREAT MILLET, CHOLUM, JOWAR, MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.					
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2	Bancoorah	12 4	13 5	14 0	22 0	22 8	20 0	13 4	15 8	13 12	16 0	17 8	16 8	32 8	34 0	30 0			
3	Beerbhoom	13 0	13 8	8 15	...	...	...	15 0	16 8	16 8	16 8	18 0	21 0	...	...	40 0			
4	Midnapore	11 0	11 0	10 8	...	...	...	18 0	19 0	16 8	24 0	25 0	22 0	...	...	...			
5	Hooghly	12 0	12 0	12 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	13 0	18 0	19 0	18 0	...	...	...			
	Howrah	12 0	12 4	13 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	15 8	16 0	16 0	19 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...			
	Central Districts.																		
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	12 8	13 5	14 8	23 12	24 10	24 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	20 0	18 13	16 12	...	...	...			
7	Nuddea	12 12½	13 0	14 8	26 10	26 10½	32 0	14 8½	15 4	16 0	16 7	17 12	17 12	...	...	...			
8	Jessore.*																		
9	Moorshedabad ...	13 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	18 0	12 8	18 0	15 0	15 0	19 0	...	...	...			
10	Dinagepore	13 0	14 0	13 4	18 0	18 0	21 0	13 0	16 0	19 0	19 0	18 0	27 0	...	...	...			
11	Maldah	14 0	15 0	18 0	32 0	32 0	40 0	15 0	18 0	20 0	16 0	19 0	21 0	35 0	40 0	30 0			
12	Rajshahye	12 0	13 8	...	30 0	30 0	...	13 8	16 8	...	15 0	21 0	...	30 0	18 0	...			
13	Rungpore	14 0	15 0	14 1	...	...	...	11 13	18 7	15 10	15 10	16 14	25 14	...	...	...			
14	Bograh	12 0	13 8	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	15 0	21 0	18 0	24 0	30 0	...	...	...			
15	Pubna	15 0	15 0	18 12	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	18 12	18 12	27 8	...	...	...			
16	Darjeeling.*																		
17	Julpigoree.*																		
	Cooch Behar.*																		
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18	Dacca	12 8	12 8	15 0	32 0	20 0	28 8	21 0	21 0	21 0	25 0	26 0	32 0	...	...	...			
19	Furreedpore ...	24 0	20 0	26 0	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	8 0	18 0	22 0	24 0	...	...	...			
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 4	19 0	25 0	26 0	27 0	...	...	...			
21	Mymensing ...	12 0	12 8	12 0	...	...	...	16 0	20 0	20 0	18 0	23 0	27 0	...	...	...			
22	Sylhet.*																		
23	Cachar.*																		
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26	Tipperah	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	20 0	25 0	24 0	32 8	...	...	...			
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.*																		
	Hill Tipperah.*																		
	BEHAR.																		
28	Patna	12 0	14 0	24 0	18 8	23 0	31 4	13 8	14 4	...	14 8	16 0	21 0	20 8	28 0	34 8			
29	Gya	10 0	10 12	15 0	15 0	17 0	30 0	9 0	9 8	12 0	11 0	11 8	18 0	13 0	16 0	26 4			
30	Shahabad	13 0	13 12	15 0	19 0	21 8	25 0	13 8	13 12	15 0	14 8	15 8	19 0	19 0	22 0	25 0			
31	Tirhoot	10 0	11 0	14 0	20 0	24 0	20 0	13 8	14 0	14 0	15 8	16 0	15 0	25 0	26 0	...			
32	Sarun	12 0	13 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	30 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	14 8	15 0	20 0	23 0	23 4	30 0			
33	Chumparun ...	13 0	14 0	13 0	24 0	32 0	27 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	19 0	32 0	...	...			
34	Monghyr	13 6	13 6	16 2	28 3	27 3	32 5	11 5	12 6	13 6	13 6	15 7	16 8	23 1	26 1	35 7			
35	Bhaugulpore ...	12 10	13 14	13 3	22 7	22 11	24 0	12 10	15 2	16 6	17 0	17 7	18 15	21 7	27 12	37 14			
36	Purneah	12 0	11 0	16 0	...	26 0	30 0	13 0	13 5	18 0	14 0	14 5	20 0	...	...	...			
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	19 0	30 0	40 0	40 0			
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38	Cuttack	15 12	17 1	18 6	...	...	...	22 5	22 5	21 0	31 8	31 8	38 1	...	...	...			
39	Pooree.*																		
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42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	19 0	12 8	14 0	16 0	14 0	18 0	20 0	...	24 0	32 0			
43	Singbhoom.*																		
44	Maunbhoom ...	13 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	24 0	14 0	15 0	17 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	40 0	40 0	30 0			
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45	Goalpara.*																		
46	Kamroop.*																		
47	Darrung*.																		
48	Nowgong.*																		
49	Seebsaugor.*																		
50	Lukhimpore.*																		
51	Naga Hills.*																		
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills.*																		
53	Garo Hills.*																		

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA,

The 21st October 1873.

MENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL ON THE 15th OCTOBER 1873.

October. But as there is cause for anxiety this season, and price-currents for the most incomplete price-current for those districts to be published in the present *Gazette*.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Bulrush Millet, Cumboo, Bazra.			Lesser Millets, Ragi or Murwa, Chena, &c.			Gram.			Fire-wood.			Salt.			Remarks
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Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 18th October 1873.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
BENGAL.						
	Western Districts.	1873.				
BURDWAN DIVISION.						
1	Burdwan ...	Oct. 21st*	Nil	Weather hot; very little rain.	Prospects of crops very gloomy. Prices still rising.	Fever prevalent
2	Bancoorah ...	„ 18th	Nil	Dry	Daily getting worse. All crops are suffering from want of rain, more especially the paddy. In many places the straw is being cut, as the plants are dying. Irrigation from tanks, &c., is being made the most of; and even now, if the rain falls within a few days, half the crop will be saved. The rain referred to in last report benefited the crops in the south-east of the district.	
3	Beerbhoom ...	„ 18th	0·91	Bright and hot. No rain since evening of the 11th instant. Rain which fell on that date at Soori was not general.	Crops in the high lands especially suffering much from the continued drought. The early rice crop is now generally in ear, but is very deficient in weight. Without rain scarcely more than one-third the general outturn calculated on the two crops of rice can be hoped for. With a good fall of rain soon two-thirds might possibly be saved. Irrigation is had recourse to wherever possible.	
4	Midnapore ...	„ 18th	0·01	The expectations of rain on the 11th and 12th were in great measure delusive; partial showers fell, especially towards the south, where above an inch is reported to have fallen; clouds have now disappeared, and the prospects of further rain very small.	The late rice crop, which was a very promising one, will now be entirely destroyed on the higher lands, and on the lower lands the crop will be deteriorated. Reports received from all police stations show (after allowing for exaggeration) that the outturn will be from about one-fourth in the worst to three-fourths in the best of an average crop. Taking the district as a whole, the crop will probably be a little over one half of an average crop. There would be individual distress, but no insufficiency of food if the district stood alone, but the drain of grain towards Bancoorah is now very *great*.	
5	Hooghly ...	„ 18th	Nil	Clear; no indication of rain; weather cooler; dews heavy at night; wind chiefly from south, south-east, and north-east.	Bad reports from all thannahs. Sugarcane dying as well as the rice. A portion of the rice is gone, and has been abandoned to cattle. The ground is too hard to sow the winter crops. 12 inches of rain at once may save a 6-anna crop; irrigation is being resorted to, but this will only save a small portion. Prices rising.	
	Howrah ...	„ 18th	0·32	Warmer than last week; seems to be set fair.	Distinctly bad. It has been reported that the rice is beginning to assume a yellow tinge everywhere. It is believed that half the crop is already irretrievably gone, even if rain was to come in plenty. This seems to be the case all over the district. Rain next week might still give a half crop, and the increase in the heat is a favorable prognostic of rain. The people are becoming very anxious indeed.	

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.					
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.						
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	1873. Oct. 21st	Nil	Dry and hot during the day and cool at night, with heavy dews. A very small fall of rain at Diamond Harbour and Baraset and Baroipore sub-divisions.	The late rice crop, except on very low lands, has been seriously damaged by the drought, and if there be no heavy rain soon, the crop will be a very short one. Sugarcane and vegetables good.	Fever of a malarious type at Baroipore. Ordinary fever at Satkhora abating. In other parts general health good.
7	Nuddea ...	„ 18th	Nil	In some parts of the district there has been a little rain. In portions of Ranaghat and Meherpore sub-divisions even heavy rains are reported, but generally there has been no rain or next to none. There are clouds about. The sun is generally very powerful.	Except in the low lands, the late rice has suffered and is suffering greatly from drought; the *arahur* pulse, sugarcane, *teel* (oilseed), and chillie crops are thriving, though they would be better for rain. The sowing of pulses has commenced. In Meherpore, owing to the rain, indigo sowings have been made, and the cold weather crops just sown are said to have derived much benefit.	
8	Jessore ...	„ 18th	0·60	A little rain fell as anticipated in the last week, on Sunday the 12th; the rest of the week has been bright and sunny. Wind generally from the north.	In the Jhenidah sub-division there was no rain, and the prospects there are gloomy. In the rest of the district the rain has done good, but it has not been enough, and more is wanted.	
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.						
9	Moorshedabad ...	„ 18th	0·30	A slight rainfall at the beginning of the week, but by no means general. Cool in the mornings and evenings.	The rain has been too slight to be of any real advantage to the late rice crop, though beneficial for cold weather sowing. If copious rain does not fall within a few days, the crops will be destroyed, except in low lands and in parts where means of irrigation have been available. Where the recent rain has not fallen, the newly sown cold-weather crops are suffering.	Small-pox prevails in the Lalbagh sub-division.
10	Dinagepore ...	„ 18th	Nil	Fine; clouds gather nearly every day, but pass away without any rain falling.	The rice crop is getting worse and worse for want of rain; a good fall even now would save a lot of the rice, and there does appear a slight change in the weather of a rainy tendency. Ploughing and preparing for sowing the cold weather crops is busily going on everywhere.	
11	Maldah ...	„ 18th	0·92	Fair and dry with the exception of Sunday, which was cloudy and rainy.	In thannah Khurbah a total failure of the rice crop is expected unless it rains soon; in thannahs Goregoribah and Gazole, and Gomostapoor some part of the crop may still be saved if it rains shortly. In English Bazar and Sibgunge thannahs the pulse crop is reported to be in good condition. Pulses and other cold weather crops are now being sown.	
12	Rajshahye ...	„ 18th	Nil	No rain during the week. Night scold, and heavy dews.	The prospects of the late rice crops are as bad as possible. In the tract known as Bhurindro, in the west of the district, the rice crop has failed, and the price of rice is about 11 seers of 80 tolahs to a rupee. The cold weather crops are being sown. Tobacco, pulses on low lands, teel (oilseed), and urhur pulse are doing well.	
13	Rungpore ...	„ 18th	Nil	Fine, and getting cooler.	Accounts from all parts of the district are very bad; there seems to be no prospect of any crop of rice except in very low lands. The prospects of other crops seem to be fair.	

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.—(*Contd.*) 14	Bograh ..	Oct. 18th	Not appreciable by the rain gauge.	Weather cooler, but no prospect of rain. There was some rain last Sunday towards the west of the district, which did good in thannahs Adamdighi and Khetlal, and a part of Bogra thannah.	The continued want of rain (with the exception noted in the previous column) is still causing anxiety, and the late rice crop will be very poor. Jute has been reaped in certain places, and the yield is fair. Sugarcane in Bogra and other thannahs is doing fairly well. Sesamum (oilseed) has been planted in Sariakandy thannah, and promises fairly well.	
15	Pubna ...	„ 18th	0·32	Weather cool, with one shower of rain, attended with strong wind.	The prospect of the late rice in the head-quarters sub-division is becoming bad for want of rain. Teel (oilseed), indigo, and pulses are fair. In the sub-division serious apprehension is felt. Especial reports have been called for.	
COOCH BEHAR DIVISION. 16	Darjeeling ..	„ 18th*	Nil	Bright and warm during the day, but cold at night and in the morning. Winter setting in.	Want of rain is complained of both in the hills and the plains. In the Terai the winter crops are said to be looking dry, but as yet no serious results have been reported.	
17	Julpigoree ..	„ 18th	Nil	Clear and fine weather; mornings cold, days still hot; no appearance of rain.	The short rainfall is being felt more or less all over the district. About the sudder station and north-west of the district there will be a 4-anna loss of the winter paddy. The parts of Fallacotta is the same; to the very south near Rungpore, the loss is more considerable, and it is also large in some parts of the Dooars. Prices have not risen; this is doubtless owing to the fact that the people do not depend on the rice crop only. Jute crop has been good, and early rice was average; and the cold weather crops, which will not be effected much by rainfall, such as tobacco, mustard, &c., are now being sown under favorable circumstances.	
	Cooch Behar ...	„ 18th	Nil	Fine ...	In a great part of the district the late rice crop will be a very poor one owing to want of rain. In other parts the crop has a flourishing appearance. Transplanting of tobacco is going on.	
	Eastern Districts.					
DACCA DIVISION. 18	Dacca ...	„ 21st*	Nil	Weather—occasional showers in north of the district, but not enough to do any real good.	Prospects of crops bad.	
19	Furreedpore ...	„ 18th	Nil	Hot during the day and cool at night. First four days of the week cloudy.	The late paddy on low lands still promises well, but it is likely to suffer from further want of rain, none having fallen during the past three weeks. In some places the paddy having matured to a certain extent is being reaped, and land is being prepared for the cold weather crops. Price of rice continues to rise.	

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Eastern Districts.—(Contd.)	1873.				
DACCA DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)						
20	Backergunge ..	Oct. 18th	1·73	Cold weather coming in. Rain on three days in the beginning of the week.	Fair. The heavy rains have done much good.	
21	Mymensing ..	„ 18th	0·27	Very little rain at sudder station and in the west of the district. From the south-east of the district 2·18 of rain reported. No present appearance of more rain.	The crops in the Kishoregunge sub-division have improved somewhat from the rain. Reports from other parts of the district are very unfavorable.	
22	Sylhet ..	„ 11th	Nil	Very cool ..	The ryots still hope that there will be rain in the month of Kartick to save the crops on high lands.	
23	Cachar ..	„ 11th	1·93	Showery ..	The fall this week is sufficient for the crops in their present state.	
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.						
24	Chittagong ..	„ 11th	0·13	First part of the week was fine; 10th and 11th cloudy.	Generally fair, but backward. The previous reports from Moiskal and Kutubdia have on personal enquiry by the Collector turned out to be exaggerated.	
25	Noakhally ..	„ 11th	0·11	Weather fair	On the southern jurisdiction of the town station the late rice is reported to be injured by insects ("Sani"). In the rest of the stations it is progressing favorably.	
26	Tipperah ..	„ 18th	0·52	Weather gloomy till three last days, with occasional drizzling rain. The nights are getting cool.	The slight rain has refreshed the crop where it has still life in it, but very much of it is past help. Sugar-cane is fair.	
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts	„ 11th	Nil.	Generally cool throughout the whole week; sometimes foggy in the morning. Commencement of the cold season.	The paddy crop is being gathered; the cotton pods are forming. The prospects of the latter crop are fairly good. The early rice harvest has been successful.	
	Hill Tipperah ..	„ 11th	Nil	The mornings and evenings at the beginning of the week were cooler and pleasant; the latter part cloudy and excessively hot.	Rain sadly needed. The crops in some parts of the district look partially parched.	
BEHAR.						
PATNA DIVISION.						
28	Patna ..	„ 21st*	Nil	No rain. Mornings and evenings cold.	The prospects of the district getting worse day by day, and if it does not rain within 20 days, there will be great scarcity, if not famine. Prices rising steadily.	Health of the district very good.
29	Gya ..	„ 18th	Nil	Cool and dry ..	Rain very urgently required. Rice plants daily withering up. There is no sufficient moisture in the lands for sowing the cold weather crops. There is no appearance of rain, and the prospects of the coming year are exceedingly gloomy.	
30	Shahabad ..	„ 18th	Nil	Cloudy and variable, with no rain. Hot in days and cool at nights.	The continued drought is proving fatal to the rice crop wherever it cannot be irrigated. In many places it has already died, and has been cut for fodder, and in many places it is drying up. A very fair extent of crop has been irrigated in the Sasseeram sub-division by the canal water, and looks promising. The cold weather crop is being sown in places where the soil has sufficient moisture, but a large tract of land must remain unsown unless rain falls. Rice is being imported from Bengal in considerable quantities.	

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BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
PATNA DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)						
31	Tirhoot ...	Oct. 18th	Nil	Hot by day and cool by night.	The paddy is being rapidly dried up for want of rain, and agriculturalists are cutting it as fodder for cattle. Exportation is still going on. The want of moisture in the soil retards the preparation of lands for the cold weather crops. Prospects are becoming worse every day, and if rain does not soon fall, the winter crops will not be sown. Prices rising everywhere.	
32	Sarun ...	„ 18th	Nil	Days moderately hot, but mornings and evenings cool; west wind prevailing.	Prospects gloomy; the early crop was on the whole a poor one, not more than eight annas; rain urgently wanted all over the district. Rice very much injured, and in places is being cut to feed cattle with. No moisture in the lands for the cold weather sowings; sugar-cane and *kodo* (millet) partially injured within the jurisdiction of the outpost of Gurkha in the sudder sub-division, and Goothni in the Sewan sub-division; *rahur* (pulse) and cotton are, however, doing well. Preliminary inquiries are being made for relief works. Prices are rising.	
33	Chumparun ...	„ 18th	Nil	Hot days and cool nights; west wind.	The continued drought is doing serious damage to the crops. Unless rain falls soon, anxiety for the ensuing year will be felt. Prices rising steadily, especially of rice.	
BHAGULPORE DIVISION.						
34	Monghyr ...	„ 18th	Nil	Fair; no signs of rain ...	The prospects of both rice and winter crops are very bad at present. The district may be divided nearly into two portions, north and south of the Ganges, one of which grows rice and the other winter crops. At least one-half of the rice is lost already, and at least one-half of the remaining portion will be lost, if it does not rain before the end of the month. Regarding the winter crop, even if there is no rain before the end of the year, we may have a five-anna crop; if there is rain before the end of the month an average crop may be expected.	
35	Bhaugulpore ...	„ 21st	Nil	Cloudy now and then. Good rain reported in south-east of district.	Rice crops still fair on low lands; 12 annas outturn quite possible to north of Ganges. Madhoopoorah crops are not good, except in south and south-east, where a fair outturn may be looked for. In Soopole crops are as bad as they well can be. Rain very much wanted for rice and cold weather sowings: with rain a good deal of rice crop may turn out well.	General health very good.
36	Purneah ...	„ 18th	Nil	Hot days and cold nights	The low lands near the Ganges and Kusi will alone give any winter rice crop. The winter crop is being sown. It is reported from Araria that the tobacco will not germinate, and *koorthee* (pulse) is drying up. Prices fell at the beginning of week, but are again rising.	

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BEHAR—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
Bhagulpore Dtn. 37	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Oct. 18th	Nil	Clouds hanging about everywhere clearing off without rain, with cloudish morning.	Very bad accounts from the distant parts of the district. Close about Dumka the rice still looks excellent, but it must have rain to hold on. It is nearly true that the further from Dumka the worse the prospects are. In Rajmehal, Godda, and Deoghur, the high land rice is withering fast. The tanks are very low; near Dumka the ground is soft and moist, and the tanks are much fuller. Irrigation is going on everywhere, but hardly any cultivation for the cold weather crops.	
ORISSA.						
Orissa Division. 38	Cuttack ...	„ 21st*	0·07	No rain in sub-divisions.	More rain wanted for the late rice crops.	Public health good. Two cases of sporadic cholera at Jugutsingpore.
39	Pooree ...	„ 11th	2·85	Hot for the most part of the week; heavy rainfall on the night of the 10th; and the weather rainy afterwards. Rainfall at Khoordha, 1·12.	Weeding and transplanting in the late rice fields are still going on in some places; late rice on high land has suffered much from want of rain, but there has been a good rainfall on Wednesday. The young plants of pulses are promising. The prospects of cold weather crops continue favorable. Khoordha: late rice suffering from want of sufficient rain; also badly off for irrigation on high lands. Sorad or winter rice still safe.	
40	Balasore ...	„ 18th	3·61	Strong sun and very little wind. Rain throughout the district, plentiful in the centre and south, but scantier northwards.	All apprehensions of a general failure of the rice crops have been removed by the rains; and taking the district as a whole, a fair harvest is confidently anticipated. The small proportion of early rice already harvested throughout the district has proved a first-rate crop.	
CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-West Frontier Agency.					
41	Hazareebaugh ...	„ 18th	Nil	Very fine; clouds gather but pass away; there was a shower only.	From all parts of the district anxious reports about the rice are being received. Immediate rain is required to make the crop a good one. A week's delay will cause a great loss. Prices are very high.	Very little disease
42	Lohardugga ...	„ 18th	Nil	Bright and clear, with variable wind and a few clouds hanging about.	The rice crop in the higher low lands is suffering considerably for want of rain, and the low land crops will suffer also if rain does not shortly come. If rain falls within a week, the harvest generally will be a fair one, otherwise all the late rice except that in the very low lands will be lost. In the Palamow sub-division the sowings for the cold weather crops are almost entirely at a stand-still for want of rain.	
43	Singbhoom ...	„ 11th	Nil	No rain during the week. Sky overcast since 10th, giving promise of rain.	The rain reported last week was only local and partial. Bad reports beginning to come in from almost all parts of the district, and from almost everywhere there is an urgent cry for more rain. Two more showers required to save the crops, one immediately. At present the prospects look very gloomy.	A great deal of fever still prevalent. Two fatal cases of cholera in the town.

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	CHOTA NAGPORE.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
	South-West Frontier Agency.—(Contd.)					
44	Maunbhoom ...	Oct. 18th	0·09	Cloudy, but no rain ...	The rice crops on the high lands have completely failed, and those on the lower level have suffered severely; only those which can be irrigated from tanks and reserviors will be saved, and these will yield about half a crop.	
	ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.					
45	Goalpara ..	„ 11th	Nil	Whole week fair and bright; nights getting cool and dewy; mornings occasionally foggy.	The winter rice that has been transplanted has greatly suffered from want of rain. These crops will therefore be poor unless rain falls soon. Pulses and mustard are being sown; jute, sugarcane, and cotton doing well.	
46	Kamroop ..	„ 20th*	Nil	Weather clear; cold mornings and nights.	Rice crops and tea backward for want of rain. Cotton, sugarcane, and pulse crops progressing fairly.	Public health good.
47	Durrung ..	„ 11th	1·35	Bright hot days and chilly clear nights. North-east wind during the latter part of the week.	Rain still wanted near Mungledye and indeed all over the district, but there has been some, and matters are improving. Tea doing well.	Public health improving, and cholera in Mungledye dying away.
48	Nowgong ..	„ 11th	0·02	Weather clear and settled with cold nights and mornings; easterly breezes.	The late rice crop is suffering from the great want of rain and the crop will prove a poor one if rain does not fall before the end of the month. Pulses being sown. Sugarcane doing well; tea operations favorable.	General health excellent.
49	Seebsaugor ..	„ 11th	0·12	Fair; mornings, and evenings beginning to get cool, but hot sun during the day.	Rice crop doing tolerably, but rather backward. Tea doing well.	
50	Luckimpore ...	Oct. 11th	0·31	The whole week was very fine. Rain fell early on the morning of the 8th. North Luckimpore subdivision. Rain nearly every day, with occasional thunder-storms.	Crops doing fairly ...	Public health improving.
51	Naga Hills ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	Return not received.
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills	„ 11th	0·12	The weather in the early part of the day has been bright and clear, but cloudy towards evening with slight rain.	The late rice is ripening fast, as also the millet, and it will shortly be fit for reaping. All other standing crops are doing well.	
53	Garo Hills ..	„ 11th	Nil	Very hot during the day. No rain; cloudy on the afternoon of the 11th; the mornings and evenings are getting cooler.	Nothing much to add to what has been written in the last report. The cotton crop is fair and will do well if there is no wind to blow the pods to pieces. It would be better for some rain.	

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Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 25th Aug. to 1st Sept. 1873.	Rain from 8th to 14th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
	WESTERN DISTRICTS.						
BURDWAN.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan	Nil	0·20	57·44	11th Oct.	
		Cutwa	0·16	Nil	38·04	ditto.	
		Culna	1·15	0·19	46·18	ditto.	
		Bagd-Bood	Nil	0·27	43·03	ditto.	
		Raneegunge	0·24	Nil	44·51	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	0·46	0·35	47·07	ditto.	
	Bancoorah ...	Bancoorah	0·30	Nil	46·83	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom ...	Sooree	Nil	Nil	62·40	ditto.	
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	0·11	Nil	44·77	ditto.	
		Tumlook	Nil	0·15	47·49	ditto.	
		Gurbetta	Nil	0·02	46·22	ditto.	
		Contai ... Dy. Collr.'s Office ...	0·60	0·59	48·74	ditto.	
		Contai ... Exc. Engr.'s Office	0·40	1·07	48·52	ditto.	
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly	Nil	0·69	38·79	ditto.	
		Serampore	Nil	0·03	43·13	ditto.	
	Howrah ...	Howrah	1·29	0·02	46·34	ditto.	
	CENTRAL DISTRICTS.						
PRESIDENCY.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	1·80	1·69	45·03	ditto.	
		Calcutta	2·05	0·20	44·16	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	1·22	0·13	45·23	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Jail	1·25	0·08	44·20	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut	Not rec.	0·10	42·81	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st Sept. to 4th Sept.
		Barasat	0·50	0·82	40·12	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour	Nil	0·94	50·83	ditto.	
		Barripore	Not rec.	0·16	49·97	ditto ...	Not rec. 28th Sept. to 4th Oct.
		Satkhera	Not rec.	0·25	47·63	ditto ...	" " " "
		Barrackpore	Not rec.	0·25	45·97	ditto ...	" 21st " "
		Dum-Dum	Not rec.	Nil	48·35	ditto ...	" " " "
	Nuddea ...	Kishnaghur	0·03	Nil	46·71	ditto.	
		Boogong	0·59	0·15	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore	1·93	Nil	51·81	ditto.	
		Chooadangah	1·95	0·05	45·82	ditto.	
		Kooshtea	0·31	Nil	38·61	ditto.	
		Ranaghat	Nil	0·53	34·51	ditto.	
		Jessore	1·30	0·01	43·85	ditto.	
	Jessore ...	Jessore	0·50	0·10	66·12	ditto.	
		Nurrail	Nil	0·10	58·75	ditto.	
		Khoolneah	0·32	0·28	43·15	ditto.	
		Jenadah	Nil	0·33	54·86	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut	0·97	Nil	46·77	ditto.	
		Mazoorah	0·46	Nil	31·17	ditto.	
	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	Not rec.	Nil	28·29	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st Sept. to 4th Oct.
		Ramporehaut	0·10	Nil	28·74	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
		City Moorshedabad ...	1·13	Nil	36·01	ditto.	
		Jungipore	Nil	Nil	34·78	ditto.	
		Azimgunge	2·82	0·03	40·41	ditto ...	From 1st Feb.
		Lalgolia	0·17	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
RAJSHAHYE.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	1·89	Nil	28·10	ditto.	
	Maldah ...	Maldah	0·97	Nil	31·86	ditto.	
	Rajshahye ...	Beauleah	1·50	Nil	42·49	ditto.	
		Nattore	0·65	Nil	44·26	ditto.	
	Rungpore ...	Rungpore	1·76	Nil	47·12	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge	0·66	Nil	82·72	ditto.	
		Titalya	0·67	Nil	36·74	ditto.	
	Bograh ...	Bograh	0·60	0·28	43·00	ditto.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	0·10	0·53	36·26	ditto.	
		Serajgunge					
COOCH BEHAR.	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling ... Telegraph Office	Not rec.	Not rec.	91·47	15th Sept. 11th Oct.	
		Darjeeling ... Hospital ...	0·44	Nil	77·74	ditto.	
	Julpigoree ...	Julpigoree	0·63	Nil	88·20	ditto.	
		Pallacotta	2·07	Nil	108·39	ditto.	
		Bodah	0·24	Nil	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar	0·38	Nil	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars ...	Buxa	0·80	Nil	175·63	ditto.	
	EASTERN DISTRICTS.						
	Dacca ...	Dacca ... Telegraph Office ...	Nil	Nil	59·42	ditto.	
		Dacca ... Hospital ...	0·24	Nil	58·18	ditto.	
		Moonshegunge	Nil	Nil	63·91	ditto.	
		Manickgunge	0·78	Nil	48·55	ditto.	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	Nil	Nil	50·55	ditto.	
		Goalundo	Nil	Nil	41·73	ditto.	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisool	1·48	Nil	58·88	ditto.	
		Ferozepore	0·81	0·22	55·59	ditto.	
		Madaripore	Nil	0·50	60·09	ditto.	
		Patooakhally	2·10	0·05	83·28	ditto.	
		Dowlat Khan	2·54	0·10	92·91	ditto.	
	Mymensing ...	Mymensing	1·34	Nil	61·12	ditto.	
		Jamalpore	Nil	Nil	18·31	ditto.	
		Attcah	0·10	Nil	43·70	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge	0·30	Nil	65·07	ditto.	
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	1·64	Nil	125·68		
	Cachar ...	Cachar	1·09	1·93	96·85	ditto.	
		Hailakandy	2·93	Not rec.	82·85	4th Oct.	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
		Koyah	0·52	Not rec.	78·16	ditto ...	
	Chittagong ...	Chittagong ... Telegraph Office	1·50	0·20	80·96	11th Oct.	
		Chittagong ... Jail	1·04	0·13	82·07	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar	1·68	2·83	146·75	ditto.	
	Noakhally ...	Noakhally	1·81	0·11	108·73	ditto.	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	0·63	Nil	71·68	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah	0·96	Nil	55·24	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rangamatee Hill	3·00	Nil	79·51	ditto.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	0·30	Nil	56·65	ditto.	

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 7th to 14th October 1873.	Rain from 14th to 18th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BIHAR.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
PATNA.	Patna	Patna	Nil.	Nil	30·49	11th Oct.	
		Behar	0·25	Nil	38·09	ditto.	
		Barh	Nil.	Nil	53·18	ditto.	
		Dinapore (Jail)	Nil.	Nil	33·96	ditto.	
		Dinapore (Cantonment)	Nil.	Nil	34·60	ditto.	
	Gya	Gya	Nil.	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah	Nil.	Nil	40·94	ditto.	
		Arungabad	0·37	Nil	33·64	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Not rec.	Nil	38·73	ditto	Not received 28th Sept. to 4th Oct.
	Shahabad	Arrah	Nil.	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram	0·95	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar	Nil.	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhuboosh	Nil.	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozufferpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	28·94	20th Sept.	
		Durbhungah	Not rec.	Not rec.	23·46	ditto.	
		Hajeepore	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·33	ditto.	
		Madhubani	Not rec.	Not rec.	27·23	ditto.	
		Seetamaree	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·60	ditto.	
		Tajpore	Nil.	Nil	31·11	11th Oct.	
	Sarun	Chuprah	Nil	Nil	33·82	ditto.	
		Sewan	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Chumparun	Motechari	0·14	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
BHAUGULPORE.	Monghyr	Monghyr	0·66	Nil	38·20	ditto.	
		Begooserai	0·95	Nil	35·45	ditto.	
		Jamooie	Not rec.	Nil	42·09	ditto	Not received 21st Sept. to 4th Oct.
	Bhaugulpore	Bhaugulpore	0·10	Nil	28·52	ditto.	
		Soopool	0·68	Not rec.	26·73	4th Oct.	
		Mudhepoorah	Nil	Nil	34·54	11th Oct.	
		Banka	0·34	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Sanborsa	0·21	Nil	27·12	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah	1·20	Nil	39·36	ditto.	
		Kishengunge	0·24	Nil	37·69	ditto.	
		Arrareah	Nil	Nil	35·00	ditto.	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Deoghur	1·22	Nil	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara	0·20	Nil	34·27	ditto	Not recorded 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal	0·50	Nil	23·00	ditto.	
		Mohesh pore	Not rec.	Not rec.	25·24	28th Sept.	From 15th June.
		Nya Doomka	1·10	Nil	52·94	11th Oct.	
		Godda	1·65	Nil	35·81	ditto.	
ORISSA.							
ORISSA.	Cuttack	Cuttack (Telegraph Office)	1·70	0·90	33·30	ditto.	
		Cuttack (Hospital)	1·31	1·34	37·74	ditto.	
		Jajipore	Nil	2·80	33·61	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	Nil	4·70	57·20	ditto.	
		Jugutsingpore	0·74	3·88	39·62	ditto.	
		False Point	Nil	18·40	54·75	ditto.	
	Pooree	Pooree	0·50	10·29	53·05	ditto.	
		Khurdah	2·28	1·53	48·17	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	0·56	2·66	45·70	ditto.	
		Bhuddruck	Nil	2·86	34·70	ditto	Not received 21st to 27th Sept.
		Jellasore	0·16	0·44	48·05	ditto	From 1st April.
		Sorah	0·53	0·99	36·19	ditto	Ditto.
		Chandbally	Nil	6·17	35·25	ditto	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sambalpore	0·14	Not rec.	49·60	4th Oct.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE. SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebaugh	Hazareebaugh (Jail)	2·36	Nil	59·04	11th Oct.	
		Hazareebaugh (Dispensary)	2·70	Nil	52·91	ditto	
		Pachumba	1·60	Nil	51·53	ditto.	
	Lohardugga	Ranchee	1·71	Nil	49·95	ditto.	
		Palamow	0·50	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singbhoom	Chyebassa	0·76	0·15	38·54	ditto.	
	Manbhoom	Purulia	0·06	Nil	40·61	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Goalparah	Goalparah	0·47	Nil	68·21	ditto.	
		Dhoobree	0·10	Nil	91·42	ditto.	
	Kamroop	Gowhatty	1·74	Nil	48·79	ditto.	
		Burpettah	1·18	Not rec.	79·78	4th Oct.	
	Durrung	Tezpore	0·84	Not rec.	64·23	ditto.	
		Mangledye	0·90	Not rec.	53·90	ditto.	
	Nowgong	Nowgong	0·29	0·02	70·58	11th Oct.	
	Seebsaugor	Seebsaugor	0·98	Not rec.	71·56	4th Oct.	
		Golaghat	1·06	Not rec.	64·78	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	1·15	Not rec.	58·75	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	2·05	Not rec.	74·35	ditto.	
	Luckimpore	Debroogbur	3·82	Not rec.	89·75	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	2·32	Not rec.	99·76	ditto.	
		Suddya	1·18	Not rec.	82·39	ditto.	
	Naga Hills	Samoogoodting	Not rec.	Not rec.	41·52	27th Sept.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills.	Shillong	0·34	0·12	53·03	11th Oct.	
		Jaowai	2·10	0·10	73·15	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	2·51	0·59	292·35	ditto.	
	Garo Hills	Tura	6·00	Nil	84·80	ditto.	
		Benares	Nil	Not rec	35·83	4th Oct.	
		Akyab	2·40	1·80	190·20	11th Oct.	

CALCUTTA,
The 18th October 1873.

H. F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Be

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 12th to 18th Oct. 1873.

Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather notes.
t. 12th	10	29·842	29·861	83·5	77·8	77	E by N	...	0·10	K	
	16	29·702	29·720	83·5	78·6	78	E	...		K	
13th	10	29·809	29·827	81·7	77·3	83	E N E	...	0·07	K, N	scuds.
	16	29·717	29·735	85·0	80·0	75	E N E		0·08	K	
14th	10	29·805	29·913	81·2	76·7	80	E N E	...	...	K	scuds.
	16	29·806	29·824	83·9	75·7	63	E N E	...	...	K	
15th	10	29·885	29·903	83·2	73·5	79	E N E	...	...	C	
	16	29·753	29·771	88·6	77·3	58	E	...	...	C, K	
16th	10	29·879	29·897	86·5	72·0	63	E by N	...	...	.....	b
	16	29·770	29·784	89·8	75·4	48	E by N	...	...	K	
17th	10	29·907	29·925	85·5	76·0	62	E by N	...	...	.....	b
	16	29·793	29·811	89	76·5	52	E N E	...	...	C	
18th	10	29·905	29·931	81·8	77·0	61	E N E	...	...	.....	b
	16	29·781	29·799	89·4	78·0	57	N E	...	...	.....	b
12th	10	29·823	29·839	83	78	73	N E	5·9	0·30	N	b, p v
	16	29·708	29·714	81	78	83	E	10·2	0·10	N	b, p, v, m
13th	10	29·817	29·833	80	77	86	N	14·4		N	b, v m
	16	29·714	29·720	85	79	75	N	13·0	...	N	b, v
14th	10	29·902	29·909	83	77	75	N	10·7	...	N	b, v
	16	29·793	29·801	85	78	71	N	13·5	...	N	b, v
15th	10	29·893	29·899	84	77	71	E N E	6·3	...	K	b, v
	16	29·770	29·782	86	77	64	N	10·1	...	K	b, v
16th	10	29·887	29·893	85	79	75	W	1·8	...	N	b, v
	16	29·793	29·799	87	74	51	N	7·8	...	KS	b, v
17th	10	29·903	29·912	86	76	61	E N E	2·8	...	C	b, v
	16	29·799	29·805	86	76	61	N N W	10·9	...	C	b
18th	10	29·903	29·912	87	76	58	N E	4·6	...	C, CK	b, v
	16	29·799	29·805	88	77	64	N N W	8·2	...	KS	b
12th	10	29·822	29·915	80	75	78	N E	3·6	0·10	KS	v
	16	29·705	29·798	81	77	88	E	2·9	...	N	d, g
13th	10	29·800	29·804	75	73	90	E N E	4·6	0·16	N	r, g
	16	29·699	29·793	76	73	83	E N E	4·5	0·20	KS	v
14th	10	29·875	29·968	80	75	78	E S E	4·9	0·40	K	v
	16	29·780	29·873	81	77	83	S E	6·7	...	KS, K	v
15th	10	29·868	29·952	77	76	97	S E	3·2	1·50	N	d, g
	16	29·718	29·810	83	80	87	S S E	5·5	...	KS, CK	v, g
16th	10	29·820	29·913	82	78	82	N N W	3·0	0·20	CK, K, KS	c
	16	29·730	29·822	84	79	79	W S W	5·3	...	K	b, v
17th	10	29·837	29·929	84	79	79	N	2·8	...	K	b, v
	16	29·747	29·839	86	78	68	S W	4·2	...	K	b, t v
18th	10	29·839	29·931	85	78	71	E S E	1·2	...	CK	b
	16	29·747	29·839	85	80	79	W N W	6·2	...	CK	b, v
11th	10	29·848	29·878	85	77	68	W by S	4	0·01	.....	c
	16	29·703	29·736	84	78	75	S E	9	...	.....	c
12th	10	29·821	29·851	86	78	71	S W by S	8	0·23	.....	c
	16	29·693	29·723	85	79	75	S by W	5	...	.....	cloudy.
13th	10	29·839	29·869	81	76	78	W S W	9	1·27	.....	c
	16	29·733	29·763	86	77	86	N W by N	12	...	.....	cloudy.
14th	10	29·843	29·913	79	75	82	W	6	1·44	.....	c
	16	29·776	29·836	83	78	75	N N W	5	...	.....	cloudy.
15th	10	29·866	29·896	81	76	78	W by N	5	1·14	.....	cloudy.
	16	29·738	29·788	81	75	74	N N W	14	...	.....	c
16th	10	29·830	29·860	79	74	77	N W by N	18	...	.....	cloudy.
	16	29·730	29·760	82	76	74	N N W	14	...	.....	c
17th	10	29·833	29·863	80	75	78	N W by N	12	...	.....	cloudy.
	16	29·758	29·788	77	74	86	N W by N	7	...	.....	c
Oct. 12th	10	29·749	29·832	80	76	82	N N E	3·8	0·20	KS, C	
	16	29·684	29·716	83	77	75	N N E	5·9	...	K, KS, N, C	
13th	10	29·756	29·838	84	78	71	N N E	1·0	...	CK, C	
	16	29·671	29·753	86	77	64	E N E	1·6	...	C, KS	b
14th	10	29·833	29·915	85	77	68	N E	1·3	...	C, CK	b
	16	29·726	29·808	87	77	61	N E	6·5	...	C, S	b
15th	10	29·793	29·875	83	76	71	N	1·5	...	CK, C	
	16	29·708	29·790	85	76	64	N N E	5·5	...	C, S	b
16th	10	29·810	29·892	86	76	61	N N E	0·5	...	CK, C	
	16	29·705	29·788	88	75	52	N E	3·4	...	C, N	
17th	10	29·840	29·922	86	75	57	N E	0·5	...	C	b
	16	29·736	29·818	86	74	54	N E	5·2	...	C, K	b
18th	10	29·840	29·922	86	75	57	N E	0·8	...	C, CK	b
	16	29·706	29·788	85	74	57	N E	5·5	...	CS, N, C	
Oct. 12th	10	29·874	29·896	80	77	86	S E	3·9	0·90	.....	g
	16	29·757	29·779	81	78	86	S S E	5·3	...	.....	g
13th	10	29·869	29·882	76	76	100	S E	6·6	2·00	.....	r, g
	16	29·797	29·819	75	75	100	S S E	8·0	2·50	.....	r, g
14th	10	29·937	29·989	75	75	100	S	5·8	6·00	.....	g, d
	16	29·834	29·856	80	78	91	E N E	5·0	0·70	.....	b
15th	10	29·892	29·913	83	79	83	N E	3·7	...	.....	b
	16	29·768	29·789	86	80	75	S E	4·0	...	.....	b
16th	10	29·856	29·877	84	80	83	E	1·3	...	.....	b
	16	29·758	29·779	85	80	79	N N E	4·4	...	C	
17th	10	29·884	29·[illegible]05	85	81	88	N E	1·1	...	.....	b
	16	29·788	29·8[illegible]9	85	80	79	S	6·3	...	.....	b
18th	10	29·899	29·9[illegible]1	81	79	91	N E	1·7	...	.....	b
	16	29·766	29·787	87	82	79	N N E	0·3	...	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 18th October 1873.

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Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 8th to 14th October 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer. Highest reading.	Thermometer. Lowest reading.	Thermometer. Max. solar radiation.	Mean dry bulb.	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew point.	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Max. pressure.	Wind. Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Rem
		Inches	°	°	°	°	°	°			Lb.	Miles	In.		
Oct. ...	8th	29·844	88·5	75·5	133·8	81·3	73·1	67·0	0·63	N by W & W N W	...	84·5	...	...	Clear.
	9th	·877	87·5	75·0	139·0	81·5	75·7	71·6	·73	N W & E by S	...	35·5	...	...	Cirrostrati cumuli.
	10th	·891	89·1	77·0	137·8	82·6	76·7	72·6	·73	E E by S & S	0·8	101·5	...	...	Cirrocumuli
	11th	·832	86·2	77·0	134·0	79·4	76·6	74·6	·86	S & S by E	4·0	113·5	0·20	...	Overcast a S rong win A. M. Slig 5-30 A. M. 9-30 P. M.
	12th	·784	87·6	76·0	144·5	80·4	77·1	74·8	·84	E S E, E by N & E	...	126·9	0·07	...	Cirri, cumu Slight rain
	13th	·771	88·0	76·5	138·0	80·9	77·5	75·1	·83	E N E	0·7	176·9	0·08	☾	Overcast cum Lightning Slight rain 1-30 and 2
	14th	·839	88·3	75·8	139·0	81·2	76·9	73·9	·79	E N E	...	248·5	...	...	Clear and co

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means, are deriv the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 r the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receive lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the leve ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from ucon

The extreme variation of temperature during the past seven days ... 1
The maximum temperature during the past seven days ... 9
The maximum temperature during the corresponding period of the past year ... 9
The mean humidity during the past seven days ...
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year ... In

The total fall of rain from 8th to 14th ... { by lower rain gauge ... / by anemometer gauge ...

Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years ...
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 14th October ... 4
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years ... 65

GOPEENAUTH SEN.
In charge of the Observatory.

The 17th October 1873.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th September 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
for the week	1,907	1,412 0 0	141 4 0	2,178 0	273 0 0	27 6 0	168 10 0
of railway	70	52 0 0	5 4 0	80 0	10 0 0	1 0 0	6 4 0
12 weeks of half-year ...	14,734	11,684 0 0	1,168 8 0	45,358 0	4,264 0 0	426 8 0	1,594 16 0
for 13 weeks ...	16,641	13,096 0 0	1,309 12 0	47,536 0	4,537 0 0	453 14 0	1,763 6 0
COMPARISON.							
corresponding week of year	1,530	4,076 12 6	407 13 7	8,716 25	675 2 6	57 10 4	465 3 11
railway, corresponding previous year ...	56	32 8 3	3 19 0	319 35	21 1 9	2 2 3	6 1 3
orresponding date of year	15,757	11,324 15 5	1,132 9 11	62,037 11	5,285 4 0	528 10 7	1,661 0 6

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 4th October 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
ffic for the week ...	1,155	861 0 0	86 2 0	2,035 0	202 0 0	20 4 0	106 6 0
ile of railway	42	32 0 0	3 4 0	77 0	7 0 0	0 14 0	3 18 0
ious 13 weeks of half-year	16,641	13,096 0 0	1,309 12 0	47,536 0	4,537 0 0	453 14 0	1,763 6 0
Total for 14 weeks ...	17,796	13,957 0 0	1,395 14 0	49,631 10	4,739 0 0	473 18 0	1,869 12 8
COMPARISON.							
for corresponding week of ious year	1,572	1,181 11 9	118 3 6	4,354 0	399 12 3	39 19 6	158 3 0
le of railway, corresponding k of previous year ...	58	43 5 10	4 6 9	160 0	14 10 9	1 9 4	5 16 1
to corresponding date of pre- s year	17,329	12,506 11 2	1,250 13 5	66,391 11	5,685 0 8	568 10 1	1,819 3 9

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 4th October 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
raffic for the week	4,010	839 0 0	83 18 0	26,417 0	920 0 0	92 0 0	175 18 0
mile of railway	143	30 0 0	3 0 0	943 0	33 0 0	3 6 0	6 6 0
evious 13 weeks of half-year...	54,714	9,461 0 0	946 2 0	227,455 0	7,448 0 0	744 16 0	1,690 18 0
l for 14 weeks	58,724	10,300 0 0	1,030 0 0	253,872 0	8,368 0 0	836 16 0	1,866 16 0
COMPARISON.							
for corresponding week of ious year	6,451	949 5 9	94 18 0	12,094 24	383 4 0	38 6 6	133 5 3
le of railway, corresponding of previous year	230	33 14 6	3 7 10	431 38	13 11 0	1 7 4	4 15 2
to corresponding date of ous year	56,729	8,739 2 6	873 18 3	171,171 33	5,172 11 6	517 5 9	1,491 3 8

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 11th October 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
tal tra a for the week ...	3,921	682 0 0	68 4 0	10,667 0	378 0 0	37 16 0	106 0 0
Or per mile of railway	140	24 8 0	2 9 0	381 0	13 8 0	1 7 0	3 16 0
For previous 14 weeks of half-year	58,724	10,300 0 0	1,030 0 0	253,872 0	8,368 0 0	836 16 0	1,866 16 0
Total for 15 weeks	62,645	10,982 0 0	1,098 4 0	264,539 0	8,746 0 0	874 12 0	1,972 16 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,782	1,181 13 0	118 3 6	12,813 1	413 10 6	41 7 4	159 10 10
er mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	278	42 3 3	4 4 5	457 24	14 12 4	1 9 6	5 13 11
otal to corresponding date of pre- vious year	64,511	10,920 14 0	1,092 1 0	183,984 31	5,586 6 0	558 12 0	1,650 14 6

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 4th October 1873, on 158¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total rece
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£
Total traffic for the week	29,790	17,915 12 6	1,642 5 7	1,50,544 14	36,043 12 0	3,303 16 7	4
Or per mile of railway	188	113 3 5	10 7 7	825 0	227 12 0	20 17 7	
For previous 13 weeks of half-year...	379,793¼	2,37,628 12 3	21,783 0 8	1,602,180 28	5,51,938 14 12	50,599 12 9	72
Total for 14 weeks	409,493½	2,55,544 3 9	23,425 6 3	1,732,725 2	5,88,040 10 11	53,903 16 4	7
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	29,874	20,544 12 5	1,883 5 6	194,677 0	64,318 11 4	5,895 17 7	
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	191	131 4 5	12 0 8	1,244 0	410 15 9	37 13 5	
Total to corresponding date of previous year	592,244¼	2,15,814 11 7	19,783 0 4	2,098,315 0	5,24,971 0 5	48,122 6 10	6

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 11th October 1873, on 223½ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	
Total traffic for the week	3,670	10,047 2 0	920 19 9	57,150 0	16,484 8 0	1,511 1 7	1
Or per mile of railway	.....	44 15 3	4 2 5	.....	73 12 1	6 15 3	
For previous 14 weeks of half-year...	49,543	1,19,306 8 3	10,936 8 7	505,473 10	1,54,550 4 6	14,167 2 2	25,
Total for 15 weeks... ...	53,213	1,29,353 10 3	11,857 8 4	562,629 10	1,71,034 12 6	15,678 3 9	27,3
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,165	11,159 0 11	1,022 18 3	36,031 10	11,892 1 3	1,090 2 2	2,113
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	49 14 10	4 11 6	.....	53 3 4	4 17 7	9
Total to corresponding date of previous year	61,056	1,37,376 1 6	12,592 16 2	457,769 30	1,33,828 1 10	12,267 11 6	24,860

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1645.

GENERAL.—*The 20th October* 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint lement Sconce, Superintendent of the Central Jail at Midnapore, to be Special Magis- for the purpose of dealing with offences punishable with whipping.

The 22nd October 1873.—Mr. Ambrose William Bushe Power, Political Agent, Hill erah, having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 4th instant, the unexpired ion of the subsidiary leave granted to him under orders of the 1st idem is cancelled.

The 23rd October 1873.—The following notification is issued in substitution of that rding Mr. Park which appeared in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd instant.

Mr. George Stewart Park is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third ade, but to continue to officiate in the Second Grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

The following gentlemen, who have been recently appointed to be members of the engal Civil Service, are to be Assistants to the Magistrates and Collectors of the districts entioned against their names, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the ird Class :—

Mr. George Godfrey ... ... Nuddea.
" Andrew Wallace Mackie ... ... 24-Pergunnahs.

The 24th October 1873.—Mr. Anthony Patrick MacDonnell, B.A., Assistant Magistrate d Collector, is posted to the Patna Division, and is to officiate as a Joint-Magistrate and eputy Collector of the First Grade from the 1st November next. Mr. MacDonnell is sted with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, and with powers under Sections 2, 157, 222, 417, and 521 of the Criminal Procedure Code. Mr. MacDonnell is also lowed the usual subsidiary leave from the 19th instant, the day following the date of his rival at Bombay on his return from furlough, to enable him to join his appointment.

The following gentlemen, who have been recently appointed to be members Bengal Civil Service, are to be Assistants to the Magistrates and Collectors of the d mentioned against their names, and to exercise the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Cl

Mr. Herbert Hope Risley	...	... Midnapore.
,, Samuel Simpson Jones	...	... Moorshedabad.

Mr. Edmond Breton Godfrey, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, retransferred to the Burdwan Division, and is posted to Midnapore.

Baboo Tariny Prosad Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed t have charge of the Mohesreka Division just opened in the Burdwan Division.

Mr. John Beames is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Cuttack in the First Grade of Magistrates and Collectors from the date of his making over charge of th office of Commissioner of Orissa to Mr. T. E. Ravenshaw.

The following persons are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the district Moorshedabad, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

For the Berhampore Bench.

Mr. A. Gallois	...	...	...	Members of the hampore Town mittee.
Dr. S. M. Shircore	...	...	...	
The Rev. S. J. Hill	...	...	...	
Baboo Denonath Gangooly, Pleader	...	...	...	
,, Radha Churn Sen, Zemindar	...	...	...	
,, Boikantnath Sen, Pleader	...	...	...	
,, Shama Churn Bhutto, ditto	...	...	...	
,, Ishan Chunder Roy, ditto	...	...	...	
,, Moteelall Banerjee, ditto	...	...	...	
,, Boydyanath Paure, Head Clerk, Judge's Court				
Wuzeer Mundul	...	...	...	Jotedars and ryots
Shariut Sircar	...	...	...	
Rahamun Biswas	...	...	...	

For the Moorshedabad Bench.

Baboo Gunga Das Roy	...	...	...	Members of the To Committee.
,, Gopi Chund Setia	...	...	...	
,, Golap Chund Lahatee	...	...	...	
Nowab Zainulabdeen Khan Bahadoor		...	...	
Rogunath Sing	...	...	...	Jotedar and petty mindar.
Inayat Sircar	...	...	...	Jotedars and able ryots.
Tuffuzzul Hossein	...	...	...	
Krishto Mohun Roy	...	...	...	
Bhairub Chunder Roy	...	...	...	
Moonshee Rezaullah	...	...	...	
Abdool Ghuffoor	...	...	...	
Hajee Saheb	...	...	...	

For the Jungypore Bench.

Mr. A. N. Stewart	...	...	...	Toll Collector
,, W. F. Grahame	...	...	...	Manager.
Rae Jogendronarain Roy	...	...	...	Zemindar.
Baboo Mona Mohun Sing	...	...	...	Ditto.
,, Gooroodoss Dhur	...	...	...	Ditto.
Mohanund Roy	...	...	...	Jotedar.
Loharam Mundul	...	...	...	Ryots.
Shobratee Biswas	...	...	...	
Mr. J. W. Maseyk, Zemindar	...	...	...	Members of the To Committee.
Baboo Jodoonath Mookerjee, Pleader		...	...	
,, Krishna Bullub Roy, Ditto		...	...	
,, Ramdoyal Das, Zemindar		...	...	
,, Issur Chunder Roy, Jotedar		...	...	

For the Rampore Haut Bench.

Mr. E. J. Hampton	...	...	...	Zemindar.
Moonshee Abdoos Sobhan	...	...	...	Ditto.
Baboo Anuntolall Mundul	...	...	...	Ditto and Banker.
,, Bipro Churn Ghosal	...	...	...	Ditto.
,, Koylas Chunder Sing	...	...	...	Ditto and Pleader.
Moonshee Lutful Huk	...	...	...	Ditto and Mookte
Baboo Tariny Churn Roy	...	...	...	Jotedar.
Gopeenath Dutt	...	...	...	Ryot and Shop-keepe
Mohabeer Bhuggut	...	...	...	Shop-keeper.

For the Kundi Bench.

Baboo Gopikant Roy	Rural Sub-Registrar.
,, Jogendronath Roy	Zemindar.
,, Norendro Narain Roy	Ditto.
Moonshee Zial Ruhman	Ditto.
Baboo Gobind Soonder Tribedi	Jotedar and petty Zemindar.
,, Bhoobun Mohun Sing	Ditto Ditto.
,, Ram Chunder Ghose	Ditto and Merchant.
,, Manick Chunder Dutt	Ditto Ditto.
,, Soorjo Persand Ghose	Jotedars and respectable ryots.
,, Hurry Narain Singh	
,, Issur Chunder Ghose	
,, Gour Chunder Roy	
Syud Talib Hossein	

The following persons are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the district of ra, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

For the Bogra Bench.

Syud Abdoos Sobhan Chowdry.
Baboo Ram Chunder Geer Gosain.
,, Lachman Chunder Geer Gosain.
Benwari Lal Shaha Chowdry, Merchant.
Krishna Prosad Shaha.
Hati Majjama Khondkar *alias* Hurka Mian ... Jotedar and Lakhirajdar.

Baboo Mohesh Narain Moonshee has resigned his appointment as Honorary Magistrate e District of Bogra.

The 25th October 1873.—Moulvi Mahomed Kamil, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy ctor, Dinagepore, on leave, is transferred to Chittagong.

The following gentlemen, who have been recently appointed to be Members of the al Civil Service, are to be Assistants to the Magistrates and Collectors of the Districts loned against their names, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third :—

Mr. Krishna Govinda Gupta, Backergunge.
,, George Abraham Grierson, Jessore.
,, Herman Kisch, Hooghly.

Mr. Henry Murray Tobin, who has been recently appointed to be a Member of the al Civil Service, is to be an Assistant to the Deputy Commissioner of Hazareebaugh, vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

r. William Erskine Ward, M.A., is appointed to officiate temporarily as District and s Judge of Dinagepore in the Second Grade.

e 27th October 1873.—Mr. John Henry Ravenshaw, District and Sessions Judge of pore, is allowed privilege leave for one month and seven days, from the 24th ultimo, Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

boo Nund Kishore Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is ferred to Pooree.

oulvi Ikram Rusool, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pooree, is transferred ttack.

Mr. J. B. Stoney, Executive Engineer at Dehree, is appointed to be an Honorary trate in the district of Shahabad, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Class.

The 28th October 1873.—Under Section 2, Act XXXVII of 1850, the Lieutenant- rnor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to form a Commission for the se of making a formal and public inquiry into the truth of certain charges of misbeha- against Mr. S. N. Banerjee of the Covenanted Civil Service, viz.—

H. T. Prinsep, Esq., C.S.	President.
H. J. Reynolds, Esq., C.S.	Members.
Colonel C. F. G. Lamb, S.C.	

The leave which was granted to Baboo Gooroo Churn Das, Deputy Magistrate and puty Collector, Moorshedabad, under orders of the 11th September last, will have effect m the afternoon of the 17th instant, the date on which he availed himself of it.

Baboo Dwarkanath Dey, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in temporary charge of Satkhirah, is allowed two months' privilege leave, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code, from the forenoon of the 10th instant, the date on which he was relieved by Baboo Bejoy Madhub Mookerjee.

Mr. Stuart Saunders Hogg, C.S., having reported his arrival at Bombay on the 23rd instant, on his return from furlough, the unexpired portion of his furlough is cancelled, and Mr. Hogg is allowed the usual subsidiary leave from the 24th idem to enable him to join his appointment.

The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. Horac Abel Cockerell of his appointment as a Commissioner for making Improvements in the Port c Calcutta.

POLICE.—*The 27th October* 1873.—Mr. Patrick H. Scanlan, Assistant Superintendent Police, Patna, is allowed privilege leave for one month and five days from the 26th ultir under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Senior Inspector Seo Lall Tewary is placed in charge of the District Police of Chi gong during Mr. B. Rattray's absence on special duty.

REGISTRATION.—*The 20th October* 1873.—Moulvi Ifazuddin Ahmed is appointed to a Special Sub-Registrar at Sundeep, in the district of Noakhally.

EDUCATION.—*The 21st October* 1873.—Mr. W. McLaren Smith, Professor, Preside College, is allowed one year's furlough from the 23rd instant, under Section 7 (*a*), Cl First, of the Civil Leave Code.

EMIGRATION.—*The 24th October* 1873.—Mr. H. A. Firth, the Emigration Agen Calcutta for British Guiana, and Officiating Emigration Agent for Trinidad, will also ac Emigration Agent for Nevis.

MEDICAL.—*The 22nd October* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Sreed pore in Jessore :—

Baboo Bepin Behary Bose, Zemindar.
,, Brojendro Nath Bose, ditto.
,, Debendro Nath Bose, ditto.
Pundit Mohun Chunder Bachusputty, Pundit of Sreedhurpore School.
The Head Master of the Sreedhurpore School for the time being.

The Medical Officer in charge of the institution for the time being to be Ass Secretary to the Committee.

The 23rd October 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to form a Com for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Bood-Bood in Burdwan :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer for the time being.
,, Sub-Inspector of Schools for the time being.
,, Moonsiff for the time being.
Baboo Hit Loll Misser, Honorary Magistrate of Mancoor.
,, Grish Chunder Coondoo of Ryepore.

The 25th October 1873.—Baboo Opendro Chunder Mookerjee is appointed t a Member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Banc

The 27th October 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Chanchal in Maldah

Baboo Anand Gopal Mookerjee of Abadpore.
,, Anand Gopal Mozumdar of Kaligram.
,, Madhub Chunder Talapatra, Head Pundit of Kaligram Vernacular S

MARINE.—*The 23rd October* 1873.—Mr. Caffron Bridger, Second Deputy S Master of Calcutta, is allowed fourteen months' leave on Medical Certificate, Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. Henry Williamson Welbore Ellis is appointed to officiate as Second D Shipping Master of Calcutta during Mr. Bridger's absence, or until further orders.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 22nd October* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Darjeeling :—

Mr. A. D. Larymore.
The Civil Surgeon for the time being.
Mr. J. H. Doyle.
Baboo Gour Mohun Chatterjee.
Mr. C. Grant.
Mr. W. Judge.
,, A. W. Paul.
,, G. Treutler.
,, A. B. L. Webb.
The Reverend G. M. Wilson.

Mr. A. D. Larymore to be also Vice-Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners.

ROAD CESS.—*The 22nd October* 1873.—The Officer in charge of Khoordah is appoin to be Chairman, and Baboo Bhagbat Mahantee, Tehsildar of Khoordah, to be Vice-Chairma of the Branch Road Cess Committee at that Sub-Division.

The 23rd October 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following Members of the Branch Road Cess Committee at the Manickgunge Division, in the Dacca District, under Section 76, Act X (B.C.) of 1871 :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer ... ... Chairman.
Mr. D. L. Moore of Nathpore, Manager of the Indigo Factory of the Eastern Bengal Company and their Zemindari. } Vice-Chairman.

Baboo Shyamasunker Roy Chowdry of Teota, Zemindar and Merchant.
Moulvi Ismail of Machain, Zemindar.
,, Israil of ditto, ditto.
Syud-uddin-Ahmed of Elachcepore, Zemindar.
Baboo Omakant Ghose of Refaitpore, Talukdar.
,, Doorgaundo Rai of Bytta, Zemindar.
,, Omirto Nundo Kobiraj of Mutto Potal, Native Kobiraj.
,, Gobind Chundra Mookerjee of Manickgunge, Manager of the Zemindari of Baboo Kalinarain Roy Bahadoor.
,, Nibarun Chunder Banerjee of Manickgunge, Manager of the Raja Bahadoor of Bhukoilas.
Moulvi Ali Hosein of Horina, Talukdar.
Nobin Chundra Sirkar of Cholla, Cultivator.
Serajal Haque of Gurpara, ditto.
Goljan Khan of Dimookhan, ditto.
} Members.

The 27th October 1873.—Baboo Danesh Prosad, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to ice-Chairman of the Branch Road Cess Committee at Jamooe in Monghyr.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 13th October 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal and is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, e site for the Post Office at Nya Doomka, Tuppeh Bel Putta, Zillah Doomka, it is declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring more or less 1 beegah 8 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land between the ulpore and Soory road and the road leading to the Extra Assistant Commissioner's low; on the west by the land on the side of the latter road; on the south by a tank ging to Messrs. G. H. and S. Grant; and on the east by the Bhaugulpore and Soory is required within the town of Nya Doomka.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

e 23rd October 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal land, particulars of which are subjoined, is required to be taken by Government at lic expense for a public purpose, viz. the site for the Post Office of Garhwa, it is declared that for the above purpose a plot of land, measuring 3 cottahs pergunnah ement or 6¾ cottahs Bengal standard measurement, is required.

e land is situated in the district of Lohardaggah, Tuppeh Serhey, Pargana Palamow, h Garhwa, village or town Sonpurwa, and is bounded on the north by fallow land es wide running between north boundary and Jugul Sahir's garden; on the south by tree and Police Station compound; on the east by the Pound Shed; and on the west h leading to and from Jugul Sahir's garden past the Pound Shed. The declaration e under Section 6 of Act X of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of ndian Registration Act (VIII of 1871), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to tion the formation of the following four new sub-districts in the district of Burdwan:—

I.—Indas, with jurisdiction over thannahs Indas and Kotalpur.
II.—Mangalkot, with jurisdiction over thannahs Mangalkot and Shahibgunge.
III.—Mantessar, with jurisdiction over thannah Mantessar.
IV.—Mymaree, with jurisdiction over thannahs Selimabad and Ganguriah.

Baboo Shama Churn Deb Roy is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Indas.
,, Amrita Lal Biswas is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mangalkot.
Munshi Hydar Hussain is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mantessar.
Baboo Polin Behari Mozumdar is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mymaree.

This notification will take effect on and from 1st November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India, Legislative Department, republished for general information :—

No. 11.—*Simla, the* 13*th October* 1873.—*Notification.*—The following Statutes are pu lished for general information :—

36 & 37 VICTORIA, CAP. 43.

An Act to enable Indian Railway Companies to issue and register Shares and Securities in In

[21*st July* 1873.]

Be it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parlia assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows; (that is to say) —

1. Every Company now formed, or which shall hereafter be formed, whethe amalgamation or otherwise, for constructing, maintaining, and working railways in India establish at such places in India as they think fit an office for the issue, registration transfer of shares, stock, bonds, and securities of the Company, and the registration of t fers of shares, stock, bonds, and securities, and the registration of shareholders, and may time to time remove or alter the place of any such office, and may make such regula consistent with the provisions of this Act, as they think fit, for enabling and facilitating issue, registration, and transfer of shares, stock, bonds, and securities, and the registratio transfers of shares, stock, bonds, and securities, and the registration of shareholders at such o and all and every the powers and provisions in relation to the issue, transfer, and registra of shares, stock, bonds, and securities, and the registration of transfers of shares, stock, bo and securities, and the registration of shareholders in Great Britain, contained in any dee settlement or Act of Parliament under or by which the Company shall be constitute governed, shall apply and be in force as to the shares, stock, bonds, and securities an registration of transfers thereof, and the registration of shareholders, to be issued, transf registered and made at such office in India, except so far as the same are inconsistent wit provisions of this Act.

2. Every such Company may keep at their office in India books to be called respec "The India Register of Shareholders," "The India Register of Holders of Consolidated St "The India Shareholders' Address Book," "The India Register of Transfers," and also for the registration of bonds, debentures, mortgages, and the debenture stock, and the tran thereof respectively, and the books so kept shall be of the like validity and effect as the b kept for the like purposes by the Company in England, and accounts of all entries alterations made in the books of the Company in India shall be transmitted to the prin office of the same Company in England.

3. Provided always, that if and when the Company have offices in India at more than one, then the Company shall substitute for or add to the word "India" in the titles Register kept at every such office, the name of the place at which the particular o established.

4. All transfers of any such shares, stock, bonds, and securities as aforesaid shall b at the office at which the same respectively shall for the time being be registered, and no stock, bond, or security shall be on the registry of more than one office at one and th time: Provided always, that the Company may keep in England duplicates of any of it of register kept in India, but no such duplicate book shall be deemed a register.

5. Subject to the regulations from time to time made by such Companies respec with respect to the issue, registration, and transfer of shares, stock, bonds, and sec respectively, and the registration of transfers of shares, stock, bonds, and securities respec every such Company may and shall, on notice in writing by the holder of any share, bond, or security to the person for the time being acting as secretary, managing direct principal clerk at the office in England or in India where such share, stock, bond, or se shall then be registered, transfer the share, stock, bond or security from the register ther that office to the corresponding register at any other office of the Company where for the being a register shall be kept to be appointed and named in such notice, and as soo conveniently may be after the receipt of any such notice such secretary, managing direct principal clerk shall transmit advice thereof to the office to which the transfer is directed made.

6. For the purpose of determining any question as to the place or jurisdiction wit which any share, stock, bond, or security shall be deemed to be or to have been situate at a given time, the locality, whether in India or in Great Britain, of the register in which su share, stock, bond, or security shall be or have been actually registered for the time being, shal be deemed to be or have been at such time the locality of such share, stock, bond, or security and so soon as notice shall have been given as aforesaid for the transfer of any share, stock, bond, or security from one register to another, the share, stock, bond, or security shall for the purpose of this section be deemed to be actually registered in the register to which it is so directed to be transferred.

7. Nothing in this Act shall interfere with or affect any powers which are now vested in any Indian Railway Company by any Acts of Parliament by which the Company is governed.

36 & 37 VICTORIA, CAP. 59.

Act for regulating and extending the Jurisdiction in matters connected with the Slave Trade of the Vice-Admiralty Court at Aden, and of Her Majesty's Consuls under Treaties with the Sovereigns of Zanzibar, Muscat, and Madagascar, and under future Treaties.

[5*th August* 1873.]

Whereas treaties for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade have been made by in behalf of Her Majesty with Chiefs or States in Arabia, and on the shores of the Persian lf, and on the east coast of Africa, and in the islands of Madagascar and Zanzibar, and the moro islands:

And whereas by the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1843, it was among other things enacted at it is and shall be lawful for Her Majesty to hold, exercise, and enjoy any power or risdiction which Her Majesty now hath or may at any time hereafter have within any untry or place out of Her Majesty's dominions in the same and as ample a manner as if er Majesty had acquired such power or jurisdiction by the cession or conquest of rritory;"

And whereas by various treaties Her Majesty is empowered to exercise jurisdiction within dominions of the Sultan of Zanzibar, the Imaum of Muscat, and the Sovereign of dagascar, in regard to vessels captured on suspicion of being engaged in the slave trade:

And whereas by an Order in Council relating to the dominions of the Sultan of Zanzibar, d dated the ninth day of August one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and another rder in Council relating to the dominions of the Imaum of Muscat, and dated the fourth day November one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and a third Order in Council lating to the dominions of the Sovereign of Madagascar, and dated the fourth day of ebruary one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, it was in each case ordered that Her ajesty's Consul within the dominions to which the order relates should, for and within the d dominions, and in regard to vessels captured on suspicion of being engaged in the slave de within those dominions, have all such jurisdiction as for the time being ordinarily ongs to courts of Vice-Admiralty in Her Majesty's possessions abroad:

And whereas a Vice-Admiralty Court has been established at Aden, but has only a limited sdiction in matters relating to the slave trade:

And whereas by "The Slave Trade Jurisdiction (Zanzibar) Act, 1869," provision was made he exercise of the said jurisdiction by Her Majesty's Consul within the dominions of the n of Zanzibar:

And whereas it is expedient to make further provision for the exercise of the said jurisdic- by Her Majesty's Consuls within the dominions of the Sovereigns of Zanzibar, Muscat, Madagascar, and for the exercise of jurisdiction in matters relating to the slave trade by Vice-Admiralty Court at Aden:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament nbled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Slave Trade (East African Courts) Act, 1873.

2. In this Act—

The term "vessel" means any vessel used in navigation;

The term "treaty" includes any convention, agreement, engagement, or arrangement:

The term "foreign state" includes any foreign nation, people, tribe, sovereign, prince, chief, or headman:

The term "existing East African slave trade treaty" means a treaty made by or on behalf of Her Majesty with any foreign state in Arabia or on the East Coast of Africa, or the shores of the Persian Gulf, or in any island lying off Arabia, or off such coast or shores, including the islands of Zanzibar and Madagascar and the Comoro islands, for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade, and in force at the passing of this Act:

The term "East African Courts" means the Vice-Admiralty Court at Aden, and any of Her Majesty's Consuls within the dominions of the Sovereigns of Zanzibar, Muscat, and Madagascar, when exercising jurisdiction in pursuance of the recited Orders in Council.

3. All jurisdiction which is by any Act conferred on the Vice-Admiralty Courts in Her Majesty's possessions abroad, in regard to British vessels seized by the commander or officer of any of Her Majesty's ships on suspicion of being engaged in or fitted out for the slave trade, and in regard to the persons, slaves, goods, and effects on board thereof, is hereby conferred on the East African courts, in regard to vessels seized by the commander or officer of any of Her Majesty's ships on suspicion of being engaged in or fitted out for the slave trade, and to the persons, slaves, goods, and effects on board thereof, in the following cases: namely,—

1. Where the vessel seized is a British vessel;
2. Where the vessel seized has been seized in pursuance of any existing East African slave trade treaty; and
3. Where the vessel seized is not shown to the court to be entitled to claim the protection of the flag of any foreign state.

Each of the East African Courts shall have the same jurisdiction in regard to any per who has been seized either at sea or land, on the ground that he has or is suspected to h been detained as a slave, for the purpose of the slave trade, as the court would have under t section if he had been so detained on board a vessel that was seized and brought in adjudication.

All jurisdiction exercised under this section shall for the purposes of any such Act as ab mentioned be deemed to be exercised in pursuance of that Act.

4. The provisions of the Vice-Admiralty Courts Act, 1863, with respect to appeals Her Majesty in Council from any decree or order of a Vice-Admiralty Court shall app *mutatis mutandis*, to appeals from any decree or order of the East African courts made purporting to be made in the exercise of their jurisdiction under this Act.

5. The provisions of the Vice-Admiralty Courts Act, 1863, with respect to rules touch the practice to be observed in the Vice-Admiralty Courts, and tables of fees to be taken by officers and practitioners thereof, shall apply in like manner as if they were herein enacted w the substitution of the East African Courts, for the Vice-Admiralty Courts; and of the plac which any such court is held for the British possession in which the Vice-Admiralty Court established.

6. This Act shall apply to all cases of vessels, slaves, goods, and effects seized by commander or officer of any of Her Majesty's ships, and adjudicated upon by any of the E African courts, whether before or after the passing of this Act.

7. Where any treaty in relation to the slave trade is made after the passing of this A by or on behalf of Her Majesty, with any foreign state in Arabia, or on the East Coast Africa, or on the shores of the Persian Gulf, or in any island lying off Arabia, or off such coa or shores, including the islands of Zanzibar and Madagascar and the Comoro islands, H Majesty may by Order in Council direct that as from such date, not being earlier than the da of the treaty, as may be specified in the order, such treaty shall be deemed, and thereupon from the said date, or, if no date is specified, as from the date of such order) such treaty sh be deemed to be an existing East African slave trade treaty within the meaning of this A and the provisions of this Act shall apply and be construed accordingly.

Her Majesty may by such order, or any subsequent order referring to the same trea render the application of this Act subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications may be deemed expedient, and limit or exclude the jurisdiction of any of the East Afr Courts.

Her Majesty may by such order, or any subsequent order referring to the same tr direct that any court, consul, or person authorized by or in pursuance of an Order in Counc exercise within the dominions of the foreign state with whom the treaty is made jurisdicti matters relating to the slave trade, shall, subject to the conditions, exceptions, and limitat if any, contained in the order, exercise all the jurisdiction conferred by this Act on the African Courts; and such court, consul, or person, when exercising such jurisdiction, sha deemed to be one of the East African Courts within the meaning of this Act.

Every such order shall recite or embody the terms of the treaty, so far as they relate t slave trade, and shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within six weeks after made or, if Parliament be not then sitting, within six weeks after the then next meetin Parliament, and shall also be published in the *London Gazette*.

A treaty, whether made before or after the passing of this Act, which ceases to be in fo shall cease to be an existing East African slave trade treaty within the meaning of this Act.

8. The Act specified in the schedule to this Act is hereby repealed.

Provided that—

1. All bounties and other sums purporting to have been paid in pursuance of a enactment hereby repealed before the passing of this Act shall be deemed have been duly paid:

2. This repeal shall not affect—

(a) Anything duly done or suffered under any enactment hereby repealed; or

(b) Any right, privilege, obligation, liability, or forfeiture acquired, accrued, incurred under any enactment hereby repealed; or

(c) Any investigation, legal proceeding, or remedy in respect of any such righ privilege, obligation, liability, or forfeiture as aforesaid, or any legal pro ceeding taken or commenced under any enactment hereby repealed; an any such investigation, legal proceeding, and remedy may be carried o and all acts consequential thereon done as if it had been commenced under this Act.

SCHEDULE.

Year and Chapter.	Title.
32 & 33 Vict., Cap. 75	An Act to regulate and extend the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Consul at Zanzibar in regard to vessels captured on suspicion of being engaged in the slave trade, and for other purposes relating thereto.

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.—*The 17th October* 1873.—The following extract from a list of Military e Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of d from the India Office, is published for general information :—

5 *of* 1873.—*List of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to urn to duty and granted extensions of leave.*

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

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on-Major J. Duncan.

1088.—Major H. Carrick is, at his own request, permitted to resign his appointment ast Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

1089.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the appointment :—

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Major N. St. L. Carter to officiate as Commandant during the absence on leave of Lieutenant-Colonel D. W. Campbell, or until further orders, *vice* Major H. Carrick resigned.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

24*th October* 1873.—It is hereby notified that with the concurrence of the Govern- India the Lieutenant-Governor has sanctioned the establishment of a new Sub- to be attached to the Magisterial District of Howrah with its Head-Quarters at kha. The Sub-Division will be conterminous with and include Thannahs Oolaberria, ool, Bagnan, Amptah, and Shampore.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th October 1873.—A plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 12,990, for doubling esent gates and the covered ways at the Jetty enclosure of the Port of Calcutta, so as ovide accommodation for the additional traffic at the Jetties consequent upon the etion of the export sheds, and the loading as well as discharging of vessels, having been tted by the Vice-Chairman to the Commissioners for making Improvements in the f Calcutta with his letter No. 4032, dated the 25th September 1873, the Lieutenant- nor has been pleased to sanction the construction of the work under Section 35, (B.C.) of 1870.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th October 1873.—Under Section 88 of Act VI (B.C.) of 1868 (The District s Act), the Clauses 7, 8, 9, 12 and 13 of Schedule K annexed to the Act, are hereby nded to the town of Busseerhaut, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 8th October 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that nd is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., or the construction of a local road from Berhampore to Garhpada in Pergunnahs Tulsabary, Eustah, and Garhpada, Zillah Balasore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 20 beegahs 6 ghoonte 4 biswas of standard measure- ment, and 3 miles 4 furlongs in length, with an average breadth of 40 feet, is required within the villages of Garhpada, Uria Sasun, Hirapore, Bhutkhandi, Pergunnah Garhpada, Patpore, Pergunnah Eustah Anko, Turadih Patpore, Kasipada, Atiadiha, Berhumpore, Kadonanda, Pergunnah Tulsabang, is required.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1646.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of S the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been sanction the formation of two new sub-districts in the district of Monghyr co with the Thannahs of Gogree and Tegrah, which have hitherto been included under districts of Monghyr and Beguserai, respectively, and to appoint Syed Ali Hossein Sub-Registrar of Gogree with Head-Quarters at Gogree, and Syed Mohamed Hossei the Sub-Registrar of Tegrah with Head-Quarters in the town of that name.

This notification will take effect on and from the 1st November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of B

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Shazadp sub-division of Serajgunge in the district of Pubna, and to appoint Moonshee M Khalid to be Additional Sub-Registrar of Serajgunge with Head-Quarters at Shaza

This notification will take effect on and from 1st November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of B

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Sectio Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased, in modification Notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 21st June 1871 (pages 1238 to 12 sanction the following changes in the sub-districts in the district of Maunbhoom, a thannahs of the district will be distributed between the various sub-districts as below :—

Sub-district.	Extent of Jurisdiction.
PURULIA ...	Thannah Purulia except Pergunnahs Palma and Baghda, are within the jurisdiction of the Manbazar sub-district Thannah Raghunathpore. ,, Gaurangdihi. ,, Chas. ,, Jaipur. ,, Jhalda. ,, Ichagarh. ,, Baghmundi. ,, Para.
MANBAZAR ...	Thannah Khatra. ,, Raipur. ,, Borabhum. ,, Manbazar. ,, Simlapol.
GOBINDPUR ..	Thannah Gobindpur. ,, Topichanchi. ,, Nirsha. ,, Tundi. ,, Jherya.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

e 28th October 1873.—With reference to rules 9 and 20 of the Rules for the qualifi-
n, admission, and enrolment of Pleaders and Mooktears in Mofussil Courts, published
e High Court in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th September last, requiring candidates
xamination for the Higher and Lower Grade Pleaderships to give notice to the Secretary
he Board of Examiners on or before the 1st November in each year of their intention to
ar at the ensuing examination, it is hereby notified that, pending the appointment of a
etary to the Board of Examiners, notices from candidates will be received at the Office
e Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Judicial Department, and that on this
ion only if they reach that office within fourteen days from the date of this Notification
will be considered as having been received on the 1st November for the purposes of the
above referred to.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

e 20th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that that portion of the Notification of
ment dated the 2nd November 1872, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem,
g that Mr. J. W. Pritchard, late Jailor of the Central Jail at Midnapore, shall not be
oyed by any department under this Government, is cancelled.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

20th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the orders of the Govern-
India, all vessels licensed to convey emigrants beyond sea from the Port of
will in future as a rule be prohibited from carrying such articles of cargo
ohibited to vessels conveying troops, viz., raw hides, molasses, bones, camphor,
ollodion, fire-works, gunpowder, lucifer matches, naphtha, essential oils, phosphorus,
ne, rock-oil, spirits, turpentine, spirits of turpentine, arsenic, orpiment, corrosive
e, cotton, *ghee* butter, fixed oils, pitch, tar, dammer, quicksilver, rags, sulphur,
wax, chlorate of potash, nitre (nitrate of soda), saltpetre, jute, or any other article
tance whatever of an inflammable or combustible nature, and unrefined sugar. The
t of *ghee* and fixed oils will however be permitted in emigrant vessels if the articles
fied to be securely packed and properly stowed to the satisfaction of the Master
it, but no more than ten tons in the aggregate of these commodities will be allowed
ried in any one vessel.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18th October 1873.

o. 363.—*Notifications.*—Mr. W. B. Christie, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade,
ed to the First Calcutta Division, passed in the Departmental Standard on the 15th
er 1873.

The 23rd October 1873.

No. 364.—Baboo Bany Madhub Chunder Mozumdar, Overseer, First Grade, joined the
ergunnahs District on the 28th September 1873, before noon.

No. 365.—*Leave of Absence.*—Baboo Kally Dhone Mookerjee, Accountant, Fourth
de, attached to the Central Office of Accounts, Bengal, is allowed privilege leave for two
nths, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 15th
ptember 1873.

No. 366.—The following order, issued by the Government of India, Public Works
epartment, is republished for information:—

No. 642 *of the 13th October* 1873.—The following notification by the Military Department is re-
published for information and guidance in the Public Works Department:—

No. 979 *of* 1873.—As some misapprehension appears to exist on the subject, it is notified for general information that leave preparatory to retirement does not reckon as service towards pension. An officer must, therefore, complete the period of service prescribed for the scale of pension on which he desires to retire before quitting his station on such leave.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 22nd October 1873.

No. 432.—*Appointment.*—Mr. A. C. Low, is, with the approval of the Governme India, appointed a Probationary Overseer, First Grade, and posted to the Behar Survey

The 23rd October 1873.

No. 433.—*Leave.*—Mr. J. Morrow, Sub-Engineer, Second Grade, Cossye Divi granted privilege leave for two months under Supplement F, Section 12, of t Leave Code.

No. 434.—*Transfer.*—Baboo Jodoo Nath Seal, Assistant Engineer, First Gr leave), from the Sone to the South Western Circle.

The 25th October 1873.

No 435.—*Notification.*—Mr. J. H. Toogood, Assistant Engineer, Third Grad Division, passed in the Lower Standard on the 6th instant.

No. 436.—*Notification.*—Mr. C. Fouracres, Executive Engineer, Third Grade Workshop Division (on leave), has been allowed by the Secretary of State fourteen duty in England in excess of his present leave.

No. 437.—*Leave.*—Mr. E. R. Middleton, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Coll special duty in the Dancoonee Drainage Survey, is granted privilege leave for three under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 438.—*Leave.*—Mr. E. W. P. Foster, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Sone Division, is granted privilege leave for fifteen day tension of the privilege leave granted in the orders m noted, under Section 12, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 300, dated 26th July 1873.

No. 439.—*Notifications.*—Baboo Sreedhone Chunder Sen, Overseer, Second Eastern Sone Division, returned from sick leave on the forenoon of 6th October 187

No. 440.—Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India has granted Mr. T. B. Executive Engineer, Third Grade, a further extension of leave for one month under certificate.

No. 441.—The services of Mr. E. S. Gisborne, Temporary Supervisor, Firs Dehree Division, are dispensed with from the 20th October 1873.

The 27th October 1873.

No. 442.—The services of Baboo Koomud Nath Mookerjee, Probationary Third Grade, Eastern Sone Division, are dispensed with from 4th November 1873.

No. 443.—Mr. J. H. Toogood, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, Arrah Divisio returned to duty on the forenoon of the 13th October 1873 from the special leave him on 7th July last, the unexpired portion of the leave is hereby cancelled.

No. 444.—*Posting.*—Mr. A. Hayes, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, to the Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 15th October 1873.

No. 445.—*Notification.*—Mr. T. B. Stoney, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, re his return from leave on the forenoon of the 19th October 1873.

No. 446.—*Posting.*—Mr. T. B. Stoney, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Dehree Division, which he joined on the 22nd October 1873.

No. 447.—*Transfer.*—Mr. C. W. Hope, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, fro Dehree Division to special duty in the Office of the Superintending Engineer, Sone Cir

No. 448.—*Notification.*—Mr. C. Fouracres, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, D Workshop Division, returned to duty on the forenoon of the 20th October 1873.

No. 449.—*Leave.*—The privilege leave granted to Mr. J. Campbell, Executive Engi Third Grade, Southern Hooghly Drainage Division, in the or marginally noted, is hereby cancelled, and he is allowed inst furlough to Europe for twelve months under Chapter III, Section 7, of the Civil Leave Co together with preparatory leave from the afternoon of the 14th up to the afternoon of t 20th October 1873, under Chapter V, Section 15, of that Code.

* No. 303, dated 31st July 1873.

No. 450.—*Notification.*—Mr. J. Campbell, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Souther Hooghly Drainage Division, having left India on the 29th October 1873, will be borne on the list of the Engineer Establishment as a Supernumerary in his grade from that date.

H. W. GULLIVER, *Lieut.-Col., R.E.,*
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

Report of leave granted to the Rural Sub-Registrar of Habiganje in Sylhet.

...e of Sub-Registrar on leave.	Name of Sub-Registrar appointed.	Nature and period of leave granted.	Date of making over charge.	REMARKS.
...aboo Kali Sankar Sarma Ray.	None ...	Leave on urgent private affairs for five days in continuation of the Dusserah vacation.	None ...	The office was closed during the Sub-Registrar's absence on leave.

CALCUTTA,
16th October 1873.

C. F. MAGRATH,
Offg. Inspector-General of Registration.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABOO MOHANUNDO GOOPTO, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Midnapore ...asury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries, to take retrospective effect from ... 10th October 1873.

BURDWAN, COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 22nd October 1873. C. T. BUCKLAND, *Commissioner.*

NOTIFICATION.

Officers in charge of Treasuries are informed that the Money Order Office at Mahn... war (Bombay), which was temporarily closed in June last on account of the rainy season, ...een re-opened since 10th October 1873.

J. WESTLAND, *Offg. Accountant-General, Bengal.*

Sheriff's Office, the 28th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Criminal Sessions of the year 1873, of the High ... of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of ... William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the ... of Calcutta, on Thursday, the twentyseventh day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the ...on, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby pro... that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for ...he said Session be then and there to prosecute.

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস সন ১৮৭৩ সাল ২৮ অকটোবর।

...লকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর ...তার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ২৭ নবেম্বর ...তবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যেপর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত ...কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের নবম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান ...ক এবং এতদ্দ্বারায় প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী ...ন করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 790B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be ...ld at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 6th ...ovember 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 chests, viz.—

				Chests.
Behar Opium	...	...	...	2,125
Benares ,,	...	...	...	1,375
		Total	...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 21st November tively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes give purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 11th November 1 and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 21st November 1873.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more o less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about th dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, al Chest
On or about Thursday, 4th Dec. 1873 ...	2,125	1,375	3,50

By order of the Member in Charge,
T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 23rd September 1873.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 869 B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth or last Sale of Opium, the provision of 187 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thur the 4th December 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 Chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares ,, ...	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertized will be the same as usual; may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal applicatio Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 19th December tively; that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, o Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes giv purchasers in the Sale-room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 9th December and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P Friday, the 19th December 1873.

By order of the Member in Charge,
T. B. LANE, *Secreta*

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 28th October 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1873.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of lands no longer required by the Govern- in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Railway Deputy Collector's Office djoining the East Indian Railway Station, at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 10th day of November ding with 26th Kartic *B.S.*

sers of these plots will be subject to the following conditions:—

e amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once. le amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be imme- d. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day r if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be um deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

plots will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt of the orders of the Collector confirming the h possession shall be liable to be disturbed in case the final sanction of the Member of the Board charge should not be accorded to the proceedings.

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				B.	C.	Ch.	A.	R.	P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A.	R.	P.		
t-	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara.	131	West ...	11	2	8	3	2	26	Occupied by Nulla	0	0	20	Commences on 2,765 feet of mile 131 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan. South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
	ditto	131	East ...	11	7	8	3	3	2	ditto ...	0	0	6	Commences on 2,680 feet of mile 131, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan. South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
ito	ditto	132	West	11	6	0	3	2	22	.....			...	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 131, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B.	C.	Ch.	A.	R.	P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
4	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara.	132	East ...	11	14	0	3	3	19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132.	North— crossin South—L 131, as per East—By land. West—By
5	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara and Dangal.	132	West ...	11	9	8	3	3	7	.....	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	
6	ditto ...	ditto ...	132	East ...	11	9	8	3	3	7	.....	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	N S Ea W
7	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Dangal and Pulsa.	133	West ...	8	0	0	2	2	23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	No So Ea We
8	ditto ...	ditto ...	133	East ...	8	0	0	2	2	23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	Nor Sou Eas We
9	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Cheetoree and Majcund.	133	West ...	10	8	10	3	1	32	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	No So Ea We
10	ditto ...	ditto ...	133	East ...	10	8	0	3	1	31	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	Nor Sou Eas We
11	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Majcund.	133	West ...	10	0	0	3	1	9	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	Nor Sout bo East ing We lan
12	ditto ...	ditto ...	133	East ...	11	0	0	3	2	22	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133, and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North 133 South- boun East— land. West— ing.
13	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	West ...	6	14	10	2	0	36	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North— bounda South—By 133, as East—By ing. West—By land.
14	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	East ...	6	18	0	2	1	5	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North—By boundary South—By 133, as per East—By zem West—By rail ing.
15	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ...	7	15	11	2	2	12	.....	...	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By boundary of lot South—By boundary of lot East—By railway ing. West—By zemin land.

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Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka and Burrisal.	134	East ...	7 18 0	2 2 18	.....	.....	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 18. South—By northern boundary of No. 14. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,450 feet of mile 134 and terminates at end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 16. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	134	East ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 16. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Burrisal.	135	West ..	6 13 4	2 0 13	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 134, as per plan, and terminates on 1,400 feet of mile 135.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	135	East ...	6 14 0	2 0 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Pakooredh.	135	West ...	8 2 0	2 2 29	.....	.....	Commences on 1,440 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 3,240 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ..	135	East ...	8 15 0	0 3 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
ditto ...	135	West ...	8 14 8	2 3 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,290 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 5,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ..	135	East ...	9 2 8	3 0 3	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Chandpore and Ramrampore.	137	West ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	Commences on 1,08[illegible] feet of mile 137 and terminates on 3,080 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary No. 27. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Rampore, Chandpore, and Ramrampore.	137	East ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 38. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
27	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Ramrampore.	137	West ...	6 16 2	2 1 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North— 173, South— boun East— ing. West— land.
28	ditto ...	ditto ...	137	East ...	6 16 2	2 1 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North— 137, as South—B bounda East—By land. West—B ing.
29	ditto ...	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courpurta, Mouzah Ramrampore.	138	West ...	8 5 10	2 2 38	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 137, as per plan, and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 138.	North—B boundar South—By 137, as p East—By ing. West—By land.
30	ditto ...	ditto ...	138	East ...	8 5 10	2 2 38	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By boundary South—By 137, as p East—By land. West—By ing.
31	ditto ...	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courpatta, Mouzah Telaye.	138	West ...	7 3 1	2 1 18	.....	.....	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 138 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By 138, as pe South—By boundary East—By ing. West—By land.
32	ditto ...	ditto ...	138	East ...	7 3 1	2 1 18	.....	.....	ditto ...	North— 138, a South— boun East— land. West— ing.
33	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Telaye and Kaheelpore.	139	West ...	6 15 4	2 0 38	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 138 and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 139, as per plan.	North— level c South— 138, a East—By ing. West—B land.
34	ditto ...	ditto ...	139	East ...	6 15 4	2 0 38	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 138, as per plan, and terminates on 1,430 feet of mile 139.	North— crossing South—By 138, as p East—By land. West—By ing.
35	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore.	139	West ...	8 5 8	2 2 38	.....	.....	Commences on 1,515 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,615 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By boundary South—By crossing. East—By ing. West—By land.
36	ditto ...	ditto ...	139	East ...	8 5 8	2 2 38	.....	.....	Commences on 1,445 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,570 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By boundary of South—By rail crossing. East—By zem land. West—By railwa ing.
37	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore and Shadinpore.	139	West ...	5 8 5	1 3 6	.....	.....	Commences on 3,615 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end o 139, as per plan. South—By nor boundary of lot N East—By railway ing. West—By zemin land.

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gunnahs Dhaos d Bonehaut, uzahs Kaheel- ee and Shadin- ee.	139	East ...	5 8 5	1 3 6	.....	...	Commences on 3,570 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 36. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
nnahs Bone- ut and Koo- arprotab, uzah Sha- pore.	140	West ...	6 10 8	2 0 25	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 139, as as per plan, and terminates on 1,950 feet of mile 140.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
to ...	140	East ...	6 7 0	2 0 16	.....	...	ditto	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
itto ...	140	West ...	6 10 3	2 0 24	.....	...	Commences on 1,970 feet of mile 140 and terminates on 3,580 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 43. South—By railway level crossing. East—by railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	140	East ...	7 0 8	2 1 11	.....	...	ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 44. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnahs Bone- haut and Koo- marprotab, Mouzahs Sha- dinpore and Lukheebatee.	140	West ...	7 7 2	2 1 29	.....	...	Commences on 3,580 feet of mile 140 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 41. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	140	East	7 6 0	2 1 26	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 42. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnahs Koo- marprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukhee- batee.	141	West ...	9 7 12	3 0 17	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 140, as per plan, and terminates on 2,280 feet of mile 141.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 47. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
Pergunnahs Koo- marprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukhee- batee and Hazar- pore.	141	East ...	9 9 8	3 0 21	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 48. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
ditto ...	141	West ...	7 11 8	2 2 1	.....	...	Commences on 2,280 feet of mile 141 and terminates on 4,215 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 45. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
to ... ditto ...	141	East ...	7 16 8	2 2 14	.....	...	ditto	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 46. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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49	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	5 1 6	1 2 28	.....	.....	Commences on 4,240 feet of mile 141 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	No So E W N So E W So Eas W Nor Sou E Eas W Nor bo South E East ing. West land North bou 56. South East land West ing. North 142, a South bounda East—By ing. West—B land. North—B 142, as South—B bounda East—By land. West—By ing. North—By boundary South—By 142, as p East—By ing. West—By land. North—By boundary of South—By en 142, as per p East—By z land. West—By railwa ing. North—By villa South—By boundary of l East—By railwa ing. West—By zem land.
50	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpoor.	141	East ...	5 6 8	1 2 39	.....	.....	ditto ...	
51	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Horishara.	142	West ...	6 12 4	2 0 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 141, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 142.	
52	ditto ...	ditto ...	142	East ...	7 14 8	2 2 5	.....	.....	ditto ...	
53	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Harishara.	142	West ...	10 19 8	3 2 21	.....	.....	Commences on 1,500 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	
54	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Tiglatee.	142	East ...	10 14 4	3 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 1,575 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	
55	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Tiglatee and Ghosematee.	142	West ...	10 7 10	3 1 29	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	
56	ditto ...	ditto ...	142	East ...	10 9 4	3 1 31	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	
57	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Ghosematee and Pantia.	143	West ...	10 15 8	3 2 10	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 142, as per plan, and terminates on 2,025 feet of mile 143.	
58	ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East ...	9 12 8	3 0 29	.....	.....	ditto ...	
59	ditto ...	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	West ...	9 15 0	3 0 36	.....	.....	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	

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Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pauta. *	143	East ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	.....	...	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 58. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Bauti.	143	West ..	6 18 0	2 1 5	.....	...	Commences on 4,010 feet of mile 143 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 59-61. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	143	East ...	6 3 0	2 0 5	.....	...	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 60-62. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Banti.	144	West ...	13 1 12	4 1 12	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 143, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 144.	North—By Brahminee River. South—By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	144	East ...	11 5 10	3 2 37	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By Brahminee River. South—By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore Mouzah Jugdharee.	144	West ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	Occupied by road.	0 0 6	Commences on 1,900 feet of mile 144, and terminates on 3,180 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 67. South—By Brahminee River. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	144	East ...	7 3 8	2 1 20	ditto ..	0 0 5	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 68. South—By Brahminee River. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Hurreepore and Kurrimpore.	144	West ...	4 16 8	1 2 10	.....	...	Commences on 3,180 feet of mile 144 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 65. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	144	East ..	5 10 8	1 3 12	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 66. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnahs Dhaon and Nowanager, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	West ...	12 12 8	4 0 23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 144, as per plan and terminates on 2,900 feet of mile 145.	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station lands. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
Pergunnahs Dhaon and Nowanager, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	East ...	11 1 0	3 2 25	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station land. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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71	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanagger. Mouzahs Beersunobur and Lushkerpore.	145	West ...	5 11 0	1 3 14	.....	...	Commences on 4,105 feet of mile 145 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—145, as South—Nulha East—B ing. West—L land.
72	ditto ...	ditto ...	145	East ...	5 2 8	1 2 31	.....	...	ditto ...	North—145, a South—Nulh East—L land. West— ing.
73	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzahs Lushkurpore and Paikparah.	146	West ...	10 4 6	3 1 20	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 145, as per plan, and terminates on 3,150 feet of mile 146.	North— bound South—145, a East—P ing. West— land.
74	ditto ...	ditto ...	146	East ...	11 13 3	3 3 17	.....	..	ditto ...	North— bound 176. South—145, as East—B land. West—P ing.
75	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Paikparrah.	146	West ..	8 16 0	2 3 26	Occupied by road.	..	Commences on 3,150 feet of mile 146 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—146, as South—B bounda East—B ing. West—B land.
76	ditto ...	ditto ...	146	East ...	9 11 7	3 0 26	ditto ...	...	ditto ...	North—146, a South— boun East— land. West— ing.
77	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 146, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 147.	North— bou South 146 East ing West lan
78	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	East ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	..	ditto ...	North bou South 146, East— land. West— ing.
79	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 147 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North— 147, as South—B bounda East—By ing. West—By land.
80	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	East ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By 147, as per South— By boundary o East—By land. West—By rail ing.
81	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Shajadpoor, Mouzahs Dhaoa and Decha.	148	West ...	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148.	North—By boundary of lo South—By end o 147, as per plan East—By railway ing. West—By zami land.

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h Dhaoa ajadpore Paikpa- Deeha.	148	East ...	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 81. South—By end of mile 147, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
ouzah	148	West ...	7 0 0	2 1 10	Occupied by nullah. Occupied by road.	0 0 7 0 0 4	Commences on 3,825 feet of mile 148, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 81. East—By Railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	148	East ...	7 15 0	2 2 10	ditto ... ditto ...	0 0 7 0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 82. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
nah Dhaoa, zah" Deno- lipore.	149	West ...	10 14 10	3 2 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 148 as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 149.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 87. South—By end of mile 148, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
to ...	149	East ...	10 14 0	3 2 6	.....	.....	ditto	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 88. South—By end of mile 148, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
ergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Deno- nathpore and Soojanpore.	149	West ...	10 3 13	3 1 19	.....	.....	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 149 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 85. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	149	East ...	9 3 14	3 0 6	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 86. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Habishpore, Kool- gachee and Sa- hara.	150	West ...	16 1 0	5 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 149 and terminates at the end of mile 150, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	150	East ...	16 0 12	5 1 8	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
... Pergunnah No- wanugger, Mou- zah Chatra.	151	West ...	14 4 4	4 2 32	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 150 as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 151.	North—By southern boundary of lot 93. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
to ... ditto ...	151	East ...	14 3 8	4 2 30	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 94. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre. B. C. Ch.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre. A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.
93	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Chotra and Bootea.	151	West ..	12 9 0	4 1 32	Occupied by nullah	0 0 9	Commences on 3,050 f of mile 151 and ter nates at the end of sa as per plan.
94	ditto ...	ditto ...	151	East ..	13 9 0	4 1 32	ditto ...	0 0 9	ditto
95	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Bhoteea and Doorea.	152	West ...	12 8 0	4 0 16	Occupied by road.	0 0 4	Commences at the n 151, as per plan, a terminates on 3,330 f of mile 152.
96	ditto ...	ditto ...	152	East ...	12 5 0	4 0 8	ditto ...	0 0 4	ditto ..
97	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Doorea.	152	West ..	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	.....	Commences on 3,360 feet of mile 152 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.
98	ditto ...	ditto ...	152	East ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	ditto ...
99	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	West ..	0 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153.
100	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	East ..	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 152, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153.
101	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Doorea, Dadpore, and Bahadoorpore.	153	West ...	14 5 2	4 2 34	.....	.....	Commences on 1,725 feet of mile 153 and terminates on 4,270 feet of same, as per plan.
102	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	East ...	14 11 10	4 3 11	.....	.....	ditto ...
103	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Bahadoorpore and Dadpore.	153	West ...	14 0 0	0 4 0	Occupied by nullah.	4 2 21	Commences on the outer boundary of the B. lands situate on the west facing of the Pugla Bridge and runs in a westerly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.

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a-h-and	153	East ...	6 3 0	2 0 5		Occupied by nullah.	0 3 26		Commences on the outer boundary of the B. land situate on the east facing of the Pugla Bridge, and runs in an easterly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By ditto. East—By ditto. West—By land of lots Nos. 102 and 106.
...	153	West ...	5 12 0	1 3 16		.....		.....	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 153 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 153, as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	153	East ...	5 15 8	1 3 26		Nullah between lots 101 and 105. Nullah between lots 102 and 106.	0 0 21 0 0 21		ditto ...	North—By end of mile 153 as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
nnah Nowa-ger, Mouzah skeera.	154	West ...	13 16 8	4 2 11		.....		.....	Commences at the end of mile 153, as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 154.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 109. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
nnahs Nowa-ger and Raj-hye, Mouzah skeera.	154	East ...	17 4 14	5 2 32		.....		.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 110. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
unnahs Nowa-gger and Raj-hye, Mouzahs oskeera and opalpore.	154	West ...	20 14 12	6 3 17		.....		.....	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 154 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 107. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	154	East ...	11 12 8	7 0 24		.....		.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 108. East—By zemindar land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Raj-shahye, Mouzah Gopalpore.	155	West ...	11 11 6	3 3 12		.....		.....	Commences at the end of mile 154, as per plan, and terminates on 1,720 feet of mile 155.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 113. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	155	East ...	11 3 8	3 2 31		.....		.....	ditto ...	North—By the southern boundary of lot No. 114. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
... Pergunnah Raj-shahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	West ...	6 15 8	2 0 39		.....		.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,000 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Mooraroee station land. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 111. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive No. of Plan.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and cura.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commenc terminati
					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	
114	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	East ...	7 13 10	2 2 14	.....	.....	Commences t of mile 15 nates on 3, the same, as
115	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Bhadisur and Dhetora.	155	West ...	8 4 11	2 2 36	.....	.....	Commences on 3,8 of mile 155 and nates at the e the same, as per
116	ditto ...	ditto ...	155	East ...	4 8 4	1 1 34	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Mooraronee station.	0 1 14	Commences on 4,38 of mile 155 and te nates at the en the same, as per pl
117	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Dhetora.	156	West ..	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	Commences at the en of mile 155, as per plan and terminates on 3,215 feet of mile 156.
118	ditto ...	ditto ...	156	East ...	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	ditto ...
119	ditto ...	ditto ...	156	West ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	.....	.....	Commences on 3,215 feet of mile 156 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.
120	ditto ...	ditto ..	156	East ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	.....	.....	ditto ...
121	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Dhetora and Pulsa.	157	West ...	15 2 9	5 0 0	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 156, as per plan, and terminates on 2,475 feet of mile 157.
122	ditto ...	ditto ..	157	East ..	15 8 0	5 0 16	.....	.....	ditto ...
123	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	157	West ...	17 8 8	5 3 2	.....	.....	Commences on 2,457 feet o mile 157 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.
124	ditto ..	ditto ...	157	East ...	16 10 9	5 1 34	.....	.....	ditto ...

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...nnah Raj-...hye, Mou-...Pulsa.	158	West ...	15	3	0	6	0	0	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences at the end of mile 157, as per plan, and terminates on 1,776 feet of mile 158.	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land
...o ...	158	East ...	19	8	5	6	1	27	ditto ...	0 0 22	ditto ...	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...nnah Raj-...hye, Mou-...ic Rutton-...re and Pulsa.	158	West ...	36	12	10	12	0	18	.....	.....	Commences on 2,405 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...ditto ...	158	East ...	36	9	8	12	0	9	.....	.....	Commences on 2,525 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Raj-shahye, Mou-zahs Pulsa, Sumbulpore, and Macwa.	159	West ...	15	16	5	5	0	37	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 158, as per plan, and terminates on 2,500 feet of mile 159.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 131. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	159	East ...	20	9	11	6	3	8	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 122. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Raj-shahye, Mou-zah Macwa.	159	West ...	21	3	8	7	0	0	.....	.....	Commences on 2,500 feet of mile 159 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 129. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	159	East ...	18	0	0	5	3	32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 130. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Raj-shahye, Mou-zahs Macwa and Bhatra.	160	West ...	8	17	13	2	3	30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 159, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 160.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 136. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	160	East ...	9	3	5	3	0	5	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 136. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
Pergunnah Raj-shahye, Mou-zah Bhatra.	160	West ...	12	7	10	4	0	15	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 139. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Consecutive No.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile on which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Area available for sale of lot in bigah and acre.						Land excluded from sale from each lot.			Commencement and termination of lot.	
					B.	C.	Ch.	A.	R.	P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A.	R.	P.		
136	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	East ...	13	13	0	4	2	2	Occupied by road.	0	0	2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	
137	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra and Rajgaon.	161	West ...	8	5	15	3	0	12	.....		.....		Commences at the end of mile 160 as per plan and terminates on 2,465 feet of mile 161.	
138	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ...	11	0	9	3	2	24	.....		.....		ditto ...	
139	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon.	161	West ...	8	17	14	2	3	31	.....		.....		Commences on 2,465 feet of mile 161 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	N Sc b Eas in Wes lan North 16 South bo 13 East- lan West ing North cro South 161 East- ing West lan North cro South 161 East- lan West ing North nen Rai Raj ten South cros East- ing West- lan North nen Rai Raj South- cros East— land. West— ing. North— B boundary 147. South—By nently ret Railway Rajgaon St East—By ra ing. West—By land.
140	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ...	8	17	14	2	3	31	.....		.....		ditto	
141	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon and Amhooa.	162	West ...	9	16	8	3	1	0	.....		.....		Commences at end of mile 161 as per plan and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 162.	
142	ditto ...	ditto ...	162	East ...	10	17	0	3	2	15	.....		.....		ditto ...	
143	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Amhooa.	162	West ...	4	11	3	1	2	1	.....		.....		Commences on 2,690 feet of mile 162 and terminates on 3,970 feet of same as per plan.	
144	ditto ...	ditto ...	162	East ...	4	11	3	1	2	1	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	2	2	20	ditto ...	
145	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Amhooa and Goorsa.	163	West ...	17	0	0	5	2	19	.....		.....		Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3,840 feet of same as per plan.	

Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.						Land excluded from sale from each lot.			Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
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...ergunnah Raj-shahye, Mouzah Ambooah and Goorsa.	163	East ...	17	0	0	5	2	19	.....		.....		Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 148. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...ergunnah Raj-shahye Mouzah Goorsa.	163	West ...	11	0	0	3	2	22	.....		.....		Commences on 3,840 feet of mile 163 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 145. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
... ditto ...	163	East ...	10	10	10	3	1	37	B land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	0	1	10	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 146. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
... ditto ...	164	West ...	13	0	0	4	1	8	.....		.....		Commences at the end of mile 163 as per plan and terminates on 1,650 feet of mile 164.	North—By Pathergbatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
... ditto ...	164	East ...	12	8	0	4	0	11	.....		.....		ditto ...	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

W. HEYSHAM, *Offg. Railway Deputy Collector.*

...EA, RAILWAY DY. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 19th September 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned ...te, situate in the District of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate ...Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, corresponding with 27th Kartic 1280, B.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions :—

1*st*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be ...down at once.

2*nd*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be ...ediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the ..., reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the ...succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Govern-...t, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after ...e of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3*rd*.—The estate will be sold revenue free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

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75	7	Katahkoree, Pergunnah Ajmutshahur.	2	2	30	123	0	0	
76	27	ditto ...	0	3	28	151	0	0	

E. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT BURDWAN, the 12th September 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Monghyr, will be put up to sale at the Monghyr Collectorate on Monday, the 10th November 1873, corresponding with 6th Aughan 1281, F.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1*st.*—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2*nd.*—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3*rd.*—The estate will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
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111	4462	Khana Sakunat Dheraj Lal, Sepoy, and Khanabari of Khajah Ali, Havildar, in Mouzah Punsara Kadampur, Pergunnah Monghyr, Thannah Dharahra.	0 1 2	42 0 0	

E. LOCKWOOD, *Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام •

اس تحریر کے رو سے خاص و عام کو اطلاع دیجاتي هی که حقیقت ملکیت سرکار بہادر محال مفصله ذیل واقع ضلع مونگیو بتاریخ دهم ماہ نومبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ ع مطابق ۶ ماہ اگہن سنه ۱۲۸۱ فصلے روز دوشنبه و کلکٹري ضلع مونگیر مین نیلام هوگا •

خریدارونکو ان محالات کے پابندي شرایط ذیل کي کرني هوگي •

۱— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید نهو تو کل زر نیلامي فورا داخل کرنا هوگا •

۲— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید هو تو ایک ربع کل زر نیلامي کا فورا داخل کرنا هوگا اور اگر بقیه زر ثمن پندرهوین روز دو پہر تک که اوس مین روز نیلام بهي محسوب هی یا اگر اوس روز تعطیل عام هو تو اوسکے بعد جس روز کچہرے پہلے کہلے دو پہر تک داخل نکیا جائي تو زر اماتے ضبط سرکار هوکر بعد اجراے اشتہار مطابق نیلام اول بجواب دهي خریدار خطا کار محال مذکور ثانیا نیلام کیا جایگا •

۳— محال مذکور بصورت لاخراج بیچا جایگا اور جو خریدار قیمت مظہرہ سرکار پر سب سے زیادہ ڈاک بولیگا نیلام اوسکے نام ختم کیا جایگا •

نمبر مندرجه نقشه محالات سرکار	نمبر توزیع	نام محال بقید پرگنه	رقبه تخمیني بحساب ایکر	قیمت مظہرہ سرکار	کیفیت
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LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned es, in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the ector's Office of that district, on the 1st day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue on the 28th day of September 1873.

Class.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	Remarks.
1st class	Kismut Pergunnah Kurgram, Pergunnah Kurgram.	Fuckeer Chunder, Dolegovind, Ramessur Karfurma, Brojo Koondar, Dhurum Dutt, Sharoda Soondery, Modhoo Soodun, Kangalee Nath, Horeelall Roy, Mohamaya Debbia, Tarini Proshad Roy Choudry, Horish Chunder Karfurma, and Ramessuree Debee.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 2,397-13-10. That exclusive of the share of 11 gundas and 2 kowrees of Tarinee Proshad Roy Chowdry, viz. Rs. 85-13-4, is Rs. 2,312-0-6.	The separate share of Tarini Proshad Chowdry only will be sold.
Ditto ...	Kismut Pergunnah Choonakhalee, Pergunnah Choonakhalee.	Rajkissore, Chunderchoor, Rameeomar, Horeeproshad, Kassissur, Moharanee Surnomoye, Joynarain Bose, Radhakristo, Bissonath, Mrittonjoy Roy, Brojosoonderee Dassia, Jeebunkristo Pramanic, Haradhonee Dassia, Shama Soondery Dassia, Shosodhur Chowdhoory, Peari Soondery Dassia, Assootosh Bose, Charoo Chunder Bose, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, Kamini Soondery, Torinugiree, *alias* Lootoomony Dassia, Poolin Beharee Sen, Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany, Saroda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad, Roy Chowdhoory, Shama Churum Bose, Kamineo Soondery Dassia, Kanuarimul, Dooleechand, Khestro Nath Bundopaddhea, Jogendro Mohinee Debbia, Shozoobhoosun Mookoopaddhia, Sarossutee Debbia.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 3,551-7-9. That exclusive of the separate shares of Moharanee Surnomoye ... Rs. A. P. 107 11 9; Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor ... 443 15 0; Charoo Chunder Bose ... 82 11 1½; Joynarain Bose ... 167 6 0; Assootosh Bose ... 84 11 1½; Sosodhur Chowdhoori ... 104 9 10; Shama Churn Bose ... 201 11 0; Shama Soondery Chowdhoorany ... 62 14 0; Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany ... 262 12 0; Sharoda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad Roy ... 262 12 0; Khetter Nath Banerjee and Jogendro Mohini Debbia ... 366 14 3; Haradhonee Dassia ... 6 0 11½; Lotoomony Dassia, *alias* Kamini Soondery Dassia ... 6 0 11½; Total ... 2,160 2 0; is Rs. 1,391-5-5.	The rights and interest of all the proprietors in the estate except those of the persons mentioned in the foregoing column will be sold.
Ditto ...	Kismut Mouzah Chhooleepoor, Pergunnah Oozeerabad.	Ranee Anund Moyee, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 769-12-10. That exclusive of the share of Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, viz. Rs. 385-14-5, is Rs. 384-14-5.	The share of Ranee Anund Moye only will be sold.
Ditto ...	Fullee Bahadoorpoor, Pergunnah Kassipore.	Prosunno Chunder Ghose ...	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 742-15-8.	The entire mehal will be sold.

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

RSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned es, in the district of 24-Pergunnahs, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the ctor's Office of that district, on the 5th day of December 1873, corresponding with 21st rahon 1280, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on 28th day September 1873 :—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

No. 658, Kismut Pergunnah Baliah, Turf Sreekistopore, recorded proprietor Ramdhun se and others; sudder jumma, including police charges, Rs. 1,141-12-1.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Collector.*

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, 24-PERGUNNAHS, the 27th October 1873.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the under-mentioned Ships, have removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and ex of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1873.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Oct. 11th ...	1 Drum, [K]	... Mackneil & Co. ...	S. S. Vibilia.
,, 18th ...	20 Cases, [A C]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	5 Bales, A. W. W. C.	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [C & M]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	147 Cases, [C. P. & Co.]	... C. Palmer and Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Cask, [D D Y] Colombo	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	2 Cases, [F L C] P G L	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, G B C	... Graham & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, G E H C	... Great Eastern Hotel Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	2 Cases, [H B W] B	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	8 Bales, J. N. F. C.	... J. N. Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	3 Cases, [J D C]	... J. Davis & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	2 Cases, J N M	... Order ..	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	6 Packages, [K]	... Mackneil & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Cask, K L D	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	2 Cases, [L T H, 11th Regt.]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	37 Cases, M. & Co. or.	... Major Pollock ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case addressed	... Mudoosoodan Seal care of G. Arbuthnot & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case addressed	... His Excellency Mattra Dass, G. Arbuthnot & Co....	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	30 Packages, S N N G	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, no mark or T W	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Cask, no mark or [M] R	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	10 Bales, [N M C S K C]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	6 Cases, [A C]	... ,, ...	S. S. Hindo
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [119] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, 233	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, 263	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	4 Cases, [A J B] Rangoon	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	4 Cases, [J A M]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, [16] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [55] A & N	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	12 Cases, 2 Cases, A V P, or no mark	... A. Palmer ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	6 Packages, [A W N] Akyab	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	12 Packages, [A P]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	16 Packages, [230] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, D. H. & Co., [A L]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [264] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	16 Kegs, [230] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Bundle Shovels, A. & Co.	... J. N. Fleming & Co .	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Packages, B. C. & Co., H C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [B S C] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	18 Packages, [B N B] F. T. B. & Co.	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [B N D N]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [237 C] A B or [S J S]	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [237 C] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [C 31]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	102 Packages, [C. P. & Co.]	... Cutler Palmer & Co..	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case addressed	... Colonel Cox, Rangoon	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	4 Cases, [C G]	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, [C 64]	... ,, ...	Ditto.

Date of removal into Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Oct. 25th ...	5 Packages, [C 22]	... Order ...	S. S. Hindoo.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, C E	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Cask, [C L P] R	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Bale, [C. B. Co.,]	... The Emigration Agent, Trinidad for British Guiana ..	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Bale, ditto,		
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, [263] B G S R	.. J. N. Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Casks, [140]	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, [57] E D J	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, E. T. C. F. & Co.	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, E G C	... G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case addressed	.. M. Fryar Esq., Moulmein ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	4 Packages, G E H C	... G. E. Hotel & Co...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [17] G M	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Packages, H T C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, H S	... Rangoon Burmah Company ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [H N M]	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, H. C. D. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Keg, [H & C] or no mark	.. E. & Oesterley ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	4 Pieces Iron, no mark or R L	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Piece Iron, with chain, no mark	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	36 Round Bars Iron, G or no mark	J. N. Fleming & Co..	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	14 Packages, [J N F C]	.. J. N. Fleming & Co..	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [J. D. & Co.,] J. & Co...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [J L B] Colombo	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	10 Cases, [J D S] L R C	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, [K N] W C	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	6 Cases, [L S C L] addressed	.. W. Ball, Lahore ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [55] M. S. M. & Co.	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [M K M H] A. B. & Co.	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [120] M. C. & Co.	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Casks, 85	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Cask, [M C D]	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [M C D 267] E R	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, [87] M. C. & Co.	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	19 Packages, S N N C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	6 Bales, N C S	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	61 Packages, or mark no cooly stores	J. N. Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Package quicksilver, no mark ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	6 Casks Beer, no mark	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	42 Packages, no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	A quantity of loose Nails, no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Cask, W. M. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [P S G] M, Moulmein ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, [146 P. & Co.] M L C	M. Lyall & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Crate, R T & B	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	10 Cases, [C R S] R C B P	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Casks, [R N] D M S L	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, R. D. & Co.	... R. Dunlop & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	4 Cases, S K C	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	121 Packages, [S]	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Drum, S M	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, & 1 Cask [W B] N, Lahore	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, W. M. & Co.	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case addressed	... Messrs. Walker & Co., Madras ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, W. W. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Keg, [W. H. & Co.]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [X]	... Ahmuty & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Small Case, no mark	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Small Package, A. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Small Parcel, H S	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Ditto J F G	... ,, ...	Ditto.

Date of Removal to Imperial Warehouses.	No. Mark and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Oct. 18th ...	6 Packages, no mark	... Order ...	S. S. Vibilia.
,, 18th ...	1 Cask Paint, no mark or W W B	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	3 Cases, R B	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	23 Cases, S & C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Cask, [21] S	... G. E. Hotel Co., Ld.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case addressed	... E. P. Tod, Esq., care of Grindlay & Co..	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, & A D, Madras	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Small Parcel, [C Y]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Ditto S S or	... Ewing & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Ditto S & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Ditto S & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Small Case addressed	... G. A. F. Walker ...	S. S. Hindoo.
,, 18th ...	1 Ditto [S] A or	... H. Miller & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 S. Truss, [M]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Case, [P] G C	... Gisbourne & Co. ...	S. S. Legislator
,, 19th ...	19 Packages, B M A	... R. Mackallister ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Bale, [C W W]	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Case addressed	... Mr. C. R. English ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	3 Cases, [E]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Bale, [F]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 ,, [O M C]	... J. N. Fleming & Co..	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Cask addressed	... R. B. Pringle, care of R. Dunlop & Co. ..	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Case, ,,	... R. Tuvan, Quarter-Master, 11th P. A. O. Hussars ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	4 Bales, B S K C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Cask addressed	... Col. J. P. Sheriff Offg. 2nd in Command L. L., Assam, C. Cowie & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Case, double entry	... C. R. English, care of R. Mackallister ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	7 Packages [200]	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Case, [V]	... G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	4 Cases, [W Y]	... A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Case, [D W M M]	... Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Truss, B S K B	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Small Parcel [H O B G] H G...	G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 19th ...	1 Ditto addressed	... G. S. Thomson, care of Harton & Co....	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 25th October 1873. (409—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

IN accordance with the provisions of Section 53, Act V (B.C.) of 1870, notice is hereby given that the accounts of the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta for the half-year ending 30th September 1873, will be audited at the Office of the said Commissioners, No. 6, Commercial Buildings, on Monday, the 10th November 1873.

The 28th October 1873. (413—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
4 Casks, [C] M D	... S. S. Java.
25 Cases, [C & M] C & B	... Tanjore.

N.B.—The above will be sold, if not cleared within the 31st of October 1873.

	Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
1873, Nov. 21st ...	1 Case, [194D] A. B. & Co. ...	... City of Madras.
,, 28th...	1 Case, H & C	... St. Monan.
,, Dec. 11th...	1 Case, [G]	... Golden Fleece.

N.B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the dates specified against each item.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 25th October 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Notification.

WANTED a Canoongo and Surveyor of the 1st class on Rs. 50 a month for the sub-division of Soopole in the district of Bhaugulpore. Candidates who passed at the last Native Civil Service Examination, need only apply with a certificate from the Commissioner of the division to which he has been posted that he (the Commissioner) has no objection to the applicant being appointed in this division.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th proximo.—By order.

S. P. CHATTERJEE, *Persl. Asst. to Commissioner.*

COMMR.'s OFFICE, BHAUGULPORE, the 22nd October 1873.

Wanted

A SHERISTADAR for the Office of the Collector of Noakhally; salary Rs. 120 per month. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received up to 1st proximo.

NOAKHALLY COLLR.'s OFFICE, the 11th October 1873. L. B. B. KING, *Offg. Collector.*

Notice.

THE Singhbum Annual Fair will be held as usual at Chyebassa during the last fortnight in December 1873.

CHYEBASSA, the 22nd October 1873. C. H. GARBETT, *Captain, Offg. Dy. Commr., Singhbum.*

Matabhangah River.

Weekly Report showing the least depth of water from the Entrance of the Matabhangah River to Kissengunge, for the week ending on Friday, the 10th October 1873.

Name of Shoals.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.
Entrance from the Ganges ...	8	0
Tatarparah ...	8	6
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia ...	10	6
„ Hât Bolia to Cut No. 1 ...	5	0
„ Cut No. 1 to Boalmaree ...	14	0
„ Boalmaree to Alickdeah ...	13	0
„ Alickdeah to Kissengunge ...	14	3

Jellinghee River.

Entrance ...	5	0
„ to Jellinghee ...	4	0
From Jellinghee to Teakatta ...	5	0
„ Teakatta to Nuddea ...	11	0

H. T. FORBES, *Major, R.A., Exe. Engr., Nuddea District.*

KISHNAGHUR, the 15th October 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 24th October 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Chourasea ...	12	6	
Thence to Noorpore junction, 6 miles ...	5	6	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles ...	5	3	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles ...	5	0	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles ...	5	3	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles ...	8	3	

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore on the 27th October 1873, above zero, 5 ft. 10 inches.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Ex. Engr., Moorshedabad District.*

BERHAMPORE, the 27th October 1873.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.		No. of Notes.		Value.		Name[s] of Claimant.
				Rs.		
6016	...	A/21 02809	...	100	...	Ramruttone Mozoomdar.
6018	...	L/5 36994	...	100	...	E. Stewart.
6020	...	L/6 77736	...	10	...	Mrs. A. Roberts.
		L/14 23016	...	20	...	
6022	...	L/3 56000	...	10	...	Sham Behary.
6038	...	A/98 65878	...	50	...	William Chance.
		,, 98012	...	50	...	
		A/16 07414	...	50	...	
		,, 08504	...	50	...	
6039	...	L/8 77735	...	10	...	The Postmaster, Calcutta.
		L/14 23516	...	20	...	
6040	...	L/8 14180	...	100	...	The District Supdt. of Police, Darjeeling.
		,, 14181	...	100	...	
6041	...	L/15 97174	...	20	...	S. Davis.
6042	...	,, 40215	...	20	...	
		1/6 59306	...	100	...	Woomesh Chunder Roy.
		,, 59307	...	100	...	
		,, 59308	...	100	...	
6043	...	,, 72133	...	100	...	Narain Chunder Patter.
		,, 72134	...	100	...	
		,, 72135	...	100	...	
		,, 72136	...	100	...	
6053	...	D/10 11328	...	5	...	Kallyprosono Banerjee.
		A/93 50520	...	50	...	
		,, 93440	...	50	...	
		,, 93427	...	50	...	
		L/7 47779	...	20	...	
		,, 47780	...	20	...	
		,, 47781	...	20	...	
		,, 47782	...	20	...	
		,, 47783	...	20	...	
		,, 47784	...	20	...	
		,, 47785	...	20	...	
		,, 47786	...	20	...	
		L/3 33250	...	10	...	
6055	...	A/16 27899	...	500	...	Hera Sing.
6057	...	,, 12422	...	500	...	Madhab Chunder Mookerjee.
6059	...	L/19 28002	...	50	...	Khogendronath Mookerjee.
6071½	...	A/91 70139	...	100	...	C. Crayden.
6072	...	A/70 30598	...	100	...	Lalla Dyaram Das.
		A/92 64154	...	50	...	
6074	...	A/87 80026	...	1,000	...	Messrs. Jardine, Skinner & Co.
		,, 80028	...	1,000	...	
		,, 80031	...	1,000	...	
6098	...	L/4 57072	...	10	...	H. C. Davis.
		L/3 42450	...	10	...	
		A/95 24773	...	10	...	
		1/7 41331	...	10	...	
		L/2 46032	...	10	...	
		A/97 80615	...	50	...	
6104	...	,, 79972	...	50	...	Kesub Chunder Bose.
6105	...	,, 19885	...	50	...	The Asst. Inspr.-Genl., Govt. Railway Police, L. P., Howrah.
6106	...	L/39 30192	...	10	...	G. Martyr.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6017	A/99 29309	50	Preonath Sen Goopta.
	L/16 36093	20	
	L/7 93589	20	
	" 27944	20	
	L/3 91193	10	
	L/1 38086	10	
	L/8 14322	5	
	" 14321	5	
24	L/1 13794	10	Mrs. C. G. Anderson.
26	L/3 60613	10	The Treasury Officer, Budaon.
	A/99 48224	20	
27	L/3 56424	10	Mrs. M. G. Tayler.
29	A/8 88525	10	Agajan Khan.
30	L/11 08984	5	Omesh Chunder Naug.
31	A/25 05118	10	Gopal Chunder Dhur.
32	L/13 89637	20	Nobo Coomar Sen.
34	L/1 75400	10	Gan Chunder Roy Chowdhorie.
	L/8 30106	10	
035	" 34087	10	C. R. Jefferies.
	L/18 24232	20	
037	L/3 29868	100	Sreenath Surmo.
	L/17 89078	20	
	" 10608	20	
	" 81308	20	
	L/3 73779	10	
6045	A/99 39827	20	Mrs. S. Auty.
6047	A/11 64391	20	S. P. M. Ansley.
6048	L/2 23924	5	Mrs. E. Howarth.
6049	L/13 32701	20	D. Neville.
	L/2 88384	10	
6050	L/11 52112	20	M. A. David.
	L/12 43362	10	
	L/2 60804	10	
6053	A/91 91327	100	Kallyprosono Banerjee.
	A/64 65022	100	
6054	L/11 07429	5	Soobul Chunder Dey.
6061	A/99 16346	20	Umbica Churn Doss.
	L/3 84610	5	
6062	A/91 87637	100	Bazrajar Furdoonjar.
6063	L/1 81911	20	Nanuck Chand.
	A/35 63089	20	
6064	L/8 36303	10	Nobin Chunder Sircar.
6066	L/10 61685	5	Mir Abur Ali.
6067	L/19 10578	20	Niaj Bux.
	" 10580	20	
069	A/25 04867	50	Gooroochurn Dass.
	A/23 62301	20	
	A/56 19090	10	
070	L/19 66361	20	Gooroopprosad Mozoomdar.
	" 64650	20	
6071	A/99 72257	20	Shamachurn Mozoomdar.
	A/11 24314	5	
6076	A/66 39312	10	Lala Chuterdhaw Lall.
	" 46631	10	
	L/2 04095	10	
	A/78 62636	10	
6077	L/2 27417	100	Koomar Gyanoda Caunt Roy.
	" 27135	100	
	" 38534	100	
	" 12668	100	
	L/5 23927	10	
	" 57667	10	
	L/5 29977	10	
	08309	10	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6078	L/1 87543	20	Hurrish Chunder Chatterjee.
6082	L/1 13819	20	Bhurrath.
6083	A/98 69437	20	Bastboollah Draftsman.
6084	A/92 86781	100	Daheedeen.
	A/91 72949	50	
	L/3 02496	50	
6086	Y/5 70423	10	J. G. Godwin.
6088	A/97 55759	100	The District Superintendent of Po Dinagepore.
	,, 55769	100	
	L/5 82440	100	
	A/92 14656	100	
	A/92 86426	50	
	,, 87856	50	
	U/13 60551	20	
	A/53 09435	20	
	A/81 41512	20	
	A/95 58852	20	
	A/92 81557	20	
6089	L/5 47827	100	Onoocool Chunder Chatterjee.
	,, 47829	100	
6090	A/98 31403	10	The Secretary and Treasurer Bank Bengal, Calcutta.
6092	L/5 00874	10	Mir Abdoolah.
6093	F/13 38989	20	Banarasi Khaw.
6094	A/95 90025	20	F. J. Rickards.
	L/13 10777	20	
	A/91 12186	20	
6095	L/8 42585	10	F. H. Cox.
6097	A/97 62518	10	Mrs. H. S. Andrews.
	L/1 76747	10	
6099	L/18 86354	20	E. W. Nyss.
	,, 91395	20	
6109	A/97 22118	10	Messrs. Cooke and Kelvie.
	A/99 55300	20	

Wrongly joined.

6021	A/94 95305	20	Doorganund Mitter.
	,, 95306		
6025	A/99 54093	20	Lucky Narain Mitter.
	,, 54094		
6033	L/4 12405	10	Obhoy Churn Law.
	,, 12404		
6036	A/96 45725	10	The Deputy Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.
	,, 45726		
6046	L/1 58406	20	H. Herd.
	A/94 32451		
6051	A/99 92504	20	Messrs. Gladstone, Wyllie & Co.
	,, 92506		
6058	A/98 26292	10	Messrs. Makinnon, Mackenzie & Co.
	L/1 14771		
6060	A/91 09596	100	The Treasury Officer, Ellichpore.
	,, 09595		
6065	L/9 45067	5	Ram Chunder Dey.
	,, 45068		
6068	L/8 06505	100	Syud Seejad Hossein.
	,, 06504		
6075	L/5 46373	10	Amadudeen.
	,, 46374		
6079	A/97 95043	10	Pertab Chunder Das.
	,, 95042		
6080	L/7 90247	20	Messrs. Surroop Dhur and Sons.
	,, 90246		
	L/4 38954	10	
	,, 38956		

Wrongly joined.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Names of Claimant.
6081 ...	L/7 25849 ... ,, 25848 ...	20 ...	Nobodip Chunder Dutt.
6085 ...	L/6 36569 ... ,, 36917 ...	10 ...	The District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling.
6087 ...	L/12 65634 ... ,, 65635 ...	20 ...	The Chief Pay Master, East Indian Railway.
	,, 67466 ... ,, 67465 ...	20 ...	
	A/95 73670 ... ,, 73671 ...	10 ...	
	A/68 51437 ... A/69 51437 ...	10 ...	
	L/7 23448 ... L/7 21673 ...	10 ...	
	A/97 94564 ... ,, 94574 ...	10 ...	
	A/98 65548 ... ,, 65549 ...	10 ...	
	L/8 29073 ... ,, 29078 ...	10 ...	
	L/16 00902 ... ,, 00901 ...	5 ...	
	,, 82579 ... ,, 82578 ...	5 ...	
	L/9 36976 ... ,, 36977 ...	5 ...	
6091 ...	A/88 76535 ... ,, 76553 ...	10 ...	Mati Lall Mitter.
6096 ...	L/5 58898 ... ,, 58891 ...	5 ...	C. H. Reily.
6100 ...	L/11 56680 ... ,, 56672 ...	5 ...	The Offg. Principal, Presidency College.
6107 ...	L/4 58848 ... ,, 58847 ...	10 ...	J. E. Rowe.
6108 ...	L/3 72862 ... L/1 37527 ...	10 ...	James Purim.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 27th October 1873.

R. A. STEWINDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 21st October 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Rest Fund		15,47,596	8	9
Capital Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,19,54,568 11 10	3,44,30,776	0	7
Capital Treasury Balance at Branches ... ,,	2,24,83,207 4 9			
Public Deposits at Head Office and Branches		3,25,85,310	7	3
Post Bills, &c.		5,22,694	8	3
Sundries		5,50,203	15	0
Total ...		9,16,42,671	7	10

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,73,34,362	0	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		43,59,592	3	7
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		30,02,296	14	0
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,03,07,989	12	6
Dead Stock		11,39,412	8	6
Stamps		13,018	9	0
Balances with other Banks		5,42,751	13	0
Sundries		89,401	5	7
Bullion		3,44,803	11	2
		4,71,93,568	13	3
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,32,01,014 14 10	4,44,49,112	10	7
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... ,,	3,12,48,097 11 9			
Total ...		9,16,42,671	7	10

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 23rd October 1873.

F. A. GILLIAM,
Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(407—1)

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th October 1873.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. loan of 1853-54.	4 Per Cent. Loans							5 per cent. P. W. Loan of 1854-55.	4½ Per Cent. Loans			5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	5 Per Cent. Debentures for		Total amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.		of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.		10 years. Repayable June 1877.	15 years. Repayable June 1882.	
Balance of 30th September 1873	54,100	27,840	2,346	16,62,613	34,57,200	1,35,38,200	1,15,46,300	1,20,02,300	12,500	37,65,900	3,59,000	3,10,16,200	4,41,01,800	36,36,000	30,53,000	12,82,15,300
ADD—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th October 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th October 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	,000	2,000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th October 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,000	.....	5,000	...	.....	.....	6,500	2,800	.....	.....	18,300
TOTAL ...	54,100	27,840	2,346	16,62,613	34,57,200	1,35,42,200	1,15,47,300	1,20,09,300	12,500	37,65,900	3,59,000	3,10,22,700	4,41,04,600	36,36,000	30,53,000	12,82,58,300
DEDUCT—																
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,000	41,500	51,000	18,900	...	1,00,000	.....	11,700	73,100	.....	3,37,200
Balance on 15th October 1873	54,100	27,840	2,346	16,62,613	34,26,200	1,35,00,700	1,14,96,300	1,19,90,400	12,500	36,65,900	3,59,000	3,10,11,000	4,40,31,500	36,36,000	30,53,000	12,79,29,399

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Aug. 1873—Enfaced from India 1,752 lakhs, re-transferred from London 1,795 lakhs.

"	16th Aug. 1873 to 30th "	"	ditto	ditto	8	"	ditto	ditto	4	"
"	1st Sept. " to 15th Sept.	"	ditto	ditto	6	"	ditto	ditto	4	"
"	16th " " to 30th "	"	ditto	ditto	1	"	ditto	ditto	8	"
"	1st Oct. " to 15th Oct.	"	ditto	ditto	0	"	ditto	ditto	3	"
					1,767				1,814	
									1,767	
								Balance against India ...	47	lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 17th October 1873.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(105—1)

Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bank of Bengal, General Treasury, and Public Debt Office, will be closed on Thursday the 30th and Friday the 31st instant, on account of the Hindoo festival "Joggodhattree Poojah" in conformity with the Government Notification, No. 3464 of 29th October 1867.—By order of the Directors.

CALCUTTA, the 22nd October 1873. (408—1) R. HARDIE, *Secy. and Treasurer.*

Calcutta Municipality.

A Special Meeting of the Justices of the Peace for the Town of Calcutta will be held at the Town Hall on Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, after the business of the Ordinary Meeting appointed to be held on that day at 11 o'clock, A.M.

Business to be brought forward.

The Chairman to move "that a license under the Jute Act be granted in the case of the following Jute Warehouse on the conditions recommended by the Special Committee, and the further condition of the requirements of their Notice of 4th May 1872 being observed, the fee recommended being approved :—"

Number and Street.	Name of owner or occupier.	Fee recommended.
No. 72, Sobha Bazar Street.	Kartic Chunder Mittra.	Rs. 250.

R. TURNBULL,

The 27th October 1873. (410—1) *Secretary to the Justices of the Peace.*

Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-third Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of shareholders will take place at the Registered Office of the Company, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Old Court House Street, on Saturday, the 29th November 1873, at 3 P.M., to receive the report of the Directors, and an *ad interim* statement of accounts for the half-year ended 31st August last, and for the transaction of such other business as may be placed before the Meeting. By order of the Directors.

CALCUTTA, the 27th October 1873. (411—5) A. DONALDSON, *Acting Secretary.*

Cocheela Tea Company, "Limited."

WARRANTS for the *ad interim* dividend of 7½ per cent. declared at the Extraordinary General Meeting of shareholders held on 22nd instant will be delivered on presentation of scrip.

(405—*fn*) BORRADAILE SCHILLER, AND CO., *Managing Agent.*

The East India Tea Company, "Limited."

THE Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Registered Office, No. 7, Church Lane, on Wednesday, the 29th October, at 4 o'clock, to receive the Directors' report and accounts, declare an *ad interim* dividend, and transact such other business as may be brought forward.

CALCUTTA, the 17th October 1873. (403—2) R. BLECHYNDEN, *Secretary.*

Muddenhaut Tea Company, "Limited."

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Muddenhaut Tea Company, "Limited," held at the Registered Office, No. 1, Vansittart Row, on the 25th September, ultimo, it was resolved—

"That the affairs of this Company be voluntarily wound up, and that Mr. Walter Gray be appointed liquidator."

(396—2) ROBERT AND CHARRIOL, *Secretaries.*

Chandypore Tea Company, "Limited."

WARRANTS for the *ad-interim* dividend of 5 per cent. payable on and after 3rd proximo declared at the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held this day, will be delivered on presentation of scrip.

CALCUTTA, 25th October 1873. (412—*f.n.*) BORRADAILE, SCHILLER AND CO., *Secretaries.*

Bishnauth Tea Company, "Limited."

WE beg to give notice that the Tenth *adinterim* dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. on the paid-up capital will be payable on or after 1st November proximo., at the office of the Company, No. 7, New China Bazar Street.

Shareholders are requested to send in their scrip for examination. By order of the Board,

CALCUTTA, the 11th October 1873. (390—3) WILLIAMSON MAGOR & CO., *Secretaries.*

Tea Gardens for sale in Chittagong.

MUDDENHAUT TEA COMPANY, "LIMITED," IN LIQUIDATION.

THE following Tea Gardens to be sold by auction (unless previously disposed of privately) at No. 1, Vansittart Row, on Saturday, 8th November, at noon :—

Goramarah, situated 15 miles from the Sudder Station, consisting of 1,737 acres, of which about 100 acres are under cultivation.

Muddenhaut, situated 12 miles from the Sudder Station, consisting of 1,311 acres, of which about 50 acres are under cultivation.

Each garden is provided with Manager's bungalow, tea-houses, bins, and all the requisites for manufacturing tea.

Offers for purchase of either or both of the gardens will be received by the liquidator, from whom further particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained.

WALTER GRAY, *Liquidator,*
Muddenhaut Tea Company, "Limited."

1, VANSITTART ROW, CALCUTTA, (395—2).

Notice

IS hereby given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at the Judge's Kutcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale :—

A pucka two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race Course, and renting monthly for Rs. 175.

A thatched bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

A *half-share* of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., Purneah. (386—10)

Notice

IS hereby given that from this day the business of the *Bentinck Press,* No. 19, Mangoe Lane, will be carried on under the firm, name, and style of Mitter and Company, and the firm of Mohendro Nath Ghose and Company, which was carrying on the said business since the determination of the firm of Mohendro Nath Ghose, ceases to exist from this day. Any person transacting business with the firm of Mohendro Nath Ghose and Company, or Mohendro Nath Ghose, for or on account of the said Press will do so at his own risk and peril.

19, MANGOE LANE, the 9th October 1873. (401—3) SOORESH CHUNDER MITTER.

Pursuant to the above advertisement it is hereby notified that my connection in the Bentinck Press ceases from this day. All debts and assets to be paid and payable by and to Mitter and Co.

CALCUTTA, the 9th October 1873. (400—3) MOHENDRO NATH GHOSE.

Notice.

MR. CHARLES HEINTZE is authorised to sign our Firm by procuration from this date.

CALCUTTA, the 22nd October 1873. (404—1) ULLMANN, HIRSCHHORN, AND CO.

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THE Acts of the Government of India, and those of the Government of Bengal, will, after publication in the *Bengalee Government Gazette*, be printed, in pamphlet form, for sale to the public, at a price which will be fixed in each instance to cover the cost of printing and paper. The first of the series will be the Criminal Procedure Act, now *ready*, the price of which is Rs. 1-4 per copy.—Postage 5 annas.

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Ditto ditto 1870	...	...	... 2	6 ,,
Ditto ditto 1871	...	...	... 2	8 ,,
Ditto ditto 1872	...	...	... 3	0 ,,
Administration Report of 1870-71	...	...	... 0	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1871-72	...	...	... 0	4 ,,
Ditto ditto 1872-73	...	...	... 0	4 ,,

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HENRY F. BLANFORD, *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

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The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 31st October 1873.

2. Book post and pattern packets must be posted on the 30th idem.

Letters, &c., for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Natal, and Cape of Good Hope, can be sent by this opportunity.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M., or, bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, up to 8 P.M., and after 8 up to 9 P.M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

CALCUTTA, the 28th October 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.*

List of Remaining and Unclaimed Letters accumulated in the Calcutta Post Office during the week ending 25th October 1873.

Andrews, Mrs. L. V.
Archibald, W. G.
Bailey, Mr.
Ballard, D.
Bamber, H. W. J.
Bayard, Gair and Co.
Bolst, H. J.
Dawie, Persian.
Dentan, Mrs.
Dentan, Mrs.
Doherty, J.
Ferris, J.
Gomme, Mrs. M.
Gooroo Churn Dass.
Haigart, Mrs. R.
Hallyer, B.
Harrison, R. P.
Harvey, H. M.
Hazlewood and Co.
Hunter, C.
Justice, J. F.
Knight, J. W.
Manager of the Indian Reflector.
McInnes, Mrs. E. E.
Michael, J. M.
Mohendronarain Dass.
Nightingale, Mrs.
Nobodip Chunder Dutt.
Oakshot, Mrs. J.
Pearce, W. H.
Peters, Mrs. A. M.
Posford, J.
Principal Engineer, Baree Doab Workshop.
Puteet Pabun Mitter and Co.
Redman, Miss E.
Redman, Miss E.
Roser, E.
Schmidt, and Co., R.
Simpon, Miss M.
Smith, Miss A.
Sprent, G. J.
Stevens, Miss E. J.
Stirling, J. B.
Tavenor, Mrs.
Thomson, Miss.
Troy, M.
Warren, H.
Woomesh Chunder Mittra.
Wynch, Mrs.
Wheatley and Co.
Wynch, Major H. P.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

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Hughes, T.
Jeffreys, A. T.

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INSOLVENT NOTICE.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of Charles Walter Pearson Sunder, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Wednesday, the fifth day of November next, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*"

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, the 27th day of October 1873.

Re-Sale.

ESTATE RAMSEWAK MISR AND OTHERS, INSOLVENTS.

THE following Zemindaries in Ghazipore District, will be sold by auction at Ghazipore (near the Collectorate) on Saturday the 15th November next, being re-sale at the risk of Sheik Pultoo and others, who have failed to pay the deposit of 25 per cent as per conditions of sale.

Talookas.	Mowzahs.	Pergunnahs.	Annual Jamma or Collections.	GOVERNMEET REVENUE PAYABLE.			Annual net profit.
				Revenue.	Acreage.	Total.	
			Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.
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Ditto ...	„ Keenar Ráe	Ditto ...	478 6 0	188 14 6	37 3 2	226 1 8	252 4 4
Ditto ...	„ Munsa Ráe	Ditto ...	1,089 10 9	291 3 11	34 1 5	325 5 4	764 5 5
Ditto ...	Dhumraon ...	Ditto ...	198 4 0	72 3 0	11 0 1	83 3 1	115 0 11

For conditions of sale and further particulars, apply to

PHILIP W. CARTER,
Official Assignee's Agent.

BUXAR, the 13th October 1873.

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The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1873.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Seventh Publication.]

THE following Bill as settled by the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, on the 13th September 1873, is by order of the President published for general information.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Embankments and Watercourses.

WHEREAS it is expedient that provision should be made for the better construction, maintenance, and management of embankments and watercourses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows:—

PART I.

Preliminary.

1. This Act may be called "The Bengal Embankment Act, 1873."

It extends to the whole of the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the province of Orissa and the Soonderbuns as defined under the provisions of Clause 2, Section 13, Regulation III of 1828.

And it shall come into force on the day of the passing thereof.

Repeal of former Acts.

2. From such day Act No. XXXII of 1855 (*relating to embankments*) and Bengal Act No. VII of 1866 (*to make better provision for the acquisition of land for embankments and other matters relating thereto*) shall, except so far as relates to the province of Orissa and the said Soonderbuns, be repealed.

Interpretation.

3. The following words shall, for the purposes of this Act, have the meanings hereby declared, save where, from the context, a contrary intention appears:—

"Estate."

"Estate" means—(1) Any land or share in land subject to the payment to Government of an annual sum, in respect of which the name of a proprietor is entered on the register, known as the general register of all revenue-paying estates, or in respect of which a separate account may, in pursuance of Section 10, or Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, have been opened;

(2) Any land entered in the register of revenue-free tenures;

(3) Any land acquired under any rules issued by or under authority of Government for the sale, grant, or clearance of waste lands.

"Embankment."

"Embankment" includes every bank, dam, wall, and dyke, made or used for excluding water from, or for retaining water upon, any land, and every sluice, spur, groyne, training wall, or other work annexed to or portion of any such embankment, and every bank, dam, dyke, wall, groyne or spur made or erected for the protection of any such embankment or of any land from erosion or overflow by or of rivers, tides, waves, or waters; and also all buildings intended for purposes of inspection and supervision.

"Watercourse."

"Watercourse" includes a line of drainage, weir, culvert, pipe, or other channel for the passage of water, whether natural or artificial.

"Zemindar" means all or any of the holders of an estate; and where two or more zemindars are jointly holders thereof, they shall be jointly and severally liable under this Act.

"Zemindar."

"Tenure" includes all interests in land other than estates as above defined, held permanently at a fixed rental, or held lakhiraj.

"Tenure."

"Proprietor" means the holder of a tenure.

"Proprietor."

"Public Embankment" means an embankment maintained by the officers of Government.

"Public Embankment."

"Public watercourse" means any watercourse under the charge of the officers of Government.

"Public watercourse."

"The Engineer" means the District Engineer or any Engineer specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of an Engineer under this Act.

"The Engineer."

"Collector" means any Collector, Deputy Collector or other Revenue Officer in independent charge of any district or portion of a district, or specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of a Collector under this Act.

"Collector."

"District" means the portion of territory throughout which any person vested with the powers of a Collector is authorized to exercise such powers.

"District."

"Land" includes interests in land and benefits arising out of land and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth.

"Land."

PART II.

Powers of Collector and procedure thereon.

Powers of Collector.

4. Under the conditions and in the manner hereinafter provided—

Power to take charge of embankments.

(1.) The Collector may cause any embankment which connects public embankments, or forms, by junction with them, part of a line of embankments, or any embankment or watercourse which is necessary for the protection or drainage of the neighbouring country, to be taken charge of and maintained by the officers of Government.

Power to remove embankments and obstructions.

(2.) The Collector may cause to be removed or altered any embankment which endangers the stability of a public embankment, or any obstruction of any kind which interferes with the general drainage of any tract of land.

Power to change line of embankment.

(3.) The Collector may, when necessary, change the line of or lengthen any public embankment; or make a new embankment in the place of or renew any public embankment; or make an embankment in any place in which he may deem such embankment required for the protection of any lands, or for the improvement of any watercourse; or make a sluice in any public embankment.

Power to improve drainage.

(4.) The Collector may construct any sluice or watercourse, or effect any alteration in any public watercourse, when such construction or alteration may be required for the improvement of the health, or for the protection of any village or cultivable land.

Power to alter roads and construct watercourses.

(5.) The Collector may call upon the person in charge of any road which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land to alter such road, or to construct any watercourse under or through such road. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Collector shall prescribe, the said Collector may cause the road to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the person in charge of the said road.

Applications for sluices to be made to Collector.

(6.) If any landholder, farmer, or cultivator be desirous of having a sluice made in any public embankment for the purpose of drainage or irrigation, he shall make an application in writing to the Collector of the district in which such embankment is situate. The application shall contain such particulars of the land to be drained or irrigated as may enable the Collector to judge of the advantage which may be derived from the work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Application for new embankment or drainage to be made to Collector.

(7.) Whenever any person is desirous that any new embankment be erected or that any new watercourse be made, or that any water-course be obstructed or diverted, if such work is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede any public embankment or any public watercourse, he shall apply to the Collector, and at the time of making such application shall deposit with him a statement of the proposed work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Procedure.

5. When it shall appear expedient to the Collector that any of the works specified in the last preceding section should be executed, he shall cause to be prepared plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of a survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said works, and he shall cause a proclamation to be issued giving notice of his intention to cause such works to be executed. Such proclamation shall be in the form and state the particulars mentioned in Schedule A annexed to this Act; and the plans, specifications and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as aforesaid, shall be kept at the office of the Collector and shall be open to the inspection of any interested persons who shall be allowed to take copies thereof. The Collector shall not commence any of such works until final order made in respect thereto under the provisions of Sections 8, 59, and 60 of this Act.

Publication of proclamation.

6. Every such proclamation shall be published by affixing the same at the cutcherry of the Collector, and in the manner provided in the third clause of Section 57.

Proclamation to be published for thirty days.

7. Every such proclamation shall be published not less than thirty days before the day appointed for hearing the persons interested.

Hearing of objections to works.

8. The Collector shall, on the day appointed for the hearing, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing shall be adjourned, hear the objections of any persons who may appear, and, after recording any evidence which they may adduce, shall pass an order in regard to the execution of the proposed works. Notice of such order shall be served on such persons as may have appeared in pursuance of the proclamation.

Authority to take proceedings where lands likely to be affected by the works are in different districts;

9. If the lands, which are likely to be affected by any such proposed works, are situated within the limits of different districts, the Collector of any district, within which any portion of such lands is situated, shall apply to the Commissioner of the division for authority to proceed in such matter; and the Commissioner of the division, if all the lands are situated within his division, may give authority to such Collector, or to any other Collector within whose district any portion of such lands is situated, to proceed in respect of all the lands likely to be affected by such works.

or different divisions.

If the districts, within which the lands likely to be affected by any such works are situated, are subject to the Commissioners of different divisions, the Collector shall apply to the Commissioner of the division within which his district is situated, and such Commissioner may, with the concurrence of the Commissioner to whom the other district is subject, give authority to proceed in such matter.

The Collector may delegate certain powers to Engineer.

10. All the powers vested in the Collector by Section 4 of this Act, may be exercised by the Engineer in cases referred to him by the Collector subject to the general orders of the Collector.

PART III.

Procedure in cases of imminent danger to life or property.

Proceedings in emergencies.

11. Whenever the Collector shall be of opinion that the proceedings commenced by notice under Sections 5 to 8 of this Act would cause delay in the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon him by Clauses 2, 3, and 4 of Section 4, likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to commence to exercise such powers. Provided that he shall forthwith cause to be prepared the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as provided in Section 5, and shall cause a proclamation to be issued as provided in that section giving notice that the work mentioned therein has already been commenced, and thereupon such proceedings and inquiries shall be had as in and by Part II of this Act are directed.

Power to take possession of land.

12. Whenever any land, or earth from any land the property of any person, is required for the purposes of any works commenced in pursuance of the provisions of the last preceding section, or for the purposes of Section 18 in cases where the Collector shall be of opinion that proceedings for the acquisition of such land according to the provisions hereinafter contained in Section 25, would cause delay as aforesaid, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act, giving notice thereof at convenient places in the locality in which such land is situated, and he may at the same time take possession of the same for the said purposes.

Compensation for standing crops and trees.

13. The Collector shall ascertain and record the nature and estimated value of the crops and trees (if any) standing on such land, and shall offer adequate compensation to the persons interested. If such offer is not accepted, the value of such crops and trees shall be allowed for in awarding compensation for the land under the provisions of Section 29.

Power to Engineer to act in absence of Collector.

14. The Collector may depute to the Engineer the powers described in Sections 11, 12, and 13 subject to his own general orders, and in that case when the Collector is not present the Engineer may, if he shall be of opinion that delay for the purpose of obtaining the orders of the Collector would be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, exercise the powers conferred on him by the Collector.

Power to restore embankments, &c.

15. Whenever, upon an inquiry had under the provisions of this Part, it has been determined in the final order to be passed on such inquiry that anything done by the Collector, or by the Engineer under the last preceding section was unnecessary, the land or the embankments or drainage shall, so far as any alteration thereof shall appear to be unnecessary, be at the expense of the Government restored as nearly as possible to the state in which they were when the Collector commenced to act under the provisions of this Part; and any person who shall have sustained loss, damage, or injury by the execution of such works, shall receive compensation from the Government to be assessed according to the provisions contained in Part V of this Act.

Section 9 to apply to proceedings under this Part.

16. The provisions of Section 9 shall be applicable to proceedings taken under this Part.

PART IV.

Powers of Engineer.

Engineer subject to control of Collector.

17. The power conferred on the Engineer under this Part shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Collector.

Power to make repairs.

18. The Engineer may make any repairs in, and may do all acts necessary and proper for the maintenance of any public embankment, public watercourse, or other work executed or taken charge of under the provisions of this Act, or of any of the Acts repealed by this Act.

Power to alter railroads or construct watercourses.

19. The Engineer may call upon the manager, or other person in charge of any railroad which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land, to alter such railroad or or to construct any watercourse under or through such railroad.

In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Engineer shall prescribe, the Engineer may thereupon, with the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, cause the said railroad to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the said manager, or other person in charge of the said railroad.

Power to make temporary roadway, watercourse or dam.

20. Whenever any person is desirous that a temporary roadway should be made over, or that a temporary watercourse should be made through, any public embankment, or that a temporary dam should be constructed in any embanked river or public watercourse, he shall apply to the Engineer, who shall communicate the application to the Collector, and the Collector shall pass such orders thereon as he shall think fit. If the proposed work is to be executed by an officer of Government, the applicant, before the commencement of the work, shall deposit the amount estimated by the Engineer to be necessary to defray the expenses of, and incidental to, making and removing such roadway, or of, and incidental to, making and closing or removing such watercourse or dam. If the amount deposited is found insufficient, the Engineer shall recover from the said applicant the further amount required; and if it exceeds the amount required, such excess shall be returned to the said applicant.

Power to remove houses.

21. Whenever the Engineer shall be of opinion that the removal of any trees, houses, huts, or other buildings, situated between a public embankment and the river, is necessary, he shall make a report to that effect, accompanied by a detailed statement of the trees, houses, huts, or other buildings to be removed, to the Collector of the district in whose jurisdiction the land on which such trees, houses, huts, or other buildings stand, is situated; and the Collector shall report the same to the Lieutenant-Governor in order that proceedings may be taken, in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870," or other law for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes, for obtaining possession of such trees, houses, huts, and buildings. Provided always that in case the Collector be of opinion that the delay required by such proceedings is likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to cause such trees, houses, huts, or buildings to be removed, and in such case the compensation due therefor shall be ascertained and paid in the manner hereinafter provided.

Sluices to be opened or shut under authority of the Engineer.

22. Sluices constructed in any public embankment shall be opened or shut only by or with the general or special permission of the officer in the immediate charge of the embankment, under such orders, either general or special, as he may receive from the Engineer.

Power to appropriate land or earth for embanked towpath.

23. In any case where an embanked towpath has heretofore been maintained by Government alongside any canal, river, khal, or channel, the Engineer shall be entitled to appropriate without payment, as heretofore, land or earth for the maintenance, repair, or re-construction of such embanked towpath. If in any case the Engineer shall consider it necessary for the purposes of towing to enlarge an existing towpath, or to construct a new towpath, proceedings shall be taken in accordance with the subsequent provisions of this Act relating thereto.

Power to enter and survey land, &c.

24. It shall be lawful for the Engineer, or any person whom he may authorize in that behalf, in order to carry out any of the purposes of this Act,

to enter upon, and survey, and take levels of any land;

to dig or bore into the sub-soil;

to do all other acts necessary to ascertain whether the land is adapted to the purpose projected by such Engineer; or by the Collector;

Power to mark out line.

to set out the boundaries of the land proposed to be taken, and the intended line of the work proposed to be made thereon;

to mark such levels, boundaries, and line, by placing marks and cutting trenches;

Power to clear land.

and, where otherwise the survey cannot be completed or the levels taken, to cut down and clear away any part of any standing crop, fence, or jungle.

Previous notice of entry.

Provided that no person shall enter into any building or upon any enclosed court or garden attached to a dwelling-house (unless with the consent of the occupier thereof) without previously giving such occupier at least seven days' notice in writing of his intention to do so.

Payment for damage.

The Engineer or other person so authorized shall at the time of such entry pay or tender payment for all necessary damage to be done as aforesaid, and, in case of dispute as to the sufficiency of the amount so paid or tendered, he shall at once refer the dispute to the decision of the Collector, and such decision shall be final.

PART V.

Acquisition of lands.

Acquisition of land.

25. Whenever in the course of proceedings under this Act, save in those cases in which the Collector has proceeded under the provisions of Part III, it appears that land is required for any of the purposes thereof, proceedings shall be forthwith taken for the acquisition of such land in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being for the acquisition of lands for public purposes.

When land taken, proclamation to be published.

26. Whenever any land shall have been taken or used under the provisions of Part III, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (C) annexed to this Act at convenient places on or near the land so taken, stating that Government has taken possession of the land, and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land shall be made to him. Thereupon the land shall vest absolutely in the Government free from all incumbrances, subject, however, to the claims for compensation to

be ascertained in manner as in this Part is provided.

Contents of proclamation.

27. Such proclamation shall state the particulars of the land so taken, and shall require all persons interested in the land to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at a time and place therein mentioned (such time not being earlier than fifteen days after the date of issuing the proclamation), and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interest.

Further notice to be served on certain parties.

28. The Collector shall also serve notice to the same effect on the occupier (if any) of such land, and on all such persons known or believed to be interested therein, or to be entitled to act for persons so interested, as reside, or have agents authorized to receive service on their behalf, within the revenue district in which the land is situate.

Proceedings after notice.

29. After service of such notice proceedings shall be had and taken to determine the amount of compensation to be payable in respect of such land, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Compensation for consequential damage.

30. Whenever any land other than land required or taken by the Engineer, or any right of fishery, right of drainage, right of the use of water, or other right or property, shall have been injuriously affected by the due exercise of the powers or provisions of this Act, the person in whom such property or right is vested may prefer a claim by petition to the Collector for compensation.

Application to be made within a year.

31. No claim shall be entertained which shall be made later than one year next after the completion of the work by which such right is injuriously affected.

Procedure for such compensation.

32. When any such claim is made, proceedings shall be taken in view to determine the amount of compensation, if any, which should be made, and the person to whom the same should be payable, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Matters to be considered in determining compensation.

33. In determining the amount of compensation to be awarded in such cases, the Judge and Assessors shall take into consideration—

First, the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land;

Secondly, the damage sustained by the claimant by reason of such acquisition injuriously affecting the property or right;

Thirdly, the consequent diminution of the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land.

Matters not to be considered in determining compensation.

But the Judge or Assessors shall not take into consideration—

First, the degree of urgency which has led to the acquisition;

Secondly, any damage sustained by the claimant, which, if caused by a private person, would not in any suit instituted against such person justify a decree for damages.

Land, &c., taken possession of to vest in Government.

34. All buildings, land, earth, pathways, sluices, gates, bermes, hedges, belonging to, or forming part of, any embankment or watercourse, of which charge has been or may hereafter be taken by the officers of Government, shall vest in the Government, and shall be held on behalf of the Government in respect of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) annexed to this Act, and in respect of other works on behalf of the persons interested in the lands to be protected or benefited by such embankment or watercourse, subject to the provisions of Section 63; and all monies received on account of such lands shall be payable to the Engineer and credited to the cost of the construction and maintenance of such works respectively.

PART VI.

COST OF WORKS, PROCEEDINGS, &c.

1. *Ascertainment thereof.*

Embankments in Schedule (D).

35. The provisions in this Part contained shall not apply to any of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) to this Act annexed, save so far as any works or repairs are executed therein or in relation thereto under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act; or to any of such embankments as may hereafter be erected for the protection of lands which at the time of the passing of this Act are protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule, save so far as the erection of such embankments may protect lands not protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule. All sums payable in respect of any works or repairs executed therein, or in relation to the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule except under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act, shall be paid by the Government.

Exclusion from Schedule.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II of this Act, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interests to retain any embankment mentioned in Schedule (D), the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that the same shall be no longer included in the said schedule. Provided that the Lieutenant-Governor may restore the same to the said schedule if on any subsequent inquiry similarly conducted it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor that it is necessary so to do.

Addition to Schedule.

The Lieutenant-Governor may at any time after the passing of this Act, by a notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that any embankment not mentioned in Schedule (D) be included in the said schedule, and the provisions of this section shall apply to such embankment.

Contribution of public money towards the maintenance of the embankments in the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) to be continued.

36. In accordance with the custom heretofore in force in respect of the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) annexed to this Act, the Government shall continue to contribute annually the sum noted therein for each

pergunnah respectively towards the maintenance of the embankments thereof.

If such embankments are declared to be public, Collector to keep a separate account.

If the embankments maintained in any such pergunnah shall at any time be declared to be public embankments under the provisions of Section 4, the Collector shall, from the date of such declaration, keep a separate account for such pergunnah, in which the aforesaid sum shall be credited at the commencement of each financial year. The unexpended balance at the close of each year shall be carried on to the credit of the account in the next succeeding year, and shall be available for the cost of repairing or erecting all the embankments which it may be deemed necessary to maintain in such pergunnah.

Contribution may be discontinued if it be found unnecessary for the public interest to maintain the embankments.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on an inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interest to retain any embankment in either of the said pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that such contribution shall cease in respect of such pergunnah. Provided that such contribution shall again be made in accordance with the provisions hereinbefore contained, if it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor, on the report of an inquiry similarly conducted, that the maintenance of any embankment in such pergunnah has again become necessary for the public interest.

Estimates and specifications to be prepared.

37. Specifications of any works or repairs to be executed under the provisions of this Act, and estimates of the expenses to be incurred therein or relating thereto, including such proportion of establishment charges as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, shall be prepared by the Engineer as soon after the month of October in each year as may be practicable. And whenever it appears that the actual expenses to be incurred will exceed the amount mentioned in the said estimates by one-tenth, the Engineer shall forthwith prepare further estimates, and, if necessary, further specifications. Copies of all specifications and estimates shall be transmitted to the office of the Collector, together with vernacular translations thereof, or such abstracts thereof as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time direct, and may be examined by any person interested in such works or repairs. Notice of the receipt of specifications and estimates shall be served for all estates chargeable for, or likely to be affected by, the said works or repairs; and should any objection in regard to the amount of such expenses be preferred by any such person within a period of one month from the date of such notice, the Collector shall pass such orders as may appear to him reasonable and proper. Such order shall be subject in any case to an appeal by the person making such objection to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Preparation and settlement of accounts.

38. The accounts of the actual expense incurred in executing any works or repairs shall be prepared as soon as possible after the completion thereof. The Engineer shall sign a certificate stating the true amount of all such expenses, and the names of the estates chargeable for, and of the estates and villages affected by, the said works and repairs. Copies of the said accounts and certificates shall be forwarded to the office of the Collector, and may be there examined by any person interested. Notice of the receipt thereof shall be served for the said estates and villages, and such others as in the opinion of the Collector are liable to contribute to the payment of the said amount; and if, within thirty days from the service of such notice, any interested person shall object to the accounts on the ground either that the work charged for has not been performed, or that the whole sum charged has not been expended, or that the rates of charge are higher than those mentioned in the estimates, the Collector shall inquire into such objection, and may pass any order thereon subject in any case to an appeal by the objector to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Total sum payable.

39. The Collector shall add to the amount appearing in the said certificate all sums which have been paid or have become payable in respect of compensation, costs and expenses under and incidental to any proceedings taken or directed to be taken under Parts II and V of this Act, including costs of all surveys and plans. He shall thereupon make an order specifying the total sum found payable, and in respect of works done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the persons by whom, or in respect of other works the estates in respect of which, the same is payable to him. If the order is made in respect of work done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the same shall forthwith be served upon the party or parties liable to pay; otherwise the Collector shall proceed under the provisions in the next chapter contained.

Interest.

Interest may be charged upon any sum paid as compensation from the date of payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding 5 per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct.

Parties liable to pay.

40. The said total sum, save so far as is otherwise provided in this Act, shall be paid to the Collector by the zemindars of the estates in which are situated the lands benefited or protected by the repairs or works executed. Provided that where any specific sum has hitherto been annually demanded in respect of any embankment not included in Schedule (D), and when the said embankment is at the time of this Act coming into operation being maintained by Government then such special payments shall, after the passing of this Act, thenceforth cease and determine.

Every zemindar, who is liable under this rule for the payment of the whole or a portion of such total sum, shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of every tenure which is declared to be a part of his estate, the sum apportioned to such tenure by the Collector, under the provisions of Section 45. And similarly, every proprietor shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of any subordinate tenure which is declared to be a part of his tenure, the sum apportioned to such subordinate tenure by the Collector, under the said provisions.

2. *Apportionment thereof.*

Notice to be given before apportionment.

41. So soon as the total sum payable as aforesaid has been ascertained, the Collector shall cause a notice to be served for every

one of the said estates and villages mentioned in Section 38. Every such notice shall specify the estates and villages aforesaid, and that an inquiry will be held at a day and place therein named for the purpose of apportioning amongst the zemindars and proprietors the said total sum, with interest and the costs of apportionment.

Mode of inquiry as to the proportion chargeable to each estate.

42. On the day fixed in the said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days later than the date of any service of such notice, the Collector shall proceed to make the said inquiry. In making this inquiry he shall receive such evidence as may be tendered by, or on behalf of, the said zemindars and proprietors, and by, or on behalf of, any other persons who may claim to be interested therein.

Names of proprietors.

43. In any such inquiry the Collector shall take down in writing the names of all persons who may claim, or who may be alleged by any party interested, to be proprietors of tenures within any of the estates mentioned in such notice. In default of appearance of any such person, the Collector shall issue and serve a notice calling on him to appear at a date and place therein mentioned, and to show cause against being included in the order of apportionment to be made therein, and shall adjourn the inquiry till such date.

Apportionment amongst zemindars.

44. At such or any subsequently adjourned inquiry, the Collector, if there be only one estate liable, shall charge the zemindar thereof with the total amount payable; and if there be two or more estates, he shall apportion the same amongst the zemindars thereof, rateably in proportion to the respective benefits derived by such estates from such works or repairs; or in proportion to the areas of the lands benefited or protected thereby, and comprised within such estates respectively; or with the sanction of the local Government in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates, if, before the passing of this Act, such proportion has been usually adopted.

Provided that the said total amount payable in respect of the embankments on the right bank of the river Gunduk shall be chargeable, in accordance with the custom in force for such estates, to the zemindars of all the estates situated in the district of Sarun, in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates.

Proviso in respect of the pergunnahs in Schedule (E.)

Provided also that the sum standing to the credit of a pergunnah in Schedule (E) in the account kept by the Collector, at the time when the total amount payable is fixed under the provisions of Section 39, shall be deducted from the total amount payable in respect of such portion of any embankment as is situated in such pergunnah; and that the zemindars of the estates situated therein shall be charged only with the balance of the amount (if any) which may remain payable.

Apportionment amongst proprietors.

45. The Collector shall, in like manner, apportion, except in respect of the said Gunduk embankments, the amount payable in respect of each estate amongst all the tenures therein rateably in the proportion of benefit so received or area so benefited or protected, first deducting therefrom such sum as, on the like principle of proportion, is payable in respect of such portion of the estate as is not included within any tenure.

Apportionment where the lands held without payment of rent, not being estates on the register of revenue-free tenures.

46. All lands held without payment of rent not being estates entered in the register of revenue-free tenures, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to form a part of the tenure within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any tenure, then to be a part of the estate within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any estate, then to be a part of such conterminous estate as the Collector, in whose district such conterminous estate is situated, shall, by an order under his seal and signature, declare.

Amount apportioned payable by instalments.

47. The amount apportioned to any estate or tenure shall be payable in equal instalments on such days as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, provided that no instalment shall exceed four annas for every acre of land in respect of which the same is payable, and that not more than four instalments shall be payable in any one year.

Interest.

Interest shall be charged on the unpaid portion of the said amount from the date of the same becoming due until payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding five per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time determine.

Final order of apportionment.

48. On the completion of the apportionment the Collector shall make an order specifying the estates and tenures, and the several sums payable in respect thereof, the instalments of such sums, and the dates on which the same are payable.

3. *Recovery thereof.*

Orders for payment.

49. The Collector shall, within thirty days from the final order of apportionment, make and serve for every estate therein mentioned an order, stating the amount with interest due in respect thereof, and that the same is payable to him, and the date or dates at which such amount or instalments thereof shall become payable to him.

Recovery from zemindars.

50. If such sum or any instalment thereof be not, pursuant to the said order, paid, the same with interest shall be recoverable as arrears of a demand under the provisions of Bengal Act VII of 1868 (*to make further provision for the recovery of arrears of land revenue and public demands recoverable as arrears of land revenue*).

Recovery by zemindars or proprietors.

51. Every zemindar or proprietor to whom any sum or instalment thereof is payable under the said order, may recover the same with interest as aforesaid in the manner provided for the recovery of arrears of rent in respect of putnee tenures by the provisions of Clauses 2 and 3 of Section 8, Sections 9, 10, 14, 15, and Clauses 1, 2,

Act V of 1898, s. 37 (Repealed), III of 1910, as amended by Bengal Act VII of 1895, provided that the right or interest of any person taking from the proprietors of such tenure shall not be affected by any sale held under these provisions.

PART VII.

Miscellaneous.

Penalty for obstructing persons in exercise of powers of Act.

52. Whoever wilfully obstructs any person duly authorized under this Act in removing or levelling any embankment, house, hut, or other building, or in the lawful exercise of any of the powers in this Act conferred, shall, in case such obstruction shall not amount to an offence within the provisions of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for any period not exceeding six months, at the discretion of the Magistrate, or to fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, commutable, if not paid, to a period of imprisonment not exceeding six months.

Penalty on unauthorized interference with embankments or drainage.

53. Every person who, without the previous permission of the Engineer, shall erect, or cause or wilfully permit to be erected, any new embankment, or shall obstruct or divert, or cause or wilfully permit to be obstructed or diverted, any watercourse, if such embankment or watercourse is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede, any public embankment or any public watercourse, or shall abet any such act, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or in default of payment, to imprisonment of either description for a period not exceeding six months.

Penalties for injuring works under Act.

54. No person shall, without due authority, cut through, or attempt to cut through, any public embankment, or destroy, or attempt to destroy any such embankment, or open or shut, or obstruct any sluice in any such embankment, or any public watercourse; and every person who shall commit any breach of the provisions of this section shall, in case the act shall not amount to mischief within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding one month, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Penalties for diverting rivers or permitting cattle to graze on embankments.

55. Every person who shall make any dam or other obstruction for the purpose of diverting or opposing the current of a river, wherein or whereon there are public embankments, without the permission of the officer in immediate charge of the embankments, or shall refuse or neglect to remove any such dam or obstruction when so required by the Engineer, or shall cut or otherwise alter the banks of any embanked river, or shall remove the earth from any public embankment, or shall drive stakes into it, or by any other wilful act destroy or diminish the efficiency of such embankment; and every person who shall cause or knowingly and wilfully permit any cattle to graze upon any such embankment, or shall tether, or cause or wilfully permit any cattle to be tethered upon any such embankment, or who shall root up any grass or other vegetation growing on any such embankment, shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Obstructions to be removed and damage repaired.

56. Whenever any person is convicted of an offence under either of the three last preceding sections, the convicting Magistrate may order that he shall remove the embankment or obstruction, or repair the damage, in respect of which the conviction is held, within a period to be fixed in such order. If such person neglects or refuses to obey such order within the fixed period, the Engineer may remove such embankment or obstruction or repair such damage, and the cost of such removal or repair shall be levied from such person in addition to any other penalty in the manner provided in Section 307 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Service.

57. Every proclamation, notice or order in and by this Act required to be served may, unless when otherwise provided, be served—

(1) by delivering a copy of the same to the person to whom it is directed, or on failure of such service by posting a copy on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person resides, or by delivering a copy to any agent authorized to appear generally for the person to whom such proclamation, notice or order is directed; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing a copy of such proclamation, notice or order directed to the said person at his usual place of abode, or at the place where he may be known to reside; or

(3) by posting a copy of the proclamation, notice or order at the mal-cutcherry of the estate, village or tenure to which the same relates; or if no such mal-cutcherry be found, on some conspicuous place on the said estate, village or tenure, and by delivering, in the case of estates paying their annual revenue by four instalments, another copy thereof to the agent who shall have paid an instalment of revenue next before or after the preparation of such proclamation, notice or order. In all cases where two or more persons are holders of an estate, village or tenure service under this clause shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service on each and all of such persons.

No proceedings to be impeached for want of form.

58. No proceedings under this Act shall be impeached or affected by reason of any mistake in the name of any person thereby rendered liable to pay any sum of money, or in the description of any estate or tenure or land in respect of which he is rendered liable to pay; provided the directions of this Act be in substance and effect complied with; and no proceedings under this Act shall for want of form be quashed or set aside in any Court of Justice.

Appeal from orders made on objection.

59. Every order passed by the Collector in respect to applications under Section 4, Clauses 6 and 7, or under Sections 8, 39, and 48, shall be appealable to the Commissioner of Revenue, and every order of the Commissioner, except when otherwise directed by this Act, shall be appealable to the Board of Revenue, but no appeal shall lie under this section against any order unless the same be presented within one month from the date of the order.

Orders to be final.

60. Subject to the right of appeal above mentioned and to the order and control of Government, every order passed under the provisions aforesaid shall be final, and shall not be open to revision by any Civil Court.

Powers on inquiry and appeal.

61. In any inquiry or appeal held under this Act, the Collector and the Commissioner shall respectively have the same powers as those conferred on Courts by the Code of Civil Procedure of summoning and examining witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

General control of Commissioner and Government.

62. All the powers of a Collector under this Act shall be exercised under the general control and orders of the Commissioner of the Division, and all the powers of Collectors and Commissioners shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Board of Revenue and of the Government.

Disposal of lands no longer required for embankments.

63. Whenever the maintenance of any public embankment, or the retention of any land appropriated to the purposes thereof, may no longer be required, and the permanent relinquishment of the same may be deemed expedient, such land shall be conveyed by the Collector to the proprietor of the land, within the limits of which it may be situated, on payment of the compensation, if any, which was paid for such land when the same was taken for the purpose of the embankment. If the proprietor of such lands refuse or neglect to pay such price within a reasonable time after demand, the same shall be sold by the Collector for such price as he can obtain for the same. All sums obtained for the conveyance of lands under the provisions of this section shall, after the payment of all expenses incurred on account of the same, be applied to the payment of the cost of any new embankment or drainage works affecting the said lands, and in such case the residue only of the cost of such new works shall be charged upon the zemindars of estates benefited as hereinbefore provided.

Collector may delegate any of his powers to a Deputy Collector.

64. A Collector may delegate any of his powers under this Act to a Deputy Collector, but from any order passed by a Deputy Collector to whom powers have been so delegated, an appeal shall lie to the Collector if presented within thirty days of the date of the order.

Jurisdiction.

65. All offences created by this Act shall be inquired into and tried by a Magistrate of the first or second class.

Saving of Bengal Act V of 1871.

66. Nothing in this Act shall affect the provisions of "the Hooghly and Burdwan Drainage Act 1871."

SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

SCHEDULE A.—(*Referred to in Section* 5.)

All persons interested are hereby required to take notice that it is my intention to [*here state the nature of the work to be undertaken*] for the purpose of [*state the purpose*]. For the execution of this work the undermentioned land will be required to be taken up:—

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Area of land.

Plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed work, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said work, are open for inspection by any interested person at this office who is allowed to take copies thereof.

The total probable cost of such work will be the sum of Rs. , and the rate per acre of the area benefited or protected by the said work is estimated at Rs.

The following estates and villages will probably be affected by the work proposed [*here set out a list of the estates and villages*]:

Any person interested and desirous of showing cause against the execution of the works specified, is hereby required to appear before the Collector for that purpose on the day of

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE B.—(*Referred to in Section* 12.)

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the land hereunder specified has been taken up and notice thereof has been given to the Collector of

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Approximate boundaries and area of land.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE C.—(*Referred to in Section* 26.)

All persons interested are required to take notice that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the Collector of has taken possession on account of the Government of [*here state particulars of the land taken*], and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land must be made to the Collector. All persons having any such claims are therefore required to appear personally or by agent on day of at , and to state the nature of their respective interests in such land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE D.—(Referred to in Sections 34, 35, and 40.)

No. 1.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Isnagore to Kola.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 3 miles 4,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Isnagore of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kola in the said pergunnah.

No. 2.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Chota Roopram to Narooa.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 4 miles 770 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Chota Roopram of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Narooa in the said pergunnah.

No. 3.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Srirampore to Ganchia.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 7 miles 2,686 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Srirampore of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ganchia in the said pergunnah.

No. 4.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Kursi to Kulakuri.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 6 miles 5,265 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Kursi of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kulakuri in the said pergunnah.

No. 5.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Bagputta to Radhachuck.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 20 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bagputta of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Radhachuck of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 6.

Left Embankment of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers, 5 miles 250 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Ramnagur of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gasna of Pergunnah Jehanabad.

No. 7.

Right Embankment of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers, 6 miles 3,200 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Digra of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sowey of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 8.

Left Embankment on the Bukhshi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Bukhshi Khall, 6 miles 4,330 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bukhshi of Pergunnah Karijee Mundleghaut, and near the junction of the Roopnarain River and Bukhshi Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gyghattee in the said pergunnah where the Gyghattee Khall leaves the Damoodah.

No. 9.

Right Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the River Roopnarain, 29 miles 2,373 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground distant 57 feet south-east by compass from the Machnan masonry sluice on the right bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, in the village of Machnan of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the zero mile-post on the bank of the Tidal Canal, Reach 1. This mile-post bears 500 feet south-west by compass from the Canal Toll-house, in the village of Camalpore of Pergunnah Mysadul.

No. 10.

Right Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,410 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 187 feet west of a temple on the Tumlook Road, in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 11.

Left Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,370 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, and on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 12.

Right Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 3,430 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soodhapore of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 675 feet east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice, in the village of Syedpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 13.

Left Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 1,670 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Mysda of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 170 feet north-east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, in the village of Rogonathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 14.

Right Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 3,990 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar, in the village of Jasamnathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 15.

Left Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 1,690 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Hugla in the said pergunnah.

No. 16.

Right Embankment on the Doobachutty Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Doobachutty Khall, 1 mile 3,510 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at a distance of 550 feet north north-east of the Bhoodah Factory Chimney in the village of Bhoodah of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 57 feet south-east of the Machnan masonry sluice, in the village of Machnan in the said pergunnah.

No. 17.

Mohunkhally Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 28 miles 3,258 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the village of Kooltigree where the Mohunkhally River runs into the Roopnarain River, and passing along the right bank of the Mohunkhally River through the villages of Joligunsam, Seetapore, Manno to Basantopore, where the Mohunkhally and Doobachutty Rivers bifurcate, thence skirting the left bank of the Doobachutty River it passes through the villages of Shahpore, Rosorepore, and Barmogria to Kachara, thence skirting the Roopnarain, right bank, it passes through the village of Doodconra and Bagchina, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 18.

Pannah Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 9 miles 3,640 feet more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its junction with the Cossye River near a temple, in the village of Bargobindoo, Pergunnah Barda. It passes through the villages of Baramdi and Raneebazar on the left bank of the Selye River and then along the right bank of the Kanta Khall through the villages of Bhaugadow, Parna, Baramdijheel, Tubli and Dhurmpore, and terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 19.

Ghattal Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 10 miles 1,850 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its bifurcation with the Argor River, and passing along the *left* bank of the Selye River and through the villages of Srirampore, Bassodebpore, and Singpore, it skirts the right bank of the Argora Khall through the villages of Ramchunderpore, Rogonathchuck and others, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 20.

Sheikpore Circuit Embankment.

This a circuit embankment 18 miles 5,108 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the bifurcation of the Rivers Sankra and Jhoomee in the village of Sheikpore of Pergunnah Boyrah, and passing along the left bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Srimantpore, Anandopore, and Thakooranchuck, thence along the right bank of the Sankra River through the villages of Nursingchuck, Koolat, Goozrat, and others, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 21.

Khasbar Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 5 miles 5,240 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the point of bifurcation of the Jhoomee and Amada Rivers in the village of Lalchuck, Pergunnah Barda, and passing along the right bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Parbutichuck, Prosadchuck, and Joybag, and thence along the left bank of the Amada River through the villages of Khasbar, Sowoi, and Lalchuck, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 22.

Chetoon Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 45 miles 1,420 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and Mohunkhally Khall in the village of Moishgatta, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and passing along the left bank of the Mohunkhally Khall through the villages of Dukinbar, Gowreechuck, Gobindnuggur, and Bosuntopore, thence along the left bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Kola, Moheshpore, Gocoolnuggur and Islampore, thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the villages of Soorutpore, Rogonathpore, and Konagore to the junction of the Selye and Roopnarain Rivers at Protabpore, and thence along the right bank of the Roopnarain River through the villages of Hurrishpore, Joleconaram, Raneechuck, and Gopeegunge, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 23.

Doosaspore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 2,350 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the right bank of the Cossye River, distant 704 feet and bearing 20° from the Doosaspore sluice in the village of Doosaspore of Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the right bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Nobinbasdeopore, Koonjpore, Mohespore, Telondee, and Brickobanupore, thence passing along the left bank of the Petooa Khall through the villages of Futtehpore, Godyepore, and Dhamkola, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Kritibaspore, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 24.

Narajole Embankment.

This is an embankment 7 miles 1,735 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye river in the village of Samat, Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the left bank of the Cossye River to the village of Mudunmohunpore, and thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the village of Ramdebpore, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Chandikhally, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 25.

Bindabunchuck Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry Pillar built in the ground in the village of Bindabunchuck, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and running along the *right* bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 26.

Dhangaria Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 2,520 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Dhangaria, Pergunnah Jehanabad, and running along the *left* bank of the Roopnarain River, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 27.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 7 miles 3,980 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Gourbazar of Pergunnah Sheregarh, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Toomnee Khall with the Adjai River in the village of Kejladee of Pergunnah Shanpaharee.

No. 28.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 4 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground near a masonry sluice near the junction of the Toomnee and Balpaharee Khalls in the village of Bistopore of Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Urjunboonee in the said pergunnah.

No. 29.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 11 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Satkonee Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sagurposta of Pergunnah Gopeebhoom.

No. 30.

Left Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Adjai River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Singhee Pergunnah Azmutshahi, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bamoonea in the said pergunnah.

No. 31.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 4,488 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sadipore of Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 32.

Left Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Damoodah River, 107 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry

pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sillia, Pergunnah Champanuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Allipore of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 33.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Lakea, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bergang in the said pergunnah.

No. 34.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 3,828 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bulrampore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 35.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the villlage of Zangirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Srekistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 36.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 18 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Oozirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Dehi Barsut of Pergunnah Barsut.

No. 37.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 29 miles 3,560 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Gyghattee Khall with the Damoodah River in the village of Gyghattee, Pergunnah Arsa, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Roopnarain and Hughli Rivers at the 32nd milepost on the Roopnarain left embankment in the village of Magrapathur of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 38.

Left Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Roopnarain, 31 miles 3,762 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and the Bakhsee Khall in the village of Bakhsee, Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Hughli and Roopnarain Rivers at the 32nd milepost of the Roopnarain embankment in the village of Magrapathur, Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 39.

This is a continuous line of embankment 41 miles and 155 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Khodalgobra, Pergunnah Birkul, and running generally parallel with the coast line of the Bay of Bengal, terminates at a masonry pillar on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal.

No. 40.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal, and running along the right bank of the Russulpore River as far as the Contai and Tumlook Road, and thence along the right bank of the Serpai River, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta.

No. 41.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Russulpore River, 2 miles 4,868 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Sanberia, Pergunnah Bahirimutta.

No. 42.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Serpai River as far as the village of Kessoorkunda on the Contai and Midnapore Road, and thence in a northerly direction to Chowmook on the Bagdah River, and thence along the right bank of the Balliaghye Khall to the east of the Dhoobda Jheel, terminates at a masonry pillar on the sand ridge in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi.

No. 43.

This is a continuous line of embankment 17½ miles, more or less, in length. It commences at the great sea dyke, east of the Peechabunnee sluice, on the left bank of the Peechabunnee Khall, and running along the said bank as far as the masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi, and thence along the right bank, terminates at the great sea dyke west of the Peechabunnee sluice.

No. 44.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Bagdah River, 3 miles 2,528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Astichuck, Pergunnah Paharpore.

No. 45.

This is a continuous line of embankment 115 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the left bank of the Iktiarpore Khall to its junction with the Madakhally River, thence running along the left bank of the Madakhally River to the Chowdachoolee Inspection Bungalow at the confluence of the Russulpore River and the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall, thence running along the left bank of the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall to its embouchure in the Bay of Bengal, thence running parallel to the coast line as far as the mouth of the River Huldee, thence following the right bank of this river as far as the junction of the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers, and lastly running along the right bank of the Kaliaghye River, terminates at a masonry pillar at the village of Nilkantapore, Pergunnah Jalamutta.

No. 46.

This is a continuous line of embankment 5 miles, more or less, in length on the right bank of the Kaliaghye River. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Kharan, Pergunnah Pataspore, and terminates at another masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 47.

This is a circuit embankment 34 miles 1,000 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground near the Barju Ghaut in the village of Barju, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the right bank of the Madakhally River, the left bank of the Bagdah River, and the right bank of the Chackbowani Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Barju, Simulbari, Dismila, Khamgara, Idalpore, Kalurathari, Lischintar, Ullaibara, Koniabar, Bhastagara, Khala Kalkadari, Sundarpore, Mallickpore, Ballabpore, Sukakhola, Udaypore, Gopalpore, Baro Adapore, Tamlapura, Chakbata, Calsai, Culbaria, Chakrauthuri, Chakababani Bhayrabdari, South Chando, Manglepore, Dakbindara, Partabdigi, Bamunbasan, Sitadigi, Kistanuggur, Panesoori, Sardabar, Mathura, Chakrosal Khacura, Mangalchuck, Tonabila, Arjanuggur, Purulia, Maheada, Khamgara, Malda, Barjee, and Pergunnahs Narnamutta, Kismat Pataspore, Kismat Danto, Kharaig, Partabghur, Pataspore, and Bhatgar.

No. 48.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,541 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall in the village of Naturea, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and passing through the villages of Udbadal, Champainuggur, Conasdigi, Nathara, Khastmari, Etabaria, Naudigi, Manikjar, Hasgoria, Manikjor, Basdebbaria, Patarbara, Pergunnah Narnamutta, terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 49.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,525 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Iktiarpore Khall, Madakhally River, and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Iktiarpore Khall in the village of Rogonathchuk, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Madakhally River, left bank of the Udbadal Khall, and right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Udbadal, Patna, Dumurdari, Podutardi, South Biada, Ichhapore, Pauchgaria, Bhupatinuggur, Rogonathchuck, Nandichuck, Khorinet, Gobindapore, Jogomohunpore, Champainuggur, Kanjadapore, Udbadal, and the Pergunnahs of Narnamutta and Koaal.

No. 50.

This is a continuous line of embankment 3 miles 3,255 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at a pillar in the village of Radhapore, Pergunnah Erinch.

No. 51.

This is a circuit embankment 7 miles 2,735 feet, more or less, in length, between the Kaliaghye River and the Bagui Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Kaliaghye River with the Bagui Khall in the village of Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, and passing through the villages of Gocoolpore, Gholahat, Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 52.

This is a circuit embankment 20 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the south side of the junction of the Thalputti Khall with the Russulpore River in the village of Gumgar, Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee, and running along the left bank of the Russulpore River to its confluence with the sea, then following the coast line to the embouchure of the Thalputti Khall in the Bay of Bengal, and thence running along the south bank of the Thalputti Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Gorabar, Debichuck, Dandchuck, Katka, Sampore, Baga, Padurbaria, Nenapata, Mohendranuggur, Kolagachia, Pauchbari, Osilchuck, Honabaria, Orukbaria, Salconda, Sahibchuck, Bamunchuck, Barabari, Phulbari and Mulichuck, all in the Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee.

No. 53.

This is a continuous line of embankment 60 miles 4,110 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye River in the village of Bargoda, Pergunnah Tumlook, and running along the left bank of the Cossye and Huldee Rivers to the confluence of the latter with the River Hooghly, and thence along the right bank

of the Hooghly and Roopnarain Rivers, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Banka, about one-fourth of a mile north of a Hindu temple, on the left bank of the Banka Khall.

No. 54.

This is a circuit embankment 12 miles 2,550 feet, more or less, in length, situated between the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the said rivers, and running along the left bank of the Kaliaghye River and the right bank of the Cossye River, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Furso, Nonakbari, Lachaupore, Narkuldi, Seonabhoy, Asnan, Chaundibarya, Machodal, Kholakbally, Kalkadari, Panchpukhiria, Kistochuck, and Salugaria, all in the Pergunnah Tumlook.

No. 55.

Rampore Beauleah old Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 17,700 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kasubpore, Pergunnah Ghurrechath, and terminates at a masonry pillar to be fixed at the village Tallia-muree, Pergunnah Laskarpore.

No. 56.

Rampore Beauleah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 8,130 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Bolanpore, Pergunnah Ghurrechath, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kudulkuttee, Pergunnah Ghurrechath, where it joins the road to Dinagepore.

No. 57.

Maldah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Mahanuddy River, 11,519 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kootubpore, Pergunnah Ameerabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Moheshpore, Pergunnah Vatra.

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No. 58.

Left Embankment on the River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the River Hooghly, 5 miles 4,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at Munneekhallee Khall at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Juggonnathnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of the Hooghly River and Churrial Khall.

No. 59.

Right bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Churrial Khall, 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of Hooghly River and Churrial Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ghurbanmonca, on the north bank of Churrial Khall near the junction of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road.

No. 60.

Left bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Churrial Khall, 3,280 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore near the junction of left bank of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village of Joychundeepore near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall.

No. 61.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 19 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore, near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall, and continues along the left bank of Hooghly River to Poojallee Khall, on both sides of Poojallee Khall, between the River Hooghly and the road leading from Calcutta to Atcheepore, and again down the left bank of the River Hooghly to the right bank of Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 62.

Right bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta, on the north side of the khall near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Fulta Khall in the village of Soharah.

No. 63.

Left bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,360 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Fulta Khall, in the village of Bosoodeapore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 64.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 11 miles 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemool-

gunge, on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River.

No. 65.

Right bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 3,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemulgunge on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the khall in the village of Durree Govindpore.

No. 66.

Left bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 4,800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, in the village of Jungalparah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Ramchundernuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall.

No. 67.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 3 miles 2,260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Ramchunderpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 68.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 7 miles 3,100 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek in the village of Dearnah.

No. 69.

Left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 6 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Dearnah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 70.

Left bank of the Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 71.

Right bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Janikeemaree.

No. 72.

Left bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Gourypore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 73.

Left bank of River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore.

No. 74.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 8 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore, and terminates at a masonry pillar near the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore.

No. 75.

Right bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah.

No. 76.

Left bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, 9 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee.

No. 77.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 26 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant.

No. 78.

Right Bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 602 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, near a drainage sluice.

No. 79.

Left bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 2,040 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Kamaratha.

No. 80.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 19 miles, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Kharee Khall, in the village of Kamaratha, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee.

No. 81.

Right bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Pealee River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee.

No. 82.

Right bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Soorjipore, or Puschunbahum Khall, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee, and terminates at Puschunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah.

No. 83.

Left bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Soorjipore or Puschunbahum Khall, 4 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a Puchunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall, in the village of Ramnuggur.

No. 84.

Right bank of the Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left side of Pealee River, 9 miles 2,160 feet, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall in the village of Ramnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Saungur, near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 85.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 3 miles 3,960 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River in Soonderbun lot, No. 45, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Baugmaree Khall, in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River with Baugmaree Khall.

No. 86.

Left bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Baugmaree Khall, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River and Baugmaree Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Ath Ramdhur.

No. 87.

Right bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right side of Baugmaree Khall, 1 mile 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Koolauree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe.

No. 88.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Pealee River, 4 miles 2,460 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Povan, about a quarter of a mile north of the Calcutta and South-Eastern Railway.

No. 89.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Shrikishenpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 90.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 8 miles, more or less,

in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Balleahpore, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the same river near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 91.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 2 miles 3,120 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar near the junction of the Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers, in the village of Saungur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near its junction with Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur.

No. 92.

South side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous embankment on south side of Tolly's Canal, 10 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, near the junction of Biddiadhuree River and Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the south side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Kurramabad.

No. 93.

North side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the north side of Tolly's Canal, 2 miles 4,020 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the north side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Nowabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the jungle in the village of Tehooraha.

No. 94.

Bhagiruttee Embankments.

This is a line of disconnected embankment on the left bank of the Bhagiruttee River, extending from Plassey Bazar, Pergunnah Plassey, District Nuddea, to Dadmootee, Pergunnah Rokunpore, district Moorshedabad, a distance of about 93 miles.

No. 95.

Katcheekuta Embankment.

This is a continuous line of embankment about 4,000 feet in length on the right bank of the Matabhanga River. It commences in the village of Luckimpore, Pergunnah Bajpore, District Nuddea, and terminates at the bottom of the new cut opposite the village of Radhakantpore, in the same pergunnah and district.

SCHEDULE E.—*(Referred to in sections 36 and 44.)*

Pergunnah.	District.	Amount of contribution.
		Rs A. P.
Futtehsingh ...	Moorshedabad ...	1,766 10 8
Rokunpore ...	Ditto ...	1,466 2 0

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THE following Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein, together with the Bill as amended by the Committee, is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee appointed to consider the Bill "to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," have the honor to make the following report :—

From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 7th March 1873.
From Offg. Secretary, Landholders' Association, dated 6th March 1873.
From Secretary, India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited, dated 17th March 1873.
From the Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 11th March 1873.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 11th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Goalundo, dated 13th March 1873.
From Medical Inspector of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
Remarks and suggestions of the Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta.
From Offg. Magistrate of Sylhet, dated 20th March 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Seebsaugor, dated 21st March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 24th March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 31st March 1873.
Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 3rd April 1873.
From Under-Secretary, Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Revenue, and Commerce, dated 19th April 1873.
Notes by the Agent to the Governor-General, North-East Frontier, and Commissioner of Assam.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 9th June 1873, and enclosures.
Petition of certain contractors under Act II of 1870.
From Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 19th July 1873.

We have received and considered the papers noted in the margin.

We have made numerous alterations in the draft of the Bill, restoring in many cases the language of Act II of 1870, for instance, in Sections 11, 14, 35, 38, 62, 73, 84, 94, 97, 99, 109, 111, 116, 117, 122, and 125. We have altered the definition of "emigrant" and of "magistrate," and in reference to the latter we have specified in Section 93 the sections under which a Subordinate Magistrate may be deputed to act.

We have omitted the provisions relating to evidence in Sections 28, 62, 63, 66, 106, and 133, and the references to the Penal Code in Sections 13, 103, 108, and 132. We have omitted Section 12, the Council of India having brought in a Bill to deal with the subject of it. We have also omitted the definition of "servant" from Section 3; Clauses 4, 15, and 16, from Section 5; and the following sections or parts of sections :—Sections 26, 34 (last part), 42, 65, 67, 83 (last part), 97, 109 (last part), 112, 116 (last sentence), 122 (proviso), 124 (last sentence), and 140.*

We have not required that a garden-sirdar should pay a fee for having his certificate countersigned under Section 19, or that a recruiter should pay a fee to the medical officer for a certificate under Section 45. We have slightly altered the constitution of the Labor Transport Fund to meet the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code, Section 308.

We have given power to a Magistrate to advance any sum which a garden-sirdar may be ordered to pay to an emigrant under Section 31, and to recover the amount from the employer with interest; and we have provided that interest shall be recoverable on sums advanced by a Magistrate under Sections 79, 80, 81, and 86.

We have reduced the amount of fine which may be imposed under Sections 66, 67, 72, 75, 77, and 94. We have given power to the Lieutenant-Governor to affix penalties to the breach of rules framed by him under Section 5, and we have provided that the penalties (if any) shall be published with the rules.

We have required (in Sections 22, 46) that the garden-sirdar or recruiter, as the case may be, shall produce his certificate or license when he appears with a recruit before a

* In this paragraph the numbers of the sections refer to the Bill as preliminarily amended by the Select Committee. Elsewhere the numbers refer to the sections of the Bill as re-amended.

Magistrate for registration. We have struck out the provision that a recruiter shall wear a badge. We have given the same power of cancelling the license or certificate of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar under Sections 21, 36, and 41. We have substituted the word "rice" for "food" in Sections 5 (clause 13), 17, 23, 46, and 114.

We have slightly modified Sections 67, 119, 120, and 135.

We have annexed as Schedules to the Act forms of a garden-sirdar's certificate of a contract between emigrant and employer, and of a certificate of release on determination of contract. We have omitted Schedule D.

We have also made many verbal alterations.

G. C. PAUL.
V. H. SCHALCH.
H. L. DAMPIER.
C. E. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

The 25th August 1873.

As I am going to England for three or four months, I shall be unable to sign the final report of the Select Committee, but having attended nearly all meetings up to this date, I wish to record my general assent to the Bill with the alterations and amendments agreed to by the Select Committee so far as they have at present been considered, viz. to Section 99.

25th June 1873. B. D. COLVIN.

I agree to the report, but think that the objections raised to the Sections 105, 108 109, and 111 in Act II of 1870 (being part of the Bill, Sections 125, 126, 127, and 128,) still hold good.

T. M. ROBINSON.

RE-AMENDED BILL.

A Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law regulating the emigration of native inhabitants of India from or through the provinces subject to the Government of Bengal to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and the manner of engaging and contracting with native inhabitants of the said provinces to proceed to the said districts, and providing for the protection of the persons so proceeding, and for the enforcement of the contracts of service entered into by them; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Chapter 1.—Application and Miscellaneous.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Labor Districts Emigration Act."

Repeal of Act II of 1870.

2. Bengal Act II of 1870 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to the transport of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and their employment therein*) is hereby repealed. All contracts entered into, appointments made, and licenses granted, under the said Act, or any of the Acts thereby repealed, shall be deemed to have been respectively entered into, made, and granted under this Act.

Interpretation clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

India.

"India" means the territories for the time being vested in Her Majesty by the Statute 21 and 22 Vic., cap. 106, entitled "*An Act for the better government of India,*" other than the settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore, and Malacca.

Labor Districts.

"The Labor Districts" means the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and "a labor district" means one of those districts.

Magistrate.

"Magistrate" includes a magistrate of a district or of a division of a district, and any magistrate of the first and second class, and any magistrate of police for the town of Calcutta.

Employer.

"Employer" means the chief person for the time being in charge of any lands upon which laborers may be employed.

Emigrant.

"Emigrant" means any native of India above the age of sixteen years who has engaged with any garden-sirdar or recruiter to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and has been registered as hereinafter provided.

Laborer.

"Laborer" means any emigrant who has been conveyed to a labor district in accordance with a contract made under the provisions of Bengal Act III of 1863, Bengal Act VI of 1865, Bengal Act II of 1870, or this Act, during the duration of such contract.

Vessel.

"Vessel" includes a steamer, a flat, a boat, and anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property.

Master.

"Master" means the person for the time being in charge of a vessel.

Provisions regarding emigration not to apply to domestic servants, or to persons proceeding alone.

4. The provisions of part II of this Act regarding emigration shall not apply to domestic servants, or to any person proceeding alone, or accompanied by his family only, or to any persons not exceeding twenty in number proceeding to a labor district to labor for hire, without the intervention, direct or indirect, of any person employed to induce natives of India to emigrate to a labor district. In computing the number of persons two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

Power of the Lieutenant-Governor to make rules.

5. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act, and from time to time alter, vary, and revoke such rules:—

(1)—To regulate the subordination of the several officers of emigration to the superintendent.

(2)—To prescribe the periodical returns and reports to be made by the emigration officers, by magistrates, and by the inspectors of laborers.

(3)—To prescribe the amount of the several fees to be paid under the provisions of this Act.

(4)—To provide for the management and regulation of contractors' depôts and of hospital depôts.

(5)—To provide for the medical care of emigrants during their residence at the depôts, and during transport to a labor district.

(6)—To prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be carried on vessels taking emigrants.

(7)—To prescribe the clothing to be supplied to emigrants while proceeding to a labor district.

(8)—To prescribe the description, quantity, and quality of provisions to be taken by vessels carrying emigrants, and the daily allowance to be issued to each emigrant during the journey.

(9)—To provide for the ventilation and cleanliness of vessels during the journey, to prescribe the number of officers, cooks, and other servants, and to provide for their control; and to provide generally for the accommodation of emigrants.

(10)—To provide for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of all emigrants detained at any place by order of a magistrate on account of sickness.

(11)—To provide for the periodical inspection of laborers, and the books to be kept by inspectors of laborers.

(12)—To provide for the house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and supply of rice to be provided by employers for their laborers.

(13)—To provide for the hospital accommodation and medical care of laborers, and to prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be provided for them.

The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time fix penalties not inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act for infringements of any such rules, which may be enforced and recovered as other penalties under this Act on conviction by a magistrate: Provided that no penalty shall exceed five hundred rupees.

All such rules, with the penalties (if any) for their infringement, shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall be separately printed and sold to the public at 4 annas for each copy.

Contract made with emigrant is a charge upon the land;

6. Every contract made with an emigrant, and all arrears of wages due under any such contract, and all fines imposed on any employer under the provisions of this Act, shall be a charge upon the lands upon which such laborer has been engaged to work.

and is transferred with the land.

The owner of such lands for the time being shall have all rights and remedies against such laborer, as if such owner had been originally the party executing such contract as employer.

Determination of ownership determines liability.

No person, after he has ceased to be the owner of such lands, nor his property nor effects, shall be in anywise liable or responsible for any breach of such contract which may have occurred after he has ceased to be such owner.

Any person above the age of 16 years may contract.

7. Any engagement or contract made under the provisions of this Act by a native of India, who is above the age of sixteen years, shall be held valid.

Procedure on trial of offences created by Act.

8. All offences against this Act committed without the town of Calcutta shall be inquired into and tried according to the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and all offences against this Act committed within the said town shall be inquired into and tried by a police magistrate of the said town according to the provisions of the laws regulating the investigation and trial of offences within the said town, which shall be for the time being in force.

Penalty for any offence not especially provided for.

9. For every offence against the provisions of this Act, for which no special penalty or amount of fine is prescribed, the offender shall on conviction by a Magistrate be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees. Wherever in this Act no special term of imprisonment is appointed in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall be liable to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding one month.

PART II.—EMIGRATION.

Chapter 2.—Restrictions and Appointment of Officers.

Power to prevent emigration of laborers.

10. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in case he shall be of opinion that the emigration of natives of India from any district, or to any particular part of any labor district, for the purpose of becoming laborers, is likely to be attended with danger to the health of any native so emigrating or otherwise, or if the Lieutenant-Governor has reason to believe that a political disturbance is likely to occur in any labor district, to prohibit, by an order under his hand, the emigration of such natives from such district, or to such labor district or particular part thereof, and from time to time to revoke or vary any such order; and every such order or variation or revocation thereof shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Penalty on engaging natives contrary to such order.

11. Any person who shall knowingly engage native so to emigrate while any such emigration shall be prohibited under the provisions of the last preceding section, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees for every native who may have been so engaged.

Appointment of superintendent of emigration, embarkation agents, and medical inspectors.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a proper person to be the superintendent of emigration at Calcutta, and may also appoint proper persons to be embarkation agents and medical inspectors of emigrants at any places where he may think proper, and define by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* the local limits within which each such officer shall exercise the powers and authority conferred upon him by this Act. He may at any time suspend or remove any such officer.

Employer may recruit by garden-sirdar.

13. It shall be lawful for any employer to engage, by the agency of a garden-sirdar, or by the agency of a contractor, natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire upon lands of which such employer is in charge.

Superintendent may license contractors and recruiters.

14. It shall be lawful for the superintendent of emigration to grant to such persons as he may think fit licenses to act as contractors for engaging and supplying persons for the purpose of laboring for hire in the labor districts, or to act in behalf of some contractor as recruiters for engaging persons to proceed to the said districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire.

Natives of India shall not be engaged to proceed to the labor districts, or be conveyed there, save under this Act.

15. From and after the commencement of this Act, whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, engage any native of India in any of the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to proceed to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire; and whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, convey any such native through any of the said provinces to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every person so engaged or conveyed.

Penalty.

No person not licensed as a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, may engage or contract to supply laborers.

16. Whoever, not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall otherwise than through or by the agency of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar engage any native of India to proceed to any of the labor-

districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and whoever, not being a contractor, shall enter into any contract to supply, or shall supply, or shall transfer or make over whether to a recruiter or any other person, any such native for the purpose of laboring for hire in any of the labor districts; and whoever not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall enter into any contract to engage, or shall attempt to engage, any such native to proceed to any of the labor-districts for the purpose aforesaid; and whoever shall employ or appoint any person other than a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, to engage any such native, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished for each offence with fine or imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding three months.

Penalty.

17. It shall not be lawful for any emigrant to be conveyed to any labor district, unless and until he shall have entered into a duly registered contract with some person to serve such person there for a fixed period, which shall in no case exceed the term of three years from the date of his arrival on the estate of his employer in the said labor district. Every such contract shall be in the form in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act, and shall be reduced to writing, and shall specify the monthly amount of wages in money, the period of service, the name of the district in which the service is to be performed, and the price at which rice is to be supplied to the laborer.

Emigrant not to be conveyed to or towards a labor district until contract is executed.

Form and particulars of contract.

Chapter 3.—Garden-sirdar.

18. Every garden-sirdar, authorized by an employer under the provisions of section 13 to engage natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, shall, before proceeding to engage any such native, personally present to the magistrate of the district, or division of the district, within which is situate the estate of the employer, a certificate signed by such employer, in which shall be stated the name and description of such garden-sirdar, the name and description of the lands for the purpose of laboring upon which he is about to engage such natives, the district (or the town of Calcutta, as the case may be) in which he is about to engage them, the number which he is authorized to engage, and, if the number exceeds twenty, the name of the contractor to whose depôt they shall be conveyed. The certificate shall be in the form set forth in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act.

Garden-sirdar to obtain certificate from employer, and to present it to magistrate.

19. Such magistrate shall inquire into the facts stated in such certificate, and, upon being satisfied that the same are true, shall, unless it appears to him that the person so presenting such certificate is unfit to be employed for the purpose of engaging natives to proceed to a labor district to labor therein for hire, countersign and date such certificate; and every such certificate shall be in force for six months from the date last mentioned, and no longer.

Magistrate after inquiry to countersign it.

20. If, under his certificate from his employer, any garden-sirdar is authorized to engage more than twenty natives of India, he shall be in all respects, save as regards his certificate, subject to the provisions of this Act which relate to recruiters. The following rules of this chapter shall apply to every garden-sirdar who is not authorized to engage more than twenty such natives.

Garden-sirdar authorized to engage more than twenty natives to be subject to provisions relating to a recruiter.

Garden-sirdar who is not a Recruiter.

21. A garden-sirdar shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant, until his certificate has been countersigned by the magistrate of such district or of such division of the district; or in Calcutta, until his certificate has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta.

Has no authority until certificate is countersigned by magistrate.

It shall be lawful for such magistrate, in case of misconduct or disobedience to or neglect of any of the provisions of this Act by a garden-sirdar, to cancel the certificate of such garden-sirdar.

Magistrate may cancel certificate.

22. Every native of India, who enters into an engagement with a garden-sirdar to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall appear with the garden-sirdar before the magistrate of the district or of the division of the district within which the engagement was made, or through which he shall first pass on the road to his destination. The garden-sirdar shall at the same time produce his certificate to the Magistrate.

Every native to appear before magistrate before removal from district.

23. On the appearance of such native the magistrate shall examine him with reference to his engagement; and, if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register, in a book to be kept for the purpose, the following particulars, viz.—

Magistrate to examine native, and if the examination is satisfactory, to register particulars;

(1)—The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2)—The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3)—The labor district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(4)—The period of service;

(5)—The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

Provided that the magistrate may, if he thinks fit, require such native to appear before such medical officer as he may direct, and may refuse to register such native, unless the medical officer certifies in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor district.

but may require medical certificate.

Magistrate, &c., may refuse to register.

24. If the magistrate finds that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the garden-sirdar shall not have produced his certificate, he shall refuse to register such native.

Fee to be paid for registration.

25. For the registration of every such native the garden-sirdar shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Contract to be executed in duplicate and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by the magistrate;

26. When such registration has been made, the emigrant shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract. Such contract shall, in the presence of the magistrate, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the magistrate for the purpose; and after such abstract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant and the other to the garden-sirdar.

and copy to be sent to superintendent and magistrate.

The magistrate shall forward a certified copy of every such abstract so entered as aforesaid to the superintendent of emigration, by whom it shall be forwarded, after entry in his own register, to the magistrate of the district within which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

27. The provisions of the six last preceding sections shall be applicable to natives of India engaged by a garden-sirdar within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall appear for registration and execution of contract before the superintendent of emigration.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

28. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any garden-sirdar from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract to proceed to the labor districts to labor therein for hire, shall be presented by the garden-sirdar for registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the said Lieutenant-Governor into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Garden-sirdar must personally accompany emigrants.

29. The garden-sirdar shall personally accompany natives of India engaged by him throughout their journey from the place in which the engagement was made to the place in which they are to be employed.

Garden-sirdar cannot proceed with more than twenty emigrants in one batch.

30. It shall not be lawful for two or more garden-sirdars to proceed together towards a labor-district accompanied by emigrants, if the total number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, or unless the permission of the superintendent of emigration or embarkation agent shall have been first obtained.

Garden-sirdar must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

31. Every garden-sirdar, by whom any emigrant is accompanied, shall provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging throughout such journey. If it shall appear to any magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant, at any place on the journey that he has suffered any ill-treatment during the journey or that the garden-sirdar has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging; or if it be found on examination by a medical officer appointed by a magistrate for such purpose, that any such emigrant is not in a fit state of health to proceed to or to labor in a labor-district; such magistrate may order the garden sirdar to pay to such emigrant a sum of money by way of compensation, or may cancel the contract and order the garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged.

If such not provided, or if emigrant unfit, magistrate may award compensation, or cancel contract.

Recovery of fines ordered to be paid by Magistrate.

32. If any garden-sirder, who may be ordered under the provisions of the last preceding section to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the emigrant named in such order, and to recover from his employer the sum so advanced with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Agent in Calcutta may procure order from superintendent of emigration cancelling the contract on payment of expense of return.

33. On the arrival in Calcutta of any emigrant whose contract has been executed by a garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer, any person empowered to act as the agent or representative of such employer may require the emigrant to appear before the superintendent of emigration for the purpose of cancelling the contract. The superintendent of emigration shall, on the appearance of such emigrant, declare that the contract is cancelled, if a sum of money sufficient for his support during his return to the place at which he was engaged, be paid to him before himself, and not otherwise, and shall make an endorsement to that effect on the contract, and shall attest it with his signature. Provided that the contract of any husband or wife or parent or child of such emigrant, who may have executed a contract at the same time with the same employer, shall be cancelled at the request of such person, and in such case an equal sum of money shall be paid to such person.

Not to embark emigrants on any vessel containing more than twenty persons without a pass from the embarkation agent.

34. It shall not be lawful for a garden-sirdar to embark any emigrants on board a vessel for conveyance to or towards a labor district, if the total number of persons to be carried by such vessel, exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying the emigrants, exceeds twenty, unless such emigrants are furnished with a pass by the embarkation agent in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act.

The embarkation agent shall not grant any such pass without a certificate from the medical inspector that such emigrants may be allowed to embark without danger to the health of other persons on board the vessel.

Pass not to be granted unless medical inspector is satisfied in regard to health.

35. As soon as possible after the arrival of the garden-sirdar with emigrants at the place of disembarkation, or at the nearest civil station in the district within which the emigrant has engaged to labor, the garden-sirdar shall report himself to the magistrate of the district or division of the district or to any subordinate magistrate whom the magistrate may depute for that purpose, and such magistrate shall check the number of emigrants landed with the number of those registered, and shall report to the superintendent of emigration any deaths which may have occurred on the journey. Any garden-sirdar who neglects to report himself as aforesaid shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Must report arrival in labor district.

Chapter 4.—Contractor.

36. The license granted to a contractor under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in the schedule (C) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding one hundred rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a contractor, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Form of license.

Fee.

Period.

37. It shall be the duty of every contractor to afford such information to the superintendent of emigration, and to make such returns and reports to him as the superintendent, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may from time to time require.

To give information to superintendent.

38. Every contractor shall forthwith, upon obtaining his license, establish a depôt in a place to be approved of by the superintendent of emigration. Every such depôt shall be maintained by such contractor for the reception of natives of India to be supplied or forwarded by or through him. All such natives shall on their arrival at or in the neighbourhood of the depôt so established by the contractor, by, through, to, or for whom they were engaged or forwarded, be forthwith received therein; and shall receive in such depôt, at the expense of such contractor, suitable lodging, food, clothing, and medical attendance, until such native shall be declared by the superintendent to be no longer thereto entitled. Every such depôt as aforesaid shall be under the supervision of the superintendent, and shall be open to his inspection and the inspection of the medical inspector at all times.

To establish and maintain depôts.

39. A contractor may without other license act as a recruiter, and shall in such case be subject to all the provisions hereinafter contained with regard to recruiters.

May act as recruiter.

40. In addition to the depôts for the reception of emigrants which the contractors are required to establish and maintain, the Lieutenant-Governor may at any time direct that a separate depôt shall be established and maintained at any place for the reception of emigrants who are affected with cholera or other contagious disease. Whenever such hospital depôt is established, every contractor may be required to contribute to the expense of establishing and maintaining it in such proportion as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct. Such hospital depôt shall be under the charge of the medical inspector, who shall be competent at any time to direct the transfer thereto of any emigrants on or after their arrival at any depôt.

Establishment of hospital depôt.

Contractor to contribute to expense.

Under charge of medical inspector.

Chapter 5.—Recruiter.

41. The license granted to a recruiter under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in schedule (D) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding sixteen rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a recruiter, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Form of license.

Fee.

Period.

42. Every recruiter shall hold a written pass signed by the contractor on whose behalf he is licensed to act.

Recruiter must hold a pass.

43. A recruiter shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant until his license has been countersigned by the magistrate of the district, or of the division of the district, or in Calcutta, until his license has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta; and such magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police shall, unless it appears to him that the person to whom a license has been granted is unfit to be employed as a recruiter, countersign such license.

No authority till license is countersigned by magistrate of recruiting district.

The magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police may at any time for any sufficient reason withdraw such license, provided that in any such case he shall record his reasons in writing, and shall forward a copy thereof without delay to the superintendent of emigration.

Magistrate may withdraw license and suspend recruiting.

44. The magistrate or the commissioner or deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta, to whom any recruiter's license shall have been exhibited for countersignature, shall not countersign the same until he shall be satisfied that sufficient accommodation

Recruiter to provide accommodation for natives before license is countersigned.

has been provided and is available for such natives of India as may be engaged by such recruiter pending their removal to a depôt.

Magistrate charged with superintendence of accommodation.

The magistrate of the district, or division of the district, in which there may be any such accommodation provided, shall have, for the supervision, management, and regulation of such accommodation, all such and the same powers and authorities as are vested in the superintendent of emigration for the supervision, management, and regulation of depôts which are subject to the powers and authority of the superintendent.

Native to be taken for examination to medical officer, who may reject.

45. Every native of India who shall, in any place or town within the said provinces, enter into any engagement with any recruiter to proceed to a labor district, for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall be brought by such recruiter before such medical officer as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time appoint to examine such natives within such place or town; or, if no such officer has been appointed, before such medical officer as the magistrate may direct. The medical officer shall thereupon examine the native brought by the recruiter, and shall reject him or shall certify in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and work for hire in a labor district.

If certified to be fit, native to be taken to magistrate.

46. Every such native who is certified by the medical officer, as required in the last preceding section, to be fit to emigrate to a labor district, shall thereupon appear with the recruiter before the magistrate of the district or division of the district within which the place or town where the engagement was entered into is situate. The recruiter shall at the same time produce his license to the magistrate.

Magistrate to examine native respecting the engagement.

On the appearance of such native the magistrate, after inspecting the medical certificate, shall examine him with reference to his engagement, and if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register in a book to be kept for the purpose—

If satisfied, magistrate will register certain particulars.

(1.) The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2.) The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3.) The contractor's depôt to which it is intended that he shall proceed;

(4.) The labor district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(5.) The period of service;

(6.) The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

If dissatisfied, will reject.

If the magistrate thinks that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the recruiter shall not have produced his license, he shall refuse to register such native.

Copy of registration to be given to emigrant.

47. A certified copy of his registration, written on substantial paper, shall be furnished by the magistrate to each emigrant.

Copy of registration and medical certificate to be sent to superintendent.

48. A certified copy of every such registration and the original certificate of the medical officer shall be forthwith forwarded by the magistrate to the superintendent of emigration.

Fee for registration.

49. For the registration of every such native the recruiter shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

50. The provisions of the five preceding sections shall be applicable to all natives of India engaged by recruiters within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall be brought for registration before the superintendent of emigration therein.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

51. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any recruiter from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract in a district under such control, shall be presented by the recruiter for medical examination and registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Penalty for forwarding natives without registration.

52. Every recruiter, who forwards or accompanies any native of India from the district or division of the district within which the place or town where he has been recruited is situate, or into which, under the last preceding section, he has first come, or who induces any such native to leave such district or division of district for the purpose of proceeding to a labor district, without being duly registered as above required; or who forwards, accompanies, or induces any such native to proceed to any depôt other than the depôt registered under section 38, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished in respect of every such native so forwarded, accompanied, or induced, with a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to one month.

Recruiter must accompany emigrants to depôt, or depute person approved by magistrate.

53. All emigrants proceeding to a depôt shall be accompanied throughout the journey by the recruiter himself, or by a competent person appointed by him with the approval of the magistrate, by whom such emigrants have been registered. The magistrate shall give to the person so appointed a certificate under his signature stating that he has been appointed for the journey to the depôt.

Recruiter must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

54. Every recruiter, by whom any emigrant is forwarded or accompanied to a depôt, shall, throughout the journey, provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging. If it shall appear to a

magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant at any place on the journey, that the recruiter has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging at such place, such recruiter shall, on conviction by such magistrate, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees. The whole or any portion of such fine may be awarded to such emigrant as compensation. If the fine be not paid within twenty-four hours, the recruiter shall be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to one month.

Chapter 6.—Depôt.

Contractor to report arrival of emigrants.

55. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival at any depôt of any emigrant, the contractor by whom such depôt is maintained shall give to the superintendent of emigration a notice in writing of such arrival, which notice shall be in such form and shall contain such particulars as the superintendent shall prescribe.

Emigrants to be inspected by medical inspector immediately on arrival.

56. The copy of the registration and the medical certificate of every emigrant received by the superintendent as provided in section 48 shall be shown to the medical inspector; and all emigrants shall be inspected by the medical inspector at the depôt. If he be satisfied that an emigrant is in a fit state of health, and able in point of physical condition to journey to and labor in a labor district, he shall countersign the copy of the registration; if he be not satisfied thereof, he shall give a certificate to that effect to the superintendent.

Medical inspector to examine emigrant if medical certificate not given.

The medical inspector shall examine any emigrant in regard to whom a medical certificate is not forthcoming, and shall certify whether such emigrant is in his opinion in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor district; and if satisfied of his fitness, he shall countersign the copy of the registration.

Emigrant rejected by medical inspector to be sent back.

57. If the medical inspector shall cerify that any emigrant so examined is in such a state of health that his journey to a labor district would be dangerous to himself or to others, or that he is unfit for labor in a labor district, the superintendent may order the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, if such emigrant has been forwarded or brought to the depôt by a garden-sirdar, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged. Provided that any such person, who from his state of health is, in the opinion of the medical inspector, unfit to undertake the journey back to the place where he was engaged, shall, until he is reported by the medical inspector fit to undertake such journey, be fed, clothed, lodged, and medically attended at the expense of such contractor, or of such garden-sirdar, as the case may be. If such contractor or garden-sirdar negligently or wilfully omits to provide food, clothing, lodging and medical attendance for such person, the superintendent may order such contractor or garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

58. Whenever an emigrant remains behind or is detained under the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so remaining behind or detained. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain behind with the father or mother.

Emigrant ill-treated during journey may obtain compensation.

59. If upon the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, it shall appear to the superintendent of emigration on the complaint of such emigrant, that he has suffered any ill-treatment on the journey, or that the recruiter or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging, the superintendent may cause him to be removed from the depôt, and may order the contractor or garden-sirdar, for or by whom he shall have been taken to such depôt, to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation, or sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged, and in such latter case he shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Contract to be explained by superintendent and executed in duplicate, and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by superintendent.

60. Every emigrant, who is passed by the medical inspector as in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and labor in a labor district, shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract before he is forwarded from the depôt. Such contract shall, in the presence of the superintendent of emigration, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the employer with whom he intends to contract or his agent. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. Before the emigrant signs the cortract, the superintendent shall personally explain it to him, and shall attest such contract and certify at the foot thereof that he has personally explained the same. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the superintendent for the purpose, and after such contract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant, and the other to the person with whom he has contracted or his agent.

The superintendent shall, within seven days after the entry of such abstract, send by post a certified copy of every such abstract to the magistrate of the district in which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Penalty on emigrant refusing to execute contract.

61. Any emigrant who, without reasonable cause, refuses to execute such contract in conformity with the engagement previously registered shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punished with a fine equal in amount to the entire cost incurred by, or on behalf of, the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, in engaging, registering, and bringing or forwarding him to the depôt, and shall forthwith be discharged from such depôt. Every fine levied under the provisions of this section shall be paid to the

contractor or garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom the person from whom such fine shall have been levied was originally registered.

Penalty on contractor failing to provide contract.

62. If within thirty days after the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, the contractor or, if he has been engaged by a garden-sirdar, the garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom such emigrant has been registered, shall not tender to him for execution such contract as under the provisions of the preceding sections he would be bound to execute, the superintendent may order the contractor or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place where he was engaged, and in such case such emigrant shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Money ordered to be paid by superintendent may be advanced by him and recovered.

63. If any contractor or garden-sirdar who may be ordered, under the provisions of sections 57, 59, and 62, to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the superintendent to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the person named in such order, and to recover from such contractor or garden-sirdar or his employer the sum so advanced, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Chapter 7.—Transport.

Transport rules when applicable.

64. The provisions of this chapter excepting sections 70, 79, 80, 81, 82, and so much of section 97 as refers to sections 29, 31, 32, and 33, shall not apply to the transport of emigrants recruited by a garden-sirdar when the number of such emigrants does not exceed twenty, unless they have embarked under a pass from the embarkation agent in accordance with the provisions of section 34.

Emigrant to be forwarded to labor district with permission of superintendent.

65. When the contract of any emigrant has been duly executed, he may, with the permission of the superintendent of emigration, be forwarded to the labor district in which he has engaged to labor by the contractor in whose depôt he is residing, or by the employer with whom he has made the contract or his agent. Every such emigrant shall be furnished with a pass in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act, signed by the contractor or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and countersigned by the superintendent of emigration and by the embarkation agent at the place at which the laborer embarks, specifying his name and age, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer. Every such pass shall be entered in a book to be kept by the embarkation agent, and shall be dated and numbered in a consecutive series.

To be furnished with a pass.

Vessel must be licensed to carry emigrants.

66. It shall not be lawful for the master of any vessel, without a license granted by the embarkation agent within the local limits of whose authority any emigrant may embark, to convey more than twenty emigrants at any one time to or towards any labor district; provided always that the number of persons (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) carried by any vessel shall not exceed twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34.

Fee for license.

A fee not exceeding four annas for every emigrant shall be paid for every such license, and it shall be in the discretion of the embarkation agent to whom application is made to grant or withhold any such license. Such license shall be in force for only one voyage to one or more of the labor districts, and shall specify the number of emigrants which the vessel is licensed to carry and the number of persons (including the crew) other than emigrants whom such vessel is licensed to carry.

Penalty for carrying without license.

The master of any vessel, in which at one time more than twenty emigrants are conveyed without a license having been obtained as aforesaid, or in which the number of persons on board (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for delay in despatching vessel.

67. Such license shall state the date on which the vessel shall leave the place at which the emigrants are to embark. If the vessel does not leave such place and proceed on its voyage within 24 hours of the day fixed, the master thereof shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each day during which the vessel remains at or within five miles of the place of embarkation. Provided that such penalty shall not be incurred if the delay is caused by or with the sanction of the embarkation agent or by any casualty incidental to or attending navigation, or is due to other reasonable and sufficient cause.

Fraudulent alteration of vessel after grant of certificate.

68. If the master of any vessel, after having obtained a license as aforesaid, fraudulently does or suffers to be done any act or thing whereby the state of the vessel is altered, so that such vessel is unfit for the accommodation of the number of emigrants mentioned in such license, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for receiving on board more passengers than number specified in license.

69. The master of any vessel licensed to carry emigrants, who receives on board his vessel a greater number of emigrants or other persons than the number specified in his license shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every emigrant or other person so received in excess of the licensed number.

Two children under ten to be counted as one person.

70. In computing under this Act the number of persons on board of any vessel, two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

No emigrant to be received on board without pass.

71. The master of any vessel, whether licensed or not, shall not take on board any emigrant, if the number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, unless such emigrant, or some person accompanying him, shall show the pass prescribed by section 65 countersigned by the embarkation agent; or if the

number of persons to be carried by such vessel (exclusive of the crew or of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34. The master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine not exceeding ten rupees for every emigrant illegally taken on board.

Embarkation agent to furnish the master with a list of emigrants on board.

72. The master of a licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall not proceed on the voyage towards a labor district until he has received from the embarkation agent a list of all the emigrants on board.

List what to contain.

Such list shall contain all the particulars noted in the pass of each such emigrant; but if all the emigrants whose names are entered in any one pass embark on board the same vessel, it shall be sufficient if the number and date of such pass are noted in the list.

To be compared with emigrants by agent and master.

The embarkation agent and the master of the vessel shall together personally ascertain that the number of emigrants on board corresponds with the number entered in such list.

Penalty for admitting emigrants not in list.

If the master of such vessel allows any emigrant not entered in such list to proceed in the vessel, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Copy of list to be sent to magistrate.

The embarkation agent shall send a copy of the said list or an extract from it to the magistrate of the labor district to which any of the emigrants are proceeding.

Provisions, medical and other stores, medical officers, cooks, &c.

73. There shall be laden under the supervision of the embarkation agent on board of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants to or towards any labor district, at the time of the embarkation of such emigrants, such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required under the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act.

Penalty if master proceeds without.

The master of any such vessel who shall commence the voyage without having on board such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Vessel carrying 200 emigrants must carry a qualified medical officer.

74. No vessel carrying two hundred emigrants shall be allowed to proceed on the voyage unless a medical officer, who is a licentiate in medicine, or who is declared to be qualified for such charge by order of the Lieutenant-Governor, has been appointed to the charge of such emigrants. And any master who shall commence the voyage without having on board such medical officer as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, and, in default of payment, imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

Emigrant not allowed finally to leave vessel at any place other than that mentioned in pass.

75. If the master of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall, save as hereinafter is provided, cause or permit any emigrant finally to leave such vessel at any place other than that named as the destination of such emigrant in his pass, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each such offence. Provided always that this section shall not be deemed to prevent the master of any vessel from permitting emigrants to disembark at any place or places on the voyage so long as such disembarkation is not intended or known to be likely to be final; nor to prevent the final disembarkation of any emigrants in case of accident or other unavoidable necessity, if such accident or necessity be forthwith reported to the embarkation agent by whom the license of such vessel was granted, and to the nearest magistrate in the district within which such accident may occur or necessity arise.

Master to report arrival of emigrants at every intermediate station where there is a magistrate.

76. Every licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall stop at every place in which a magistrate is stationed, intermediate between the places of embarkation and disembarkation of such emigrants, and shall remain during not less than six hours of daylight. The master of every such vessel shall immediately on arrival report to the magistrate, or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 94, the number of emigrants on board, the general state of their health, and the number of deaths (if any) which have occurred among the persons who embarked on such vessel.

Any master who wilfully omits to comply with the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may at any time inspect vessel.

77. A magistrate may at any time go on board of any such licensed vessel carrying emigrants while within the limits of his jurisdiction, and may inspect the vessel, the emigrants, and all persons on board.

Master bound to give all information required.

The master and officers of such vessel shall be bound to afford to such magistrate all reasonable facility for such inspection, and to give him all such information respecting the emigrants or other persons on board as may be reasonably required, and respecting any deaths which may have occurred on board, and respecting any other facts which may affect the health of the emigrants.

Penalty for omission.

Any master or other officer, who wilfully omits to give any such information to such magistrate, shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may regulate communication between vessel and land.

78. On the arrival of such vessel, or at any time while it is within the limits of his jurisdiction, the magistrate may regulate the communication between such vessel and the land, and may prohibit all persons from leaving the vessel and all persons on land

from proceeding on board. And any person not complying with any order made under this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may detain vessel for inspection and for removal of disease and may detain sick emigrants.

79. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that any emigrants on board any vessel within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such vessel, and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants on board such vessel, and to report on their health, and whether any or what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease. After the submission of such report the magistrate may detain the vessel for a further period not exceeding five days for the purpose of carrying out such measures, if any, recommended by the medical officer in his report, and he may further detain at such station for medical treatment any emigrant who is affected with any infectious or contagious disease.

Magistrate may detain emigrants proceeding by land.

80. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that a party of emigrants proceeding by land within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such party and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants and to report on their health, and whether any and what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease, and the magistrate may further detain for medical treatment such party or such emigrants of the party as are affected with any infectious or contagious disease for such period as the medical officer may certify to be requisite.

Magistrate may detain sick emigrants,

and shall arrange for their accommodation and treatment.

81. If in any case whatever it appears to a magistrate expedient that any emigrant, in consequence of ill health, should not be allowed to proceed towards a labor district, he may order the detention of such emigrant; and in such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant.

Expenses how to be recovered.

82. All expenses incurred under sections 79, 80, or 81, by a magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, in respect of any emigrant so detained, shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the contractor by whom the emigrant has been engaged or forwarded; or in the case of an emigrant engaged by a garden-sirdar, from the employer from whom such garden-sirdar received his certificate.

Measures to be taken if excess number of emigrants is found on board.

83. If it appears to a magistrate making an inspection of any licensed vessel that the number of emigrants on board is larger than the number specified in the license, he may remove the excess number and detain them until another opportunity of forwarding them to their destination is found. The necessary expense of maintaining such emigrants, and of conveying them to their destination, shall be recoverable by such magistrate or other officer who may have been deputed as aforesaid from the master of such vessel.

Infraction of the Act and rules to be reported.

84. In any case in which, on making an inspection of a licensed vessel, a magistrate shall find that any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act have not been complied with, he shall report the same to the embarkation agent by whom the license to carry the emigrants was granted to such vessel; and, if the circumstances of the case are such as in such magistrate's opinion make it necessary so to do, he may detain the vessel until the provisions of this Act, or any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor as aforesaid, have been complied with, so far as to make it possible for the voyage to be further prosecuted with safety and reasonable comfort to the emigrants.

Vessel may be detained.

On arrival of licensed vessel at the place of disembarkation, the master shall give information to the magistrate.

85. Whenever any licensed vessel carrying emigrants arrives at a civil station at which it is intended that any of such emigrants shall disembark, the master shall immediately give notice of the arrival to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, and shall forward to him at the same time the list furnished to him by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72, or a copy of so much of the said list as relates to the emigrants who are to disembark. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate.

Magistrate shall send information to employer or agent,

and direct medical inspection.

Immediately on the receipt of such notice the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. And he shall at the same time direct the civil medical officer of the station, or other qualified medical officer, to go on board such vessel and to inspect such emigrants.

Report of medical inspection.

Such medical officer shall, without delay, make a careful inspection of all such emigrants; and, after making such inspection, shall prepare and sign a report, in which he shall certify the state of health and general condition of each emigrant so inspected.

Sick emigrants to be detained at station.

86. The magistrate shall detain at the station for medical treatment any emigrant who is, in the opinion of the medical officer, in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the place at which he has contracted to labor. In such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant, and all expenses so incurred by the magistrate in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrant has contracted.

87. The magistrate shall also ascertain whether reasonable provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination. If

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e is satisfied that such reasonable provision has en made, the employer with whom such emi-ants have contracted or his agent shall forth-ith take charge of such emigrants except those, if any, detained under the provisions of the last preceding section. But if such reasonable provision has not n made, or if the employer or his agent shall be present at the place of disembarkation, magistrate shall order such arrangements to made, and incur such expenses as under the circumstances may seem to him necessary; and the amount of expenses so in-d by him in the disembarkation, or in respect e food, lodging, medicines, hospital atten-, or clothing of the laborers, shall, with st at the rate of twelve per centum per n, be recoverable by him from the employer whom such emigrants have contracted.

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. If it is intended that the emigrants on board of any licensed vessel shall disembark at a place which is not a civil station, the master of such vessel shall report the arrival, as required tion 85, to the magistrate or such officer as ave been deputed by the magistrate in behalf under the provisions of section the last civil station which such vessel pass before arriving at the said place of barkation, and shall not proceed on his e until the medical inspection of such ants has been made as provided in the section. The master shall not permit any emigrants to leave the vessel without the order e magistrate. Immediately on the receipt uch notice, the magistrate shall send in-ation of the arrival of the emigrants to mployers with whom they have contracted, the agents of such persons. When such ction has been made, the magistrate shall, ut delay, authorize the master to proceed on oyage, provided that he may, if he thinks detain any emigrant who is unfit to proceed r the provisions of section 81.

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90. Whenever an emigrant is detained under the provisions of sections 81, 86, or 88, or is further conveyed under the provisions of section 89, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so detained, or to be taken forward along with the emigrant so further conveyed. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain, or be taken forward with the father or mother.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

91. Every medical officer who is required to make a report under the provisions of this chapter, shall submit such report to the magistrate, and shall enter therein the name and age of each emigrant, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer, as set forth in the list prepared by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72.

Particulars to be entered in the reports of medical officers.

92. The magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, shall make a detailed report to the superintendent of emigration, of the arrival of all emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, and of all proceedings taken and orders passed by him under the provisions of this chapter, and shall forward with such report a copy of every report made to him by a medical officer relating to emigrants proceeding to a labor district. He shall also forward to the superintendent any observations which he or the medical officer may think fit to make in regard to the state of health and general condition of the emigrants. Whenever such reports or observations relate to emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, he shall forward them to the embarkation agent by whom such emigrants were despatched, and the agent shall transmit them to the superintendent with any remarks which he may desire to record.

Magistrate to report arrival of all emigrants, and all proceedings, to the superintendent of emigration;

in certain cases through the embarkation agent.

93. The magistrate of a district, or of a division of a district, may depute any subordinate magistrate to exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on a magistrate under the provisions of sections 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 83, 84, 85, 86, 88, and 92.

Magistrate may depute a subordinate magistrate to discharge the functions of the magistrate.

Penalty, if master or medical officer neglects to enforce rules.

94. Every master of a vessel, or medical officer in charge of emigrants on board of any vessel carrying emigrants, who shall wilfully and knowingly neglect or refuse to obey or to enforce on board of such vessel any rule which may from time to time be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Jurisdiction, if offence created by this Act is committed on board.

95. Any offence against any of the provisions of this chapter, or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act, committed on board of any vessel, may be tried by any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in any place at which emigrants may have embarked on board such vessel, or may have disembarked from such vessel, or in any place in which such vessel may be detained under the provisions of this Act.

Punishment of emigrant for desertion.

96. Any emigrant who deserts while in transit from the district in which he has been registered to the district in which he has engaged to labor may, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a period which may extend to three months. Such offence may be inquired into and tried in the district in which such emigrant is apprehended, or in the district in which the desertion took place, or in the district in which he was registered.

Provisions of sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, 88 to apply to children, &c., accompanying emigrants.

97. The provisions with regard to engaged natives of India and emigrants contained in sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, and 88 of this Act, shall be applicable to such women, children, and aged relatives of such natives and emigrants as may, with the consent of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and with the written permission of the registering magistrate or superintendent, accompany them without having entered into an engagement.

PART III.—LABOR DISTRICTS.

Chapter 8.—Inland Labor Transport Fund.

Annual rate payable by employers.

98. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time, by order published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, fix a yearly rate, not exceeding one rupee and eight annas per laborer, for the purpose of defraying the expense of carrying out the purposes of this Act; and the sum or rate so fixed shall be paid half-yearly by each employer on the last day of July and the last day of January in each year for each laborer entered in the last return of laborers furnished (as is hereinafter provided) by such employer before such date.

Payment of rate how to be enforced.

99. If any employer shall fail to comply with the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to notify such default to him; and if within one month from the receipt of such notification, or such longer period as it may, under special circumstances, appear to the magistrate reasonable, such employer shall not so comply, the magistrate shall, by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer, levy the sum so payable.

If there shall be no such moveable property, or insufficient moveable property so found, the amount shall be recoverable by a civil regular suit from the person for whose benefit the laborers in respect of whom the same may be payable shall have been employed. In every such suit the Government shall be named as plaintiff, and the cause of action shall be taken to have arisen within the limits of the jurisdiction of any court having jurisdiction at any place where any such laborers may have been employed by such employer.

Fines, fees, and rates to be credited to "Inland Labor Transport Fund."

100. Subject to the powers conferred on a magistrate by this Act or by the Code of Criminal Procedure of awarding fines in whole or in part as compensation or for the benefit of any complainant or other person, all fines, fees, and rates levied and under this Act shall be credited to a fund shall be called the "Inland Labor Transport Fund," and such fund shall be at the disposal of the Lieutenant-Governor for defraying the expenses of carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Chapter 9.—Inspector's Returns and Magistrate's Inspections.

Appointment of inspectors and assistant inspectors.

101. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint in any labor district as many inspectors and assistant inspectors of labor as he may think fit, and may define, by notification in the *Gazette*, the local limits within which each inspector and assistant inspector shall exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on him by this Act. Such inspectors and assistant inspectors may be vested with any of the powers of a magistrate.

Establishment.

102. The Lieutenant-Governor may authorize inspectors and assistant inspectors to employ such establishment as he may think fit.

Duty of assistant inspector.

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Half-yearly report of laborers employed, of their state of health, and of mortality.

103. Every employer shall, on or before last day of January and last day of July in each every year, make writing, and deliver inspector of laborers, a return of the number all laborers (as well laborers defined by the as others) employed by such employer on the day of the preceding month, and return sickness and mortality among the laborers the preceding six months.

Penalty for omission to furnish such report or for submitting false report.

104. If any employer shall refuse or wilfully omit duly to send in such return, or shall knowingly send in an incorrect return, such employer shall on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

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108. No laborer shall be bound to work under his contract more than six days in one week, or more than six hours consecutively, or more than nine hours on any one day.

Maximum amount of labor.

109. If at any time the inspector considers such schedule of daily tasks or any part thereof to be unreasonable, he shall refer the consideration of such schedule to a committee consisting of the inspector, of some employer to be nominated by him, and of some person to be nominated by the employer whose schedule is to be considered, or on his default by the inspector.

Inspector may submit schedule to a committee.

110. In case the said committee or the majority in number thereof are of opinion that the daily tasks in such schedule contained, or any of them, unreasonable, they shall modify and reduce such daily tasks in such manner as they shall deem reasonable, and such schedule so modified shall be published in manner aforesaid, and every schedule published as aforesaid shall have effect as between the employer and laborers in substitution for any former schedule.

Committee to revise schedule.

Chapter 11.—*Incapacity for Labor.*

111. It shall be lawful for the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority any laborer may be employed, to suspend, for such period as he shall consider advisable, the contract of such laborer, or any particular term thereof, if such laborer shall be, in the judgment of such inspector, temporarily unfitted for the performance thereof by reason of sickness, pregnancy, or other sufficient cause. Provided that every such suspension shall be endorsed by the inspector on the contract. Provided also that every such laborer shall, during such incapacity, receive such subsistence money from his employer as shall be considered sufficient by the inspector, and that the time during which the suspension continues shall not be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve.

Inspector may suspend contract of any laborer temporarily unfitted for labor.

112. If it shall be found that any laborer has been compelled to perform any species of labor for which he was at the time unfit, the employer by whom he was so employed shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for compelling laborer to perform work for which he is unfit.

113. If, in the opinion of the inspector of laborers, any laborer shall be permanently incapacitated for the performance of his contract or any material part thereof, the inspector shall certify to that effect in writing, and deliver such certificate to the employer of such laborer or some one on his behalf, and from the date of such certificate the contract of such laborer shall wholly cease and determine. The inspector shall make a return of all such cases of determination of contract in his report under section 195. Every laborer whose contract shall have been determined as aforesaid, shall be entitled to receive from his employer such sum, not exceeding three months' wages, as the inspector may award, and such sum shall be recoverable before a magistrate in the manner hereinafter provided for the recovery of wages.

Discharge of laborers permanently incapacitated.

Chapter 12.—Necessary Provision for Laborers.

Sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, and sanitary arrangements to be provided.

114. Whenever any laborers shall be employed in any labor district, the employer of such laborers shall be bound to provide for them sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice.

Hospital, medicines, &c., to be provided.

115. Every employer shall be bound to provide for his laborers such sufficient hospital accommodation, and such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor; and if three hundred or more laborers shall be employed by any employer, it shall be the duty of such employer to place in medical charge of such laborers a medical officer holding a medical diploma as licentiate in medicine, from some Indian or European collegiate institution authorized to grant diplomas, or an officer for the time being licensed by the local Government to act in such medical charge of laborers.

Inquiry whether employer has failed to provide as required by the rules.

116. It shall be lawful for any inspector or assistant inspector who is himself a magistrate, to institute within his jurisdiction, on the lands in charge of any employer, or at some place within his jurisdiction not more than ten miles distant from such lands, an inquiry whether such employer has provided for his laborers sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice. On the complaint of any inspector or assistant inspector a similar inquiry may be made by a magistrate.

Punishment for gross neglect as to house accommodation, &c., and for wilfully omitting to comply with the order of the magistrate in such respect.

117. If the employer is convicted of gross neglect in not having provided sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, such employer shall be punished with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees. In any case where a magistrate shall find that proper or sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, has not been provided, he may order the employer to provide such proper and sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice. If the employer wilfully omits to comply with such order, he shall, on conviction, be punished with a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees a day for every day that such omission continues. In default of payment by the employer of the last mentioned fine, the person on whose account such employer has been acting shall be liable to pay the fine.

Penalty for failure to provide hospital accommodation, &c.

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Deserting may be apprehended without warrant.

123. If any laborer deserts or attempts to desert from his employer's service, such employer or any other person acting in his behalf may, without first procuring a warrant, and without the assistance of any police officer (who, nevertheless, shall be bound to give such assistance if called upon to do so), apprehend such laborer wherever he may be found. Provided, nevertheless, that if such laborer be found in the service of another employer, he shall not be arrested without a warrant. Provided also that such employer or other person shall without delay give the said laborer in charge at the nearest police station, and there enter the charge upon which he shall have apprehended such laborer.

To be taken to nearest magistrate.

Any laborer so given in charge shall be conveyed, without delay, to the nearest magistrate; and, if the place from which such laborer is charged with having deserted, be within the jurisdiction of such magistrate, he shall himself adjudicate upon the charge; but if not, he shall forward the said laborer, under custody, to the magistrate within whose jurisdiction such place may be situated, who shall adjudicate upon such charge.

Punishment.

Every laborer who deserts from his employer's service shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with rigorous imprisonment which may extend to one month; and every laborer, who after having been convicted of desertion, shall again desert from his employer's service, shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with rigorous imprisonment for a period which may extend to two months; and every laborer who, after having been twice convicted of desertion shall again desert shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Conviction not to operate as a release.

124. On the expiry of any sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, save as is provided in section 125, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to make over such laborer to any person appointed on the part of his employer to receive charge of him; and no conviction under this Act, or imprisonment under such conviction, shall, save as is provided in section 125, be held to operate as a release to any laborer from the terms of his contract. Provided, nevertheless, that the period of imprisonment shall in no case be prolonged by reason of their being no person present on the part of the employer to take charge of the laborer at the expiry to his sentence; but such laborer shall in that case be sent to the principal place of business of such employer, and the expense of such conveyance shall be levied from the employer in the manner provided in section 99.

125. Whenever any laborer shall have actually suffered imprisonment amounting in the whole to six months for desertion from his employer's service, it shall be lawful for the inspector, and he is hereby required, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and every such cancellation shall be certified by the inspector on the back of the contract.

Cancellation of contract by desertion.

126. The employer, or any person authorized to act for the employer, of any laborer imprisoned for any offence under this Act, may apply to a magistrate, at any time previous to the expiry of such sentence, that such laborer be made over to him for the purpose of completing his contract; and such magistrate may, if he see good cause, make over or forward such laborer to his employer; and in that case such magistrate shall cancel the remainder of the sentence passed on him, and shall endorse on the contract of such laborer a memorandum signed by him of such cancellation.

Portion of sentence may be cancelled on application of employer.

127. Every employer who obtains an order for the return or forwarding of any laborer who has deserted, shall pay the expense incurred in such return or forwarding, and shall, before the order is issued, deposit with the magistrate such sum as such magistrate may in his discretion deem to be sufficient for defraying the expense of such return or forwarding.

Expense of restoring deserting laborer to be paid by employer.

128. The duration of every unlawful absence from labor, of which any laborer may be convicted, and every sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, shall be endorsed on the contract, at the time of its being passed, by the officer passing it; and no such period of imprisonment or unlawful absence so endorsed shall be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve, but such term shall extend to such further period as shall be equivalent to the aggregate amount of the imprisonment and unlawful absence so endorsed.

Time of unlawful absence or imprisonment to be excluded from contract period.

129. Any person who knowingly and wilfully entices away, harbours, or employs, or attempts to entice from his employment, any laborer, before such laborer shall have been lawfully released from his contract, shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with fine, the whole or any portion of which may be awarded to the employer of such laborer.

Other person enticing away, harbouring, or employing laborer under contract.

Chapter 15.—Complaints made by Laborers.

130. If any laborer states to his employer, or to any person acting for such employer, that he desires to make a complaint to the inspector of laborers of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act on the part of such employer or other person, the person to whom such statement is made shall, within forty-eight hours send notice thereof in writing to the inspectors and in default of so doing, such person shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

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Contract may be declared cancelled, if employer is convicted of maltreatment by session court, or twice by magistrate;

136. If any employer, or any person placed in authority over any laborer by such employer, shall be convicted of any offence causing injury to the person or property of such laborer triable under the Code of Criminal Procedure by the court of session; or if any such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall be twice convicted of any such offence against such laborer triable under the said Code by a magistrate;

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or if it shall be proved before a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear to an amount exceeding the total of such laborer's wages for four months; or if a magistrate shall, on the report of the inspector and after due inquiry, upon oath, in the presence of the parties, be satisfied that any laborer has been compelled to perform any labor while he was unfit for it, or has been subjected to ill-usage by such employer,

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or any other person placed in authority over the laborer by such employer; it shall be lawful for the magistrate, if he think fit, on the application of the laborer, in each of such cases, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and award to him compensation not exceeding thirty rupees, and every such cancelment shall be certified by the magistrate on the back of such contract.

Chapter 16.—Determination of Contract.

Laborer may appear before the inspector to register completion of contract.

137. Every laborer who has completed the term of his contract shall be forthwith entitled to appear before the inspector or assistant inspector in order that the completion of his contract may be registered.

Penalty if employer detains, or omits to report.

If an employer detains such laborer after the completion of his contract, or fails to give notice of such completion to the inspector within one month after the date of such completion, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Power to redeem contract.

138. If any laborer is able and desirous to redeem the unexpired term of his contract of service by payment of a sum equivalent to the value thereof, such laborer may demand to be taken or allowed to go before the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority he may be employed, and on his depositing such sum in the hands of such inspector, such inspector shall give notice to the employer that such laborer requires him within one week to show cause why the contract of such laborer should not be released; and, in case no sufficient cause should be shown, such inspector shall require the production of the contract of such laborer, and endorse thereon a certificate of release by purchase, and shall hold the sum in deposit on account of the employer of such laborer. If any employer, or other person authorized to act for the employer, shall neglect to comply with such demand as aforesaid, such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Value of unexpired term of contract.

The value of the unexpired term of contract shall be deemed to be the aggregate amount of one rupee for every month of the unexpired portion of the first year, of three rupees for every such month of the second year, and of five rupees for every such month of the third year, of the original term of the laborer's engagement.

Certificate to be given of determination of contract.

139. Every laborer the period of whose contract has expired, or whose contract has been rescinded by the mutual consent of the parties thereto, or whose contract has been cancelled or redeemed under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to receive forthwith from the inspector a certificate of release in the form set forth in Schedule (F) annexed to this Act.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 17.)

FORM OF CONTRACT BETWEEN EMIGRANT AND EMPLOYER.

"THIS contract made under Bengal Act of 187 , between (*emigrant's name*) of the one part and (*employer's name*) of the other part. Whereas the said (*employer's name*) has promised the said (*emigrant's name*) (hereinafter called 'the emigrant') that, if he the said emigrant do proceed to the district (*name of*) in (*name of labor district*) and do remain and labor therein on the estate of the said (*employer's name*) his successors, representatives and assigns (hereinafter called 'the employer'), he the said employer will from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, for years from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate, and during such period he the said employer will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

Now this contract witnesseth that the said emigrant doth hereby, in consideration of the aforesaid promise by the said employer and of the agreement by him hereinafter contained, agree with the said employer that he the said emigrant will, so soon after the execution of these presents as he shall be required so to do, proceed to the said district (*name of*) in (*name of labor district*), and will there remain and labor on the estate of the said employer for a period of years from the date of his, the said emigrant's, arrival on such estate. And this contract further witnesseth that the said employer doth hereby, on consideration of the said agreement by the said emigrant, agree with the said emigrant that he, the said employer will with all convenient despatch after the execution of these presents, convey or cause to be conveyed the said emigrant free of all costs unto the estate of the said employer in the district aforesaid, and will from the date of his the said emigrant's arrival on such estate employ the said emigrant as a laborer for the period aforesaid, and will pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, and will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

In witness whereof the said parties to these presents

have hereunto set their hands the day of 187 ."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

Note.—If the contract is one under section 28, it must be signed by the garden-sirdar on behalf of the employer, if under section 61, by the person with whom the emigrant intends to contract, or his agent. It must, if under section 28, be executed before the magistrate; if under sections 29 or 61, before the superintendent of emigration. The execution of the contract, if under section 16, must be attested by the superintendent of emigration, who must also append to the foot thereof a certificate to the following effect:

"I hereby certify that before the within-mentioned (*emigrant's name*) signed this contract, I personally explained it to him.

(Sd.) ——————

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE B.

(*See Section* 18.)

Form of Garden-Sirdar's Certificate.

"*Garden-Sirdar's Certificate, required under Section* 19 *of Bengal Act of* 187 .

Name of garden-sirdar.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Height.		General appearance and characteristic marks.	Name of place and description of lands on which labor is to be performed.	District (or Calcutta) where natives are to be engaged.	Number of natives the bearer is authorized to engage.	*Name of contractor to whose depôt natives should be conveyed.	Remarks.
				Feet.	In.						

* *N.B.*—If the number of natives engaged exceed twenty, they will have to go to a contractor's depôt.

Countersigned (under Section 19) on the 187 .

six months from which date this certificate ceases to be in force.

Magistrate of "

(Sd.)

Employer."

Dated 187 .

SCHEDULE C.

(*See Sections* 14 *and* 36).

FORM OF CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.

"A. B. is hereby licensed to act, throughout the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, as a contractor for engaging and supplying natives for the purpose of laboring for hire in the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE D.

(*See Sections* 14 *and* 41).

FORM OF RECRUITER'S LICENSE.

"C. D. is hereby licensed to act on behalf of A. B., a licensed contractor, as a recruiter for engaging or inducing natives to proceed to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE E.

(*See Sections* 34 *and* 65).

FORM OF EMIGRANT'S PASS.

Name of emigrant.	Age.	Father's name.	Name of employer.	Place in which emigrant has contracted to labor.	Place of disembarkation.

"The emigrants above described are permitted to embark on the , which will leave on the , for the purpose of proceeding to the district of .

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) R. M.,

Contractor [*or Garden-sirdar*].

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) G. D.,

Superintendent of Emigration.

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) A. L.,

Embarkation Agent."

Note.—When the pass is granted by the embarkation agent to emigrants brought to him by a garden-sirdar under the provisions of section 34, it need not be signed by the superintendent of emigration.

Note.—The names of any number of emigrants proceeding in the same vessel may be entered in one pass.

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 139.)

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE ON DETERMINATION OF CONTRACT.

"I hereby certify that the contract entered into on the day of 187 , under Act of 187 , between [*laborer's name*] of the one part, and [*employer's name*] of the other part, has been determined by effluxion of time (or 'by mutual consent,' or 'under the provisions of section of the said Act,' as the case may be).

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand day of 187 .

Inspector of Laborers."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

L. A. GOODEVE,

Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt. of Bengal,

Judicial and Legislative Depts.

The following Supplementary Report of the Select Committee on the "Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," is published for general information:—

We, the Select Committee on the "Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract-labor and service therein," have read and considered the correspondence noted in the margin relating to a proposal by the Lieutenant-Governor to provide for the gradual introduction of a system of free recruiting of laborers for the labor districts.

The Committee are unanimously of opinion that the systems of free recruiting and recruiting under the Act cannot work side by side. They do not feel themselves able, on the materials before them, to recommend that Cachar or any other district should be exempted from the operation of the Act, or to make any specific recommendation to the Council on the general subject.

G. C. PAUL.
V. H. SCHALCH.
C. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

L. A. GOODEVE,
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Judicial and Legislative Depts.

The 27th August 1873.

From Messrs. Whitney Brothers and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. W. Moran and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. Lyall, Bennie and Company, dated 4th July 1873.
From Messrs. Steel, McIntosh and Company, dated 4th July 1873, and enclosure.
From Dr. C. A. Kernot, M.D., dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs. Robert and Charriol, dated 9th July 1873.
From R. J. Staunton, Esq., dated 10th July 1873.
From Messrs. Young, Gray and Company, dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs. Jardine, Skinner and Company, dated 12th July 1873.
Memorandum by the Collector of Sylhet, dated 8th July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 9th July 1873.
Extract from the *Englishman* of the 9th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Indian Daily News* of the 10th and 12th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Hindu Patriot* of the 14th July 1873.
From R. Blechynden, Esq., dated 15th July 1873.
From Secretary, East India Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From Acting Secretary, Bengal Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From S. H. Robinson, Esq., dated 16th July 1873.
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th July 1873.
From Commissioner of Assam, dated 23rd July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner of Seebsaugor, dated 22nd July 1873.
From Messrs. Begg, Dunlop and Company, dated 31st July 1873.
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 29th July 1873, and enclosures.
From Directors of the Kanchumpore Tea Company, Limited.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 21st July 1873.
Memorandum by the Deputy Commissioner of Luckimpore, dated 30th July 1873.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 8th August, and enclosure.
Notes by the Officiating Magistrate of Bancoorah.
From Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 6th August 1873.
From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 16th August 1873, and enclosure.
From Messrs. Borradaile, Schiller and Company, dated 19th August 1873.

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PART VI.

Bills of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

THE following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor-General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 10th October 1873, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in a month :—

No. 20 of 1873.

A Bill to provide for the liquidation of the debts of the Nawáb Názim of Bengal, and for his protection against legal process.

Preamble.

Whereas divers large pecuniary claims have been made against Sayyad Mansur Alí, the present Nawáb Názim of Bengal, Behar, and Orissa, commonly called the Nawáb Názim, which he has not the means of satisfying, and for the purpose of recovering such claims divers suits have been brought against him, and divers attachments have been issued against his property in India :

And whereas the Government of India is desirous of freeing the said Nawáb Názim and his property respectively from such suits and attachments, and of discharging such of the said claims as are proper to be paid :

And whereas in the meantime and for the future, it is expedient to exempt the said Nawáb Názim, except as hereinafter mentioned, from the jurisdiction of the Civil Courts, and to render him incapable of contracting further pecuniary obligations ;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Nawáb Názim's Debts Act, 1873."

Local extent.

It extends to all persons and places for whom and for which the Governor-General in Council has power to make laws ;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Power to appoint Commission.

2. The Governor-General in Council may, from time to time, nominate and appoint such persons as he thinks fit to be a Commission to investigate claims against the said Nawáb Názim.

All persons so nominated and appointed (hereinafter called "the Commissioners") shall continue to be members of the said Commission during the pleasure of the Governor-General in Council.

Notice to claimants.

3. The Commissioners shall publish thrice in the *Gazette of India* in English, and in the *Calcutta Gazette* in English, Urdú, and Bengáli, and in such other mode and languages as they think fit, a notice calling upon all persons having claims against the said Nawáb Názim or his property, whether moveable or immoveable, to notify the same in writing to the Commissioners within six months from the date of the earliest of such publications.

Bar of debts not duly notified.

4. Every debt or liability to which the said Nawáb Názim is subject, or with which his property, or any part thereof, is charged, and which is not duly notified to the Commissioners within the time and in the manner hereinbefore mentioned, shall be barred :

Proviso.

Provided that, on sufficient cause being shown to the Commissioners, they may admit such claim within the further period of six months from the expiration of the said period of six months.

Particulars of claim.

5. Every such claimant shall along with his claim present full particulars thereof.

Every document on which he founds his claims, or on which he relies in support thereof, shall be delivered to the Commissioners along with the claim.

If the document be an entry in any book, the claimant shall produce the book to the Commissioners, together with a copy of the entry on which he relies. The Commissioners shall mark the book for the purpose of identification, and after examining and comparing the copy with the original, shall return the book to the claimant.

Entries in books.

If any document in the possession or under the control of the claimant is not delivered or produced by him to the Commissioners along with the claim, the Commissioners may refuse to receive such document in evidence on the claimant's behalf at the investigation of the case.

Exclusion of documents not produced.

The Commissioners may from, time to time, call for further and more detailed particulars of any claim preferred before them under this Act, and may, at their discretion, refuse to proceed with the investigation of the claim until such particulars are supplied.

May call for or admit any further evidence.

6. For the purposes of this Act, the Commissioners may summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses, and compel them to give evidence, and compel the production of documents by the same means, and, as far as possible, in the same manner as is provided in the case of a Civil Court by the Code of Civil Procedure.

Power of Commissioners to summon witnesses.

7. The Commissioners may administer an oath or affirmation, in such form as they think fit, to any person examined before them, touching the matters to be enquired into under this Act.

Power to administer oaths.

8. Every investigation conducted by the Commissioners, with reference to any claim preferred before them under this Act, or to any matter connected with any such claim, shall be deemed a judicial proceeding within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

Investigation to be a Judicial proceeding.

And every statement made by any person examined by or before the Commissioners, with reference to such investigation, whether upon oath or otherwise, shall be deemed to be evidence within the meaning of the same Code.

9. Every witness required to attend and give evidence under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to a reasonable sum (to be allowed by the Commissioners) for his expenses in travelling to and from, and remaining at the place at which he is required to attend.

Expenses of witnesses.

10. The Commissioners shall, by agreement with the claimant or otherwise, determine the amount which, on the consideration of all the circumstances, they may consider to be in fairness and justice due to each claimant.

Commissioners to determine amount due to each claimant.

11. The Commissioners shall certify in each case the amount so determined, and upon the Governor-General in Council paying to any claimant the amount so certified, all claims of such claimant against the Nawáb Názim or his property shall be satisfied and extinguished.

Sum found due to be certified to Government.

12. No suit shall be commenced or prosecuted, and no writ or process shall at any time be sued for, against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim, unless such suit be commenced, or such writ or process be sued for, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council first had and obtained.

Bar of suits against Nawáb Názim.

Such consent shall be certified by the signature of one of the Secretaries to the Government of India, and every such signature shall be judicially noticed.

And any suit which at any time shall have been, or shall be, commenced, and any writ or process which at any time shall have been, or shall be, sued for, against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim without such consent so certified as aforesaid, shall be null and void.

13. The said Nawáb Názim shall be incapable of entering into any contract which may give rise to any pecuniary obligation on his part.

Nawáb Názim to be incapable of contracting.

14. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to render the Secretary of State for India in Council, or the Government of India, liable for any debt heretofore contracted by, or on behalf of, the said Nawáb Názim, or in respect of any claim to be reimbursed, which may be made by any person supplying him with necessaries.

Saving of Secretary of State in Council.

15. No suit or other proceeding shall be maintained against any person in respect of anything done by him in good faith under this Act.

Bar of suits for acts done *bonâ fide*.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The Náwab Názim of Bengal belongs to one of the ancient and noble Indian families, which it is the policy of the British Government to maintain. To this end a sum of nearly seven lakhs has been annually allotted out of the public treasury to the Nawáb Názim, but owing to his extravagance this great income has proved quite unequal to his personal expenditure, and he is now involved in debt exceeding thirty lakhs of rupees, and carrying ruinous rates of interest.

Some steps must be taken to preserve the dignity of the Nawáb Názim's family; to keep Government out of the litigation which his creditors have already commenced, and which threatens to absorb property designed for the maintenance of the family; and to save the Indian tax-payers from further drafts on the public purse.

For this purpose the present Bill has been prepared. It empowers the Governor-General in Council to appoint a Commission to investigate claims against the Nawáb Názim. It provides for giving public notice to such claimants, and bars debts not notified to the Commission within six months from such publication; it gives the Commissioners the usual powers to summon witnesses, and compel the production of evidence; and it declares that the Commissioners shall, by agreement with each claimant or otherwise, determine the amount fairly due to him; that they shall certify the amount so determined; and that, upon the Governor-General in Council paying to the claimant the amount so certified, his claims against the Nawáb Názim or his property shall be extinguished.

The Bill then (here following the King of Oudh's Act No. XIII of 1868) bars suits against the Nawáb Názim, unless such suits have been commenced with the consent of the Government of India, and declares the Nawáb Názim incapable of contracting so as to involve himself in any pecuniary obligation.

SIMLA, A. HOBHOUSE.

The 20th September 1873.

WHITLEY STOKES,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE PATNA DIVISION FOR 1872-73.

(RESOLUTION.)

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 22nd October 1873.

READ—

The Annual General Report of the Commissioner of the Patna Division for the year 1872-73, with its enclosures.

1. The Lieutenant-Governor desires to thank the Commissioner, Mr. Bayley, both for his most excellent and efficient work in the administration of this great and heavy division and for his report. The report is just what it ought to be, dwelling on things of administrative importance not otherwise dealt with, and giving a brief bird's-eye view of the subjects which are departmentally treated in detail; while the whole is well written as a report of the division, and not made up of extracts strung together. It leaves nothing to be desired. His Honor quite feels that the present report, the first of its kind for the division, and necessarily giving once for all many things which will form a basis for future reports, is more than we can expect to have every year; but with this explanation the Lieutenant-Governor would say that it is a model and example of what he desires to have. This report and other selected reports of Commissioners and Magistrates and sub-divisional officers will be separately circulated as Government selections: they are now too bulky to circulate in any other shape, and it is most important that the valuable reports received this year should not be hidden away.

Mr. Bayley's 1st paragraph quite accounts for the delay in submitting his report, but it must be remembered that in another year the subordinate reports will not be so long. While good and exhaustive reports are to be encouraged, it will not be necessary in future that subordinate officers, such as sub-divisional officers, should always make their reports very elaborate. If we

have good practical reports in short compass from all and more searching reports from a few, the Lieutenant-Governor will be well satisfied. Much of the Commissioners' time also will be saved by the explanation recently given that matters contained in the general reports need not be repeated in departmental reports to the Board of Revenue, &c., these latter being confined to departmental and technical matters.

2. The Commissioner has written a good account of his tour, and has gone about and looked into everything in a thorough way. The Magistrates of Patna and Gya also made very careful and useful tours.

3. The division of Patna contains thirteen millions of inhabitants, a number equal to that of the Bombay Presidency, and considerably exceeding the population of Oudh. Mr. Bayley has written a most useful and interesting summary of the results of the census. The proportion of males to females exhibited by him tends to confirm the general accuracy of the census, as being what we might have expected. Indian censuses have usually shown an excess of males. Chumparun without emigration and more sparsely populated than elsewhere in Behar, has this excess. Tirhoot, which is comparatively rich, and with little emigration, is just equal in males and females. Sarun (51·7 per cent. of females), Shahabad (51·5), Patna (51·2), and Gya (51·1), from all of which districts there is much emigration, have excess of females; Sarun heading the list and being the district of all others most populous and from which there is most emigration. It is remarked that the emigrants are generally not accompanied by their women-folk.

4. With respect to public health, the extraordinary prevalence of dengue fever in parts of the division is noticeable. It is calculated that 90 per cent. of the population of Patna suffered from it. Mr. Mangles, the Magistrate, remarks that the disease seemed to follow the line of rail, and that it was near the public ghauts and ferries that it first made its appearance. The course of the dengue thus described seems to be one of the strongest instances possible to show that disease may be and is propagated by human intercourse. The complete immunity of the jails where the inhabitants are isolated and cut off from intercourse is all in favour of this theory.

5. The local officers report strongly of the poverty of the ryots in this province, and the Lieutenant-Governor apprehends that the conclusion must be that the people are really badly off. Happily, the year under report was a good one, late years have not been bad, and food is cheap. But it is shown to be a good deal dearer than it formerly was, and the wages of labour are still very low. Except during the harvest and planting seasons, the rate of unskilled labour is only 1½ annas per diem. In Gya it is said that the agricultural labourer is worse off than anywhere else in the division. He is generally paid in grain, and lives really from hand to mouth. Two to three seers of some coarse grain representing a money value perhaps of 1¼ annas, suffices to support life and enables him to work. With the Soane work, however, close at hand, adds Mr. Bayley, and two annas a day to be earned there, there is a brighter side to the question. Mr. Alexander, the Magistrate of Shahabad, has given a very interesting report on the prices of food and labour in his district. The Lieutenant-Governor has little doubt that although Gya and Shahabad have an apparent smaller population rate than elsewhere, they have so much of barren hill tracts that they are probably just as overcrowded as those districts which show a larger rate.

6. Happily, emigration is a resource well known to, and in some degree practised by, the people of this populous province. The emigration beyond seas is after all but a drop in the ocean, but there is much unregistered emigration within India. There is a periodic emigration of labourers from the Sarun district who go to Purneah, Julpigoree, Rungpore, and Cooch Behar. It is notorious that all over the country syces, coolies, and men who go out to earn their bread, come in very large numbers from the Behar districts, and especially Sarun. We may believe that if they are more and more pressed, they will go in greater numbers to populate the colonies, &c., to which they already know the way. Many labourers get, it is stated, to the tea districts without ever being registered before the local Magistrate at all.

The same phenomenon as Mr. Bayley observes has been remarked elsewhere, that the greater proportion of registered emigrants for beyond sea in each district do not belong to the district where they register, but to somewhere

else. Either it is the case that those who emigrate wish to register where inquiries cannot be made, or people like first to try their luck on another soil within India before venturing abroad. Probably each cause operates to some extent.

7. Act XXXI of 1861, for regulating the manufacture of common salt along with saltpetre, has been introduced from this year. The Commissioner has very little doubt that the introduction of the new rules for carrying it out, will go far to kill an already declining trade. The Lieutenant-Governor fears that there will be a falling off in the saltpetre trade, and little *direct* financial benefit to Government. But, on the other hand, His Honor thinks it quite clear that hitherto the saltpetre manufacture has been bolstered up by what practically amounts to a bounty, *i. e.*, the manufacturers have been to all intents and purposes allowed to sell duty-free the salt educed from saltpetre, when others pay the fixed rate of Rs. 3-4-0 per maund. The Lieutenant-Governor agrees that it cannot be expected that we should keep up a trade in this fictitious way. If we gain indirectly by bringing into consumption much good taxed salt instead of the bad untaxed saltpetre salt, the new rules will be justified. At the same time we must strive not to go to the other extreme, *e. g.*, upon taking away the bounty, we must not unduly clog the saltpetre trade with heavy preventive charges. Perhaps Government should not at present seek to recoup itself directly for these charges, but set them against increased salt revenue. His Honor will be ready to receive any proposals the Commissioner may make of this nature.

8. Speaking generally, it may be said that the leading exports from Behar are oil-seeds, hides, tobacco, saltpetre, sugar, indigo, and opium; and the imports are rice, cotton, salt, iron, and cloth. Many inquiries have already been made and much information gleaned on this subject. The Lieutenant-Governor hopes that all that is possible will be done to get approximate statistics of internal trade. In particular His Honor wishes to get a good idea of the trade between these Provinces and the North-West Provinces. The city of Patna is a centre for collection and distribution, and its position on the railway and on the Ganges just where the Ganges, Gogra, Gunduck, and Soane become united and where the traffic branches off to Nepaul, give it in this respect great advantages. The exports are principally to Calcutta. Oil-seeds come from all over the province. Tobacco is largely exported from Tirhoot. Tobacco manufactured, *i. e.*, prepared for the hookah with spices, &c., is a speciality of Patna. The exports of Indigo and Opium if comparatively small in bulk are enormous in value. The importation of rice into Behar is large, and rice is a principal food crop in Behar, though among the poorer classes, and especially in the district of Sarun, maize and barley are said to be in a great degree the food of the people. The extent of land under poppy cultivation last year as obtained from the Board of Revenue was 134,589 beegahs in Chumparun, 111,340 beegahs in Gya, 88,182 in Sarun, 68,024 in Tirhoot, 38,989 in Patna, and 35,985 in Shahabad. The opium beegah is equal to 3,025 square yards or about five-eighths of an acre. Mr. Bayley regrets that the station returns of exports and imports by the East Indian Railway are not supplied to the district authorities, and points out what an immense help they would afford to our completer knowledge. The Lieutenant-Governor has no doubt that by the courtesy of the Chairman of the Railway Agency, these returns may in future be procured, and will address the Board.

His Honor is glad to notice the tables of trade that are given in the appendix to the Commissioner's report. Messrs. Mangles, Palmer, and Eyre have given special attention to the subject, and the Lieutenant-Governor hopes that they will strive to perfect their tables.

Indigo is one of the principal products of Behar. Mr. Bayley's account of this great industry is full and interesting. The cultivation is chiefly carried on in the northern districts of the division—Tirhoot, Chumparun, and Sarun—in villages let to the planters by the zemindars or the Court of Wards. When the lease of the village is completed, if the planter does not cultivate the land himself, the ryots attend the factory and execute agreements to cultivate a specified portion of their lands in indigo. The common proportion now agreed upon is two to three cottahs per beegah of upland though in some few factories the proportion demanded is larger, amounting to five or six cottahs, which was the rate prevailing, at least in Chumparun and Sarun, before the

indigo difficulties in 1867. The agreement is generally for the same term as the lease of the village. At the time of executing it an advance is given which remains unpaid without interest till the end of the term, and during each year the price agreed on to be paid for the cultivation is given in advance at the beginning of the year. The lands taken from the ryots are retained from three to five years by the factory, after which time they are useless for growing indigo; though, as the indigo plant has a long tap root, and draws its nourishment principally from the subsoil, they are said to be improved for the growth of cereals and green crops which subsist upon the upper layer, the land having also been manured by the indigo leaves. In lieu of the lands thus given up, a similar area of other lands is taken from the ryots for the rest of the term of the agreement, and in some instances a clause is inserted that these exchanged lands shall be selected by the factory from the best of those in the ryot's holding. The Lieutenant-Governor is very glad to see, what Mr. Bayley states, that "though it cannot be said that the feudal relation between the European planter and the ryot, which was the rule in former days, has altogether disappeared, yet it is certainly the case that both parties deal with one another much more on a footing of free contract than formerly, and we may hope ere long to see the strictly commercial relation between the manufacturer and the grower gain ground, while the semi-feudal relation dies away." The system is a long way yet from real free contract, but His Honor recognizes the great difficulty of getting to free contract when the native zemindars have become interested, as is so largely the case, in a non-free system. As Mr. Bayley points out later on in his report, "where there is a native landlord the Tirhoot ryot will not be allowed to enter into independent agreements with the planter, unless the landlord sees his way to getting the lion's share of the profits and retaining his hold over the tenant, and the planter has no means of counteracting these obstacles save by taking leases at rates which nothing but large indigo profits will cover." It is evident, however, that prices do admit of very liberal payments to ryots, and it is to be hoped that things may adjust themselves gradually, and more and more approach free trade, while the indigo industry of Behar, which has now grown doubly important since the Bengal produce has declined, may continue to flourish. There are not the difficulties in the way of free trade above described in the case of villages under the Court of Wards.

The Commissioner has not dwelt upon opium, which divides his division with indigo as an article of export cultivated under European advances and superintendence for European manufacture. While indigo is grown under a *quasi*-feudal system, it is certain that, in this part of the country at any rate, the cultivation of opium is perfectly free, and, whatever its effect on the Chinese, it is beneficial to our ryots, and brings them much money. It is a particularly high and careful cultivation.

9. In this great population of thirteen millions, the public press is curiously little represented by two solitary publications, the only fault found with which seems to be that they are so good and virtuous that no one will read them.

10. Mr. Bayley says, if he was asked his own opinion as to what caused most excitement among the natives during the past year, he would say unhesitatingly dengue. The prevalence of the fever led to all sorts of legends and groundless apprehensions. The abolition of the income tax caused satisfaction to the tax-paying class. Strange to say, the introduction of primary schools in the first instance gave rise to distrust and fear in many places. The rumour that Government were going to educate the people with a view to shipping them off to the colonies was very general; another, that the gurus were to be paid in order to become Government spies and give information for new taxes found scarcely less favour. "Natives," says Mr. Bayley with truth, "have a habit of passing by the plain and obvious motive for any action, and looking for some deep and recondite one. This is observable in their way of accounting for the most trivial thing, and is sure to be applied in full force to any new action taken by a mysterious foreign Government. With all this they are singularly amenable to order, and however much they may misunderstand they do nothing in active opposition." The distrust of the new schools has now almost disappeared, and they are progressing most favorably.

The attack on Mr. Barlow, the Assistant Magistrate of Mudhoobani, was the casual act of a mob of bigoted Brahmins who objected to the mere proximity of a European.

In Patna twice during the year there was a split between the Sheeahs and Soonis of the place, which at one time threatened serious complication, but were quelled by the good judgment of the Magistrate and the action of the leading Mahomedans of both parties, who most praiseworthily assisted the authorities to maintain order.

11. The Commissioner believes that the great administrative change of the year, the gathering in of all departments under the one district officer, has been an unmixed good. The police were always nominally subordinate to the Magistrate, but that nominal subordination has now become real, and the executive power of the Magistrate is greatly increased thereby, while the police themselves are better looked after. The Lieutenant-Governor is also glad to know that the new sub-divisional establishments have been well started. Mr. Drummond, the Magistrate-Collector of Sarun, says: "The new establishment has been fairly utilized in one way or another since its appointment, and has proved of much assistance. The institution of a new Subordinate Executive Service had had a wonderful effect on the class of public employés who may be said to have Subordinate Executive Service on the brain for the time, and everywhere the young idea may be seen learning to ride, and to ride furiously too, the next generation of officials thus giving promise of being of more active habits than the present."

12. In regard to statistical inquiries, the Lieutenant-Governor concurs with the Commissioner that bad statistics are worse than none. There is no doubt that this was the case in regard to the statistics pretended to be collected before we had any adequate machinery. The machinery has only now been supplied, and we are just making a beginning. His Honor trusts that a successful beginning has really been made, and that we shall go on with it. Mr. Drummond has been making many efforts and inquiries in this direction: progress has been effected in Shahabad and in the Durbhangah and Sasseeram sub-divisions, and His Honor notices with pleasure that the mortuary returns from selected areas promise to be reasonable. The Lieutenant-Governor will look with much interest to the results of the educational census that the Commissioner has been endeavouring to compile in certain tracts. Model farms have been started in Arrah and elsewhere, but not much has been done.

The year, as Mr. Bayley says, may be said to have been a year of small beginnings in great subjects of administration.

13. The police of the Patna Division are not particularly efficient. They have done well on the whole in Tirhoot during the year, and fairly in Patna, but in all the other districts they did badly. The local authorities urge such a law as that of the North-Western Provinces for the village chowkidari establishments. What is wanted, writes Mr. Bayley, is, that the landholder should be responsible for the pay of the village watchman, and that he should be brought into continual and close connection with the thannah police.

The singular absence of petty criminal litigation in Behar is most remarkable when contrasted with other parts of the country. There are more petty criminal cases filed in one district of Eastern Bengal than in the whole of this large division.

14. With respect to the alterations in the Criminal Procedure Code, the Commissioner writes: "I will only add that the alterations in the system of appeal are accepted by all officials to whom I have spoken as an immense improvement, and though of course distasteful to mookhtars, this is perhaps sufficient to commend them in the eyes of all unprejudiced persons. The young Bengalee of the present day has learnt to associate many of the worst and most anomalous portions of English criminal law with that personal liberty of which he is the eager champion, and in addition to these he has adopted from the teaching of Indian courts unlimited appeal as part of his magna charta, but outside this class I think the approval of restricted appeal and enlarged powers of revision is almost universal." There is much truth in these remarks: educated natives have an extravagant and caricatured idea of the liberty of the subject, and want to combine all English safeguards against oppression with a system of appeal unknown in England.

The Commissioner records that the power to try certain cases summarily conferred by the Code is a great boon and has worked well, though it has been sparingly exercised at present. No doubt, as Mr. Bayley says, the whole lawyer class must detest it, but except for them and the criminals, there is no cause for

any other class disliking it. It is almost premature to decide on the success of the institution of benches of Honorary Magistrates. The Magistrates themselves like the work, but urge that they should be allowed freedom from leading-strings and more power. The rules for the distribution of criminal work and for the regular sitting of one police court have had a good effect in accelerating the court work and in putting a stop to the frequent handing about of cases from one court to another.

15. On the administration of civil justice the Commissioner states that he has little to say. "The continued adjournments, the power of protracting cases in the hands of a wealthy litigant, the difficulty of executing decrees on the one side, and the holding decrees for years *in terrorem* over a suitor in the other, the enormous amount to which interest is allowed to accumulate, and the general tone of narrowness which characterizes the decisions of the lower civil courts, these, together with the high rate of stamp duty and the expense of employing vakeels," are the points on which complaints are most frequently made of our system. Mr. Bayley regrets the transfer to the civil courts of the rent-suits. His unqualified expressions on this subject are not shared in so decided a manner by all Bengal officers. The transfer is everywhere unpopular with zemindars, but opinion is divided in regard to its effect on ryots. The Lieutenant-Governor takes it to be that here, as in other things, Behar more resembles the North-Western Provinces; there is a greater disposition to trust the executive authorities; and while in Eastern Bengal ryots accustomed to litigation may be able to fight it out in the civil courts, in Behar they have no chance.

16. The original assessment of land revenue in Behar was very light, and estates have changed hands in a much less proportion than in Bengal. On this subject, however, the Lieutenant-Governor was not prepared for the statement contained in the following passage of the Collector of Sarun's report showing an extraordinary stability of property in that district, and he would like to have a further report on the facts:

"It appears that while about 57 per cent. of the total number of proprietors at the time of the permanent settlement belonged to the higher castes, viz., those of Brahmins, Rajpoots and Babhans, their number now is still nearly 54 per cent., and that the Baniah class have only increased from 4 per cent. then to 6 per cent. now. On the other hand, Kaists have diminished in number from 23 to 19 per cent. Mahomedans were 15 per cent. of the proprietary number, and now are 17 per cent. Agricultural castes have increased from 0·5 per cent. to 1·7 per cent., while low-castes and persons not recognizing castes have increased from 0·7 per cent. to 1·6 per cent. On the whole, with slight modifications, the different classes may be said to have been maintained in relation to the proprietary right in land the footing which they originally occupied, a result which I confess I had not expected, seeing the manner in which all over India the old proprietary classes are being displaced by the Baniah class. If these figures are at all to be relied on, it would seem that it is not yet too late to prevent such a displacement taking place in this district."

Under a sale for arrears of revenue an estate is sure to yield a good price, and the proprietors sometimes deliberately default to sell the estate.

A complaint is made of the excessive resort to claims for the partition of estates. The procedure admits, the Commissioner says, of endless delays, and Government is put at the expense of providing for what may fairly be termed the private business of individuals. The Lieutenant-Governor, however, doubts whether we can refuse partitions to *bonâ fide* shareholders, down at least to a certain point; but certainly a more efficient machinery is required.

His Honor entirely approves of Mr. Bayley's settling Government estates with resident ryots whenever they will come forward. The settlements of Government estates now in progress in the Patna Division are comparatively trifling; but much settlement work is being done on Wards' estates. The Lieutenant-Governor notes Mr. Bayley's remark that "the careful enquiry and complete record of rights, which settlement officers are now forced to undertake, will be a boon of the utmost importance, and I only wish we were making a resettlement of whole districts instead of a few scattered villages." The essential feature of the present policy of Government in making land revenue settlements is to measure and record all holdings, with the rents now payable thereon, and the names of the ryots holding them. The re-organisation of the putwarees in every village will secure that the records now made shall be main-

tained until the next settlement. If the zemindars and ryots of Eastern Bengal had any such authoritative record, both parties would be relieved from most of the difficulties caused by the existing uncertainty regarding holdings, rent and occupative rights.

17. The proportion among the people who drink intoxicating liquors is extremely small. The mahwa liquor is most generally sold in the division. It sells at 2 or 3 annas a quart, and is probably much less intoxicating than public house beer at home. In Patna the annual consumption is something over half a gallon per head; in all the other districts it is even much less than this. It is evident, as Mr. Bayley says, that a very small proportion of the people drink at all. The excise report shows that the number of licensed liquor shops in the Patna Division has been decreased by more than 800 during the year under review. The Commissioner is not sure that the reduction of shops may not have been too rapid; but at any rate, marked diminution in the consumption of liquor, without any real loss of revenue, is a most satisfactory result.

18. Complaints are made of the unconciliatory manner in which the railway officials treat the public who have dealings with them. It is a fact that except, where speed is an object the railway under its present conditions cannot draw away traffic from the river. The railway rates are practically very much higher than boat rates, and as one of the Magistrates puts it, "the railway gives thrice the trouble that a boat does."

19. The Soane irrigation works have been rapidly pushed on during the past year, and their prospects are hopeful.

20. With reference to the deplorable results of the mismanaged embankment alluded to in the Commissioner's 145th paragraph, His Honor trusts that under the present system such calamities will be avoided by the co-operation of civil officers and Engineers acting together.

21. The Lieutenant-Governor has had several tramway projects before him lately, including the Patna-Dinapore Tramway alluded to by the Commissioner in his 147th paragraph, the Patna-Gya line, and a scheme for the suburbs of Calcutta, but he has not been able to make up his mind as to the rights of the matter, and as to how far we are justified in what some have called spoiling a good road to make a bad railway. His Honor has been watching the experiment of the Calcutta Municipality, which does not seem to have been very successful so far; he has doubts whether we ought not to have lines worked by a light slow engine rather than by horse-power; but it is better not to be rash.

The Lieutenant-Governor, however, regrets very greatly to observe the Commissioner's statement about the Patna-Gya road, that it has fallen into so bad a state since His Honor passed over it last year. Mr. Bayley's remarks will be communicated to the Department of Public Works, with a view to a searching inquiry how this has occurred, and immediate remedy. Sir George Campbell has often thought of turning this road into a light railway, and if the repairs with metal are so very expensive and difficult, and the Commissioner really adheres strongly to the opinion that it is advisable to put down rails, His Honor will be glad to receive a special report from him on the subject.

22. The school for artizans at Dehree, under Mr. Fouracres' management, promises to be a most successful institution. "At present," writes Mr. Bayley, "the supply in India of properly qualified European overseers is lamentably deficient. Educated engineers for the higher grades are forthcoming, but between that class and loafers it is very difficult to find men for the lower grades. The school will supply this deficiency, and nothing can be more satisfactory than the happy and healthy condition of the boys, who, after two or three hours' schooling in the morning, spend the rest of the day in good hard labour at the workshops, learning both the theory and practice of their profession in a manner which no other institution in India can equal. I only wish that instead of twenty-five boys the school might be enlarged so as to educate a hundred."

23. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to see that the dispensaries of the division are doing well. The Commissioner complains that they are not always officered with competent men, and this is no doubt the case especially in Behar, but Government will do its best to supply them. The local authorities should press the Gyawals to assist the Pilgrim Hospital at Gya. They make immense

sums out of the pilgrims, but do not, it appears, give anything in support of the dispensary. His Honor is gratified to notice the liberality of Baboo Ram Gopal Narayan, the son of the Rajah of Soorsund, who has established a dispensary and endowed it with the sum of Rs. 12,500 for its support. Moonshee Fuzl-ur-Rohman has established a rural dispensary in the Patna district. Though only native medicines are used, it has gained the confidence of the public, and the attendance is daily increasing. The moral effect of medicine is great, and whatever the dispensary may be, if it is popular, it is much to be encouraged.

24. The new education system has fairly taken root in Behar, and it is said that the people are showing greater eagerness to avail themselves of it than heretofore now that the first distrust has worn off. The District Committees now sit regularly and work intelligently and harmoniously. The scheme of primary education has been very successfully worked out in this division the initial difficulties notwithstanding.

The Lieutenant-Governor quite agrees with the remarks of the Magistrate of Patna, that boys are probably better educated in good private patshalas than in the lowest classes of a Government school; and there is no doubt that the gurus who depend on fees will work better than schoolmasters who rely on a fixed salary. It was for this very reason that His Honor steadily set himself against giving gurus enough stipend for a salary, and only desired to afford them a moderate aid of Rs. 2-8 or so per month on condition of efficiency, leaving them to make out the rest of their sustenance by fees. In this way we may hope to combine the advantages of both systems.

25. A large number of Boodhist archæological remains have been collected at the head-quarters of the Behar sub-division, which, it is said, comprise some very fine images and inscriptions of great antiquity. The Asiatic Society has been invited to inspect these remains, and to suggest in what manner they should now be disposed of.

26. The Commissioner records that the native members take an interest in the working of the municipal system; in Patna and Mozufferpore each member has charge of a mohulla, and does his best to do justice to it. In the province of Behar the Magistrate has still some personal influence; the chief men of the town are glad to assist him with their advice, and by doing a good deal of minor executive works for him. There are many Municipal Committees in this division: 5 under Act III of 1864; 16 under Act VI of 1868.

27. All the district officers have strenuously opposed the transfer of the management of the zemindary post from themselves to the postal department. In Bengal there is a contrary expression of opinion, and officers prefer to be relieved of this charge; but perhaps this is another thing in which Behar officers have better opportunities of managing things themselves.

28. The conduct of zemindars in the division, especially the smaller landholders, is unfavorably reported on. They are described as oppressive on their tenants, and indifferent and apathetic on subjects of public interest. All over the world petty landlords are apt to exact more than very large and rich ones; that is the nature of things, and it probably would be the case in Behar, that great landholders might be made amenable to advice if they really managed their estates direct. The Lieutenant-Governor, however, fears that the fact is much as described by the Deputy Collector of Nowada, and the Collector of Sarun in the following passages.

"The very system adopted in this division for land management renders a faithful discharge of the duties imposed under the regulations impracticable. The landed property is let out in farm generally on *zurpeshgi ticca* for a term of years to speculators in land, who, during their short incumbency do their best to squeeze as much out of the tenants as possible." "The zemindars, wherever they have a substantial share in a village, are, as a rule, oppressive, and on the estates of many of the larger zemindars, perhaps, the least consideration for the tenantry is shown. The system of farming widely prevails, and were it not that the full rent-roll is not levied in villages leased out to indigo planters, the stimulus to enhanced rent-rolls afforded by indigo cultivation would have occasioned even a greater rise in rents."

Where the pettiest proprietors are also cultivators, they are thriving and prosperous, and there is no better condition; but His Honor is no admirer of very small proprietors who have abandoned all cultivation and live on the rents only. Sir George Campbell is, however, inclined to think that there are in Behar a good many who come within the class of peasant proprietors, as there

are also in the North-Western-Provinces, though no doubt they are not general as they are in the Punjab and elsewhere. The Lieutenant-Governor notices that in this district the average rent-rate per acre is stated to be Rs. 5-3-3.

29. The Lieutenant-Governor notices with much satisfaction the improvement which has been effected by the Commissioner in the management of Wards' estates, which are at present so heavy and important a charge in Behar. The education of the Durbhangah and Hutwa minors is being very carefully attended to. It is true that an inordinate amount of labor is thrown on public officers by these Wards' estates, for which Government takes nothing, but we must look for reward in the improvement of the country and the introduction of a better system. Mr. Bayley alludes to his having been absolutely appalled at the number of illegal cesses and transit dues which had been in force in one Government estate. This is a specimen of the old system which has come into our hands, and both in Government and Wards' estates must be suppressed, as it was in this instance.

30. The Lieutenant-Governor has observed with regret the remarks of the Commissioner in regard to the hill tribes of Shahabad in his 8th paragraph, where he says that the ownership of the land is departing from their hands to the Hindoostanis of the plains. With the experience of the Sonthals before us it would be very desirable if anything could be suggested towards saving them.

His Honor desires that his thanks may be communicated to Mr. Eyre, the Sub-divisional Magistrate of Sasseram, for his excellent and thorough administration report. The report of Syud Ameer Husein, Deputy Magistrate of Nowada, is creditable to him. The report of Mr. Drummond, the Magistrate of the Sarun district, has been forwarded by the Commissioner as the best of the district reports; it is valuable and complete, and the Lieutenant-Governor has read it with interest.

DISTRICT ROAD FUND.

No. 367.

The 27th October 1873.

Notification.—The following extract from the Proceedings of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, relative to the Accounts of the Receipts and Expenditure of the District Road Fund for the third quarter of the current cess year, is published for general information:—

No. 5088.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in the Public Works Department (Local Accounts), under date the 23rd October 1873.

Read memorandum No. 9205 of 17th ultimo, from the Controller of Public Works Accounts in Bengal, submitting an Abstract of the Receipts and Expenditure of the several District Road Committees for the quarter ending 30th June 1873.

RESOLUTION.—The Lieutenant-Governor directs that the accounts of the Receipts and Expenditure of the District Road Fund for the third quarter of the current cess year, as submitted by the Controller, be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and circulated to the Officers of Government concerned.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of these Proceedings, together with a copy of the Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure, be published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Ordered also that a copy of the above Proceedings, as well as of the Abstract referred to, be forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Financial Department, for information. Also that copies of each be forwarded to all Commissioners of Divisions; to all Superintending Engineers of Circles; to the Accountant-General of Bengal, and to the Controller of Public Works Accounts in Bengal, for information.

By order &c.,

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col., R. E.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

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Quarterly Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure of the

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	Names of Districts.	Balance on 1st April 1873.	Revenue under Road Cess Act of 1871.					Road cess leviable otherwise than under the District Road Cess Act.	Receipts		
			Cess on lands.	Cess on houses.	Cess on mines and railways.	Fines.	Total.		Road Tolls.	Ferry Tolls.	Canal or River Tolls.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
	Burdwan* ...	41,133 7 1	.....	...	...	.....	.....	21 12 7	1,422 14 1	1,579 7 0	...
	Bancoorah ...	16,712 15 4	.....	...	...	.....	.....	112 0 0	1,183 12 0	... ..	...
	Beerbhoom ...	21,284 3 10	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1,202 8 0	.....	...
	Midnapore ...	47,079 8 10	.....	...	...	.....	.....	809 2 8	1,491 8 0	668 8 0	...
5	Hooghly* ...	63,298 5 0	.....	...	...	.....	.....	111 14 5	2,142 3 6	426 0 9	...
	24-Pergunnahs* ...	57,419 14 4	.....	...		9 4 0	9 4 0	3 13 0	2,187 4 6	2,544 5 0	...
	Nuddea* ...	18,729 14 0	.....	...	...	305 2 6	305 2 6	.....	475 0 0	3,730 9 3	...
	Jessore* ...	49,730 8 5	.....	...	...	101 0 0	101 0 0	...	519 3 2	1,148 8 0	...
	Moorshedabad* ...	5,845 13 6	.....	...	...	176 4 0	176 4 0	156 7 3	130 0 0	4,137 14 0	...
10	Dinagepore ...	12,346 13 10	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	115 0 0	1,851 0 0	...
	Maldah ...	10,734 14 9	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	242 0 0	2,237 0 0	...
	Rajshahye* ...	11,974 10 5	.....	...	...	888 15 7	888 15 7	10 11 0	525 8 0	3,228 12 0	...
	Rungpore ...	15,911 6 4	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1,382 4 0	2,376 4 0	...
	Bograh ...	1,083 11 6	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	134 0 0	390 9 0	...
15	Pubna ...	3,771 10 6	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	Darjeeling ...	40,774 3 4	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
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	Dacca* ...	910 0 0	.....	...	...	74 0 0	74 0 0	812 6 7	.....	3,188 12 0	...
	Furreedpore* ...	14,170 15 8	.....	...	...	292 10 0	292 10 0	.....	. ...	89 0 0	...
20	Backergunge ...	4,294 9 5	.....	...	...	.....	.....	556 4 8	.....	171 8 0	...
	Mymensing ..	3,432 14 11	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,419 6 0	...
	Sylhet ...	9,709 6 0	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	883 8 0	...
	Cachar ...	26,146 1 1	.....	...	...	.....	.....	104 4 8	.....	1,904 4 0	...
	Chittagong ...	18,197 11 8	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,543 6 10	1,676
25	Noakhally ...	2,028 2 11	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	249 8 0	...
	Tipperah* ...	1,507 7 11	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	240 4 9	...
	Chittagong Hills ...	9,141 7 10	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	Patna ...	32,299 11 6	.....	...	...	.....	.....	316 13 9	1,153 5 0	5,306 6 6	...
	Gya ...	14,825 2 0	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	2,039 1 0	165 15 0	...
30	Shahabad ..	17,428 5 8	.....	...		.....	.....	4,595 14 10	.....	1,816 5 10	...
	Tirhoot ..	78,557 15 11	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,619 12 5	...
	Sarun ...	31,506 11 8	.....	...	...	.....	.....	33 11 3	150 0 0	8,170 15 5	...
	Chumparun ...	19,140 12 3	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	61 8 0	14,181 11 8	...
	Monghyr* ..	13,963 15 11	.....	...	...	69 0 0	69 0 0	18 6 0	141 10 0	2,794 11 4	...
35	Bhaugulpore* ...	43,163 5 1	.....	...	..	2 8 0	2 8 0	1,306 5 6	1,200 0 0	5,398 13 3	...
	Purneah ...	12,612 5 8	.....	...	...	.....	.....	74 13 5	.....	332 8 0	...
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	23,477 3 1	.....	...	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
	Cuttack* ...	13,957 5 4	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	51 14 0	...
	Pooree* ..	8,893 1 5	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
40	Balasore* ...	5,796 6 6	3,729 15 1	...	...	6 10 8	3,736 9 9	.....	.....	.....	...
	Hazareebaugh* ...	17,015 4 8	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	Lohardaggah ...	24,787 8 7	.....	...		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	Singbhoom ...	7,140 1 8	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	Manbhoom ...	13,353 5 8	.. ..	...	..	42 8 0	42 8 0	.....	...	...	...
45	Goalpara ...	5,051 4 2	.....	...	...	.....	.....	26 14 11	.....	1,265 2 0	...
	Kamroop ..	6,949 4 6	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,186 0 0	...
	Durrung ...	15,234 7 8	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	230 2 0	...
	Nowgong ...	3,622 8 10	.....	...	...	....	.....	.....	.....	74 0 0	...
	Seebsaugor ...	296 3 0	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 0 0	...
50	Luckimpore ...	4,469 13 11	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	193 0 0	...
	Naga Hills ...	791 14 1	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills.	2,011 9 5	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
53	Garo Hills ...	17,035 5 3	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	Total ...	9,63,668 0 10	3,729 15 1	...	...	1,967 14 9	5,697 13 10	9,131 12 1	18,198 9 3	1,04,107 8 6	1,676

* Districts in which

Of the total outlay on works and repairs, or Rs. 3,

The items marked † are sums which were given as advances but erroneously

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rict Committees of the 3rd Quarter of the Cess Year 1872-73.
ne June 1873.

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...es. Total.	Grant-in-aid from Provincial Reserve Fund.	Sales of Produce and stores.	Fines and refunds.	Miscellaneous.	Total Receipts.	Total, including balance.	Outlay.	Balance.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3,002 5 1	.....	14 14 3	.....	28 0 0	3036 15 11	44,200 7 0	45,729 13 3	Cr. 1,529 6 3
1,133 12 0	.....	50 8 0	.....	.....	1,346 4 0	18,059 3 4	105 3 0	17,954 0 4
1,202 8 0	.....	.....	.....	34 0 0	1,236 8 0	22,520 11 10	5,794 12 8	16,725 15 2
3,200 0 8	.....	.....	.....	106 7 0	3,075 9 6	50,156 2 4	12,108 4 1	38,046 14 3
7,868 4 3	.....	2 15 0	.....	312 5 0	3,295 6 8	66,593 11 8	46,336 5 4	20,257 6 4
791 9 6	.....	2 14 0	.....	2,000 0 0	6,747 8 6	64,167 6 10	69,444 4 6	Cr. 5,276 13 8
205 9 3	.....	.....	.....	60 4 0	4,570 16 9	23,300 13 9	42,644 10 9	Cr. 19,343 13 0
667 11 8	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,768 11 8	51,499 4 1	49,810 1 1	1,689 3 0
567 14 0	20,000 0 0	26 12 0	.....	24 5 0	24,651 10 3	30,497 7 9	22,532 15 7	7,964 8 2
966 0 0	.....	.....	.....	84 11 10	2,050 11 10	14,397 9 8	5,322 1 5	9,075 8 3
479 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,479 0 0	13,213 14 9	3,573 7 3	9,641 7 6
754 4 0	.....	10 11 0	101 13 3	.....	4,766 6 10	19,741 1 3	8,291 7 10	11,449 9 5
758 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,758 8 0	29,669 14 4	7,011 9 4	22,658 5 0
524 9 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	524 9 0	12,508 4 6	1,760 10 4	10,747 10 2
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,771 10 6	860 15 6	5,910 11 0
.....	.....	.....	32 0 0	299 1 6	331 1 6	41,105 4 10	8,552 6 2	32,552 14 8
291 12 6	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,291 12 6	11,337 12 9	2,235 10 10	9,102 1 11
188 12 0	.....	.....	.....	2 8 0	4,077 11 1	4,987 11 1	36,466 11 10	Cr. 31,479 0 9
89 0 0	.....	87 0 0	.....	24 8 0	493 2 0	14,664 1 8	23,559 9 2	Cr. 8,895 7 6
171 8 0	15,000 0 0	.....	.....	.....	15,727 12 8	20,022 6 1	5,502 3 4	14,520 2 9
1,419 6 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,419 6 0	4,852 4 11	1,619 0 0	3,233 4 11
883 8 0	.....	.....	.....	11 8 0	895 0 0	10,604 6 0	1,035 11 9	9,568 10 3
1,904 4 0	.....	54 2 0	.....	40 14 3	2,172 8 11	28,318 10 0	7829 0 8	20,489 9 4
4,220 2 4	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,220 2 4	22,417 14 0	9,013 13 3	13,399 0 9
249 8 0	.....	9 15 0	.....	.....	259 7 0	2,287 9 11	2071 11 9	215 14 2
240 4 0	.....	.....	40 0 0	.....	280 4 0	1,787 11 11	1,017 11 3	Cr. 10,229 15 4
.....	.....	.....	51 0 6	.....	51 0 6	9,162 8 4	6,278 10 2	2,883 14 2
6,439 11 6	.....	3 0 0	.....	3,045 14 0	9,825 7 3	42,125 2 [illegible]	5,488 13 6	36,636 5 3
2,205 0 0	.....	.....	1 0 0	716 0 0	2,922 0 0	17,747 2 0	8,466 6 8	9,280 11 4
1,816 5 10	5,000 0 0	.....	122 1 8	155 0 0	11,689 6 4	29,117 12 0	12,331 6 9	16,786 5 3
12,619 12 5	.....	.....	.....	1,417 0 0	14,036 12 5	92,594 12 4	27,253 0 4	65,341 12 0
8,320 15 5	.....	.....	.....	139 8 6	8,494 3 2	40,000 14 10	7,560 7 5	32,440 7 5
14,243 3 8	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,243 3 8	33,383 15 11	5,176 0 4	28,207 15 7
2,935 5 4	20,000 0 0	.....	.....	20 5 0	23,044 0 4	37,003 0 3	10,891 4 6	26,116 11 9
6,598 13 3	.....	.....	.....	347 9 0	8,255 3 9	51,418 8 10	17,120 15 4	34,297 9 6
332 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	407 5 5	13,019 11 1	8,839 11 3	4,179 15 10
.....	.....	.....	.....	137 2 0	137 2 0	23,614 5 1	2,272 14 3	21,341 6 10
51 14 0	.....	31 1 0	4 0 0	48 7 0	135 6 0	14,092 11 4	5,116 12 5	8,975 14 11
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,893 1 5	2,744 13 10	6,148 3 7
.....	.....	6 10 0	.....	.....	3,743 3 9	9,539 10 3	7,202 6 3	2,337 4 0
.....	3,361 0 0	.....	.....	.....	3,361 0 0	20,376 4 8	2,170 13 4	18,205 7 4
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24,787 8 7	4,255 6 3	20,532 2 4
.....	.....	.....	40 9 9	.....	40 9 9	7,180 11 5	1,233 7 6	5,947 3 11
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	42 8 0	13,395 13 8	1,520 5 0	11,875 8 8
265 2 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,292 0 11	6,343 5 1	4,106 10 0	2,236 11 1
186 0 0	10,000 0 0	.....	266 4 3	.....	11,452 4 3	18,401 8 9	5,420 0 0	12,981 8 9
230 2 0	.....	.....	222 1 8	.....	452 3 8	15,686 11 4	3,276 9 7	12,410 1 9
74 0 0	10,000 0 0	.....	.....	6 0 0	10,080 0 0	13,702 8 10	7,451 10 6	6,250 14 4
20 9 0	8,983 14 2	.....	.....	39 0 0	9,048 14 2	9,345 1 2	4,656 13 11	4,688 3 3
193 0 0	15,000 0 0	.....	506 0 0	.....	15,699 0 0	20,168 13 11	2,293 11 7	17,875 2 4
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	791 14 10	638 12 0	153 2 10
.....	20,000 0 0	.....	.....	.....	20,000 0 0	22,011 9 5	6,667 6 4	15,344 3 1
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,035 5 3	12,323 12 8	4,711 8 7
,982 15 3	1,27,350 14 2	300 6 3	1,386 15 1	9,109 6 7	2,76,960 1 3	12,40,628 2 1	6,13,993 5 7	6,26,634 12 6

...et is in force.
... expended by Public Works Department was Rs. 1,88,842.
...in-aid in last quarter. The items marked * are grants overdrawn during last year now refunded.

Quarterly Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure of the year

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Names of Districts.	Collection of Revenue and Committees' control.			Refunds.	Original Works.				
	Establishment.	Contingencies	Total.		Roads and Bridges.	River and Canal Works.	Ferries.	Total.	Roads a Bridges
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs.
Burdwan* ...	2,791 4 0	1,351 1 3	4,142 5 3	†30,006 0 0	1,423 5 7	.....	.....	1,423 5 6	9,863
Bancoorah ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 14
Beerbhoom ...	.....	.....	...	* 0 2 4	2,383 7 1	.....	.....	2,383 7 1	3,231 14
Midnapore ...	.....	.....	...	.....	9,489 12 9	.....	.....	9,489 12 9	2,566 13
5 Hooghly* ...	1,560 12 0	268 15 7	1,829 12 1	†30,000 0 0	1,346 14 7	.....	.....	1,346 14 7	12,911 10
24-Pergunnahs*	3,495 7 5	288 5 6	3,783 13 3	†50,000 0 0	825 0 0	.....	.....	825 0 0	14,144
Nuddea* ...	1,996 11 8	170 3 0	2,166 14 8	†30,000 0 0	206 5 11	.....	.....	206 5 11	10,019
Jessore* ...	2,409 8 3	161 1 6	2,570 9 9	†30,000 0 0	108 1 3	.....	.....	108 1 3	16,416
Moorshedabad*	1,800 0 7	330 8 2	2,130 8 9	a12,261 11 0	1,368 6 1	.....	.....	1,368 6 1	6,647
10 Dinagepore ...	51 0 0	.....	51 0 0	.....	92 15 0	.....	.....	92 15 0	5,165
Maldah ...	57 0 0	2 3 0	59 3 0	* 0 2 6	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,467
Rajshahye*	1,386 11 6	280 12 0	1,667 7 6	b 45 0 0	686 11 0	0 9 0	.....	687 4 0	5,879
Rungpore ...	30 0 0	.....	30 0 0	.....	14 5 6	.....	.....	14 5 6	8,940
Bograh ...	24 15 10	.....	24 15 10	* 65 0 0	703 0 0	.....	.....	703 0 0	967
15 Pubna ...	10 0 0	.....	10 0 0	c 38 15 6	.....	.....	.....	.....	812
Darjeeling ...	329 11 8	8 0 0	337 11 8	.....	528 0 6	.....	.....	528 0 6	7,515
Julpigoree ...	.....	.....	...	.....	817 3 3	.....	.....	817 3 3	418
Dacca* ...	1,648 1 6	98 6 1	1,746 7 7	{ †18,356 10 3 { d 24 12 0	15,458 7 1	38 8 0	.....	15,496 15 1	824
Furreedpore*	1,634 9 6	175 11 9	1,810 5 3	{ †15,000 0 0 { * 4,000 6 9	1,579 7 4	.....	.....	1,579 7 4	919
20 Backergunge	60 0 0	136 8 0	196 8 0	* 135 6 4	760 0 11	.....	.....	760 0 11	4,210
Mymensing...	766 9 6	22 9 0	789 2 6	* 67 7 6	375 0 0	.....	.....	375 0 0	300 0
Sylhet ...	.....	.....	...	e 83 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	727 9
Cachar ...	.....	.....	...	.....	5,217 14 1	.....	.....	5,217 14 1	1,722 0
Chittagong ...	[illegible] 0 0	4 0 0	94 0 0	.....	5,813 14 9	339 12 0	.....	6,153 10 9	2,771 2
25 Noakhally ...	.....	.....	...	* 0 8 9	1,354 0 0	.....	.....	1,354 0 0	658 3
Tipperah* ...	2,037 3 1	76 3 8	2,113 6 9	{ † 2,200 5 2 { * 542 11 0	2,659 2 5	2,295 15 2	.....	4,955 1 7	2,039 8
Chittagong Hills.	.....	.....	...	.....	5,609 9 6	.....	.....	5,609 9 6	44 5
Patna ...	.....	.....	...	* 3 10 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,240 2
Gya ...	.....	.....	...	f 1,382 1 10	1,365 6 8	.....	.....	1,365 6 8	6,630 15
30 Shahabad ...	.....	.....	...	g 9,396 0 5	2,514 2 2	.....	.....	2,514 2 2	3,003 2
Tirhoot ...	.....	.....	...	.....	17,600 2 0	.....	.....	17,600 2 0	7,584 4 1
Sarun ...	180 0 0	55 7 9	235 7 9	* 0 7 6	4,384 10 0	.....	.....	4,384 10 0	2,852 13
Chumparun...	57 0 0	.....	57 0 0	.....	350 0 0	.....	.....	350 0 0	4,269 0
Monghyr ...	1,046 3 10	149 5 5	1,195 9 3	h 1,200 0 0	4,804 14 9	.....	.....	4,804 14 9	3,408 7
35 Bhaugulpore*	1,028 9 7	122 12 3	1,151 5 10	i 909 13 7	2,624 7 6	.....	.....	2,624 7 6	11,625 8
Purneah ...	2,246 10 9	104 1 9	2,350 12 6	* 628 7 6	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,800 7
Sonthal Pergunnahs.	.....	.....	...	* 98 3 2	261 12 6	.....	.....	261 12 6	1,586 8
Cuttack* ...	1,180 10 3	520 11 9	1,701 6 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,361 11
Pooree* ...	.....	.....	...	.....	1,234 13 9	.....	.....	1,234 13 9	1,450 0
40 Balasore* ...	1,286 13 9	164 7 0	1,451 4 9	.....	911 11 6	.....	.....	911 11 6	3,391 6
Hazareebaugh*	367 2 3	91 8 0	758 10 3	j 889 12 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	522
Lohardduggah	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,195
Singbhoom ...	.....	.....	...	.....	764 4 0	.....	.....	764 4 0	171
Maunbhoom	1,153 15 2	133 11 0	1,287 10 2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
45 Goalparah ...	.....	.....	...	1,150 14 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,662
Kamroop ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,420
Durrung ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,186
Nowgong ...	.....	.....	...	* 0 7 6	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,331
Seebsaugor ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,656 12
50 Luckimpore...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,865 15
Naga Hills ...	.....	.....	...	.....	638 12 0	.....	.....	638 12 0	.....
Khasi & Jynteah Hills.	.....	.....	...	.....	1,917 11 4	.....	.....	1,917 11 4	4,689 13
53 Garo Hills ...	.....	.....	...	*10,007 7 0	1,732 9 11	207 4 0	.....	1,939 13 11	376 7
Grand Total ...	31,026 12 11	4,716 9 5	35,743 6 4	2,45,490 1 4	99,926 6 7	2,882 0 2	.....	1,02,808 6 9	2,15,459 10 4

* Districts in which the

Of the total outlay on Works and Repairs, or Rs. 3,19,56

The items marked † are sums which were given as advances, but erroneously charg

The 15th September 1873.

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rict Committees of the 3rd Quarter of the Cess Year 1872-73.

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Repairs.			Total Original Works and Repairs.	Establishment.			Tools and plant.	Total outlay.	Remarks.
er Canal rks.	Ferries.	Total.		Works Establishment.	Other Establishments.	Total.			
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
	5 8 0	9,868 13 9	11,292 3 3	...	295 4 9	295 4 9	.....	45,729 13 3	
...	.....	1 14 0	1 14 0	...	103 5 0	103 5 0	.....	105 3 0	
...	.....	3,221 14 2	5,605 5 3	...	95 1 0	95 1 0	94 4 0	5,794 12 8	
	51 9 6	2,618 7 4	12,108 4 1	...	.....	..	.....	12,108 4 1	
	.....	12,911 10 8	14,258 9 3	...	248 0 0	248 0 0	.....	46,336 5 4	
	.....	14,144 15 3	14,969 15 3	...	690 8 0	690 8 0	.....	69,444 4 6	
	.....	10,019 6 2	10,225 12 1	...	105 0 0	105 0 0	147 0 0	42,644 10 9	
	83 5 0	16,499 10 9	16,6 7 12 0	...	142 5 4	142 5 4	489 6 0	49,810 1 1	
	.....	6,647 6 9	8,015 12 10	...	110 12 0	110 12 0	14 3 0	22,532 15 7	
	.....	5,165 10 5	5,258 9 5	...	.....	...	12 8 0	5,322 1 5	
	.....	3,467 1 9	3,467 1 9	...	16 0 0	16 0 0	30 0 0	3,572 7 8	
	.....	5,879 12 4	6,567 0 4	...	12 0 0	12 0 0	.....	8,291 7 10	
	.....	6,940 2 7	6,954 8 1	...	.....	..	27 1 3	7,011 9 4	
	.....	967 10 6	1,670 10 6	...	.....		.....	1,760 10 4	
	.....	812 0 0	812 0 0	...	.....	...	.....	860 15 6	
	60 0 0	7,575 10 0	8,103 10 6	...	.....	...	111 0 0	8,552 6 2	
	442 4 0	860 7 7	1,677 10 10	...	558 0 0	558 0 0	.....	2,235 10 10	
	.....	824 0 8	16,320 15 9	...	17 14 3	17 14 3	.....	36,166 11 0	
	40 0 0	959 11 10	2,539 3 2	...	174 7 6	174 7 6	35 2 6	23,559 9 2	
	.....	4,210 4 1	4,970 5 0	...	200 0 0	200 0 0	.....	5,502 3 4	
	12 6 0	312 6 0	687 6 0		75 0 0	75 0 0	.....	1,619 0 0	
1 0	.....	791 10 0	791 10 0	...	160 9 9	160 9 9	.....	1,035 11 9	
...	.....	1,722 0 7	6,930 14 8	...	850 0 0	850 0 0	39 2 0	7,829 0 8	
...	.....	2,7-1 2 6	8,924 13 3	...	.....	...	.....	9,018 13 3	
...	.....	658 3 0	2,012 3 0	...	59 0 0	59 0 0	.....	2,071 11 9	
...	.....	2,039 8 3	6,994 9 10	...	120 0 0	120 0 0	46 10 6	12,017 11 3	
...	.....	44 5 0	5,653 14 6	...	330 1 5	330 1 5	294 10 3	6,278 10 2	
...	.....	5,210 2 6	5,210 2 6	...	245 1 0	245 1 0	.....	5,488 13 6	
...	.....	5,630 15 2	6,996 5 10	...	84 0 0	84 0 0	3 15 0	8,466 6 8	
...	6 0 0	3,009 2 8	5,623 4 10	...	412 1 6	412 1 6	.....	12,331 6 9	
...	250 0 0	7,834 4 10	25,434 6 10	...	477 0 0	477 0 0	1,341 9 6	27,253 0 4	
...	.....	2,852 13 7	7,287 7 5	...	.....	...	87 0 9	7,560 7 5	
...	.....	4,269 0 4	4,619 0 4	...	500 0 0	500 0 0	.....	5,176 0 4	
...	.....	3,498 7 3	8,213 6 0	...	155 3 6	155 3 6	127 1 9	10,891 4 6	
...	.....	11,625 8 2	14,249 15 8	...	258 0 0	258 0 0	551 12 3	17,120 15 4	
...	.....	5,800 7 3	5,800 7 3	...	.....	...	60 0 0	8,839 11 3	
...	.....	1,586 8 6	1,848 5 0	...	311 6 1	311 6 1	15 0 0	2,272 14 3	
...	53 10 6	3,415 6 5	3,415 6 5	...	.....	...	.....	5,116 12 5	
...	.....	1,450 0 1	2,684 13 10	...	60 0 0	60 0 0	.....	2,744 13 10	
...	230 2 0	3,621 8 9	4,533 4 3	...	705 0 0	705 0 0	512 13 3	7,202 6 3	
...	.....	522 6 2	522 6 2	...	.....	...	.....	2,170 13 4	
...	.....	4,195 6 3	4,195 6 3	...	60 0 0	60 0 0	.....	4,255 6 3	
...	.....	171 10 6	935 14 6	...	297 9 0	297 9 0	.....	1,233 7 6	
...	.....	.....	.....	...	232 10 10	232 10 10	.....	1,520 5 0	
...	.....	2,662 1 8	2,662 1 8	...	292 10 6	292 10 6	0 15 0	4,106 10 0	
...	.....	5,420 0 0	5,420 0 0	...	.....	...	.....	5,420 0 0	
...	.....	3,186 9 7	3,186 9 7	...	90 0 0	90 0 0	.....	3,276 9 7	
...	.....	7,331 3 0	7,331 3 0	...	120 0 0	120 0 0	.....	7,451 10 6	
...	.....	4,656 13 11	4,656 13 11	...	.....	...	.....	4,656 13 11	
...	...	1,865 15 9	1,865 15 9	...	427 11 10	427 11 10	.....	2,293 11 7	
...	.....	.....	638 12 0	...	.....	...	.....	638 12 0	
...	.....	4,689 11 0	6,607 6 4	...	60 0 0	60 0 0	.....	6,667 6 4	
...	.....	376 7 9	2,316 5 8	...	.....	...	.....	12,323 12 8	
1 0	1,234 13 0	2,16,753 8 11	3,19,566 15 8	...	9,151 11 3	9,151 11 3	4,041 3 0	6,13,993 5 7	

a Rs. 12,261-8-6, amount drawn in excess over grant refunded; 2 annas 6 pie more credited to refunds now adjusted.
b Fines remitted.
c Amount more credited to Miscellaneous Revenue during February 1873 now adjusted.
d Rs. 24, fines remitted; 12 annas, amount drawn in excess over grant refunded.
e Ferry collections refunded.
f Rs. 787-8, Road Tolls transferred to the Municipality; Rs. 504-9-10 unexpended balance of assignment from Amalgamated District Road Fund, 1871-72, drawn from the Executive Engineer, Gya, refunded.
g Rs. 6,193-6-3, Ferry Collection refunded; Rs. 202-10-2, amount drawn in excess over grant refunded.
h Amount of Road Tolls transferred to Bhaugulpore District.
i Rs. 42, fines remitted; Rs. 867-13-7 amount drawn in excess over grant refunded.
j Fines remitted.

Act is in force.
nou expended by Public Works Department was Rs. 1,88,842.
ty paid in last quarter. The items marked * are grants overdrawn during last year now refunded.

F. R. BOYCE,

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS AND SALT IN THE UNDER-

Number.	Districts.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, best sort. Present return.	Rice, best sort. Next preceding return.	Rice, best sort. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Great Millet, Cholum, Jowar, Maize or Indian-corn. Present return.	Great Millet, Cholum, Jowar, Maize or Indian-corn. Next preceding return.	Great Millet, Cholum, Jowar, Maize or Indian-corn. Corresponding return of last year.
		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN														
	BENGAL.															
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan	12 0	13 0	13 0	24 0	24 0	21 10	16 0	20 0	18 8	17 8	21 0	21 8	...	...	...
2	Bancoorah	12 4	13 5	14 0	22 0	22 8	20 0	13 4	15 8	13 12	16 0	17 8	15 8	32 8	34 0	30 0
3	Beerbhoom	13 0	13 8	8 15	...	...	...	15 0	16 8	16 8	16 8	18 0	21 0	...	...	40 0
4	Midnapore	11 0	11 0	10 8	...	...	...	18 0	19 0	16 8	21 0	25 0	22 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly	12 0	12 0	12 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	13 0	18 0	19 0	18 0	...	...	...
	Howrah	12 0	12 4	13 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	15 8	16 0	16 0	19 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...
	Central Districts.															
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	12 8	13 5	14 8	23 12	24 10	24 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	20 0	18 13	16 12	...	...	...
7	Nuddea	12 12½	13 0	14 8	26 10	26 10½	22 0	14 8½	15 4	16 0	16 7	17 12	17 12	...	...	...
8	Jessore	13 0	13 5	13 5	...	...	...	17 8	17 12	17 12	26 8	26 8	27 0	...	...	...
9	Moorshedabad ...	13 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	13 0	15 0	15 0	19 0	...	...	...
10	Dinagepore	13 0	14 0	13 4	18 0	18 0	21 0	13 0	16 0	19 0	19 0	18 0	27 0	...	...	...
11	Maldah	14 0	15 0	16 0	32 0	32 0	40 0	15 0	18 0	20 0	16 0	19 0	21 0	35 0	40 0	30 0
12	Rajshahye	12 0	13 8	...	30 0	30 0	...	13 8	16 8	...	15 0	21 0	...	30 0	18 0	...
13	Rungpore	14 0	15 0	14 1	...	...	...	11 13	13 7	15 10	15 10	16 14	25 14	...	...	...
14	Bograh	12 0	13 8	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	15 0	21 0	18 0	24 0	30 0	...	...	...
15	Pubna	15 0	15 0	18 12	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	18 12	18 12	27 8	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling	6 0	6 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	5 0	10 0	8 0	11 0	12 0	13 0	23 0	23 0	20 0
17	Julpigoree	8 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	10 0	16 0	17 0	14 0	...	...	...
	Cooch Behar.*															
	Eastern Districts.															
18	Dacca	12 8	12 8	15 0	32 0	20 0	28 8	21 0	21 0	21 0	25 0	26 0	32 0	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	24 0	20 0	25 0	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	8 0	18 0	22 0	24 0	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 4	19 0	25 0	26 0	27 0	...	...	...
21	Mymensing ...	12 0	12 8	12 0	...	...	...	16 0	20 0	20 0	18 0	23 0	27 0	...	...	...
22	Sylhet	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 8	11 8	11 8	19 0	19 0	24 0	32 0	32 0	34 0	...	...	...
23	Cachar	9 6	9 2	9 6	...	...	...	24 10	24 10	26 10	29 1	29 1	32 0	...	...	...
24	Chittagong	10 0	10 0	15 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	22 0	22 0	...	...	...
25	Noakhally	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	17 0	18 0	22 0	23 0	24 0	...	...	...
26	Tipperah	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	20 0	25 0	24 0	32 8	...	...	...
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 13	13 13	13 0	16 0	16 0	17 8	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah ...	9 9	10 0	11 4	...	...	...	17 7	20 0	21 3	24 6	23 0	33 6	...	...	...
	BEHAR.															
28	Patna	12 0	14 0	24 0	18 8	23 0	31 4	13 8	14 4	...	14 8	16 0	21 0	20 8	28 0	31 8
29	Gya	10 0	10 12	15 0	15 0	17 0	30 0	9 0	9 8	12 0	11 0	11 8	18 0	13 0	16 0	26 4
30	Shahabad	13 0	13 12	15 0	19 0	21 8	25 0	13 8	13 12	15 0	14 8	15 8	19 0	19 0	22 0	25 0
31	Tirhoot	10 0	11 0	14 0	20 0	24 0	20 0	13 8	14 0	14 0	15 8	16 0	15 0	25 0	26 0	...
32	Sarun	12 0	13 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	30 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	14 8	15 0	20 0	23 0	23 4	30 0
33	Chumparun ...	13 0	14 0	18 0	24 0	32 0	27 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	19 0	32 0	...	...
34	Monghyr	13 6	13 6	16 2	28 3	27 3	32 5	11 5	13 6	13 6	13 6	15 7	16 8	23 1	26 1	35 7
35	Bhaugulpore ...	12 10	13 14	13 3	22 7	22 11	24 0	12 10	15 2	16 6	17 0	17 7	18 15	21 7	27 12	37 14
36	Purneah	12 0	11 0	13 0	...	26 0	30 0	13 0	13 5	13 0	14 0	14 5	20 0	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	13 0	18 0	20 0	19 0	30 0	40 0	40 0
	ORISSA.															
38	Cuttack	15 12	17 1	18 6	...	...	...	22 5	22 5	21 0	31 8	31 8	38 1	...	...	...
39	Pooree	14 7	13 11	14 7	...	...	...	24 14	23 10	26 4	34 6	32 13	34 2	...	...	...
40	Balasore	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	16 0	18 0	16 0	32 0	38 0	30 0	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.															
	South-West Frontier Agency.															
41	Hazareebaugh ...	11 12	12 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	13 4	14 0	18 0	20 8	21 0	28 0
42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	19 0	12 8	14 0	16 0	14 0	18 0	20 0	...	24 0	32 0
43	Singbhoom	18 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	22 0	15 0	18 0	26 0	20 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom	13 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	24 0	14 0	15 0	17 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	40 0	40 0	60 0
	ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.															
45	Goalpara	20 0	20 0	12 0	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	12 0	27 0	30 0	16 0	...	...	...
46	Kamroop	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	...	...	...
47	Darrung	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...
48	Nowgong	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 8	18 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...
49	Seebsanger	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	16 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...
50	Lukhimpore ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	4 0	4 0	...
51	Naga Hills.*															
52	Khasia & Jynteah Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...
53	Garo Hills.*															

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA,

The 28th October 1873.

MENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL ON THE 15th OCTOBER 1873.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Bulrush Millet, Cumboo, Bazea.			Lesser Millets, Ragi or Murwa, Cheena, &c.			Gram.			Fire-wood.			Salt.			Remarks.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	23 0	35 0	140 0	160 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Prices rising owing to scarcity of rain.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	18 8	22 8	26 0	160 0	160 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 8	
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30 0	30 0	40 0	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	22 0	480 0	480 0	480 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	
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Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 25th October 1873.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.						
	Western Districts.	1873.				
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan ...	Oct. 28th*	Nil	Weather hot and dry; very slight showers at Bood-Bood, Raneegunge, and Cutwa sub-divisions; very heavy showers in Ausgram and part of Burdwan.	The crops are suffering much from the continued drought; those on the high lands are irretrievably spoilt. Much of the rice is flowering.	Prices slightly higher than last week. Fever prevalent.
2	Bancoorah ...	„ 25th	Nil	Fine, but sky not free from disappointing clouds.	All crops are dying for want of rain; sugarcane saved in parts. All available water is being utilized. Sowing of the cold weather crops has begun in places.	
3	Beerbhoom ...	„ 25th	Nil	Hot and bright most of the week. Slight fall of rain in the east and south of the district on the 22nd instant.	The reaping of the early rice has commenced; about half the average outturn is expected. The prospects of the late rice crop are becoming daily worse. Without rain scarcely more than six annas can be saved. Eight annas might still be saved by an early fall. The cold weather crops cannot be put in without rain, but they do not form an important part of the produce of the district.	
4	Midnapore ...	„ 25th	0·02	Showers of rain have fallen in various places in the district, but very partially; a heavy shower passed within two miles of the sudder station on Thursday morning. In Contai sub-division an inch fell.	Slightly improved; limited portions of the district have been benefited by showers of rain, and the south can scarcely have less and perhaps more than an average crop. Since last report the Magistrate, Joint-Magistrate, and other gazetted officers, have visited all portions of the district except north-western corner, and it is only in places that there will be any serious deficiency. This district will evidently have the benefit of a brisk carrying trade both by road and canal with the north and east, and relief works for the localities where there has been any great failure are the outside that this district is likely to need. There has been a brisk demand for irrigation during the week, and as many leases have been granted as could be provided with water. Allowing for this and for the south, there cannot be less than three-fifths of an average late rice crop in the district as a whole.	
5	Hooghly ...	„ 25th	Nil	Clear and occasionally cloudy.	Prospect of crops worse than when last reported. The rice on high lands is now almost beyond recovery even if rain falls. Prices are rising.	
	Howrah ...	„ 25th	Nil	Since Wednesday there has been a gathering of clouds every morning, but each night has been clear and no rain has fallen anywhere; the dews are very heavy, and the prospects of rain is growing fainter and fainter.	As last week, with the additional disadvantage that another dry week has passed. The rice on high lands has in part gone entirely and the rest is in imminent danger. The rice in low lands and near water is still good, and some of it excellent. Rain would save more than half the crops even if it does not come for 8 or 10 days. The pulses are doing very well, and no one seems to fear for them.	

* Telegram of the 28th October received on the same day. Shows the rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.					
		1873.				
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	Oct. 28th	Nil	Weather getting generally cooler, clouds hanging about, but no rain.	Most of the late rice crop on high lands is past remedy. Unless rain comes soon, it will totally fail in several places. The crops on the low lands are also beginning to suffer from the drought. The ground is too hard to permit winter sowings. Prices of all food crops rapidly rising.	Fever deminishing in Satkheran, but continues in Basirhat and Baraipore.
7	Nuddea ...	„ 25th	0·06	Slight showers are reported from one or two places; the weather is warm, and clouds have for several days appeared, but there does not seem to be reasonable ground to hope for an early fall of rain.	The late rice crops in the higher lands have now been damaged almost, if not quite, beyond the possibility of even a partial recovery. Those in the lower lands are in a much better state, and with rain might still show a tolerable outturn. Teel, oilseed, pulses, sugar-cane, and chillies, so far promise fairly. Mustard, linseed, gram, barley, and other cold weather crops, have been sown, and in some places are germinating, but they require rain.	The health of the people generally is good.
8	Jessore ...	„ 25th	Nil	Warm and sunny. No rain. Wind generally from the north.	The crops on the higher grounds are much injured from want of rain, those in the bheel or marshy lands are injured too, but not so seriously. The cultivation of the winter crops is also retarded by the want of rain, and unless the *kateam*, or rain in the month of Kartic, come soon the prospects are bad.	
9	Moorshedabad ...	„ 25th	0·2	A slight rainfall at the Sudder and Lallbaugh sub-divisions on Thursday evening, but confined to these localities. A mere drizzling is reported from Rampore-haut, but no rain whatever in Jungipore. The sky was cloudy on the 25th instant.	The reports sent in are still very unfavorable. The rainfall was too slight to be of real benefit to the crops. Many cultivators are cutting their paddy for cattle. The cold weather sowings are stopped for want of rain. Prices rising.	Small-pox is prevailing with virulence in Shahanagore, but it is not of a fatal type.
10	Dinagepore ...	„ 25th	Nil	Dry and warm. Clouds gather every now and then and promise rain which never comes.	The late or winter rice is about as bad as can be, short of no crop at all. The greater part of the crops irretrievably lost, and even if rain comes now, there won't be above a 3 or 4-annas crop throughout. Rain is also much wanted for cold weather crops. Prices have gone up very much during the week—from 13 and 14 seers to 10, of 96 tolahs weight.	
11	Maldah ...	„ 25th	Nil	Weather fair, with occasional clouds. Days hot, nights rather cold.	There having been no rain during the past week, there is little hope for the rice on the high lands. In thannah Sibgunge three-fourths of the usual crops are expected. The cold weather crops are being sown; pulses and mustard are reported in good condition in Sibgunge, but want rain. In two villages the young wheat has been attacked by insects.	A few cases of small-pox in Khurbah thannah.

Bd Presidency Division.

Rajshahye Division.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.—(*Contd.*) 12	Rajshahye ...	Oct. 25th	Nil	There was a slight fall of rain in Nattore on the 22nd instant. No rain in other parts of the district.	The state and prospects of the late crops continue bad. In the Nattore sub-division about one-fourth to one-third of the rice crop may be harvested from low land beels. The cold weather crops are being sown, but they are likely to suffer for want of rain. Tobacco, teel—oil-seed, and urhur—pulse are doing fairly well. Price of rice rising.	
13	Rungpore ...	„ 25th	Nil	A slight appearance of clouds, but no rain; mornings and evenings very cool. Rain is reported to have fallen to the east.	Little change to be reported. The crop of rice is everywhere drying up. The tracts immediately surrounding the station are those most injuriously affected, but gloomy accounts are given for every quarter.	
14	Bograh ...	„ 25th	A few drops on two days, but not appreciable by the gauge.	Still dry, and hotter than usual for the time of the year.	A great portion of the late rice crop will be lost in consequence of the continued drought. Mulberry and sugarcane in certain tracts are doing fairly well.	
15	Pubna ...	„ 25th	0·05	Weather close, with a little shower of rain.	The late rice in the high lands is almost all destroyed, that on the low lands is somewhat better, but rain is still much wanted. The cold weather crops are being sown.	
COOCH BEHAR DIVISION. 16	Darjeeling ...	„ 25th	Nil	In the hills, a lowery sky but no rain. In the plains, every thing very dry, no rain.	In the plains the crops on the high lands are looking sadly parched; serious loss is anticipated; want of rain is the cry every where. The low land crops have not suffered so much. The winter rice should shortly produce grain in the ears, but the blades are looking very dry. Definite and precise reports as to the extent of loss anticipated have been called for. The pulse crop is looking well. In the hills the crops are progressing favorably on the whole, but rain is very much needed.	
17	Julpigoree ...	...	...	.....	.....	Return not received.
	Cooch Behar ...	...	...	.....	.....	Return not received.
	Eastern Districts.					
DACCA DIVISION. 18	Dacca ...	„ 28th*	Nil	Weather dry; clouds still continue to hang about.	Prospects of crops bad ...	Fever reported in the west of the district, and some cholera in the town.
19	Furreedpore ...	„ 25th	Nil	Hot and cloudy at the beginning and end of the week.	The late rice crop in the beels or very low lands still promises well, requiring no rain to mature, but for all other lands rain, which has not fallen for the last four weeks, is much wanted, and the grain in the generality of places is in ear, and unless the roots of the paddy now dry has moisture, it will to a large extent from want of nourishment shrivel and become chaff, and the crop prove a very poor one all over.	

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	No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Snider Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
		ENGAL.—(*Contd.*)					
		Eastern Districts.—(Contd.)	1873.				
BHAGULPORE DIVISION—*Contd.*	20	Backergunge ...	Oct. 25th	0·34	Cool in the mornings and evenings, and very hot in the middle of the day.	Fair. The crops on the high lands have suffered, but those on the low lands are good. There will be no famine nor distress. When portions of Backergunge suffered from famine in 1787 and 1822, it was from too much water and not from too little. The reports from the Perozepore and Patuakhali divisions are good, and it is chiefly in Madaripore and Barisal divisions that a poor harvest is anticipated.	
	21	Mymensing ...	„ 25th	Nil	Mornings and evenings cool. No rain reported anywhere.	The want of rain is much felt. Reports of the rice crop everywhere unfavorable.	
	22	Sylhet ...	„ 18th	0·50	Very cool during the day and chilly at night up to the 17th; since then the weather has become warm. Very foggy on the morning of the 18th. Every sign of rain.	As last week. If it does not rain very soon, the crops on the high lands will suffer much. The river has risen 18 inches within the last few days.	
	23	Cachar ...	„ 18th	4·10	Cloudy, with rain ...	The rain fall is very beneficial. There has been a want of rain in one part, and flies have injured the paddy in another part of the district. The weather has been very favorable for tea plantations.	
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.	24	Chittagong ...	„ 18th	3·21	A good deal of rain fell on Monday and Wednesday. The end of the week was fine and hot.	Reports generally favorable. A fair average crop expected.	
	25	Noakhally ...	„ 18th	6·72	The past week has been a very rainy one; weather cool.	To the south of Sudharam and in the islands of Hattea and Sedhi, the late rice is reported to have been injured by the "Sani" and "Mayah" insects. In the other parts of the district the crop is said to be doing well.	
	26	Tipperah ...	„ 25th	0·16	Bright and cool, but still unsettled. 25th.—Gloomy, and there may be rain yet. Brahmanbaria—Rainfall, 2·20.	The heavy rain in the north is believed to have done good to the crop in low lands. The Deputy Collector is out inspecting the state of the country. The three central thannahs have suffered severely. The Joint-Magistrae and the District Superintendent have lately seen different parts of them, and nothing can be hoped for here. But the four southern thannahs are safe, which is fortunate, as they are the most inaccessible.	
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts	„ 18th	1·02	Cool throughout the whole week; slight falls of rain on the 12th, 13th, and 14th instant.	The prospects of both the paddy and cotton crops are good. The former is being gathered and the latter is brought for sale in small quantities to the hill markets. Mustard land is being ploughed for cold weather crops.	
		Hill Tipperah ...	„ 18th	0·82	Scarcely any rain; weather hot during the day; nights cool.	The outturn of the paddy at Agurtollah is not expected to exceed ⅜ths of the average. Rain now would not save the crops.	

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BEHAR.		1873.				
PATNA DIVISION.						
28	Patna ...	Oct. 28th*	Nil	Weather cool; no change in the state of things except that every day passes without rain.	Prospects are getting worse and worse, though much of the cold weather crops has germinated. A deal has not been sown, and there is the fear of what has come up being burnt up.	Health of the district good.
29	Gya ...	„ 25th	Nil	Cool and fine ...	There is no improvement. No rain has fallen anywhere in the district, and the cold weather crop lands (greater portions of which are unsown) cannot now be ploughed and sown till rain falls. The prices of food-grains have not risen materially since last week.	
30	Shahabad ...	„ 25th	Nil	Hot and clear, with west wind, and nights cool.	The rice crop, where it has not been irrigated, must prove a failure. In the Sasseeram sub-division a tract of 48,000 beegahs of land has been irrigated by the canal, and thereby a considerable quantity of rice saved; water is still being supplied, though perhaps this will not now save much of the rice-sown land, yet it will do much good towards preparing the land for the cold weather sowings. Very little land has yet been sown with it, and unless rain falls before the 20th November it will be too late for sowing. Those already sown have germinated. Prices rising.	
31	Tirhoot ...	„ 25th	Nil	Clear sky; westerly wind prevalent.	The prospects as regard rice continue gloomy. In the north of the district the ryots are to be seen making every effort to save the paddy by irrigation where the fields are near tanks or streams. In the Tajpore sub-division the rice still bears up wonderfully, chiefly owing to heavy dews, especially that which was planted. A heavy rain in the course of 10 days will still secure a four-anna outturn. Tobacco very backward; a little wheat, barley, and mustard are being sown on the chance of rain.	
32	Sarun ...	„ 28th	Nil	Clear. No signs of rain; weather cool, dews at night. East and west winds.	Bad reports from all thannahs. All crops are suffering from want of rain, more especially the paddy. The straw is being cut, as the plants are dying. The cold weather crops are being sown in places where the soil has sufficient moisture, but a large tract of land will remain unsown unless rain falls. The prospects of the coming year are very gloomy. Prices are rising.	
33	Chumparun ...	„ 25th	Nil	Cool in the mornings and evenings; hot in the middle of the day.	All the high land paddy has been sun-burnt. Those of the lowlands, if it does rain soon, might yield a 6-anna harvest; otherwise there is no prospect of harvesting even 4-anna crops. The proportion of high to lowland in the district is as 2 to 3. There is no prospect of a favorable outturn of paddy this year. The seeds of the cold weather crops have been sown, but for want of moisture in the land, they are germinating slowly after an unusual time, and the blades are not even of a healthy growth.	

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AR.—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
BHAUGULPORE DIVISION.						
34	Monghyr ...	Oct. 25th	Nil	Cloudless sky ...	No change since last week; ploughing and sowing going on in deara lands, and as there is much moisture in the soil a fair crop is hoped for. A good deal of damage is done by a field cricket called *Phatinga*, which has increased in myriads this dry season. The rice crop, where artificial irrigation cannot be procured, has dried up and is being eaten off by cattle. If rain falls soon the cold weather crop may be an average one.	
35	Bhaugulpore ...	„ 28th*	Nil	No rain ...	No improvement on last week's report.	
36	Purneah ...	„ 25th	Nil	No change since last week	The lands which in ordinary years are sown with winter rice are now either being prepared for or have been sown with the cold weather crops, which ought to be very good if rain falls within a month. The rice crop near the Kusi river is not so bad as was expected. A little rain has fallen at Kishengunge, where the prospects have improved. Prices at sudder station and Kusba still rising.	Fever very prevalent.
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	„ 25th	Nil	No rain anywhere reported on good authority. A shower about Ranibehal, fourteen miles south, is talked of.	Very bad. From Dumka to the north-west to the borders of Bhaugulpore there is a stretch of about twenty-five miles from which reports are not as bad as elsewhere. A 12-anna crop even without rain is talked of. In other places 6 annas is the most. Hardly any cold weather crops.	
ORISSA.						
ORISSA DIVISION.						
38	Cuttack ...	„ 28th*	0·01	Rain has fallen pretty generally in the interior — Rainfall at Jajpore ... 1·7 Jugutsingpore ... 1·19 Kendrapara ... Nil.	Early rice has been a full crop; late rice good, except on highlands. Cold weather crops promising. No scarcity apprehended now.	Public health good on the whole.
39	Pooree ...	„ 18th	7·70	Cloudy ...	The second paddy crop is forming ears in some pergunnahs and is being reaped in others. The young plants of pulses are promising; the late rains have done much good to the crops; the prospects of the cold weather crops are favorable.	
40	Balasore ...	„ 25th	Nil	Dry ...	No rain has fallen since the 12th except a few insignificant and partial showers. The belt of country north of Berhampore on the Trunk Road received only a slight portion of the three days' rain which was mentioned in last week's report, and which benefited the rest of the district. The crops there have had little rain since the middle of September, and are suffering severely. The prospects of the rest of the district are unchanged. There will be no scarcity, and the produce will more than suffice for home consumption.	

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CHOTA NAGPORE.		1873.				
	South-West Frontier Agency.					
41	Hazareebaugh ...	Oct. 25th	Nil	Settled fine weather ...	The rice pc cannot be very poor, but following a very poor (bhadoi) early crop, there will be naturally some pressure on the poor. Price of rice is very high; this is in a manner due to combination on the part of grain-sellers.	Little disease reported.
42	Lohardugga ...	„ 25th	Nil	Clouds continue to hang about; wind variable. It is still cloudy and looks like rain.	The rice on highlands has been much injured through the drought, and rain now will not do it much good. The lowland crop too will be a short one, unless some rain falls quickly. In Palamow only about four annas of the cold weather crops has been sown, and rain is urgently required to continue the sowings. The prospects of sirgoojah and sarsoo mustard are fair. Prices are high.	
43	Singbhoom ...	„ 18th	0·15	No rain during the week, and apparently not the slightest prospects of any.	Very bad, almost hopeless, over a great part of the district: here and there only where there is artificial irrigation have the crops any chance. Even with rain now at once, no more than from 4 to 6 annas return can be expected, except perhaps in Seraikeyla, where the prospects are better, and where with rain now 8 to 10 annas outturn might be expected.	
44	Maunbhoom ...	„ 25th	Nil	Cloudy occasionally and warm, but not a drop of rain.	For want of rain the state and prospects of all crops on the ground are daily getting worse and worse. As far as is yet known the northern portion of the district has suffered the most, though complaints come in from all parts stating that the crops are all dying for want of rain. The cold weather crops are suffering equally with the others, and unless rain falls soon the late cold weather crops cannot even be sown.	
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.						
45	Goalparah ...	„ 18th	Nil	Whole week was sunny and hot; nights cool and dewy.	The state of the late rice crops is not favorable. Jute, cotton, and sugarcane progressing well; other winter crops are being sown now.	
46	Kamroop ...	„ 27th*	0·32	Weather cold and foggy in the mornings and nights.	Late rice backward. Tea crops appear thriving on the whole. Sugarcane, cotton, and pulse crops progressing favorably. Mustard-seed being sown.	Public health good.
47	Durrung ...	„ 18th	1·31	Bright. North-east wind prevailing.	Rain much needed for the late rice crop. Tea season appears to be prematurely drawing to a close for want of rain.	Fever prevalent; cholera has abated.
48	Nowgong ...	„ 18th	Nil	The past week has been a very sultry one on the whole. Very hot days, cloudy evenings, but cool towards early mornings.	The late rice crop is suffering much on the highlands from the drought; grain very yellow and sickly looking. In the Chapori Mehals the (bao dhan) paddy is doing well. Tea operations doing fairly, but more rain is wanted and looked for.	General health of the district good.

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ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
49	Seebsaugor ...	Oct. 18th	0·38	Mornings and evenings are cool.	The paddy crop is greatly in want of rain, and on this account the reports are not favorable. The sowing of the cold weather crops progresses. Tea doing well.	
50	Luckimpore ...	„ 18th	Nil	The whole week was very fine; the mornings and evenings pleasantly cool, with a bright sun during the day. North Luckimpore seasonable; the cold weather seems to be setting in.	Crops doing fairly ...	Public health improving.
51	Naga Hills ...	„ 11th	1·12	Seasonable ...	The hill people expect to gather an average crop all round. The transplanted rice is expected to be far below the average. Cotton crop looking well.	
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills	„ 18th	0·34	Clear in the morning with, clouds in the afternoon, terminating in rain.	The paddy harvest has commenced, and a good out-turn is expected. Other standing crops—potatoes, millet, cotton, &c., are doing well.	
53	Garo Hills ...	„ 18th	0·42	A little rain on 13th and 14th instant; clouds have been hanging about and collecting towards higher ranges, but no rain fell since the 14th. Nights chilly and clear. Much dew; scarcely any wind; weather considerably cooler this week.	Same as last week. It would be better for some rain.	

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Division	District	Station	Rain from 5th to 11th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 12th to 18th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
	WESTERN DISTRICTS.						
BURDWAN.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan	0·20	Nil	57·44	18th Oct.	
		Cutwa	Nil	Nil	39·04	ditto.	
		Culna	0·19	Nil	43·18	ditto.	
		Bood-Bood	0·27	Nil	48·03	ditto.	
		Raneegunge	Nil	0·02	44·53	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	0·35	Nil	43·67	ditto.	
	Bancoorah ...	Bancoorah	Nil	Nil	46·83	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom ...	Sooree	Nil	0·91	53·37	ditto.	
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	Nil	Nil	44·77	ditto.	
		Tumlook	0·15	Nil	47·49	ditto.	
		Gurbetta	0·02	Nil	46·28	ditto.	
		Contai ... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	0·59	1·10	44·84	ditto.	
		Contai ... Exe. Engr.'s Office	1·07	1·28	49·80	ditto.	
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly	0·60	Nil	38·73	ditto.	
		Serampore	0·03	Nil	43·13	ditto.	
	Howrah ...	Howrah	0·02	0·22	46·56	ditto.	
	CENTRAL DISTRICTS.						
PRESIDENCY.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	1·60	0·90	45·93	ditto.	
		Calcutta	0·20	0·15	44·31	ditto.	
		Alipore... Dispensary ...	0·13	0·13	45·36	ditto.	
		Alipore... Jail	0·08	0·11	44·31	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut	0·10	Nil	43·19	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
		Baraset	0·02	0·16	40·23	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour... ...	0·94	0·01	50·84	ditto.	
		Barripore	0·16	0·11	50·93	ditto.	
		Satkherah	0·25	Nil	47·63	ditto.	
		Barrackpore	0·25	Nil	45·97	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
		Dum-Dum	Nil	Nil	48·74	ditto ...	" " " "
	Nuddea ...	Kishnaghur	Nil	Nil	46·71	ditto.	
		Bongong	0·15	Nil	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore	Nil	0·25	52·06	ditto.	
		Chooadangah	0·05	Nil	45·82	ditto.	
		Kooshtea	Nil	0·02	38·63	ditto.	
		Ranaghat	0·53	Nil	34·51	ditto.	
		Jessore	0·01	0·69	44·45	ditto.	
	Jessore ...	Nurrail	0·10	0·53	66·71	ditto.	
		Khoolneah	0·10	0·50	59·25	ditto.	
		Jenadah	0·28	Nil	43·15	ditto.	
		Bazirhaut	0·33	1·05	55·91	ditto.	
		Magoorah	Nil	0·48	47·25	ditto.	
		Berhampore	Nil	0·30	31·47	ditto.	
		Ramporchaut	Nil	Nil	28·71	ditto.	
RAJSHAHYE.	Moorshedabad ...	City Moorshedabad ...	Nil	0·04	26·80	ditto.	
		Jungipore	Nil	0·13	36·14	ditto.	
		Azimgunge	Nil	Nil	34·78	ditto.	
		Lalgolla	0·03	Nil	40·41	ditto ...	From 1st Feb.
	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	Nil	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah ...	Maldah	Nil	0·22	27·02	ditto.	
	Rajshahye ...	Beauleah	Nil	Nil	31·86	ditto.	
		Nattore	Nil	0·14	43·63	ditto.	
	Rungpore ...	Rungpore	Nil	Nil	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge	Nil	Nil	47·12	ditto.	
		Titalya	Nil	Nil	82·72	ditto.	
	Bograh ...	Bograh	Nil	Nil	36·74	ditto.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	0·23	0·04	43·13	ditto.	
		Serajgunge	0·53	Not rec.	35·26	11th Oct.	
COOCH BEHAR.	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling Telegraph Office	Not rec.	Not rec.	93·66	30th Sept.	
		Darjeeling Hospital ...	Nil	Nil	77·74	18th Oct.	
	Julpigoree ...	Julpigoree	Nil	Nil	88·20	ditto.	
		Fallacotta	Nil	Nil	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah	Nil	Nil	66·37	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar	Nil	Nil	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars ...	Buxa	Nil	Not rec.	175·64	11th Oct.	
	EASTERN DISTRICTS.						
DACCA.	Dacca ...	Dacca ... Telegraph Office ...	Nil	0·22	60·64	18th Oct.	
		Dacca ... Hospital ...	Nil	0·20	58·38	ditto.	
		Moonshegunge	Nil	0·46	62·47	ditto.	
	Furreedpore ...	Manickgunge	Nil	0·31	48·86	ditto.	
		Furreedpore	Nil	Nil	50·55	ditto.	
		Goalundo	Nil	0·30	42·03	ditto.	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisaul	Nil	1·73	60·61	ditto.	
		Perozepore	0·32	0·40	55·99	ditto.	
		Madaripore	0·59	Not rec.	60·09	11th Oct.	
		Patooakhally	0·65	4·56	89·84	18th Oct.	
		Dowlat Khan	0·10	5·70	99·61	ditto.	
	Mymensing ...	Mymensing	Nil	0·27	61·39	ditto.	
		Jamalpore	Nil	0·25	48·56	ditto.	
		Atteah	Nil	0·36	44·06	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge	Nil	2·36	67·43	ditto.	
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	Nil	0·50	126·18	ditto.	
	Cachar ...	Cachar	1·93	4·10	166·95	ditto.	
		Hylakandy	0·18	2·34	85·37	ditto.	
		Koyah	0·99	1·78	80·84	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
CHITTAGONG.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	0·20	3·50	84·40	ditto.	
		Chittagong Jail	0·13	3·21	85·28	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar	2·83	5·09	151·64	ditto.	
	Noakhally ...	Noakhally	0·11	6·73	115·45	ditto.	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	Nil	0·52	72·20	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah	Nil	3·08	58·32	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill	Nil	1·02	71·53	ditto.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	Nil	0·82	57·47	ditto.	

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BEHAR.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
Patna	Patna	Patna	Nil	Nil	30·49	18th Oct.	
		Behar	Nil	Nil	38·09	ditto.	
		Barh	Nil	Nil	33·18	ditto.	
		Dinapore — Jail	Nil	0·20	34·16	ditto.	
		Dinapore — Cantonment	Nil	0·15	34·75	ditto.	
	Gya	Gya	Nil	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah	Nil	Nil	40·94	ditto.	
		Arungabad	Nil	Nil	33·04	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Nil	Nil	38·73	ditto.	
	Shahabad	Arrah	Nil	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhuboosh	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozufferpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	29·03	4th Oct.	
		Durbhangah	Not rec.	Not rec.	34·45	27th Sept.	
		Hajeepore	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·36	4th Oct.	
		Madhubani	Not rec.	Not rec.	27·51	ditto.	
		Seetamaree	Not rec.	Not rec.	37·10	ditto.	
		Tajpore	Nil	Nil	31·11	18th Oct.	
	Sarun	Chuprah	Nil	Nil	33·88	ditto.	
		Sewan	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Chumparun	Motechari	Nil	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah	Nil	Nil	32·60	ditto.	
Bhagulpore	Monghyr	Monghyr	Nil	Nil	33·20	ditto.	
		Begooserai	Nil	Nil	35·35	ditto.	
		Jamooie	Nil	Nil	43·09	ditto.	
	Bhaugulpore	Bhaugulpore	Nil	Nil	28·62	ditto.	
		Soopool	Not rec.	Nil	36·73	ditto	Not received 5th to 11th Oct.
		Mudhepoorah	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka	Nil	Nil	36·22	ditto.	
		Sanporsa	Nil	0·33	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah	Nil	Nil	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge	Nil	Nil	37·69	ditto.	
		Arrareah	Nil	Nil	35·00	ditto.	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Deoghur	Nil	Nil	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto	Not recorded 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal	Nil	Nil	23·00	ditto.	
		Mohesh pore	Not rec.	Not rec.	25·24	20th Sept.	From 15th June.
		Nya-Doomka	Nil	Nil	52·34	18th Oct.	
		Godda	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto.	
ISSA.							
Orissa	Cuttack	Cuttack — Telegraph Office	0·90	0·20	33·50	ditto.	
		Cuttack — Hospital	1·34	0·08	37·82	ditto.	
		Jajipore	2·80	Nil	33·61	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	4·70	Nil	57·20	ditto.	
		Jugutsingpore	3·88	Nil	39·62	ditto.	
	Pooree	False Point	18·40	0·30	55·05	ditto.	
		Pooree	19·29	0·03	53·08	ditto.	
		Khurdah	1·53	Nil	48·17	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	2·66	Not rec.	45·70	11th Oct.	
		Bhuddruck	2·86	Not rec.	34·70	ditto	Not received 21st to 27th Sept.
		Jellasore	0·44	Not rec.	48·05	ditto	From 1st April.
		Sorab	0·90	Not rec.	36·19	ditto	Ditto.
		Chandbally	6·17	Not rec.	35·25	ditto	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sambalpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	49·60	4th Oct.	
CHOTA NAGPORE.							
SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.							
	Hazareebaugh	Hazareebaugh — Jail	Nil	Nil	59·04	18th Oct.	
		Hazareebaugh — Dispensary	Nil	Nil	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba	Nil	Nil	51·55	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah	Ranchee	Nil	Nil	46·95	ditto.	
		Palamow	Nil	Nil	39·98	ditto.	
	Singbhoom	Chyebassa	0·15	Nil	38·54	ditto.	
	Maunbhoom	Purulia	Nil	0·09	40·79	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.							
	Goalparah	Goalparah	Nil	Not rec	68·21	11th Oct.	
		Dhoobree	Nil	Not rec.	91·42	ditto.	
	Kamroop	Gowhatty	Nil	Nil	48·79	18th Oct.	
		Burpettah	Nil	Not rec.	70·78	11th Oct.	
	Durrung	Tezpore	1·35	Not rec.	65·58	ditto.	
		Munglodye	Nil	Not rec.	53·99	ditto.	
	Nowgong	Nowgong	0·02	Nil	70·58	18th Oct.	
	Seebsaugor	Seebsaugor	0·12	Not rec.	71·68	11th Oct.	
		Golaghat	0·60	Not rec.	65·38	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	0·06	Not rec.	58·81	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	0·29	Not rec.	74·64	ditto.	
	Luckimpore	Debrooghur	0·31	Not rec.	90·06	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	0·72	Not rec.	100·48	ditto.	
		Suddya	Nil	Not rec.	82·30	ditto.	
	Naga Hills	Samoogoodting	Not rec.	Not rec.	41·52	27th Sept.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills.	Shillong	0·12	Not rec.	53·03	11th Oct.	
		Jaowai	0·10	Not rec.	73·15	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	0·59	Not rec.	293·35	ditto.	
	Garo Hills	Tura	Nil	0·42	85·22	18th Oct.	
		Benares	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·83	4th Oct.	
		Akyab	1·80	12·10	202·30	18th Oct.	

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Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. * Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials
Calcutta.	Oct. 19th	10	29·857	29·875	87·0	78·0	65	E N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·748	29·766	87·5	79·4	68	E	...	...	C, K	
	20th	10	29·904	29·922	87·8	75·3	53	E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·775	29·793	90·0	75·0	47	E	...		.....	b
	21st	10	29·913	29·931	88·3	76·5	55	E	...	...	CK, CS	
		16	29·806	29·824	89·3	77·6	57	S E	...	...	C	
	22nd	10	29·931	29·949	87·0	78·5	66	E S E	...	...	K	
		16	29·812	29·830	88·0	76·7	57	E S E	...	...	CS	
	23rd	10	29·938	29·956	85·5	76·0	62	S S E	...	...	K, CK	
		16	29·824	29·842	86·0	77·0	64	S E	...	...	C	
	24th	10	29·932	29·950	86·5	78·5	68	E S E	...	...	C	
		16	29·809	29·827	86·7	75·4	57	E S E	...	...	S	
	25th	10	29·918	29·936	84·5	77·5	71	E by S	...	...	C	
		16	29·827	29·845	87·4	74·4	51	E	...	...	CK, C	
Saugor Island.	Oct. 19th	10	29·856	29·862	85	81	83	N W	2·2	...	N	b
		16	29·756	29·762	86	80	75	E	4·9	...	N	b
	20th	10	29·902	29·908	86	82	83	N	3·0	...	N	b, v
		16	29·798	29·804	84	79	79	S S E	6·0	0·20	N	b, v
	21st	10	29·915	29·921	86	80	75	N E	2·2	...	N	b, v
		16	29·823	29·829	85	80	79	S S W	2·8	1·60	KS	b, v
	22nd	10	29·930	29·936	83	80	87	N N W	2·7	...	N	b, v
		16	29·824	29·830	85	78	71	S E	6·4	...	K	b
	23rd	10	29·946	29·952	86	76	61	N W	1·7	...	K	b
		16	29·850	29·856	86	78	68	S W	4·1	...	N	b, v
	24th	10	29·927	29·933	86	76	61	E N E	4·7	...	C	b, v
		16	29·826	29·732	86	77	64	N N E	6·4	...	N	b, v
	25th	10	29·926	29·932	86	76	61	N N E	5·3	...	K	b
		16	29·842	29·848	84	78	75	S W	4·4	...	N	v, m
Chittagong.	Oct. 19th	10	29·832	29·925	79	77	90	E	1·3	0·20	K, KS	u
		16	29·710	29·802	84	79	79	W	3·1	...	C	b, v
	20th	10	29·862	29·955	79	77	90	N	1·6	...	K, CK, KS	b, v
		16	29·737	29·829	86	80	75	W	2·7	...	.....	b, v
	21st	10	29·872	29·964	85	78	71	N N E	2·2	...	K	b, v
		16	29·747	29·839	87	78	65	N W	1·9	...	.....	b, v
	22nd	10	29·877	29·969	83	72	56	N N E	8·2	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·759	29·851	85	74	57	N W	3·8	...	.....	b, a
	23rd	10	29·890	29·983	82	75	70	N N W	3·7	...	C	b, v
		16	29·792	29·884	84	75	64	N N W	3·4	...	C	b, v
	24th	10	29·872	29·965	80	75	78	N	3·9	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·772	29·864	85	74	57	N	5·3	...	C, CK, K	v
	25th	10	29·864	29·961	80	73	70	N	3·5	...	CK, C	b, v
		16	29·762	29·854	84	76	67	N N W	4·5	...	C CK,	b, v
Madras.	Oct. 18th	10	29·862	29·892	80	75	78	N W by N	10	0·12	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·766	29·796	82	78	82	N by W	13	...	.....	cloudy.
	19th	10	29·853	29·883	82	75	70	N W by N	9	...	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·720	29·750	85	76	54	N by W	10	...	.....	m
	20th	10	29·824	29·854	82	76	74	S W by W	10	0·07	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·712	29·742	79	76	86	W N W	7	...	.....	cloudy.
	21st	10	29·849	29·879	83	77	75	S W by W	8	...	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·744	29·774	83	78	78	S E by E	9	...	.....	e
	22nd	10	29·870	29·900	84	78	75	S E by E	2	...	.....	e
		16	29·787	29·817	86	78	68	E N E	9	...	.....	e
	23rd	10	29·905	29·935	76	67	60	N W	1	0·45	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·792	29·822	79	76	86	N W	4	0·02	.....	cloudy.
	24th	10	29·853	29·883	80	76	82	N W by N	11	0·19	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·741	29·771	80	75	78	N by W	13	...	.....	cloudy.
	25th	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	
		16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	
Cuttack.	Oct. 19th	10	29·790	29·872	85	76	64	N N E	0·6	...	CK	b
		16	29·698	29·780	85	77	68	E N E	4·2	...	N, C	
	20th	10	29·817	29·899	86	79	72	N N E	0·9	...	C, KS, C	
		16	29·718	29·801	82	77	73	E N E	3·0	...	K, N, C	
	21st	10	29·847	29·929	86	78	68	N E	0·3	...	CK, K	
		16	29·736	29·818	85	78	71	S	1·7	...	K, N, C	
	22nd	10	29·847	29·929	86	79	72	N N E	0·5	...	CK, C	
		16	29·757	29·839	83	77	75	E	4·0	...	CK, C	
	23rd	10	29·857	29·939	86	78	68	N	0·8	...	K, N, C	
		16	29·743	29·825	89	77	56	E	2·0	...	K, N, C	
	24th	10	29·847	29·929	87	78	65	N E	2·0	...	C, CK	
		16	29·728	29·810	85	77	68	E N E	6·1	...	CK, N, C	
	25th	10	29·850	29·933	79	76	86	N N E	1·4	...	CK, N, C	
		16	29·783	29·866	79	74	77	E N E	4·7	...	N, C	
Akyab.	Oct. 19th	10	29·874	29·895	85	81	83	E	1·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·749	29·770	85	80	79	S S W	3·3	...	.....	b
	20th	10	29·889	29·910	83	80	87	N E	1·6	...	.....	b
		16	29·776	29·797	87	79	68	W S W	3·5	...	.....	b
	21st	10	29·919	29·940	83	80	87	N E	1·2	...	.....	b
		16	29·776	29·797	87	81	76	W	4·5	...	.....	b
	22nd	10	29·919	29·941	81	79	91	N	1·4	...	.....	g
		16	29·814	29·835	83	79	83	W	2·8	...	.....	g
	23rd	10	29·924	29·945	85	81	83	N E	1·6	...	.....	b
		16	29·818	29·839	84	77	71	N E	4·1	...	.....	b
	24th	10	29·906	29·927	84	80	83	N E	2·4	...	.....	b
		16	29·808	29·829	85	79	75	W	5·9	...	.....	b
	25th	10	29·909	29·931	81	78	86	N N E	1·1	...	.....	b, g
		16	29·796	29·817	86	78	68	W	1·5	...	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
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Abstract of Observations as received in the Meteorological Reporter's Office, Calcutta, during the month of August 1873.

N.B.—The barometric data are reduced for temperatures, and not for height above sea-level.

STATIONS.	Height above sea-level.	BAROMETER. Mean.	Mean of 4 hour.	Mean of 10 hour.	Mean of 16 hour.	Mean of 22 hour.	Range.	RADIATION. Solar. Mean.	Solar. Max. Day.	Solar. Max. ⊖	Gross Nocturnal. Mean.	Gross Nocturnal. Min. Day.	Gross Nocturnal. Min. ⊕
Port Blair ...	61	29·734	...	29·769	29·699	...	·070	141·4	10th	167·0	...	...	...
Madras ...	27	29·742	...	29·802	29·681	...	·121	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam ...	31	29·657	29·635	29·708	29·602	29·683	·106	110·5	25th	118·0	...	...	...
Akyab ...	21	29·723	...	29·767	29·669	29·753	·098	137·5	10th	158·0	75·5	13-14th	72·3
False Point ...	18·7	29·639	29·629	29·680	29·584	29·685	·096	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuttack ...	80	29·574	29·564	29·615	29·511	29·608	·104	147·3	17th	159·0	74·9	13th	71·7
Saugor Island ...	6	29·653	...	29·689	29·595	29·676	·094	137·8	23rd	158·0	77·0	5th	71·0
Chittagong ...	90	29·642	29·616	29·690	29·583	29·674	·102	141·0	24th	160·2	75·2	12th	70·9
Calcutta ...	18·11	29·636	29·615	29·683	29·580	29·667	·103	139·9	17th	149·0	...	...	...
Jessore ...	20	29·629	...	29·680	29·579	...	·101	143·3	24th	160·0	76·2	10th	72·2
Dacca ...	35	29·644	...	29·638	29·583	29·669	·105	137·5	22nd	161·0	76·6	11th	74·4
Silchar ...	88·91	29·683	29·670	29·742	29·610	29·710	·132	138·7	23rd	158·0	75·7	7th	74·0
Hazareebaugh ...	2,014	27·683	...	27·710	27·615	27·689	·095	143·3	24th	156·0	71·9	18th	68·5
Berhampore ...	64	29·586	29·576	29·635	29·521	29·613	·114	144·2	22nd	157·0	76·8	9th	72·5
Gya ...	347	...	...	...	...	...	...	134·5	23rd	142·9	68·9	12th	65·0
Patna ...	179	29·431	...	29·511	29·396	...	·115	144·0	23rd	157·3	74·8	11th	70·4
Monghyr ...	160·4	29·471	29·458	29·528	29·409	29·492	·117	148·4	25-26th	154·0	75·6	12-13th	72·2
Darjeeling ...	6,912	23·351	23·337	23·367	23·336	23·365	·031	124·0	26th	136·0	55·5	23rd	53·0
Goalpurah ...	386	29·278	...	29·332	29·213	...	·119	...	...	...	76·1	19th	74·2
Benares ...	262·74	29·463	29·452	29·509	29·418	29·473	·091	145·2	24th	162·0	...	...	...
Roorkee ...	879·7	28·719	28·699	28·780	28·675	28·722	·105	144·4	6th	153·4	75·3	9th	71·4

STATIONS.	TEMPERATURE OF AIR. Mean of max.	Mean daily range.	Mean of min.	Mean.	Mean of 4 hour.	Mean of 10 hour.	Mean of 16 hour.	Mean of 22 hour.	Highest Max. Day.	Highest Max. ⊕	Monthly range.	Lowest Min. Day.	Lowest Min. ⊖	HUMIDITY. Mean.	Mean of 4 hour.	Mean of 10 hour.	Mean of 16 hour.	Mean of 22 hour.	RAINFALL. In inches.	No. of days.
Port Blair ...	87·1	10·0	77·1	81·0	...	84·6	84·9	...	13th	90·0	16·0	26th	74·0	...	...	78	75	...	16·52	18
Madras ...	...	...	...	86·1	...	87·8	88·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	59	...	2·93	13
Vizagapatam ...	86·9	3·5	83·4	85·1	83·7	85·5	86·2	84·8	21st	90·0	10·0	23-29th	80·0	74	76	73	71	76	10·20	11
Akyab ...	85·6	8·8	76·8	81·1	...	82·5	82·7	79·9	25th	93·0	19·0	14th	74·0	89	...	86	86	93	37·18	28
False Point ...	...	...	...	83·8	81·6	84·5	85·5	83·6	...	...	...	...	...	85	88	85	82	87	10·10	16
Cuttack ...	91·3	13·2	78·1	83·1	79·4	85·8	86·1	81·0	20th	98·2	23·5	8th	71·7	84	91	78	76	89	10·30	21
Saugor Island ...	87·1	7·7	79·4	84·0	...	85·3	86·3	82·2	25th	91·1	14·6	10th	76·5	86	...	83	80	89	8·94	23
Chittagong ...	87·3	11·0	76·3	81·2	78·3	83·3	83·4	79·6	26th	91·8	20·2	12th	71·6	88	94	83	83	93	16·59	22
Calcutta ...	88·3	8·3	80·0	83·5	80·7	84·8	86·6	82·9	25th	92·3	15·7	11th	76·6	88	94	85	81	92	10·23	24
Jessore ...	88·7	10·6	78·1	82·0	...	85·2	85·6	...	22nd	93·3	19·8	9th	73·5	90	...	82	81	...	14·09	21
Dacca ...	88·0	9·3	78·7	82·8	...	84·5	85·1	81·6	25th	93·0	18·4	10th	74·0	88	...	85	82	93	13·93	27
Silchar ...	89·9	13·1	76·8	82·0	78·1	83·7	86·2	80·2	25-26th	95·0	20·0	31st	75·0	87	95	83	78	92	13·63	25
Hazareebaugh ...	84·8	12·0	72·8	78·2	...	80·2	80·4	76·4	27-28th	89·0	13·0	10th	71·0	84	...	78	73	90	20·32	22
Berhampore ...	90·8	11·1	79·7	84·2	80·6	86·7	87·0	82·4	25-26th	95·0	19·0	10th	76·0	86	95	81	78	92	10·30	18
Gya ...	90·6	20·2	70·4	84·2	...	85·9	87·3	...	27-28th	95·4	23·9	11th	66·5	77	...	76	72	...	10·01	15
Patna ...	90·5	10·2	80·3	84·1	...	86·5	88·0	...	27th	97·3	21·3	11th	76·0	86	...	79	74	...	11·73	14
Monghyr ...	88·0	7·7	80·3	84·1	80·8	85·2	87·3	83·0	26-27th	95·9	13·2	13th	75·7	84	91	81	75	88	15·32	17
Darjeeling ...	69·8	11·3	58·5	63·5	59·4	66·1	67·0	61·5	28th	73·9	16·8	23rd	56·2	90	96	85	84	97	22·05	23
Goalpurah ...	88·8	13·3	75·5	81·4	...	84·3	85·3	...	26th	92·5	19·5	19th	73·0	87	...	83	79	...	8·45	21
Benares ...	89·9	11·6	78·3	85·0	80·4	87·6	89·4	82·3	21st	95·0	20·0	12th	75·0	80	91	73	70	86	11·17	12
Roorkee ...	91·8	14·3	77·5	83·9	78·3	86·6	88·8	81·4	30th	96·7	23·9	9th	72·8	79	90	72	68	86	10·47	13

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Mean barometric pressure of 16 years ...	29·592	Mean temperature of 16 years ...	83·0	Mean humidity of 16 years ...	86
Ditto ditto of 1873 ...	29·636	Ditto ditto of 1873 ...	83·5	Ditto ditto of 1873 ...	94
Excess in 1873 ...	·044	Excess in 1873 ...	0·5	Excess in 1873 ...	8

Mean rainfall of 16 years ...	14·70
Actual fall in 1873 ...	10·23
Defect in 1873 ...	4·47

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Mean Pressures and Temperatures of the preceding Table reduced to Sea-level, with Anemometric results and observations of sky serenity.

Stations.	Mean barometric pressures reduced to sea-level.	Mean temperature reduced to sea-level.	Wind. North.	North-East.	East.	South-East.	South.	South-West.	West.	North-West.	Calm.	Variable.	Percentage and Resultant.	Mean velocity daily.	Mean serenity.
Port Blair ...	29·797	81·1	1	3	2	14	7	33	...	2	...	...	60 S, 17 W	230·4	5·89
Madras ...	29·769	86·1	...	3	1	10	3	12	24	9	...	...	49 S, 71 W	229·0	...
Vizagapatam ...	29·688	85·2	1	2	3	19	11	23	61	4	...	...	58 S, 60 W	92·1	4·92
Akyab ...	29·745	81·1	1	5	5	14	41	17	7	3	...	...	61 S, 3 W	70·0	2·28
False Point ...	29·658	83·8	4	18	10	10	2	51	18	2	7	2	30 S, 43 W	...	...
Cuttack ...	29·658	83·3	9	16	5	3	8	24	11	3	45	...	10 S, 68 W	62·5	4·70
Saugor Island ...	29·659	84·	1	6	12	18	18	26	9	3	...	...	45 S, 1 W	230·7	2·78
Chittagong ...	29·735	81·4	4	6	20	33	17	12	6	1	19	...	44 S, 39 E	129·5	2·9
Calcutta ...	29·654	83·5	...	3	17	26	43	25	6	3	...	...	62 S, 9 E	132·7	...
Jessore ...	29·650	82·	...	2	8	23	16	9	1	2	1	...	64 S, 25 E	91·3	2·7
Dacca ...	29·680	82·8	2	1	7	25	34	18	1	2	2	...	66 S, 10 E	123·7	1·7
Silchar ...	29·774	82·2	4	14	21	14	10	10	27	8	16	...	6 S, 8 E	70·9	2·
Hazareebaugh ...	29·648	82·7	3	9	24	14	5	8	20	10	...	...	92 S, 61 E	104·9	2·
Berhampore ...	29·653	84·3	...	2	15	31	21	23	7	3	22	...	46 S, 13 E	120·7	2·
Gya ...	.....	85·0	1	10	20	9	4	5	7	6	...	...	30 S, 85 E	45·5	3·
Patna ...	29·641	84·5	...	...	38	1	4	2	13	...	3	...	41 S, 76 E	89·8	3
Monghyr ...	29·652	84·5	5	13	28	6	...	25	16	3	28	...	6 S, 45 E	65·6	2
Darjeeling ..	.....	.....	2	4	33	16	18	19	27	3	1	1	29 S, 7 E		1
Gowalparah ...	29·663	82·3	11	5	9	2	11	12	8	4	...	...	10 S, 56 W	94·3	1
Benares ...	29·723	85·5	3	6	40	6	2	11	35	1	17	...	65 S, 39 E	95·6	3·1
Roorkee ...	29·594	85·9	...	1	3	28	2	13	6	4	67	...	23 S, 11 E	62·4	5·6

NOTE.

Barometric Pressure.—The pressures in column 2 of the above table for all stations below 500 feet are reduced from those given in column 3 of the table on the previous page by adding the weight of a column of air of the temperatures given in column 17. For stations above 500 feet elevation the reduction is made by Dippe's tables as given in Guyot's "Meteorological and Physical Tables." The temperatures at the sea-level are taken from column 3 of the above table.

Temperature.—The temperatures in column 3 are reduced from those in column 17 on the preceding page by adding 1° Fahrenheit for every 450 feet.

Wind Resultant.—The resultant wind direction and its comparative predominance are calculated from the whole number of wind observations recorded during the month. The relative predominance in the direction of the resultant is given as a percentage of the whole number of observations. The direction is computed in the usual way by Lambert's formula.

Serenity.—This column gives the average proportion of unclouded sky; a cloudless sky being indicated by 10, and one completely overcast by 0.

The above being all comparable, afford the data for constructing a meteorological chart for the month, which shall show the isobaric and isothermal lines and the resultant wind directions, which last may be represented by arrows of varying length, proportioned to the prevalence of the wind. To these may be added the rainfall from the previous tables.

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 15th to 21st October 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer. Highest reading.	Thermometer. Lowest reading.	Thermometer. Max. solar radiation.	Mean dry bulb.	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew-point.	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Max. pressure.	Wind. Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Remarks.
		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	°			Lb.	Miles	In.		
Oct.	15th	29·824	89·0	76·5	136·8	82·3	77·1	73·5	0·76	E N E & E by N	...	137·8	...	...	Clear, cirri and cumuli.
	16th	·812	90·0	76·8	136·0	82·9	76·9	71·0	·68	E by N	...	88·8	...	...	Cirri, cumuli and clear.
	17th	·840	90·5	76·5	138·0	82·6	76·1	71·5	·70	E by N & E N E	...	97·4	...	...	Clear and cirri.
	18th	·840	90·4	77·0	141·5	83·5	76·6	72·3	·70	E N E	...	94·7	...	...	Clear and cirrostrati.
	19th	·813	90·5	79·5	140·7	83·7	78·2	74·3	·74	E N E, E & S S E	...	85·7	...	...	Clear and cumuli.
	20th	·838	91·5	79·0	137·0	84·3	76·6	71·2	·66	S E & E	...	92·5	...	...	Clear.
	21st	·857	90·8	75·7	145·0	84·6	77·7	72·9	·69	E & S E	...	65·5	...	●	Clear and cirrocumuli. Drizzled at 4½ A.M.

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means, are derived from the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represent the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of the lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of the ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noon.

The extreme variation of temperature during the past seven days	...	° 15·0
The maximum temperature during the past seven days	...	91·5
The maximum temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	...	89·8
The mean humidity during the past seven days	...	0·70
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·78
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 15th to 21st ... by lower rain gauge	...	Nil
The total fall of rain from 15th to 21st ... by anemometer gauge	...	Nil
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	0·51
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 21st October	...	44·31
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	66·32

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
In charge of the Observatory.

The 23rd October 1873.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—IRRIGATION BRANCH.

KHUREEF SEASON 1873, COMMENCING ON THE 1ST JUNE 1873.

Irrigation Operations of Lower Bengal during the month of September 1873.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Supply of water in the Canals.		Rice irrigation.				Sugarcane and other perennial crop irrigation.			Grand total of area leased up to the end of the month (total of columns 9 & 12).	Grand total of corresponding period of last year.	Rainfall.			Remarks.
			Estimated full discharge in cubic feet per second.	Average discharge in cubic feet per second throughout the month.	Area leased on or before the 1st June 1873.	Area leased subsequent to the 1st June 1873 and up to the 1st of the month.	Area leased during the month.	Total area leased up to date (total of columns 6, 7 & 8).	Area leased up to the 1st of the month.	Area leased during the month.	Total area leased up to date (total of columns 10 & 11).			Inches during month.	Inches during khureef season.	Average of ten previous years for the same period.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
Orissa ...	Cuttack ...	Kendraparah ...	1,269	276	2,776	742	21	3,539	42	.....	42	3,581	3,440	5·56	30·40	51,01	*a* Details of column 9:— At the rate of Re. 1 ... 4,566 acres. " " Rs. 1-8 ... 824 " Total ... 5,390
		High Level ...	675	99	1,202	321	10	1,533	.....	.....	.....	1,533	225				
		Taldundah ...	1,306	82·47	74	61	.....	135	22	.....	22	157	29				*b* The details of column 12— Sugarcane ... 82 acres. Huldi ... 10 " Garden produce ... 11 " Total ... 103
		Machgong ...	650	19·41	124	57	2	183	39	.....	39	222	69				
		Total ...	.....	.....	4,176	1,181	33	*a* 5,390	103	.....	*b* 103	*c* 5,493	3,763	.....	.....	.....	*c* In addition to this, 193 acres have been assessed at double rates under Section 14, Act VIII of 1867, B. C.
South-Western ...	Midnapore ...	Midnapore ...	875	293	1,380	10,534	85	11,999	.....	.....	.....	11,999	8,582	4·25	32·85	9 years 53·19	*d* The details are— At the rate of Rs. 1-8 ... 7,109 acres. " " Rs. 1-12 ... 253 " " " Rs. 2 ... 6,015 " " " Rs. 2-4 ... 1,840 " Total ... 15,222
	Howrah ...	Panchcoorah ...	240	158	.....	3,223	.....	3,223	.....	.....	.....	3,223	3,564	4·18	45·78	3 years 32·48	
		Total ...	.....	.....	1,380	13,757	85	*d* 15,222	.....	.....	.....	15,222	12,146	.....	.....	.....	
		Grand Total ...	.....	.....	5,556	14,938	118	20,612	103	.....	103	20,715	15,909	.....	.....	.....	In addition to this, 259 acres have been assessed for illicit irrigation at Rs. 3 per acre. The difference between this and the previous month's figure is owing to some acres having been released from assessment on objections filed by the cultivators, &c.

The 27th October 1873.

A. J. HUGHES, *C. E.*,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

SUPERINTENDENT, GOVERNMENT PRINTING, BENGAL.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 11th October 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	1,123	1,654 0 0	105 8 0	950 0	150 0 0	16 0 0	120 8 0
Or per mile of railway	41	61 0 0	3 18 0	35 0	6 0 0	0 12 0	4 16 8
For previous 14 weeks of half-year	17,796	13,957 0 0	1,395 14 0	49,631 10	4,739 0 0	472 18 0	1,869 13 0
Total for 15 weeks ...	18,924	15,611 0 0	1,501 2 0	50,581 0	4,889 0 0	488 18 0	1,990 0 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,436	1,238 4 10	123 16 7	2,827 0	394 10 3	39 9 3	163 5 10
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	53	45 7 1	4 10 11	104 0	14 7 9	1 8 11	5 19 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year	18,765	18,745 0 0	1,874 10 0	69,218 11	6,079 10 6	607 12 4	1,982 0 4

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th October 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	1,253	928 0 0	92 12 0	4,235 0	425 0 0	42 10 0	135 2 0
Or per mile of railway	46	34 0 0	3 8 0	155 0	16 0 0	1 12 0	5 0 0
For previous 15 weeks of half-year ...	18,924	15,011 0 0	1,501 2 0	50,581 0	4,889 0 0	488 18 0	1,990 0 0
Total for 16 weeks ...	20,177	15,937 0 0	1,593 14 0	54,816 0	5,314 0 0	531 8 0	2,125 2 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,023	878 6 6	87 16 10	1,398 30	168 6 9	13 16 10	102 13 3
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	38	32 3 9	3 4 6	51 13	5 13 6	0 11 8	3 16
Total to corresponding date of previous year	19,788	14,623 6 6	1,462 6 10	70,617 1	6,238 1 3	623 16 2	2,086 3 0

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 11th October 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	112,504	1,49,717 14 9	13,724 2 10	720,403 0	8,02,406 13 0	27,720 12 8	41,444 15 4
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	116 15 6	10 14 5	.....	236 4 1	21 13 2	32 7 7
For previous 14 weeks of half-year	1,419,213	17,56,963 6 9	161,054 19 6	7,744,115 10	34,09,538 6 0	312,541 0 4	473,595 19 10
Total for 15 weeks	1,531,717	19,06,681 4 6	174,779 2 4	8,464,518 10	37,11,945 3 0	340,261 12 10	515,040 15 2
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	116,324	1,67,254 7 8	15,331 13 2	502,972 20	2,72,220 2 0	24,953 10 3	40,235 3 5
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	130 10 8	11 19 6	.....	212 10 9	19 9 11	31 0 5
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,445,977	17,69,679 5 10	162,165 12 2	6,654,138 30	34,74,634 0 10	318,595 2 6	480,673 14 8

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th October 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	114,239	1,74,695 13 3	16,013 15 9	912,527 0	4,13,353 11 0	37,889 9 5	53,903 5 2
Or per mile of railway	.....	136 7 8	12 10 3	.....	322 14 9	29 12 0	42 2 3
For previous 15 weeks of half-year	1,531,717	19,06,681 4 6	174,773 2 4	8,464,518 10	37,11,945 3 0	340,261 12 10	515,040 15 2
Total for 16 weeks	1,645,956	20,81,377 1 9	190,792 18 1	9,377,045 10	41,25,284 14 9	378,151 2 3	568,944 0 4
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	91,681	1,35,222 12 1	12,212 1 9	415,576 30	2,36,655 4 9	21,537 1 4	33,609 3 1
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	104 1 4	9 16 10	.....	184 14 8	16 19 0	26 9 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,587,658	19,02,302 1 11	174,377 13 11	7,969,715 20	37,11,320 5 7	340,263 5 10	514,582 17 9

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th October 1873, on 223½ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	5,657	15,886 13 9	1,456 5 11	62,607 0	21,018 12 0	1,926 14 5	3,383 0 4
Or per mile of railway	.....	71 1 4	6 10 4	...	94 0 8	8 12 5	15 2 9
For previous 15 weeks of half-year...	58,213	1,29,353 10 3	11,857 8 4	562,629 10	1,71,634 12 6	15,678 3 0	27,535 12 1
Total for 16 weeks... ...	63,870	1,45,240 8 0	13,313 14 3	625,236 10	1,92,053 4 6	17,604 18 2	30,918 12 5
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,695	12,350 12 7	1,132 19 7	38,351 30	14,278 4 11	1,308 16 11	2,441 16 6
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	55 4 10	5 1 5	.....	63 14 2	5 17 1	10 18 5
Total to corresponding date of previous year	66,651	1,49,735 14 1	13,725 15 9	496,121 20	1,48,106 8 9	13,576 8 6	27,502 4 3

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 11th October 1873, on 158¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	32,207¼	19,450 8 0	1,782 10 3	149,294 38	53,388 10 0	4,893 19 3	6,676 18 5
Or per mile of railway	203	122 14 7	11 5 4	943 0	337 5 11	30 13 6	42 3 10
For previous 14 weeks of half-year...	409,493¾	2,55,541 8 9	23,425 6 3	1,732,725 2	5,83,040 10 11	53,903 16 4	77,329 2 7
Total for 15 weeks	441,701	2,74,995 0 9	25,208 5 6	1,882,020 0	6,41,429 5 8	58,797 15 7	84,006 1 1
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	32,618¼	23,343 9 10	2,139 16 7	198,333 36	62,884 10 0	5,764 8 6	7,904 8 1
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	209	149 2 7	13 13 6	1,267 0	401 13 1	36 16 8	50 10 2
Total to corresponding date of previous year	524,863	2,39,158 5 5	21,922 16 11	2,296,648 36	5,87,855 10 5	53,886 15 4	75,809 12 5

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th October 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	5,083	748 0 0	74 16 0	16,201 0	555 0 0	55 10 0	130 6 0
Or per mile of railway	182	26 8 0	2 13 0	579 0	20 0 0	2 0 0	4 13 0
For previous 15 weeks of half-year	62,645	10,982 0 0	1,098 4 0	264,539 0	8,746 0 0	874 12 0	1,372 16 0
Total for 16 weeks	67,728	11,730 0 0	1,173 0 0	280,740 0	9,301 0 0	930 2 0	2,103 2 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,460	974 0 0	97 8 0	9,833 22	320 8 8	32 1 1	129 5 1
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	231	34 12 7	3 9 7	351 8	11 7 2	1 2 11	4 12 6
Total to corresponding date of previous year	70,971	11,894 14 0	1,189 9 9	193,818 16	7,906 14 6	790 13 10	1,783 3 7

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

FAILURE OF CROPS: AND RELIEF WORKS.

RESOLUTION.

Dated Calcutta, the 3rd November 1873.

Read a Resolution of the Government of India, Public Works Department, No. 431 B.C., dated the 28th October 1873, on the subject of the provision of work in these Provinces for the people who may be thrown out of employment by the expected failure of the crops in many districts.

1. THE Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct the publication of this Resolution.

2. Orders for carrying out the instructions of the Government of India in regard to the Soane Canal and Northern Bengal Railway works will be issued in the proper departments.

The Gunduck Embankment Scheme is one which involves very difficult considerations, but it will be again carefully examined.

The proposed lowering of the railway fares has been arranged.

3. As regards works other than those above mentioned, the Lieutenant-Governor has received full authority to undertake such relief works as may seem to be necessary in various parts of the country. His view is that, to render effectual aid to the people, it is of all things most necessary that work should be offered in good time, so that the existence of public works may be known to the people at large, and those who stand in need of work may find their way to the work, and be suitably provided for, before the greatest stress comes. All experience shows that work is wanted to avert starvation rather than to save people already half-starved and unfit for work, and that it takes time to draw to public works people who are not accustomed to labor for hire. In this view, in case of reasonable apprehension of scarcity, we can hardly begin too soon.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor also believes that there can be no so sure test of the state of the country—no barometer, as it were, by which the condition

of the people can be better gauged—than the degree to which they seek employment on public works. As such works are found more and more to attract classes usually self-supporting, so we may judge that there is want in the country; that is, provided that this test is established in sufficient time.

5. It is impossible yet to tell the degree to which there may be scarcity in the country. We yet trust to the mercy of Providence to avert the worst. But there can be no doubt that unless there is some very decided improvement in present prospects, there will be such shortness of crops that as soon as all hope of further employment in watering crops still alive, and sowing cold weather crops, comes to an end, the need for employment will be much greater than usual. The immediate course, then, which the Lieutenant-Governor has thought best, is to extend and enlarge the scope of the usual district works undertaken at this season in various parts of each district. He has already settled schemes of such works with the Commissioners of Patna and Bhaugulpore, and has authorized the local officers to undertake them and carry them on, wherever and whenever there is a demand for employment. In every part of the country, where the conditions seem to be such as to render the need of employment probable, works will be opened and employment offered. It will not be attempted in such cases to draw together foreign labour by any extraordinary means, but all labour locally offering will be accepted. The works (so far as beyond ordinary means and requirements) are undertaken in order to give labour: we do not seek labour for the sake of the works. The local officers have been assured that if the labour thus employed absorbs their local means, these will be supplemented from the general treasury.

6. General instructions in the spirit of those given to the Commissioners of Patna and Bhaugulpore, have also been given by the Lieutenant-Governor to the Commissioners of Rajshahye and Burdwan, and all Commissioners are now authorized to act in the spirit of these instructions wherever there may be need of such measures.

7. The Northern Bengal Railway runs through districts where there has been the greatest failure of rain, and where there is the greatest apprehension regarding the crops; but the people of those districts are wholly unaccustomed to labor for hire, and it may be doubtful whether they will go far from their homes for work, till they are very hard pressed indeed. It may be a question, then, whether we can rely on a single line of railway for the relief of that country generally. Deeming that roads connecting the various parts with the railway—feeder roads as they are usually called—are a necessary part of the railway system, the Lieutenant-Governor proposes to spread more widely the opportunities of employment by undertaking at the same time roads leading to the principal railway stations. The civil authorities will at once set themselves to devise the lines which will best subserve the traffic of the country, and the engineering staff of the Northern Bengal Railway will be requested to lay out and superintend these lines, which may connect the railway with the Berhampooter river system on the one side, and with the Mahanuddee on the other.

8. The note of the Lieutenant-Governor, published in the Supplement to the *Gazette* of the 10th September 1873, explained His Honor's views regarding the great importance of improving the means of communication between the populous districts of the west and the insufficiently-peopled districts of the east, and pointed to a scheme of roads from west to east. The north-eastern portion of the Tirhoot district, and the north part of Bhaugulpore, by which such roads would pass, is the very country where the people will be most in need of employment, and these roads should certainly be undertaken at once. Durbhangah may be taken as the point of departure from roads already made, of the great Behar populations which tend to the east in search of labour. Fortunately Mr. Stevens, the able and energetic Engineer of the Durbhangah Estate, is well acquainted with this country, and has already devised the lines of road which he thinks the best. The Lieutenant-Governor has arranged with the Commissioner of Patna and Mr. Stevens, that the latter officer should lay out two lines from Durbhangah to the Koosee river, one in the direct line to Purneah, and the other by Natpore to the north towards Titaliya. The Commissioner of Bhaugulpore is to arrange for the junction of these two lines with Purneah and Titaliya. From Purneah the present metalled road leads to

Dengraghat on the Mahanuddee; whence to Dinagepore a line of road is already marked out, which will be taken up as a relief work. From Titaliya the road to Julpigoree may be improved, and thence there is a line by Cooch Behar to the Berhampooter. By these lines, and others in connection with the Northern Bengal Railway, complete means of communication from west to east will, it is hoped, be established north of the Ganges. Further to the south, the line from Rajmehal to Dinagepore should also receive attention.

9. In Burdwan a work already discussed, viz., the connection of the Damoodah with the Kana Nuddee, has already been put in hand, partly in the hope of obtaining an immediate supply of water, and partly in order to give employment.

In this same part of the country there has been much complaint of the want of good tanks for drinking water, of petty drainage channels, and such like improvements. There can be no doubt that petty works of this kind are at least as useful as larger works, and they certainly bring employment more effectually to the homes of the people. But, on the other hand, it would be impossible for Government to undertake and superintend such works of local improvement on private property. The Lieutenant-Governor has, however, instructed the Commissioner to ascertain whether it might be arranged that private landholders should undertake such works, Government, if necessary, advancing the money on the security of the estates. He feels sure that if the upper classes feel the duties of their position, such an arrangement should be gladly accepted by them, and be very feasible.

10. The Lieutenant-Governor feels sure that he may trust to the zeal and energy of the local officers to give effect to these orders, and that, whatever need may arise, they will not be found wanting. He feels that he can count on the thorough assistance of the European settlers. He would also express the earnest hope that the officers of Government will have the aid and co-operations of the native landholders, and generally of those classes of natives whose wealth, influence and position may enable them to contribute to the duty of assisting their poorer fellow-countrymen. The most effective work cannot be done without that assistance.

By Order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 431BC, dated Simla, the 28th October 1873.

RESOLUTION.—By the Government of India, Public Works Department.

THE Governor-General in Council has learned with deep regret that the prospects of the crops in parts of Bengal are such that it will no doubt be necessary shortly to find work for the people as a means of relief. Where such relief becomes an urgent necessity, works must be undertaken for the purpose, if there are no well considered projects already under execution, or in such a state of preparation that they can be at once set in hand.

2. The parts of the country reported to be in the most urgent need are the Patna Division and the Rajshahye Division.

3. In the southern part of the former of these tracts, the Soane Canal project is in course of execution, and the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is authorized to extend active operations at once to all the branches where relief works are required, working on the rough estimates where detailed estimates are not ready. But where there are detailed estimates for works sufficiently near, such works should be preferred to those for which estimates are not yet ready.

4. In order to strengthen the engineering staff of the Soane Canals, the Government of the North-Western Provinces will be requested to hold in readiness a Superintending Engineer and the establishment of the Eastern Ganges Canal survey, to proceed to Behar on the requisition of the Government of Bengal, and the Government of the Punjab will likewise hold in readiness the engineers of survey division of the Baree Doal Canal.

5. In the northern part of the Patna Division there is no large project in course of execution, and works, if required, must be selected from local projects, unless the lately deferred scheme for the revision of the Gunduck Embankment (Bengal Government letter No. 4640, dated 13th September 1873) should be found a suitable source of employment.

6. In the Rajshahye Division, the Northern Bengal Railway project has lately been completed, and was referred to the Secretary of State for sanction in the Government of India's despatch, No. 204R of the 15th instant. In anticipation of the approval of Her Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is now pleased to sanction the immediate commencement of work on this railway. To strengthen the engineering staff, the greater part of the engineers now employed under Mr. Collet in surveying for the projected Western Rajpootana Railway will be withdrawn and attached to the Northern Bengal Railway.

7. Such funds as may be required for the Northern Bengal Railway and for relief works, and such additional funds as may be required for the more active prosecution of work on the Soane Canals, should be applied for at once by the Government of Bengal. For the Railway and the Soane Canal works, the funds will be assigned under the extraordinary grant; for the other works not classed as loan works, the charge will fall on the provincial revenues, or if necessary, on the imperial revenues of the year.

8. In the spring of 1869, when great scarcity existed in Upper India, the Government of India considered it right to endeavour to equalize the supplies of food-grains over a large area by arranging with the Guaranteed Railway Companies that they should lower their rates for the carriage of such grains to $\frac{1}{8}$th pie per maund mile (which was believed to be approximately the actual cost of carriage), and charge the loss that the railways would thus incur to the Government. It may possibly be again necessary to resort to this measure in some parts of the country; and should this be the case, the Government of India will be prepared to incur the same liability. In this view the Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways at Calcutta should be directed to place himself forthwith in communication with the Government of Bengal, and to do everything in his power to give effect to such instructions as he may receive from the Lieutenant-Governor. The Governor-General in Council will await an expression of His Honor's opinion on this point before taking final action in the matter.

9. In making provision for this possible contingency, the Governor-General in Council relies on the hearty co-operation of the representatives of each Railway Company, and feels that the Government may rest assured that this will be given.

10. For further instructions for general guidance, the Governor-General in Council desires that the attention of officers in the Public Works Department may be drawn to the Resolution of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, No. 248-59J of 24th September 1868, which should be republished with the present Resolution.—Chapter XIIIA of the Public Works Department Code contains a revision of the rules originally published with the Resolution of 1865.

Government of Bengal in the General Department.
" " " Irrigation Department.
" " " Public Works Department.
Consulting Engineer for Guaranteed Railways, Calcutta.

ORDER.—Ordered that the above Resolution be communicated to the Governments, Departments, and Officers named in the margin for information and guidance.

And to the Financial, and Agriculture, Revenue and Commerce Departments for information.

Also that these proceedings be reported to the Secretary of State and published in the *Gazette of India*.

C. H. DICKENS, *Col., R.A.*,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1679.

GENERAL.—*The 28th October* 1873.—Bhuyan Abdur Rahman Khan, Sub-Deputy Collector of Bhuddruck, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Mr. Frederick William Joseph Rees, B.A., is appointed to be a member of the Central Examination Committee.

The 29th October 1873.—The following persons are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the district of Julpigoree, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

Baboo Bany Madhub Dutt, M.A. and B.L., Government Pleader.
" Debi Churn Das, Boshnia Rajbungsi, Ryot and Putwari in Khas Mehal.
" Moshubbur, Boshnia Rajbungsi, Tehsildar of Moraghat.
" Ramkristo Das, Rajbungsi Jotedar, late Peshkar of Ryob and Bycuntopore.

The 1st November 1873.—Under Section 85 of Act VII of 1871 (the Indian Emigration Act), the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized Mr. F. W. J. Rees, B.A., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, to perform the duties and exercise the powers of the Magistrate of the district under that Act. Mr. Rees is appointed to be Chairman of the South Suburban Town Municipality.

Mr. John Barlow, on leave, is appointed to be an Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of Gya, but to continue to officiate as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade.

Mr. John Edward Beevor Jeffery, in charge of the Serampore Division, is appointed, under Section 4, Act V (B.C.) of 1871, to be a Drainage Commissioner for carrying out the provisions of that Act, with effect from the 26th July last.

The 3rd November 1873.—Mr. Charles Dickenson Field, M.A. and LL.D., Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge of Hooghly and the 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed also to officiate temporarily as District and Sessions Judge of Hooghly during Mr. H. T. Prinsep's absence on duty.

The 4th November 1873.—Mr. James Austin Bourdillon, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Jehanabad Division in Gya, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870 for the purpose of taking up lands for the Jehanabad Lock-up, and Jehanabad and Urwal Road.

Mr. Anthony Patrick MacDonnell, B.A., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, recently posted to the Patna Division, is appointed to have temporary charge of the Durbhungah Division in Tirhoot.

Mr. Andrew William Cochran, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, in temporary charge of Durbhungah, is appointed to have charge of the Mudhoobanee Division in Tirhoot.

Mr. Henry Blunt Beames, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, recently transferred to the Patna Division, is appointed to have charge of the Nowada Division in Gya.

LEGISLATIVE.—*The 4th November* 1873.—The Hon'ble F. F. Wyman has resigned his seat in the Lieutenant-Governor's Council for making Laws and Regulations.

POLICE.—*The 29th October* 1873.—Mr. Henry Maxwell Reily, District Superintendent of Police, on special duty in the Garo Hills, is allowed privilege leave for one month and nine days, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

The 1st November 1873.—Mr. Edward Alfred Vines, District Superintendent of Police, Pubna, is allowed two years' leave of absence under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 26th June last, the date on which he was relieved of his duties.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 3rd November* 1873.—The services of the Reverend C. C. T. Fagan, Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, are placed at the disposal of the Punjab Government.

The 4th November 1873.—The services of the Revd. John Stephenson, returned from furlough, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

MEDICAL.—*The 29th October* 1873.—Sub-Assistant Surgeon Haran Chunder Das, a supernumerary at the Presidency, is appointed temporarily to assist Surgeon S. Brereton, Officiating Civil Surgeon of the Chittagong Hill Tracts, during his illness and that of his Assistant.

OPIUM.—*The 3rd November* 1873.—Mr. Henry Matthews, Officiating Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Lucknow, was allowed privilege leave for one month from the 8th ultimo, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. John Rea Mawson, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Barabunkee, was allowed privilege leave for one month from the 1st ultimo, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—A plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 24,439, for the construction of the Strand Bank Road in front of the Eastern Bengal Railway Station at Chitpore, having been submitted by the Vice-Chairman to the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with his letter No. 4067, dated the 11th of October 1873, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the construction under Section 35, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 3269.—*Simla, the 23rd October* 1873.—*Notification.*—*Public.*—The following extract, paragraph 1, from a Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 105, dated the 30th August 1873, is published for general information :—

"The undermentioned gentlemen have been appointed members of the Bengal Civil Service in the following order, and to the Divisions of your Government placed against their names :—

Mr. William Russell Barry, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Krishna Govinda Gupta, Bengal.
" Herman Michael Kisch, "
" Arthur Rawson Birks, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Herbert Charles Fanshawe, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Henry Murray Tobin, Bengal.
" Herbert Hope Risley, "
" Lewis Kossuth Lawrie, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Henry Crawford Arthur Conybeare, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" George Abraham Grierson, Bengal.
" Frederick Charles Berry, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Henry Buckley Bradbury, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" George Godfrey, Bengal.
" Andrew Wallace Mackie, Bengal.
" Thomas Rowland Wyer, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
Mr. Frederick Selwyn Copleston, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Henry Aiken Anderson, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Robert Obbard, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" James Church Cochrane, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Edward Richard Henry, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Ross Scott, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Frank Giles, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Angelo Coutts Bainbridge, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" Samuel Simpson Jones, Bengal.
" Lancelot Hare, Bengal.
" George Eldon Manisty, Bengal.
" Francis William Fox, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.
" David Bird Allen, Bengal.

No. 3300.—Mr. H. W. Gordon, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a degree of honor in the Hindee language, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rupees 2,000.

No. 3301.—Mr. J. A. Bourdillon, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a certificate of high proficiency in Bengalee, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rupees 1,000.

No. 3373.—*The 24th October* 1873.—The undermentioned Covenanted Civil Servants, having produced the necessary medical certificate, have been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India extension of leave for the period specified against their names :—

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Mr. H. G. Cooke, six months.

No. 341.—*The 23rd October* 1873.—*Ecclesiastical.*—The following gentlemen have been appointed by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to be Junior Chaplains on the Bengal Establishment :—

The Reverends David Bayne Morris, Arthur Charles Pearson, Edward Mountifort Beasley, Welbore MacCarthy, John Brown, William John Rowland.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Agriculture, Revenue and Commerce, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—INDUSTRY, SCIENCE, AND ART.

No. 233.—*Simla, the 24th October* 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 6, Act XVII of 1866, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to nominate Mr. A. O. Hume, C.B., to be one of the Trustees of the Indian Museum, in the room of Colonel H. Hyde, R.E., who has been elected President of the Asiatic Society.

No. 235.—Consequent on the departure, on furlough, of Dr. J. Anderson, Curator of the Indian Museum, the following arrangements, made by the Trustees, have been confirmed as a temporary measure, with effect from the 9th July 1873 :—

Mr. J. Wood-Mason, Assistant Curator, to officiate as Curator of the Indian Museum during Dr. Anderson's absence, or until further orders.

Mr. G. Nevill, Assistant Secretary and Librarian, and Assistant Curator, to officiate as Assistant Curator, *vice* Mr. Wood-Mason, but to continue in charge of the Trustees' Office and Library.

Babu Hem Chandra Dey to officiate as Assistant Curator during Mr. Wood-Mason's tenure of the Curator's office.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information :—

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 3907.—*The 24th October* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be added to Rule 4 of Section 1 of Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code :—

"Provided that, if less than one-fourth of the said allowances would under this rule be payable from another source, the whole of the allowances shall be charged to the other source."

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

No. 3908.—*The 24th October* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following paragraph be added to Rule 1 of Section 29 of the Civil Pension Code :—

"Provided that, if less than one-fourth of any pension would under this rule be payable from another source, the whole shall be charged to the other source."

SEPARATE REVENUE—STAMPS.

No. 3854.—*The 23rd October* 1873.—Correspondence on the subject of the grant of refunds on spoilt stamps :—

From the HON'BLE F. S. CHAPMAN, Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department,—No. 4080-211 R, dated 17th July 1873.

IN reference to notification No. 1041 of the 12th ultimo relating to the granting of refunds on spoilt stamps, I am directed to point out that its provisions are not quite clear. It may apparently be read either as extending the time for refund or exchange of spoilt paper indefinitely, or as limiting it to a shorter time than allowed by the Act, both of which seem illegal. To put a case. A. purchases a stamp on the 1st May 1872. He keeps it by him, and spoils it on 1st March 1873, and applies for refund on the 1st of August following. Under the resolution he would be entitled to refund, but to give it would, under the General Stamp Act, Section 45, be illegal, the time being beyond the year. Again, say A. spoils his stamp on the 5th of June 1872, and applies for refund on the 1st January 1873. Under the Act he would be entitled to refund, but not under the Resolution.

2. As it is conidered desirable that the doubts which have been raised should be removed, I am directed to request that this Government may be favoured with explanatory directions on the subject.

From R. B. CHAPMAN, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay, No. 2226, dated 12th August 1873.

IN reply to your letter No. 4080-211 R, dated the 17th July 1873, I am directed to refer you to the closing paragraph of the notifiation No. 104, dated 13th June 1873, and to say that, under the provisions of Act XVIII of 1869, the possessor of a spoiled stamp is entitled to refund at any time within one year of the date on which it was purchased, but not thereafter. Under the notification he is further entitled to refund at any time within six months from the date on which it was spoiled, even though more than one year should have elapsed from the date of purchase.

To take the instance quoted by the Government of Bombay : A. who purchased a stamp on 1st May 1872, which was spoiled on 1st March 1873, would be entitled under the notification to a refund on 1st August 1873, because he applied within six months of the date on which the stamp was spoiled. But without the notification he would have had no claim to refund, as more than one year would have passed from date of purchase.

The concluding sentence of the notification was intended to guard against the supposition that the Government wished in any way to restrict the concessions of the law which of course it would have no power to do. There is nothing to prevent the Government extending the concessions of the law.

Ordered that the foregoing correspondence be published in the *Gazette of India*.

No. 3906.—*The 24th October* 1873.—Whereas doubts are entertained whether a certificate given under Section 259, Act VIII of 1859, by which the right, title and interest in immovable property sold in execution of a decree by a Civil Court are transferred to the purchaser is, or is not chargeable with stamp duty under Article 15, Schedule I of the General Stamp Act, 1869, and whether a fee should or should not be paid under Section 6 of the Court Fees Act, 1870, in respect of the copy of such certificate filed with the record.

And whereas it appears to the Governor-General in Council proper to exempt such certificates and copies as aforesaid from any stamp duty or fees to which they may be liable under the General Stamp Act, 1869, or the Court Fees Act, 1870, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to publish the following order :—

Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 16 of the General Stamp Act, 1869, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to remit the whole of the duties that are chargeable under the same Act upon certificates granted under Section 259, Act VIII of 1859, by which the right, title and interest in immovable property sold in execution of a decree by a Civil Court are transferred to the purchaser.

And in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 35, of the Court Fees Act, 1870, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to remit the whole of the fees payable in respect of the copy of any such certificate filed with the records of the Civil Court by which it was granted.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 1094.—*Simla, the* 21*st October* 1873.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 949, dated 3rd September 1873, the services of Surgeon S. Brereton, of the Medical Department, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Chittagong Hill Tracts, are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 1104.—*The 2nd October* 1873.—The undermentioned officers having completed twelve years' service, including four years' in the Staff Corps, are promoted to the rank of Captain from the date specified, under the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Bengal Staff Corps.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) William John Williamson,—8th October 1873.

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No. 1106.—*The* 23*rd October* 1873.—The following extract from a list of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, or allowed to retire from the Service, received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

No. 16 *of* 1873.—*List of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, or allowed to retire from the service, &c.*

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

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Captain E. G. Lillingston.
Surgeon-Major N. Chevers.
Surgeon G. King.

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C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 13*th October* 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. the site for the Post Office at Nya Doomka, Tuppeh Bel Putta, Zillah Doomka, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring more or less 1 beegah and 13 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land between the Bhaugulpore and Soory road and the road leading to the Extra Assistant Commissioner's Bungalow; on the west by the land on the side of the latter road; on the south by a tank belonging to Messrs. G. H. and S. Grant; and on the east by the Bhaugulpore and Soory road, is required within the town of Nya Doomka.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 23*rd October* 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that the land, particulars of which are subjoined, is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. the site for the Post Office of Garhwa, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land, measuring 3 cottahs, pergunnah measurement, or 6¾ cottahs, Bengal standard measurement, is required.

The land is situated in the district of Lohardduggah, Tuppeh Serhey, Pargana Palamow, Thannah Garhwa, village or town Sonpurwa, and is bounded on the north by fallow land 50 paces wide running between north boundary and Jugul Sahir's garden; on the south by jamun tree and Police Station compound; on the east by the Pound Shed; and on the west by path leading to and from Jugul Sahir's garden past the Pound Shed. The declaration is made under Section 6 of Act X of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that, with the concurrence of the Government of India, the Lieutenant-Governor has sanctioned the establishment of a new sub-division to be attached to the Magisterial District of Howrah with its head-quarters at Mohesrekha. The sub-division will be conterminous with and include Thannahs Oolaberria, Khanakool, Bagnan, Amptah, and Shampore.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th October 1873.—A plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 12,990, for doubling the present gates and the covered ways at the Jetty enclosure of the Port of Calcutta, so as to provide accommodation for the additional traffic at the Jetties consequent upon the completion of the export sheds, and the loading as well as discharging of vessels, having been submitted by the Vice-Chairman to the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with his letter No. 4032, dated the 25th September 1873, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the construction of the work under Section 35, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1680.

The 3rd November 1873.—Moulvi Ahamudoolla is appointed to be a Munsif of the Third Grade, and to be Munsif of Sasseeram in Shahabad.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of two new sub-districts in the district of Monghyr, conterminous with the Thannahs of Gogree and Tegrah, which have hitherto been included under the sub-districts of Monghyr and Beguserai, respectively, and to appoint Syed Ali Hossein to be the Sub-Registrar of Gogree with head-quarters at Gogree, and Syed Mohamed Hossein to be the Sub-Registrar of Tegrah with head-quarters in the town of that name.

This notification will take effect on and from the 1st November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Shazadpur in the sub-division of Serajgunge in the district of Pubna, and to appoint Moonshee Muhammad Khalid to be Additional Sub-Registrar of Serajgunge with head-quarters at Shazadpur.

This notification will take effect on and from 1st November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act (VIII of 1871), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of the following four new sub-districts in the district of Burdwan:—

I.—Indas, with jurisdiction over thannahs Indas and Kotalpur.
II.—Mangalkot, with jurisdiction over thannahs Mangalkot and Sahibgunge.
III.—Mantessar, with jurisdiction over thannah Mantessar.
IV.—Mymaree, with jurisdiction over thannahs Selimabad and Ganguriah.

Baboo Shama Churn Deb Roy is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Indas.
,, Amrita Lal Biswas is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mangalkot.
Munshi Hydar Hussain is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mantessar.
Baboo Polin Behari Mozumdar is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mymaree.

This notification will take effect on and from 1st November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased, in modification of the Notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 21st June 1871 (pages 1238 to 1248), to sanction the following changes in the sub-districts in the district of Mounbhoom, and the thannahs of the district will be distributed between the various sub-districts as shown below :—

Sub-district.	Extent of Jurisdiction.
PURULIA ...	Thannah Purulia, except Pergunnahs Palma and Baghda, which are within the jurisdiction of the Manbazar sub-district. Thannah Raghunathpore. ,, Gaurangdihi. ,, Chas. ,, Jaipur. ,, Jhalda. ,, Ichagarh. ,, Baghmundi. ,, Para.
MANBAZAR ...	Thannah Khatra. ,, Raipur. ,, Borabhum. ,, Manbazar. ,, Simlapol.
GOBINDPUR ..	Thannah Gobindpur. ,, Topichanchi. ,, Nirsha. ,, Tundi. ,, Jherya.

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Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 28th October 1873.—With reference to rules 9 and 20 of the Rules for the qualification, admission, and enrolment of Pleaders and Mooktears in Mofussil Courts, published by the High Court in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th September last, requiring candidates for examination for the Higher and Lower Grade Pleadership to give notice to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners on or before the 1st November in each year of their intention to appear at the ensuing examination, it is hereby notified that, pending the appointment of a Secretary to the Board of Examiners, notices from candidates will be received at the Office of the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Judicial Department, and that on this occasion only if they reach that office within fourteen days from the date of this Notification they will be considered as having been received on the 1st November for the purposes of the rules above referred to.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that that portion of the Notification of Government dated the 2nd November 1872, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th idem, declaring that Mr. J. W. Pritchard, late Jailor of the Central Jail at Midnapore, shall not be re-employed by any department under this Government, is cancelled.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the orders of the Government of India, all vessels licensed to convey emigrants beyond sea from the Port of Calcutta will in future as a rule be prohibited from carrying such articles of cargo as are prohibited to vessels conveying troops, viz., raw hides, molasses, bones, camphor, ethers, collodion, fire-works, gunpowder, lucifer matches, naphtha, essential oils, phosphorus, quick-lime, rock-oil, spirits, turpentine, spirits of turpentine, arsenic, orpiment, corrosiv sublimate, cotton, *ghee*, butter, fixed oils, pitch, tar, dammer, quicksilver, rags, sulphud tallow, wax, chlorate of potash, nitre (nitrate of soda), saltpetre, jute, or any other artic or substance whatever of an inflammable or combustible nature, and unrefined sugar. Th shipment of *ghee* and fixed oils will however be permitted in emigrant vessels if the artic are certified to be securely packed and properly stowed to the satisfaction of the Mas Attendant, but no more than ten tons in the aggregate of these commodities will be allow to be carried in any one vessel.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 27th October 1873.

No. 368.—*Leave of Absence.*—Mr. W. B. Clark, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, attached to the Second Calcutta Division, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 369.—*Notifications.*—Baboo Jodonath Ray, Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, attached to the Third Calcutta Division, availed himself of two months' privilege leave from the 26th September 1873, before noon.

Bengal Government, Public Works Department Notification No. 344, dated 22nd September 1873.

No. 370.—Serjeant J. Ferris, Supervisor, Second Grade, attached to the Luckimpore and Seebsagor District, having been allowed furlough on Medical Certificate for six months, under sanction communicated by the Adjutant-General, availed himself of the same with effect from the 7th August 1873.

Bengal Government, Public Works Department Notifications Nos. 269 and 275, dated respectively 28th July and 2nd August 1873.

Serjeant Ferris availed himself of preparatory leave granted to him from the 1st July 1873.

The 28th October 1873.

No. 371.—Mr. R. C. McKennie, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, assumed charge of the Dinagepore and Maldah Districts on the 8th October 1873, afternoon.

No. 372.—Mr. J. S. Carey, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, joined the Moorshedabad District on the 5th October 1873, before noon, on return from privilege leave.

Bengal Government, Public Works Department Notification No. 252, dated 9th July 1873.

The 29th October 1873.

No. 373.—Mr. T. Beatty, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, joined the Moorshedabad District on the 12th October 1873, afternoon.

No. 374.—Mr. G. Prussia, Accountant, Second Grade, attached to the Central Office of Accounts, Bengal, passed in the Lower Standard on the 6th October 1873.

The 1st November 1873.

No. 375.—Mr. J. A. Price, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, attached to the Third Calcutta Division, passed in Colloquial Hindustanee on the 25th October 1873.

No. 376.—The following order issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for general information:—

No. 664 *of the 23rd October* 1873.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 585, dated 10th September 1873, Mr. W. Watson, Store-keeper to the Government of India for State Railways at Calcutta, resumed charge of his Office on the 1st instant.

LOCAL—COMMUNICATIONS.

The 3rd November 1873.

No. 377.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road running from Bátájor to Gournadi, *viá* the villages of Bátájor, Harhar, Deopárá, Máhilárá, Harisená, Ashukáthi, Bailáshar, Bejoypore, and Gournudi in the District of Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land 5 miles in length and 70 feet in breadth is required within the aforesaid villages of Bátájor, Harhar, Deopárá, Máhilárá, Harisená, Ashukáthi, Bailáshar, Bejoypore and Gournadi.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it concern.

No. 378.—*Declaration under Section* 6, *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road running from Jhálakáthi to Básandá *viá* the villages of Jhálakáthi, Chándkáthi, Bikná, Saidyakáthi, and Básandá in the District of Bákarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land 1·4 miles in length and 30 feet in breadth is required within the aforesaid villages of Jhálakáthi, Chándkáthi, Bikná, Saidyakáthi, and Básandá.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

No. 379.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road running from Dabdabiá to Shibpur *viá* the villages of Dabdabiá, Timirkáthi, Joárkáthi, Boáliánáráyangop, Dudbháriá Báharkáthi, Boáliá, Koterhát, Nandapárá, Auliápur, Badarpur

Bakarganj, Runshi, Mendiganj, Charigol, Falâghar, Aurâbeki, and Shibpur in the District of Bâkarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land 9·2 miles in length and 30 feet in breadth is required within the aforesaid villages of Dabdabiá, Timirkâthi, Joárkâthi, Boâliânrayangop, Dudhâriá, Bâharkâthi, Boâliá, Koterhât, Nauliapárá Auliápur, Badarpur, Bâkarganj, Runshi, Mendiganj, Charigol, Falâghar, Aurâbeki, and Shibpur.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

No. 380.—*Declaration under Section 6 of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road running from Aliganja to Pátárhât *viâ* the villages of Aliganja, Shaidi, Noâkhâli, Sham-Roy, Char-Bola, and Pátárhât in the District of Bâkurganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land 5 miles in length and 30 feet in breadth is required within the aforesaid villages of Aliganja, Shaidi, Noakhâli, Shâm-Roy, Char-Bolá, and Pátárhât.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th October 1873.

No. 451.—*Appointment.*—Baboo Nophur Chunder Bose, Probationary Sub-Overseer, First Grade, Western Sone Survey Division, is permanently appointed to the Public Works Department in that grade.

The 1st November 1873.

No. 452.—*Notification.*—Baboo Ghamandi Lall, Probationary Overseer, Third Grade, Eastern Sone Division, having returned to duty on the forenoon of 25th July last, the unexpired portion of the leave granted him in the orders marginally noted is hereby cancelled.

No. 208, dated 2nd June 1873.
No. 314, dated 5th August 1873.

No. 453.—*Leave.*—Mr. J. Morrow, Sub-Engineer, Second Grade, Cossye Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted on the afternoon of the 15th October 1873.

No. 433, dated 23rd October 1873.

No. 454.—*Posting.*—Moonshee Shaik Mozourwallah, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, to the Eastern Sone Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 14th October 1873.

No. 455.—*Notification.*—Mr. C. Fouracres, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, received charge of the Dehree Workshop Division on the forenoon of the 22nd October 1873 from Mr. P. Dejoux, who officiated as Executive Engineer of that Division during Mr. Fouracres' absence.

No. 456.—Mr. T. R. Roberts, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Brahminee Division, passed in the Departmental Standard on the 18th October 1873.

The 3rd November 1873.

No. 457.—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

No. 668, *dated the 24th October* 1873.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions in the Engineer and Upper Subordinate Establishments of the Public Works Department, with effect from 1st September 1873 :—

From Third to Second Grade Superintending Engineer.

Mr. J. P. H. Walker, Bengal Irrigation Branch.

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No. 458.—*Notification.*—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 663, *dated 23rd October* 1873.—Mr. T. Gleeson is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Overseer of the First Grade, on probation, and posted to the Bengal Irrigation Branch."

No. 459.—*Posting.*—Mr. T. Gleeson, Probationary Overseer, First Grade, to the Arrah Division.

No. 460.—*Notification.*—Baboo Mohesh Chunder Mitter, Overseer, First Grade, Hidgelee Division, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 14th October 1873.

A. J. HUGHES, *C. E.*,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Circular Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

No. 22.

Dated Calcutta, the 23rd August 1873.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.
Civil.

In continuation of Circular Order No. 10, dated 31st May last, the Court is pleased to prescribe for general adoption in all the Civil Courts subject to its control the accompanying form for commissions issuing, under Section 175, Act VIII of 1859, for the examination of witnesses.

By order of the High Court,
W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

COMMISSION TO EXAMINE WITNESSES.

IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE OF DISTRICT

ORIGINAL SUIT (*or* APPEAL) NO. OF 187

Plaintiff,

versus

Defendant.

TO

COMMISSIONER ON BEHALF OF THE
(PLAINTIFF OR DEFENDANT.)

WHEREAS it is necessary to examine the person (*or* persons) named in the margin as a witness (*or* witnesses) on behalf of (the plantiff or defendant) in the abovementioned case,—You are hereby appointed Commissioner with full power and authority to examine the said witness (*or* witnesses) upon the interrogatories hereunto annexed: And you are further empowered and commanded, that you do, at certain days and places to be appointed by you for that purpose, cause the said witness (*or* witnesses) to come before you, and then and there examine him (*or* each of them) upon the said interrogatories, either on his (*or* their respective) oath (*or* oaths) or affirmation (*or* affirmations) secondly specified in the Schedule hereunto annexed, to be first taken before you in such solemn manner as is or may be authorized by law: And that you do take such examination (*or* examimations) and reduce the same into writing; and when you shall have so taken and reduced the same into writing as aforesaid, you are to send the same to this Court, within days from the date hereof, closed up under your hand and seal, distinctly and plainly set, together with the said interrogatories and this writ: And you are further commanded, that before you act in the swearing or examining the said witness (*or* witnesses), you do take the oath or affirmation first specified in the schedule hereunto annexed.

Dated this day of in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy .

Seal of the Court.

District Judge.

I.—The Commissioner's Oath.

I swear that I will, according to the best of my skill and knowledge, truly, faithfully, without partiality to any of the parties in this case, take the examinations and depositions each witness (*or* witnesses) as may be produced before me.

So help me God.

The Commissioner's Affirmation.

I solemnly declare that I will, according to the best of my skill and knowledge, truly, faithfully, and without partiality to any of the parties in this case, take the examinations and depositions of such witness (*or* witnesses) as may be produced before me.

II.—The Witnesses' Oath.

I swear that the evidence which I shall give in this case shall be true, that I will conceal nothing, and that no part of my evidence shall be false.

So help me God.

The Witnesses' Affirmation.

I solemnly declare that the evidence which I shall give in this case shall be true, that I will conceal nothing, and that no part of my evidence shall be false.

NOTE.—Christians to whom the oath is administered will be sworn upon the New Testament.
To others the oath will be administered upon such symbol, or accompanied by such act, as may be usual, or as the persons taking the oath may acknowledge to be binding on their conscience.

No. 23.

Dated Calcutta, the 11th September 1873.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
Civil.

The Court is pleased to direct, with reference to applications for enrolment as Pleaders or Mooktars made by persons who have passed the examination contemplated by the Rules drawn up under Section 4, Act XX of 1865, that where the application is made in a district different from that in which the examination was passed, it must be accompanied by a letter from the Judge of the District in which the applicant passed, or in which he received permission to appear at the examination, certifying that such person has stated his desire to practise in the district named, and setting forth the reasons, together with a statement of the certifying Judge's belief that the application is *bonâ fide*.

2. Such letter shall be granted upon a petition presented in open Court, and notice of such petition shall be first stuck up in a conspicuous part of the Court-house for 14 days.

By order of the High Court,
W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

No. 15.

Dated Calcutta, the 12th September 1873.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
Civil.

The attention of District Judges, Subordinate Judges, and Judges of Small Cause Courts is called to the rules which direct that applications for leave on the part of such officers should be submitted through the High Court to the Government.

By order of the High Court,
W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

No. 11.

Dated Calcutta, the 10th September 1873.

HIGH COURT, &c.,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
Criminal.

C. O. No. 31, dated 4th November 1870, paragraphs 7 to 9.

THE orders noted on the margin are hereby rescinded, and the Quarterly Statements D and E will henceforth be submitted by the Sessions Judges to the High Court in the revised form now circulated, commencing with those for the 3rd quarter of 1873.

2. Statements received in other than the printed forms supplied by the Superintendent of Stationery will be returned, and the district will be dealt with as if no statements had been received.

3. The statements will continue to be sent in duplicate as required by Circular Memorandum No. 4, dated 7th June last.

4. Column 1 of Statement D will comprise the names of all officers exercising criminal authority in the district, the letters "C. S." being inserted after the names of Covenanted Officers. Magistrates other than the Magistrate of the District will be designated according to their powers as Magistrates of the 1st Class, of the 2nd Class, or of the 3rd Class; and not Joint-Magistrates, Assistant Magistrates, or Deputy Magistrates.*

* *e. g.*, Magistrate of the District.
A. Jones, Esq., C.S., 1st Class.
B. Williams, Esq., 1st Class.
Baboo M. N. Dass, 1st Class.
C. Howell, Esq., C.S., 2nd Class.
M. Anwar Ali, 2nd Class.
&c. &c.

5. The Benches of Magistrates which have sat in the quarter under report will also be entered here, and the names of the Magistrates who have served on them will be shown in the column of Remarks instead of on the back of the statement, as required by Circular Memorandum No. 3, dated 26th May last.

Statement D.

6. Columns 3, 4, and 5 will be filled up according to the instructions contained in Circular Order No. 7, dated 10th April last, to which it may be added that column 5, "Acquitted," will show all dismissals (as under Section 205) and discharges (as under Section 496) which operate as acquittals. New trials ordered under Section 328 will appear in column 8. The persons shown as "Remaining under trial" at the close of one quarter should be included (though not separately exhibited) in column 3 of the return for the following quarter, as "Persons under trial." Cases decided by Municipal Commissioners should not be entered in this statement.

Statement E.

7. This statement is intended to comprise all appeals preferred either to the Sessions Judge, or to the Magistrate, without detail of the officer from whom the appeals may be preferred; and also references made to the High Court under Section 296, Act X of 1873, either by the Sessions Judge or by the Magistrate. Persons whose cases are shown as "Pending" in column 10 should be included in the number entered in column 2 of the ensuing quarter's returns.

8. After the Magistrate has prepared and signed Part I of Statement D, and filled up his portion of Statement E, the Statements will be submitted to the Sessions Judge, who will enter, in Part II, Statement D, the result of trials disposed of by him; and, in Statement E, the result of appeals preferred before his Court. He will then forward the completed return to the High Court.

9. Both Magistrates and Judges are called upon to see that the Statements are prepared *neatly*, as well as correctly, in respect of the entries made, and that they are not disfigured by slovenly or bad writing. On such cases occurring, the Statements will be liable to be returned.

10. The column of Remarks, which in each Statement is of ample size, will contain the mention of any cases or particulars which do not appear to be fairly provided for in other columns, and will also contain brief explanations of any noticeable results appearing on the face of the returns, specially of such as if unexplained might lead to erroneous conclusions; in short, any comments that will tend to throw light on the figures.

11. This return will not interfere with the submission of the Statement No. III prescribed by Circular Order No. 10, dated 12th July 1870.

By order of the High Court,

W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT,
The 3rd November 1873.

D.—PART I.—MAGISTRATES.

Statement of Offences reported, and of Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted, in the District of in the Quarter of the year 187 .

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
DESIGNATION OF MAGISTRATES.	Number of offences reported during quarter.	Number of persons under trial during quarter.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed.	Remaining under trial.	REMARKS.
Total								

Magistrate of the District.

D.—PART II.—COURT OF SESSION.

Statement of Commitments in the District of for the Quarter of the year 187 .

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
DESIGNATION OF COMMITTING OFFICER.	Commitments pending at close of last quarter.	Commitments made in the quarter.	Persons acquitted or discharged.	Persons convicted.	Sentenced capitally.	Remaining for trial.	REMARKS.

E.

Statement showing the result of appeal and revision in Criminal Cases in the District of during the Quarter of the year 187 .

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
APPELLATE TRIBUNAL.	Number of appellants or petitioners under Section 295, C. Cr. P.	NUMBER OF PERSONS.								REMARKS
		Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed.	Sentences enhanced.	Sentences reduced or otherwise altered.	Further enquiry ordered.	Referred to High Court.	Pending.	
Court of Session ...										
Magistrate of District.										
Total ...										

Magistrate of the District. *Sessions Judge.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. Arthur Ormsbey Brown, Assistant Collector, has been placed in charge of the District Treasury of Noacolly from the 22nd October 1873, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. C. FOWLE, *Offg Commissioner.*

ECCLESIASTICAL.

THE REVEREND DAVID BAYNE MORRIS of Glasgow University, M.A., Junior Chaplain, has been appointed a Surrogate in this Diocese, for granting Episcopal Licences of Marriage.

CALCUTTA, 4th November 1873. R. LEYCESTER UPTON, *Offg. Registrar and Secretary.*

Sheriff's Office, the 28th October 1873.

is hereby given that the Ninth Criminal Sessions of the year 1873, of the High licature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of n, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the cutta, on Thursday, the twentyseventh day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the d so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby pro- t all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for aid Session be then and there to prosecute.

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস সন ১৮৭৩ সাল ২৮ অক্টোবর।

সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ২৭ নবেম্বর বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যেপর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের নবম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান এবং এতদ্দ্বারায় প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী রবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

SALT FOR SALE.

NOTICE

reby given for general information that more or less 3,828 maunds of confiscated med salt will be sold by the Superintendent of the Sulkea Salt Golahs by Public the highest bidder at the Sulkea Salt Golahs at 7 o'clock A.M., on Friday next, the .

urther particulars and samples apply to the Superintendent of the Sulkea Salt Golahs.

OUSE, CALCUTTA, the 3rd November 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

লবণ বিক্রয়।

বিজ্ঞাপন।

রা সর্ব্বসাধারণকে জ্ঞাত করা যাইতেছে যে আগত ৭ই নবেম্বর শুক্রবার বেলা সাত ঘণ্টার ালিখার নিমক গোলা বাটীতে আন্দাজ ৩৮২৮/ মোণ "কনফিস কেটেড" অর্থাৎ সরকারে রবেওগু" অর্থাৎ পরিত্যক্ত লবণ উক্ত গোলার সুপরিন্টেণ্ডেন্ট সাহেবকর্ত্তৃক প্রকাশ্য নীলাম তাকে বিক্রয় হইবেক।

রিত বেওরা ও লবণের নমুনা উক্ত সাহেবের নিকট প্রার্থনা করিলে পাওয়া যাইবেক ইতি।

কলিকাতা, J. A. CRAWFORD,

কষ্টম হউস তাং ৩ নবেম্বর ১৮৭৩। কলেক্টর অব কষ্টমস্।

Statement showing the importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly, subject to Customs Duty, on the 16th October 1873.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	596,198	.....	314,833	911,031
French Kurkutch...	10,005	.....	18,992	28,997
Italian ,, ...	48,973	.....	7,249	56,222
Bombay ,, ...	148,161	.....	17,911	166,072
Madras ,, ...	80,247	.....	21,571	101,818
Arabian and Persian Gulfs' Kurkutch and Muscat Rock	245,032	.....	272,4[illegible]	517,509
Total ...	1,128,616	.....	[illegible]3,033	1,781,649

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 1st November 1873.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 790B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 18 held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thurs November 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares ,, ...	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th Novemb published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 21st Noven tively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 11th Nove and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after Friday, the 21st November 1873.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quanti less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, howeve himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 4th Dec. 1873 ...	2,125	1,375

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 23rd September 1873.

T. B. LANE, *Sec*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 869B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth or last Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 4th December 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 Chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares ,, ...	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertized will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 19th December respectively; that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 9th December 1873 and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 19th December 1873.

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 28th October 1873.

T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1873.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

OTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of lands no longer required by the Govern- situated in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Railway Deputy Collector's Office theea, adjoining the East Indian Railway Station, at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 10th day of November orresponding with 26th Kartic *B.S.*

e purchasers of these plots will be subject to the following conditions:—

.—If the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2.—If the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immc- deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day s one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be , the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

—The plots will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt of the orders of the Collector confirming the ut such possession shall be liable to be disturbed in case the final sanction of the Member of the Board ne in charge should not be accorded to the proceedings.

	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
				B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
d.	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara.	131	West ...	11 2 8	3 2 28	Occupied by Nulla.	0 0 20	Commences on 2,765 feet of mile 131 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan. South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	131	East ...	11 7 8	3 3 2	ditto ...	0 0 6	Commences on 2,680 feet of mile 131, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 131, as per plan. South—By southern boundary of zillah Moorshedabad. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
	ditto ...	132	West ...	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	..	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 131, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

Serial No.	Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of table in which the land is situated.	Situation on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area of lot in bigah and acre. B. C. Cb.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries.
4	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara.	132	East ..	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 131, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 132.	North—By ra crossing. South—By 131, as per East—By land. West—By ing.
5	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Chackpara and Dangal.	132	West ...	11 9 8	3 3 7	.....	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By 132, as pe South—By crossing. East—By ing. West—By land.
6	ditto ..	ditto ...	132	East ...	11 9 8	3 3 7	.....	...	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 132 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By 132, as per South—By r crossing. East—By land. West—By ra ing.
7	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Dangal and Pulsa.	133	West ..	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	North—By a South—By 132, as per East—By ra ing. West—By land.
8	ditto ...	ditto ..	133	East ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 132 and terminates on 1,325 feet of mile 133, as per plan.	North—By South—By 132, as per East—By land. West—By ing.
9	ditto ...	Pergununah Bonhaut, Mouzah Cheetoree and Majcund.	133	West ...	10 8 10	3 1 32	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By boundary South—By East—By ing. West—By land.
10	ditto ...	ditto ...	133	East ...	10 8 0	3 1 31	.....	...	Commences on 1,355 feet of mile 133 and terminates on 3,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—B boundar South—B East—By land. West—B ing.
11	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Majcund.	133	West ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North— 133, as South—B bounda East—By ing. West— land.
12	ditto ...	ditto ..	133	East ...	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	...	Commences on 3,030 feet of mile 133, and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North— 133, South— bou East— lan West in
13	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	West ...	6 14 10	2 0 26	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	No S E ing W lan
14	ditto ...	ditto ...	134	East ..	6 18 0	2 1 5	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 133, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 134, as per plan.	North bou South 133 East We in
15	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonhaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ..	7 15 11	2 2 12	.....	...	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	No S E W

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				B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
...oorshed-abad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka and Burrisal.	134	East ...	7 18 0	2 2 18	.....	.....	Commences on 1,600 feet of mile 134 and terminates on 3,450 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 18. South—By northern boundary of No. 14. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...ditto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Hoorka.	134	West ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,450 feet of mile 134 and terminates at end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 16. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...ditto ...	ditto ...	134	East ...	8 6 0	2 3 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 134, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 16. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...tto ...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Burrisal.	135	West ...	6 13 4	2 0 13	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 134, as per plan, and terminates on 1,400 feet of mile 135.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...to ...	ditto ...	135	East ...	6 14 0	2 0 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 134, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Pakooredh.	135	West ...	8 2 0	2 2 29	.....	.....	Commences on 1,440 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 3,240 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	135	East ...	8 15 0	0 3 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing. South—By ditto. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	ditto ...	135	West ...	8 14 8	2 3 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,290 feet of mile 135 and terminates on 5,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ..	135	East ...	9 2 8	3 0 3	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By permanent railway land. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Chandpore and Ramrampore.	137	West ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	Commences on 1,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates on 3,080 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary No. 27. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Rampore, Chandpore, and Ramrampore.	137	East ...	6 5 0	2 0 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 28. South—By railway level crossing north of Rampore Haut station land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. O. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
27	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Bonehaut, Mouzah Ramrampore.	137	West ...	6 16 2	2 1 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,080 feet of mile 137 and terminates at end of same, as per plan.	North—By [illegible] 173, as per p[illegible] South—By boundary of [illegible] East—By ra[illegible] ing. West—By land.
28	ditto ...	ditto ...	137	East ...	6 16 2	2 1 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By [illegible] 137, as p[illegible] South—By boundary [illegible] East—By land. West—By r[illegible] ing.
29	ditto ...	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courpurta, Mouzah Ramrampore.	138	West ...	8 5 10	2 2 38	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 137, as per plan, and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 138.	North—By boundary of [illegible] South—By e[illegible] 137, as per [illegible] East—By rai[illegible] ing. West—By land.
30	ditto ...	ditto ...	138	East ...	8 5 10	2 2 38	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By boundary of [illegible] South—By e[illegible] 137, as per [illegible] East—By land. West—By ra[illegible] ing.
31	ditto ...	Pergunnah Russulpore and Courparta, Mouzah Telaye.	138	West ...	7 3 1	2 1 18	.....	.....	Commences on 2,650 feet of mile 138 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By 138, as per [illegible] South—By boundary [illegible] East—By r[illegible] ing. West—By land.
32	ditto ...	ditto ...	138	East ...	7 3 1	2 1 18	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By 138, as p[illegible] South—By boundary [illegible] East—By land. West—B[illegible] ing.
33	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Telaye and Kaheelpore.	139	West ...	6 15 4	2 0 38	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 138 and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 139, as per plan.	North—[illegible] level o[illegible] South—[illegible] 138, a[illegible] East—[illegible] ing. West—[illegible] land.
34	ditto ...	ditto ...	139	East ...	6 15 4	2 0 38	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 138, as per plan, and terminates on 1,430 feet of mile 139.	North—[illegible] crossi[illegible] South—[illegible] 138, a[illegible] East—B[illegible] land. West—[illegible] ing.
35	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore.	139	West ...	8 5 8	2 2 38	.....	.....	Commences on 1,515 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,615 feet of same, as per plan.	North—[illegible] bound[illegible] South—[illegible] cross[illegible] East—[illegible] ing. West[illegible] lan[illegible]
36	ditto ...	ditto ...	139	East ...	8 5 8	2 2 38	.....	.....	Commences on 1,445 feet of mile 139 and terminates on 3,570 feet of same, as per plan.	Nortl[illegible] bo[illegible] Sour[illegible] cr[illegible] East[illegible] la[illegible] West[illegible] in[illegible]
37	ditto ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa and Bonehaut, Mouzah Kaheelpore and Shadinpore.	139	West ...	5 8 5	1 3 6	.....	.....	Commences on 3,615 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	Nort[illegible] 13[illegible] Sout[illegible] bo[illegible] East[illegible] in[illegible] Wes[illegible] la[illegible]

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Murshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaon and Bonehaut, Mouzahs Kaheelpore and Shadinpore.	139	East ...	5 8 5	1 8 6	.....	...	Commences on 3,570 feet of mile 139 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 139, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 39. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
ditto ...	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab, Mouzah Shadinpore.	140	West ...	6 10 3	2 0 25	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 139, as as per plan, and terminates on 1,950 feet of mile 140.	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
do ...	ditto ...	140	East ...	6 7 0	2 0 16	.....	...	ditto	North—By railway level crossing. South—By end of mile 139, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
do ...	ditto ...	140	West ...	6 10 3	2 0 24	.....	...	Commences on 1,970 feet of mile 140 and terminates on 3,580 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 43. South—By railway level crossing. East—by railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	140	East ...	7 0 8	2 1 11	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 44. South—By railway level crossing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnahs Bonehaut and Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Shadinpore and Lukheebatee.	140	West ...	7 7 2	2 1 29	.....	...	Commences on 3,580 feet of mile 140 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 41. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	140	East ...	7 6 0	2 1 26	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 140, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 42. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	9 7 12	3 0 17	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 140, as per plan, and terminates on 2,280 feet of mile 141.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 47. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpore.	141	East ...	9 9 8	3 0 21	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 48. South—By end of mile 140, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
	ditto ...	141	West ...	7 11 8	2 2 1	.....	...	Commences on 2,280 feet of mile 141 and terminates on 4,215 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 45. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
Berhampore	ditto ...	141	East ...	7 16 8	2 2 14	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 46. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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49	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Lukheebatee.	141	West ...	5 1 6	1 2 28	.....	.....	Commences on 4,240 feet of mile 141 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By e 141, as per South—By common Nos. 47 an East—By r ing. West—By land.
50	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Hazarpoor.	141	East ...	5 5 8	1 2 39	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By 141, as p South—By common 48 and 50. East—By land. West—By railw ing.
51	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Lukheebatee and Horishara.	142	West ...	6 12 4	2 0 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 141, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 142.	North—By boundary of South—By e 141, as per East—By rai ing. West—By land.
52	ditto ...	ditto ...	142	East ...	7 14 8	2 2 9	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By a South—By e 141, as per East—By land. West—By r ing.
53	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Harishara.	142	West ...	10 19 8	3 2 21	.....	.....	Commences on 1,500 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By boundary South—By boundary East—By ing. West—By land.
54	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Tighatee.	142	East ...	10 14 4	3 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 1,575 feet of mile 142 and terminates on 3,340 feet of same, as per plan.	North—B boundar 56. South—B East—By land. West—B ing.
55	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Tighatee and Ghosematee.	142	West ...	10 7 10	3 1 29	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North— 142, a South— bound East—B ing. West—B land.
56	ditto ...	ditto ...	142	East ...	10 9 4	3 1 34	.....	.....	Commences on 3,340 feet of mile 142 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North— 142, a South— bound East—B land. West— ing.
57	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab, Mouzahs Ghosematee and Pantia.	143	West ...	10 15 8	3 2 10	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 142, as per plan, and terminates on 2,025 feet of mile 143.	North— boun South— 142, East— ing West— lan
58	ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East ...	9 12 8	3 0 29	.....	.....	ditto ...	North bo Sout 14 East lan West ing
59	ditto ...	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	West ...	9 15 0	3 0 36	.....	.....	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	No Sou be Eas W

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Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Pantia.	143	East ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	.....	...	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 143 and terminates on 3,985 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By village road. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 58. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
ditto ...	Pergunnah Koomarprotab, Mouzah Banti.	143	West ...	6 18 0	2 1 5	.....	...	Commences on 4,010 feet of mile 143 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 59-61. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
ditto ...	ditto ...	143	East ...	6 3 0	2 0 5	.....	...	ditto ..	North—By end of mile 143, as per plan. South—By village road common to lots Nos. 60-62. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
to ...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Banti.	144	West ...	13 1 12	4 1 12	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 143, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 144.	North—By Brahminee River. South—By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
o ...	ditto ...	144	East ...	11 5 10	3 2 37	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By Brahminee River. South—By end of mile 143, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzah Jugdharee.	144	West ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	Occupied by road.	0 0 6	Commences on 1,900 feet of mile 114, and terminates on 3,180 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 67. South—By Brahminee River. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	144	East ...	7 3 8	2 1 20	ditto ...	0 0 5	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 68. South—By Brahminee River. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnahs Koomarprotab and Shajadpore, Mouzahs Hurreepore and Kurrimpore.	144	West ...	4 16 8	1 2 16	.....	...	Commences on 3,180 feet of mile 144 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 65. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ..	144	East ...	5 10 8	1 3 12	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 144, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 66. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	...unnahs Dhaoa and Nowanager, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	West ...	12 12 8	4 0 28	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 144, as per plan, and terminates on 2,900 feet of mile 145.	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station land. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanagger, Mouzahs Bishtopore and Nulhattee.	145	East ...	11 1 0	3 2 25	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By railway level crossing, south of Nulhatte station land. South—By end of mile 144, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
71	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Nowanagger, Mouzahs Beersumbur and Lushkerpore.	145	West ...	5 11 0	1 3 14	.....	...	Commences on 4,105 feet of mile 145 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of 145, as per plan. South—By fencing Nulhatte station East—By railway ing. West—By zemi land.
72	ditto ...	ditto ...	145	East ...	5 2 8	1 2 31	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By end of 145, as per plan. South—By fencin Nulhatte station East—By zem land. West—By railwa ing.
73	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzahs Lushkurpore and Paikparah.	146	West ...	10 4 6	3 1 20	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 145, as per plan, and terminates on 3,150 feet of mile 146.	North—By s boundary of lot South—By end 145, as per pla East—By railw ing. West—By ze land.
74	ditto ...	ditto ...	146	East ...	11 13 3	3 3 17	.....	...	ditto ...	North—By boundary of 176. South—By end 145, as per pl East—By ze land. West—By rail ing.
75	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Paikparrah.	146	West ...	8 16 0	2 3 26	Occupied by road.	...	Commences on 3,150 feet of mile 146 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By en 146, as per South—By boundary o East—By ing. West—By land.
76	ditto ...	ditto ...	146	East ...	9 11 7	3 0 26	ditto ...	...	ditto ...	North—By 146, as pe South—By boundary East—By land. West—By ing.
77	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 146, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 147.	North—By boundar South—B 146, as East—By ing. West—By land.
78	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	East ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	ditto ...	North—B boundar South—By 146, as East—By land. West—By ing.
79	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	West ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 147 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—B 147, as South—B bound East—B ing. West— land
80	ditto ...	ditto ...	147	East ...	8 1 5	2 2 27	.....	...	ditto ...	North- 147, South- boun East— land. West— ing
81	ditto ...	Pergunnahs Dhaoa and Shajadpoor, Mouzahs Dhaoa and Decha.	148	West ...	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148.	North bou South 147 East- ing West la

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				B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
orsheda-bad. ...	Pergunnah Dhaoa and, Shajadpore Mouzah Paikparah and Deeha.	148	East ...	11 14 0	3 3 19	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 147, as per plan, and terminates on 3,825 feet of mile 148.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 84. South—By end of mile 147, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
ditto ...	Ditto Mouzah Deeha.	148	West ...	7 0 0	2 1 10	Occupied by nullah. Occupied by road.	0 0 7 0 0 4	Commences on 3,825 feet of mile 148, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 81. East—By Railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
to ...	ditto ...	148	East ...	7 15 0	2 2 10	ditto ... ditto ...	0 0 7 0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 148, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 82. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzah Denonathpore.	149	West ...	10 14 10	3 2 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 148 as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 149.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 87. South—By end of mile 148, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	149	East ...	10 14 0	3 2 6	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 88. South—By end of mile 148, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Denonathpore and Soojanpore.	149	West ...	10 3 13	3 1 19	.....	.....	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 149 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 85. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	149	East ...	9 3 14	3 0 6	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 149, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 86. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnah Dhaoa, Mouzahs Habishpore, Koolgachee and Sahara.	150	West ...	16 1 0	5 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 149 and terminates at the end of mile 150, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
	ditto ...	150	East ...	16 0 12	5 1 8	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 150, as per plan. South—By end of mile 149, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
	Pergunnah Nowanneger, Mouzah Chatra.	151	West ...	14 4 4	4 2 32	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 150 as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 151.	North—By southern boundary of lot 93. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
	ditto ...	151	East ...	14 3 8	4 2 30	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 94. South—By end of mile 150, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

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					R. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
93	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Chootra and Bootea.	151	West ...	13 0 0	4 1 32	Occupied by nullah	0 0 9	Commences on 3,050 feet of mile 151 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end 151, as per pla South—By boundary of lot East—By railway ing. West—By zer land.
94	ditto ...	ditto ...	151	East ...	13 9 0	4 1 32	ditto ...	0 0 9	ditto ...	North—By end 151, as per pla South—By boundary of l East—By zer land. West—By railw ing
95	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanuggur, Mouzahs Bhoteea and Doorea.	152	West ...	12 8 0	4 0 16	Occupied by road.	0 0 4	Commences at the mile 151, as per plan, and terminates on 3,330 feet of mile 152.	North—By rail crossing. South—By en 151, as per East—By ra ing. West—By land.
96	ditto ...	ditto ...	152	East ...	12 5 0	4 0 8	ditto ...	0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By r crossing. South—By e mile 151, as East—By land. West—By fencing.
97	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Doorea.	152	West ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	.....	Commences on 3,360 feet of mile 152 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By 152, as per South—By level cross East—By rai West—By land.
98	ditto ...	ditto ...	152	East ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By 152, as p South—By level cros East—By land. West—By ing.
99	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	West ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153.	North—B boundary South—B 152, as East—By ing. West—By land.
100	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	East ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 152, as per plan, and terminates on 1,725 feet of mile 153.	North—B bounda 102. South—1 152, a East—B land. West—B ing.
101	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Doorea, Dadpore, and Bahadoorpore.	153	West ...	14 5 2	4 2 34	.....	.....	Commences on 1,725 feet of mile 153 and terminates on 4,270 feet of same, as per plan.	North—1 divers South— boun East— ing West— lang
102	ditto ...	ditto ...	153	East ...	14 11 10	4 3 11	.....	.....	ditto ...	Nor div South bor 10 East lan West ing
103	ditto ...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Bahadoorpore and Dadpore.	153	West ...	14 0 0	0 4 0	Occupied by nullah.	4 2 21	Commences on the outer boundary of the B lands situate on the west facing of the Pugla Bridge and runs in a westerly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.	Nor lan Sout lan East N We

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				B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
rshed-ad.	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzahs Dadpore and Gooskeera.	153	East ...	6 3 0	2 0 6	Occupied by nullah.	0 3 26	Commences on the outer boundary of the B. land situate on the east facing of the Pugla Bridge, and runs in an easterly direction on both sides of the Pugla Diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By ditto. East—By disco. West—By land of lots Nos. 102 and 106.
to ...	ditto ...	153	West ...	5 12 0	1 3 16	.....	.....	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 153 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 153, as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	153	East ...	5 15 8	1 3 26	Nullah between lots 101 and 105. Nullah between lots 102 and 106.	0 0 21 0 0 21	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 153 as per plan. South—By Pugla Nullah Diversion. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnah Nowanugger, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	West ...	13 16 8	4 2 11	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 153, as per plan, and terminates on 2,250 feet of mile 154.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 109. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	Pergunnahs Nowanugger and Rajshahye, Mouzah Gooskeera.	154	East ...	17 4 14	5 2 32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 110. South—By end of mile 153, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnahs Nowanugger and Rajshahye, Mouzahs Gooskeera and Gopalpore.	154	West ...	20 14 12	6 3 17	.....	.....	Commences on 2,250 feet of mile 154 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 107. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	154	East ...	21 12 8	7 0 24	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 154, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 108. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Gopalpore.	155	West ...	11 11 6	3 3 12	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 154, as per plan, and terminates on 1,720 feet of mile 155.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 113. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
	ditto ...	155	East ...	11 3 8	3 2 31	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By the southern boundary of lot No. 114. South—By end of mile 154, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	West ...	6 15 8	2 0 39	.....	.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,000 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway level crossing south of Moorarooee station land. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 111. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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114	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhadisar.	155	East ...	7 16 10	2 2 14	.....	.....	Commences on 1,720 feet of mile 155 and terminates on 3,045 feet of the same, as per plan.	North—By railway crossing south aroaee station. South—By boundary of la East—By zi land. West—By railway.
115	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Bhadisur and Dhetora.	155	West ...	8 4 11	2 2 36	.....	.....	Commences on 3,870 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By end 155, as per p South—By a p East—By railway. West—By land.
116	ditto ...	ditto ...	155	East ...	4 8 4	1 1 34	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Moora-roaee station.	0 1 14	Commences on 4,380 feet of mile 155 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By e 155, as per p South—By A of Moorar tank. East—By land. West—By ra ing.
117	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Dhetora.	156	West ...	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 155, as per plan, and terminates on 3,215 feet of mile 156.	North—By boundary of South—By e 155, as per East—By railway. West—By land.
118	ditto ...	ditto ...	156	East ...	17 8 7	5 3 1	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By boundary o South—By 155, as pe East—By land. West—By ing.
119	ditto ...	ditto ...	156	West ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	.....	.....	Commences on 3,215 feet of mile 156 and terminates at the end of the same, as per plan.	North—By 156, as p South—By boundary East—By ing. West—By land.
120	ditto ...	ditto ...	156	East ...	15 9 8	5 0 19	.....	.....	ditto ...	North— 156, as South— bounda East— land. West— ing.
121	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Dhetora and Pulsa.	157	West ...	15 2 9	5 0 0	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 156, as per plan, and terminates on 2,475 feet of mile 157.	North— boundar South— 156, a East—B ing. West—B land.
122	ditto ...	ditto ...	157	East ...	15 8 0	5 0 15	.....	.....	ditto ...	North— bounda South— 156, East— land West— ing.
123	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	157	West ...	17 8 8	5 3 2	.....	.....	Commences on 2,457 feet o mile 157 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North 157 South bou East ing West lan
124	ditto ...	ditto ...	157	East ...	16 10 9	5 1 34	.....	.....	ditto ...	Nor 15 Sout bou East lan We n

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shed-	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Pulsa.	158	West ...	18 3 0	6 0 0	Occupied by road.	0 0 22	Commences at the end of mile 157, as per plan, and terminates on 1,775 feet of mile 158.	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	158	East ...	19 8 5	6 1 27	ditto ...	0 0 22	ditto ...	North—By Bansli Nuddy. South—By end of mile 157, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Ruttonpore and Pulsa.	158	West ...	36 12 10	12 0 18	.....	.....	Commences on 2,405 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	158	East ...	36 9 8	12 0 9	.....	.....	Commences on 2,525 feet of mile 158 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 158, as per plan. South—By relinquished class C. land. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Pulsa, Sambulpore, and Macwa.	159	West ...	15 16 5	5 0 37	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 158, as per plan, and terminates on 2,500 feet of mile 159.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 131. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	159	East ...	20 9 11	6 3 9	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 132. South—By end of mile 158, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Macwa.	159	West ...	21 3 8	7 0 0	.....	.....	Commences on 2,500 feet of mile 159 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 129. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
	ditto ...	159	East ...	18 0 0	5 3 32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 159, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 130. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
ergunnah	Rajshahye, Mouzahs Macwa and Bhatra.	160	West ...	8 17 13	2 3 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 159, as per plan, and terminates on 2,640 feet of mile 160.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 135. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
	ditto ...	160	East ...	9 3 5	2 0 5	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 136. South—By end of mile 159, as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
gunnah	Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	West ...	12 7 10	4 0 15	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By end of mile 160, as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 133. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
136	Moorshedabad.	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra.	160	East ...	13 13 0	4 2 2	Occupied by road.	0 0 2	Commences on 2,640 feet of mile 160 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By [illegible] 160 as per [illegible] South—By [illegible] boundary [illegible] 134. East—By [illegible] land. West—By [illegible] ing.
137	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Bhatra and Rajgaon.	161	West ...	9 5 15	3 0 12	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 160 as per plan and terminates on 2,465 feet of mile 161.	North—By [illegible] boundary [illegible] 139. South—By [illegible] 160 as p[illegible] East—By [illegible] ing. West—By [illegible] land.
138	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ...	11 0 9	3 2 24	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By [illegible] boundary [illegible] South—By [illegible] 16[illegible] as p[illegible] East—By [illegible] land. West—By [illegible] ing.
139	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon.	161	West ...	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	Commences on 2,465 feet of mile 161 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By [illegible] 161 as p[illegible] South—By [illegible] boundary [illegible] East—By [illegible] ing. West—B[illegible] land.
140	ditto ...	ditto ...	161	East ...	8 17 14	2 3 31	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—B[illegible] 161 as [illegible] South—B[illegible] boundar[illegible] 138. East—By [illegible] land. West—B[illegible] ing.
141	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Rajgaon and Amhooa.	162	West	9 16 8	3 1 0	.....	.....	Commences at end of mile 161 as per plan and terminates on 2,650 feet of mile 162.	North— [illegible] cross [illegible] South— [illegible] 161 [illegible] East— [illegible] ing. West— [illegible] land [illegible]
142	ditto ...	ditto ...	162	East ...	10 17 9	3 2 15	.....	.....	ditto ...	North [illegible] cro[illegible] Sou[illegible] 16[illegible] East [illegible] lan[illegible] West [illegible] ing [illegible]
143	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzah Amhooa.	162	West ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	.....	.....	Commences on 2,690 feet of mile 162 and terminates on 3,970 feet of same as per plan.	Nort[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Sou[illegible] [illegible] Eas[illegible] [illegible] We[illegible] [illegible]
144	ditto ...	ditto ...	162	East ...	4 11 3	1 2 1	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	2 2 20	ditto ...	No[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] So[illegible] [illegible] Ea[illegible] [illegible] W[illegible]
145	ditto ...	Pergunnah Rajshahye, Mouzahs Amhooa and Goorsa.	163	West ...	17 0 0	5 2 19	.....	.....	Commences on 150 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3,840 feet of same as per plan.	N[illegible] S[illegible] [illegible] E[illegible] [illegible]

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...orshed-bad.	Pergunnah Raj-shahye, Mouzah Ambooah and Goorsa.	163	East ...	17 0 0	5 2 19	.....	.....	Commences on 160 feet of mile 163 and terminates on 3840 feet of same as per plan.	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 148. South—By land permanently retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...o ...	Pergunnah Raj-shahye Mouzah Goorsa.	163	West ...	11 0 0	3 2 22	.....	.....	Commences on 3,840 feet of mile 163 and terminates at the end of same as per plan.	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 145. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...o ...	ditto ...	163	East ...	10 10 10	3 1 37	B. land retained by the Railway Company at Rajgaon Station.	0 1 10	ditto ...	North—By end of mile 163 as per plan. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 146. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.
...o ...	ditto ...	164	West ...	13 0 0	4 1 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 163 as per plan and terminates on 1,650 feet of mile 164.	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By railway fencing. West—By zemindaree land.
...	ditto ...	164	East ...	12 6 0	4 0 11	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Patherghatta Nuddee. South—By end of mile 163 as per plan. East—By zemindaree land. West—By railway fencing.

W. HEYSHAM, *Offg. Railway Deputy Collector.*

...EA, RAILWAY DY. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 19th September 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned ...te, situate in the District of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate ...Tuesday, the 11th November 1873, corresponding with 27th Kartic 1280, B.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be ...down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be ...ediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the ...reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the ...ucceeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Govern- ... and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after ...of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

...rd.—The estate will be sold revenue free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

...er in statement of ...vernment estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres. A. R. P.	Upset price. Rs. As. P.	REMARKS.
75	7	Katalikoree, Pergunnah Ajmutshahur.	2 2 30	123 0 0	
76	27	ditto ...	0 3 28	151 0 0	

E. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

...LLECTOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT BURDWAN, the 12th September 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situate in the District of Monghyr, will be put up to sale at the Monghyr Collectorate on Monday, the 10th November 1873, corresponding with 6th Aughan 1281, F.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The estate will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder above the upset price.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
111	4462	Khana Sakunat Dheraj Lal, Sepoy, and Khanabari of Khajah Ali, Havildar, in Mouzah Punsara Kadampur, Pergunnah Monghyr, Thannah Dharahra.	0 1 2	42 0 0	

E. LOCKWOOD, *Offg. Collector.*

اشتهار نیلام *

اس تحریر کے روسے خاص و عام کو اطلاع دیجاتي هی که حقیقت ملکیت سرکار بهادر محال مفصله ذیل واقع ضلع مونگیر بتاریخ دهم ماه نومبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ ع مطابق ۶ ماه اگهن سنه ۱۲۸۱ فصلے روز دوشنبه * کلکٹري ضلع مونگیر مین نیلام هوگا *

خریدارونکو ان محالات کے پابندي شرایط ذیل کي کرني هوگي *

۱— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید نهو تو کل زر نیلامي فورا داخل کرنا هوگا *

۲— اگر زر ثمن نیلام سو روپیه سے زاید هو تو ایک ربع کل زر نیلامي کا فورا داخل کرنا هوگا اور اگر بقیه زر ثمن پندرهوین روز دو پهر تک که اوس مین روز نیلام بهي محسوب هی یا اگر اوس روز تعطیل عام هو تو اوسکے بعد جس روز کچهرے پهلے کهلے دو پهر تک داخل نکیا جائي تو زر امانتي ضبط سرکار هوکر بعد اجراے اشتهار مطابق نیلام اول بجواب دهي خریدار خطا کار محال مذکور ثانیا نیلام کیا جایگا *

۳— محال مذکور بصورت لاخراج بیچا جایگا اور جو خریدار قیمت مظهره سرکار پر سب سے زیاده ڈاک بولیگا نیلام اوسکے نام ختم کیا جایگا *

نمبر مندرجه نقشه محالات سرکار	نمبر توزیع	نام محال بقید پرگنه	رقبه تخمیني بحساب ایکر	قیمت مظهره سرکار	تیفیت
۱۱۱	۴۴۶۲	خانه سکونتي دیهراج لعل سپاهي و خانه بازي خواجه علي چوبدار واقع موضع پنسارا خادم پور تهانه دهرهرا پرگنه مونگیر	ایکر روه بول	۴۲ ۰ ۱ ۳	

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LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 1st day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1873.

Number on the rent roll.	Class.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	REMARKS.
57	1st class	Kismut Pergunnah Kurgram, Pergunnah Kurgram.	Fuckeer Chunder Dolegovind, Ramessur Karfurma, Brojo Koomar, Dhurum Dutt, Sharoda Soondery, Modhoo Soodun, Kangalee Nath, Horeclall Roy, Mohamaya Debbia, Tarini Proshad Roy Chowdry, Horish Chunder Karfurma, and Ramessuree Debee.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 2,397-13-10. That exclusive of the share of 11 gundas and 2 kowrees of Tarinee Proshad Roy Chowdry, viz. Rs. 85-13-4, is Rs. 2,312-0-6.	The separate share of Tarini Proshad Chowdry only will be sold.
	Ditto ...	Kismut Pergunnah Choonakhallee, Pergunnah Choonakhalee.	Rajkissore, Chunderchoor, Ramcoomar, Horeproshad, Kassissur, Moharanee Surnomoye, Joynarain Bose, Radhakristo, Bissonath, Mrittonjoy Roy, Brojosoonderee Dassia, Jeebunkristo Pramanic, Haradhonee Dassia, Shama Soondery Dassia, Shosodhur Chowdhoory, Peari Soondery Dassia, Assootosh Bose, Charoo Chunder Bose, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, Kamini Soondery, Torunginee, *alias* Lootoomony Dassia, Poolin Beharee Sen, Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany, Saroda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad, Roy Chowdhoory, Shama Churun Bose, Kaminee Soondery Dassia, Kandarimul, Dooleechand, Khettro Nath Bundopaddhea, Jogendro Mohinee Debbia, Shoseebhoosun Mookhopaddhia, Sarossutee Debbia.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 3,551-7-5. That exclusive of the separate shares of Moharanee Surnomoye ... ... Rs. 107 A. 11 P. 9; Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor ... 443 15 0; Charoo Chunder Bose ... 83 11 1½; Joynarain Bose ... ... 167 6 0; Assootosh Bose ... ... 83 11 1½; Sosodhur Chowdhoori ... 104 9 10; Shama Churn Bose ... 201 11 0; Shama Soondery Chowdhoorany ... ... 62 14 0; Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany. 262 12 0; Sharoda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad Roy ... 262 12 0; Khetter Nath Banerjea and Jogendro Mohini Debbia ... 366 14 3; Haradhonee Dassia ... 6 0 11½; Lotoomony Dassia, *alias* Kamini Soondery Dassia ... 6 0 11½; Total ... 2,160 2 0; is Rs. 1,591-5-5.	The rights and interest of all the proprietors in the estate except those of the persons mentioned in the foregoing column will be sold.
	to ...	Kismut Mouzah Chhocleepoor, Pergunnah Oozeerabad.	Ranee Aunund Moyee, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 769-12-10. That exclusive of the share of Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, viz. Rs. 384-14-5, is Rs. 384-14-5.	The share of Ranee Annund Moye only will be sold.
	...	Pullee Bahadoorpoor, Pergunnah Kassipore.	Prosunno Chunder Ghose ...	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 742-15-8.	The entire mehal will be sold.

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

DABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

ICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned n the district of 24-Pergunnahs, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the s Office of that district, on the 5th day of December 1873, corresponding with 21st 1280, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and ree, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on day September 1873 :—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

, Kismut Pergunnah Baliah, Turf Sreekistopore, recorded proprietor Ramdhun ers; sudder jumma, including police charges, Rs. 1,141-12-1.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Collector.*

R'S OFFICE, 24-PERGUNNAHS, the 27th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of East Burdwan will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 3rd day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-Settled Estates.

Number in the rent roll.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	
27.	Shahapore and others, Pergunnah Jahangirabad.	Chowdhory Golam Rohoman, Nocoor Chunder Shaha, Kristoprosunno Mozoomdar, Jurifunnessa Bibee, Gooroo Dass Koondoo, Kofiladdin *alias* Doonoomaa, Kangali Churn Shaha, and Shehatannessa Bibee.	8,569 1 10	Out of the total amount of Governmen Revenue, separate accounts have been oped on behalf of the undermentioned share holders, and they have paid up their quota viz:— Jurifunnessa Bibee for Rs. 1,391-3-3; Nocc Chunder Shaha for Rs. 904-4-6; Kofiladd *alias* Doonoomaa for Rs. 834-11-6; Goor Dass Koondoo for Rs. 208-10-11; Kang Churn Shaha for Rs. 208-10-11; Shehat nessa Bibee for Rs. 904-4-6; The es to be sold for arrears of Government R nue only.
158	Shumoodrogouree, Pergunnah Shatshocka.	Rohimunnessa Bibee, Koylash Chundra De Chowdhory, Gobin Chand Nundy, and Nilcomul De Chowdhory.	2,710 8 11	In this estate general registry has been carded in the names of different person under Section 41 of Act XI of 1859 stated below:— Kedernath Chuckerbutty, putnidar of share of 9 mouzahs, viz: Kypooko and others for Rs. 900; Beny Ma Mullick, putnidar of 2as. share of moodrogori and Hurshoona, and 1 8 gundas 1 cowree share of 16 mouz Shinghoojooley for Rs. 293-2-2. Bunomalee Nundy, putnidar of 8a of mouzah Neiz Shumoodrogo Hurshoona &c., and three-fourth annas 13 gundas 1 cowree 1 kran of 15 mouzahs, Putty Thakoor others; in all 17 mouzahs general for Rs. 726-6-7. The estate to be arrears of government revenue on
174	Gowara, Pergunnah Mamdanipore.	Kristodeb Bhuttacherjee ...	727 14 7	1st Class.—Permanently settled esta The estate to be sold for arrears of ment Revenue only.

E. H. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collect*

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE, the 29th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the underme Estate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to public and unreserved sal Collector's Office of that district on the 28th day of November 1873, for arrears of and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873:—

Serial number.	Number on the Touji.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Names of Proprietors.	Amount of Government Revenue.	A
				Rs. As. P.	
...	250	First Class permanently settled Estate, Taraf Soorjopará, Pergunnah Tegechi.	Kali Sundary Deby, Shabitri Dassy, Kaliprosad Chowdrury, Bhobodeb, Talookdar, Santoomony Deby, Gungaprosad, Debiprosad, Ramshonaton Lahiry, Essur Chandra, Gungagobind Roy, Digbashona Deby, Bepin Chandra Chowdhury, Bama Sundary Deby, Chandra Kanta, Romonikant Lahiry, Soorjo Kant Lahiry, Pran Nath Roy and Gowri Nath, Gooroo Prosunno and Poresh Nath Roy, Minors, Ram Ram Charn, Gooroo Charn, Boroda Charn, Gunga Charn, Shib Charn, Doorga Doss Khan, Horo Moni Deby, Koilash Chandra and Hurri Dass Lahiry, Minors.	1,604 14 0 Of this revenue separate accounts have been opened under Section 10, Act XI, 1859, with Ram Charn Khan and others, for Rs. 156-4, and with Hurro Moni Deby and others, for Rs. 65-6, in lots for Rs. 221-10. Deducting this the portion of revenue payable by the shares of Kali Sundary Deby and others to be sold is Rs 1,383-4.	

RAJSHAHYE COLLECTORATE, the 15th October 1873. W. H. D'OYLY

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates, in the district of Sarun, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December 1873, corresponding with 6th Pooos 1281 F.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th day of October 1873 in lieu of 28th September 1873:—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

Serial No.	Towjee No.	
1	1751	Mehal Telpa Boozoorg, Pergunnah Chirand; recorded proprietors, Rai Baboo Shewgholam Sah Bahadur and others; Sudder Jumma, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 1,267-8.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

2	2294	Mehal Bajraha, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ramanugreh Opadhia and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 172-0-1½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

3	2303	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raj Coomar Singh and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 640.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

	2329	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raghoonath Sahai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 438-11-11½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

	2411	Mehal Tarya, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Issardut and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 744-13-4¾.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

	2433	Mehal Chhap Sudershurn, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ritbarun Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 344-11-1.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

	2523	Mehal Saguni, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Brijraj Kuer and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 1,536.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

	2615	Mehal Kewani, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Barumdeo Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 626-10-2¼ deducting Rs. 261-14-9 for which separate accounts have been opened, and Rs. 357-14-11¼, the share of the Ijmali proprietors for which revenue has been paid, the share of Barumdeo Rai bearing a revenue of Rs. 6-12-6 for which separate account has been opened and in respect of which balance has accrued shall be sold.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

	664	Mehal Mushruk, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Mussamut Mitto Bibi and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 250-10-6½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

	13	Mehal Amnour Madur, Pergunnah Makair; recorded proprietors, Jobraj Sing and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 2,443-15-2¼.

COLLECTORATE, the 25th October 1873.

G. G. DEY, *For Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام بابت بقیہ مالگذاری سرکار

واضح ہو کہ حسب دفعہ ۶ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع کے یہہ محالات مرقومہ الذیل
مین بابت بقیہ مالگذاری سرکار و دیگر دعوی جو از روے دستور اس وقوانین مجاری
باقی مالگذاری سرکار کے بتاریخ ۸ اکتوبر بحساب سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع واجب الوصول
چارشنبہ تاریخ ۵ ہم ۵ دسمبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع مطابق ۶ پوس سنہ ۱۲۸۱ فصلی کچہری
کلکٹر اوسی ضلع کے بلا عذر و عام نیلام مین رکھا جائیگا:—

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ایضا انه ۱۱ ½ پائي ۴۱ انه ۱۰ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۲ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه ۵ هندان کے حصه اجمالي
رام انوگره اوپدهیا وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۲۷۱ روپیه ۱ ½ انه بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۶ روپیه ۸ انه ۳ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا*

۲۳۰۳ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۰۴۳ روپیه هي
ایضا
وخانه مالگذار مین نام کمهار سنگه وغیره کا لکها جاتا هي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۶ روپیه ۳ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا*

۲۳۲۹ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۳۵ روپیه ۱۳ انه باستثناے جمع ۳۹
ایضا
روپیه ۱۱ انه ۶ پائي ۵ ½ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه ۵ هندان کے حصه اجمالي
رگهوناتهه سهاے وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۸۳۴ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱۱ ½
پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۴ پائي کے نیلام هوگا*

۲۳ محال تریا پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۴۴۱ روپیه ۱ انه باستثناے جمع ۶۹۶
ایضا
روپیه ۳ انه ۸ پائي ۳ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه ۵ هندان کے حصه
اجمالي ایشردت وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۴۴۷ روپیه ۱۳ انه
۴ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۲۳ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۱۰ پائي کے نیلام هوگا*

محال چهاب سودرشن پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۲۸ روپیه باستثناے جمع ۶۷۴
ایضا
روپیه ۱۰ انه ۳ پائي ۵ انه ۴ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه ۵ هندان اجمالي رتیبرن
راے وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۴۴۳ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۱۳ روپیه ۸ انه ۷ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا*

محال سگونے پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۳۵ روپیه هي
ایضا
وخانه مالگذار مین نام برج راج کنور وغیره کا لکها جاتا هي بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۱۰ انه ۲ پائي کے نیلام هوگا*

محال کیواني پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۲۶ روپیه ۰ باستثناے جمع ۱۶۲
ایضا
انه ۲ ½ پائي روپیه ۱۴ انه ۹ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۵۷ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۱۱ ½ پائي
جمع اجمالي حصه دهندان کے برهمدیو راے وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۶۲
روپیه ۱ انه ۶ پائي تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۷۵
بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا*

محال مسرکه پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۳۶۰۱ باستثناے جمع ۱۲۸
ایضا
روپیه ۷ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۱۲ انه ۹ ½ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه ۵ هندان کے
حصه اجمالي مسماة متوبي بي وغیره نادهندان جمعي
۰۵۲ روپیه ۶۰۱ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۴ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۷ ½
پائي کے نیلام هوگا*

ال امنور باندر پرگنه بکیر جنکي جمع صد ر ۲۴۸۵ باستثناے جمع ۱۰۰۴
ایضا
روپیه ۱ انه ۳ ½ پائي روپیه ۲ انه ۱ ½ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه ۵ هندان کے
حصه اجمالي چوبراج سنگه وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۲۴۳۴ روپیه ۱۵
انه ۲ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۲۹ روپیه ۷ انه ۴ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا*

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Notice.

The undermentioned estates or lots of waste lands in Chittagong will be re-sold by public ction at the Office of the Collector of that district on Tuesday, the 2nd day of December 873 at noon, for arrears of interest money and other Government demands agreeably to ction 6 Act XI of 1859, on account, and at the risk, of the defaulters.

of lot.	Name of defaulting proprietors.	Thannah in which situated.	Area in acres.	Arrears of interest money.	Balance of purchase money.	Balance of survey charges.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
67a	Durga Mohun Roy ...	Potia ...	1,575	909 15 4	1,112 8 0	114 4 0	
92	Jowalager Bharati ...	Zorwargunge..	604	567 3 1	1,246 2 0	154 14 0	
98	Kristna Chandra and others.	Fatickchari ...	634	2,265 0 7	7,013 8 0	98 10 0	

(Sd.) J. C. VEASEY, *Offg. Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

following packages, landed at the Jetties from the undermentioned Ships, have been to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, ll be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

emoval port use.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
...	3 Cases, [150] A. B. & Co.	... Order	... Peter Stuart.
...	1 Case, 210	... ,,	... Ditto.
...	5 Cases, 60	... ,,	... Ditto.
...	1 Case, 212	... ,,	... Ditto.
...	1 Case, [80] B C D & S	... ,,	... Ditto.
...	7 Packages, B N D C	... ,,	... Ditto.
...	2 Casks, B C C	... ,,	... Ditto.
...	1 Case, S L [B L]	... Anglo-Indian Carrying Company.	Ditto.
...	8 Cases, [80 C] A. B. & Co.	... Order	... Ditto.
...	2 Cases, [P] or addressed	.. G. M. Drury, District Traffic Office, E. I. Railway, care of Grindlay, & Co.	Ditto.
...	1 Keg, D A W or no mark	... Order	... Ditto.
...	4 Cases, G C [G. G. & Co.]	... ,,	... Ditto.
...	1 Case, F. T. B. & Co.	.. ,,	... Ditto.
...	1 Case, G F C	... ,,	... Ditto.
...	7 Packages, H S E P	.. M. Lyall, & Co.	... Ditto.
...	6 Packages, H. S & Co.	.. Ditto	... Ditto.
...	74 Cases, [J G] C	.. Mr. J. Greig	... Ditto.
...	5 Cases, K D P	... Order	... Ditto.
..	5 Packages, [635] K D	... ,,	... Ditto.
...	2 Casks, [K M S] F. T. B. & Co.	F. T. Brooks & Co.	... Ditto.
.	27 Packages, M N M	.. Order	... Ditto.
..	5 Cases, [83] M C C & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
.	1 Cask, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
	5 Cases, P or no mark	.. Playfair Duncan & Co.	Ditto.
	2 Casks, P. D. C. & Co.	... Order	... Ditto.
	2 Crates, [4] R. D. C. E. & Co.	.. ,,	... Ditto.
	2 Cases, [106] R. B. E. & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
	2 Cases, R S	... ,,	... Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Oct. 27th ...	1 Case, R C B ...	Order ...	Peter Stuart.
,, 27th ...	1 Keg, [R B R] or no mark ..	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	10 Casks, S C D ...	,, ..	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	10 Cases, S. & Co ..	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	95 Pieces, Spelters T J H or no mark.	Earusthanser and Oesterley.	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	8 Cases, W W & C or E X P ...	Walf, Wilman & Co.	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	3 Grindstones, [X] ..	Ahumty & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	21 Bundles, Iron L S D or no mark	Nitto Gopal Dhur ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	15 Pieces, planks, no mark ..	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	2 Packages, no mark or A J ...	Alli Mohomed Ismail	Sir John Lawre
,, 27th ...	3 Packages, H A N or no mark ..	Hajee Abdoollah Noor Mohomed.	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Bale, B S ...	S. Smidt & Co. ...	Crocus.
,, 27th ...	8 Bales, [C W W] ...	A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	3 Cases, C C M C ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	14 Bales, [200] ..	A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	2 Packages, addressed ...	Major Thomson, 65th Regiment, Agra, Bengal Presidency.	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Sample, parcel [F] ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Sample, parcel [X] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Sample, truss [X] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	10 Cases, [108 B] W L K C ...	,, ...	Paiagnay
,, 28th ...	10 Cases, B L C G S ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, [B & C] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Packages, [C 22] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, [C 71] ..	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	4 Cases, C W S Z ..	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, [C 31] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	3 Iron pipes, no mark ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	8 Cases, [I. W. Co., D E S]I S R	,, ...	Ditto
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, [M L B] F M ...	,, ...	Ditto
,, 28th ...	3 Cases, [M] G G ...	,, ...	Ditto
,, 28th ...	1 Case, N D ...	,, ...	Ditto
,, 28th ...	2 Casks, no mark or [21] ...	,, ...	Ditto
,, 28th ...	3 Bales, S L ...	,, ...	Ditto
,, 28th ...	2 Bales, [T. J. D. C. & Co.,] B M M S.	R. Macallister ...	Ditto
,, 28th ...	3 Bales, [200] ..	A. Wright & Co. ...	Ditto
,, 28th ...	5 Cases, [144] W L H C ...	Order ...	Ditto
,, 28th ...	1 Sample parcel, [108 B] W L H C.	,, ...	Ditto

CALCUTTA, the 1st *November* 1873. (416—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Ch*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
4 Cases, no mark	Hereford.
1 Case, [S. & Co., N]	Hydaspes.
2 Cases, S. & Co.	Ditto.
1 Case, M. L. & Co., Calcutta	Ditto.
1 Portmanteau, A. F. Jafferys	Ditto.
1 Case, [C J] A. B. & Co.	Ditto.
1 Cask, } A L	China.
32 Cases, }	
1 Cabinet-ware, no mark	Ditto.

N.B.—The above will be sold, if not cleared within the 29th of November

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 1st November 1873. A. FORBES, *Dy. Colle*

Notification.

WANTED a Canoongo and Surveyor of the 1st class on Rs. 50 a month for the sub-ision of Soopole in the district of Bhaugulpore. Candidates who passed at the last Native il Service Examination, need only apply with a certificate from the Commissioner of the sion to which he has been posted that he (the Commissioner) has no objection to the icant being appointed in this division.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th proximo.—By order.

S. P. CHATTERJEE, *Persl. Asst. to Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAUGULPORE, the 22nd October 1873.

Notice

THE Cachar Melâ will as usual be held at Silchar, commencing on Tuesday, the 30th nber 1873, corresponding with 16th Pous, 1280 (B.S.), and continue for as many days as e considered necessary.

E. Y. WALCOTT, *Asst. Commr. in charge of Dy. Commr.'s Office.*

CACHAR, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 23rd October 1873.

Notice.

THE Singhbum Annual Fair will be held as usual at Chyebassa during the last fortnight cember 1873.

C. H. GARBETT, *Captain, Offg. Dy. Commr., Singbhum.*

EBASSA, the 22nd October 1873.

Matabhangah River.

Report showing the least depth of water from the Entrance of the Matabhangah River to Kissengunge, for the week ending on Friday, the 17th October 1873.

Name of Shoals.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.
Entrance from the Ganges ...	5	9
Tatarparah	5	0
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia	2	6
,, Hât Bolia to Cut No. 1	3	6
,, Cut No. 1 to Boalmaree	8	0
,, Boalmaree to Alickdeah ...	8	6
,, Alickdeah to Kissengunge	8	0

Jellinghee River.

Entrance ..	3	0
,, to Jellinghee	3	0
From Jellinghee to Teakatta	4	0
,, Teakatta to Nuddea	6	0

H. T. FORBES, *Major, R.A., Exe. Engr., Nuddea District.*

BHNAGHUR, the 25th October 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 31st October 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
ow Chourasea ...	12	0	
oorpore Junction, 6 miles	3	9	
ngipore, 9 miles	3	0	
re to Berhampore, 47 miles	3	0	
ore to Cutwa, 50 miles	4	3	
Nuddea, 46 miles	5	0	

water on guage at Berhampore on the 3rd November 1873, above zero.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Moorshedabad District.*

the 3rd November 1873.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have be lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is war to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6071½	A/91 70139	100	C. Crayden.
6072	A/70 30598	100	Lalla Dyaram Das.
	A/92 64154	50	
3074	A/87 80026	1,000	Messrs. Jardine, Skinner & Co.
	,, 80028	1,000	
	,, 80031	1,000	
6098	L/4 57072	10	H. C. Davis.
	L/2 42450	10	
	A/93 24773	10	
	L/4 41331	10	
	L/3 46032	10	
	A/95 80615	50	
6104	,, 79972	50	Kasub Chunder Bos
6105	,, 19885	50	The Asst. Inspr.-Genl., Govt. Ra Police.
6106	L/82 30192	10	G. Martyr.
6110	L/19 35736	50	Santo Chunder Banerjee.
6114	A/83 39566	50	John Demitrius.
6118	A/91 83429	100	Shaik Ameerjaun.
	A/92 76550	50	
	L/19 04171	50	
6119	L/2 69699	10	Private John Bruce.
	L/2 61340	5	
6121	L/10 18921	50	Abdoolla Moosah.
6124	L/8 59023	100	Seetulpersad Bhuggut.
	,, 59025	100	
	,, 59030	100	
	,, 59031	100	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
6076	A/93 39312	10	Lala Chuterdhaw Lall.
	,, 46631	10	
	L/3 04095	10	
	A/78 62636	10	
6077	L/8 27417	100	Koomar Gyanoda Caunt Roy.
	,, 27135	100	
	,, 38534	100	
	,, 12668	100	
	L/3 23927	10	
	,, 57667	10	
	L/5 29977	10	
	08309	10	
6078	L/13 87543	20	Hurrish Chunder Chatterjee.
6082	L/12 13819	20	Bhurrath.
6083	A/93 69437	20	Bastoollah, Draftsman.
6084	A/91 86781	100	Dabeedeen.
	A/92 72949	50	
	L/19 02496	50	
6086	L/5 70423	10	J. G. Godwin.
6088	A/91 55759	100	The District Superintende Dinagepore.
	,, 55769	100	
	L/5 32440	100	
	A/84 14636	100	
	A/92 86426	50	
	,, 87856	50	
	L/13 60551	20	
	A/82 09435	20	
	A/81 41512	20	
	A/98 58352	20	
	A/82 81557	20	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimant.
	Rs.	
L/3 47827	100	Onoocool Chunder Chatterjee.
,, 47829	100	
A/68 31403	10	The Secretary and Treasurer Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.
L/5 00874	10	Mir Abdoolah.
L/12 38989	20	Banarasi Khaw.
A/57 90025	20	F. J. Rickards.
L/12 10777	20	
A/53 12186	20	
L/4 42585	10	F. H. Cox.
A/67 62518	10	Mrs. H. S. Andrews.
L/1 76747	10	
L/25 86354	20	E. W. Nyss.
,, 91395	20	
A/2 22118	10	Messrs. Cooke and Kelvie.
A/52 55300	20	
L/5 29593	100	A. Brownlow.
L/4 45510	10	Doorgadas Chatterjee.
L/13 45593	20	W. Ridler.
L/5 28466	100	Nanabhoy Horonusjee Hudouroa.
L/3 84410	10	Aubinash Chunder Chatterjee.
L/9 87108	5	Preonath Roy Chowdry.
L/13 91610	20	
A/67 10238	1,000	Revd. A. Marietti.

Wrongly joined.

L/5 46373	10	Amadudeen.
,, 46374		
A/97 95043	10	Pertab Chunder Das.
,, 95042		
L/7 90247	20	Messrs. Surroop Dhur and Sons.
,, 90246		
L/4 38954	10	
,, 38956		
L/7 25849	20	Nobodip Chunder Dutt.
,, 25848		
L/6 36569	10	The District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling.
,, 36917		
L/3 65634	20	The Chief Pay Master, East Indian Railway.
,, 65635		
,, 67466	20	
,, 67465		
73670	10	
73671		
51437	10	
51437		
23448	10	
21673		
94564	10	
94574		
548	10	
349		
73	10	
8		
2	5	
1		
	5	
	5	
	10	Matt Lall Mitter.
	5	C. H. Reily.
	5	The Offg. Principal, Presidency College.

Wrongly joined.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Names of Claimant.
6107 ...	L/4 58848 ... ,, 58847 ...	10	... J. E. Rowe.
6108 ...	L/3 74862 ... L/1 37527 ...	10	... James Pimm.
6115 ...	L/8 27636 ... ,, 27637 ...	100	... Messrs. T. F. Brown, and Co.
6117 ...	L/9 93426 ... ,, 93434 ...	5	... Kallachund Das.
6123 ...	A/94 06908 ... ,, 06906 ...	20	... Nundololl Dutt.
6126 ...	A/99 97266 ... ,, 97268 ...	20	... L. Nujeebullah.
6128 ...	L/9 17294 ... ,, 17292 ...	5	... Bissun Tewary.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 3rd November 1873.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Cu

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal on the 27th Octobe

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		15,47,596	8	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,26,45,723 7 7	3,42,06,402	3	9
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	,, 2,15,60,678 12 2			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		3,05,81,881	14	0
Bank Post Bills, &c.		4,86,680	0	11
Sundries		5,67,547	8	5
Total ...		8,93,90,108	3	10

ASSETS.		
Government Securities		1
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		
Dead Stock		
Stamps		
Balances with other Banks		
Sundries		
Bullion		
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,31,92,462 15 3	
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	,, 2,96,49,673 4 2	
Total		

By order of the Directo
R.
Secreta

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 29th October 1873.

F. A. GILLAM,
Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.

Jokai Assam Tea Company, "Limited."

NOTICE.

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the No. 103, Clive Street, on Wednesday, the 12th day of November 1873 purpose of confirming the resolutions passed at the Extraordinary Gen this day.

BALMER, LAWRIE AND CO., *Managing Directors*

CALCUTTA, the 28th October 1873.

R. Scott Thomson and Company, "Limite

THE Twenty-first Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Sh at the Registered Office of the Company, 15, Government Place, Thu ber 1873, at noon, for the purpose of declaring an *ad-interim* Dividen 30th September last.

By order of the Director

The 23rd October 1873. (417—3) JNO. F'R

Cocheela Tea Company, "Limited."

WARRANTS for the *ad-interim* dividend of 7½ per cent. de General Meeting of shareholders held on 22nd instant will of scrip.

(405—*fn*.) BORRADAILE SCHILLER, AND

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's establishment:—

Mr. H. B. Sterndale to be Agent of the Mirzapore Branch.

Mr. F. M. Young, of Head Office, to be Acting Accountant at Lucknow Branch, in of Mr. Maxwell Logan appointed Accountant at Nagpore.

A Branch of the Bank has been opened at Mozufferpore in Tirhoot, under the manage- of Mr. G. Mackilligin.

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

ANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, the 1st November 1873. (418—1)

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t Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

E is hereby given that the Twenty-third Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of rs will take place at the Registered Office of the Company, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Old se Street, on Saturday, the 29th November 1873, at 3 P.M., to receive the report of ors, and an *ad interim* statement of accounts for the half-year ended 31st August r the transaction of such other business as may be placed before the Meeting. By e Directors.

TTA, the 27th October 1873. (411—5) A. DONALDSON, *Acting Secretary.*

Chandypore Tea Company, "Limited."

ANTS for the *ad-interim* dividend of 5 per cent. payable on and after 3rd proximo, the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held this day, will be n presentation of scrip.

5th October 1873. (412—*f.n.*) BORRADAILE, SCHILLER AND CO., *Secretaries.*

Notice

y given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late ford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at utcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale:—

two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race ting monthly for Rs. 175.

d bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the ah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

e of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, (386—10)

Notice

ven that from this day the business of the *Bentinck Press*, No. 19, Mangoe Lane, under the firm, name, and style of Mitter and Company, and the firm th Ghose and Company, which was carrying on the said business since the the firm of Mohendro Nath Ghose, ceases to exist from this day. Any business with the firm of Mohendro Nath Ghose and Company, or Ghose, for or on account of the said Press will do so at his own risk

LANE, the 9th October 1873. (401—3) SOORESH CHUNDER MITTER.

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e above advertisement it is hereby notified that my connection in the ses from this day. All debts and assets to be paid and payable by and to

9th October 1873. (400—3) MOHENDRO NATH GHOSE.

Just Published.

Rules for the Qualification, Admission, and Enrolment of Pleaders a
Mooktears in Mofussil Courts. *Price 4 annas; by post, 5 annas.*

Just Published.

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5 annas.

Will be published on the 1st October.

Bengal Army List—New Number.

The Official Quaterly Army list of H. M.'s Forces in Bengal, corre
1st October 1873. To which is added a Non-Official supplement containing the latest corre
List, &c., &c. *Price Rs. 4; packing and postage 8 annas.*

The price of the next and subsequent Numbers of the Bengal Official
Army List will be reduced from Rs. 5 to Rs. 4 per copy for town subscribers,
Rs. 5-8 to Rs. 4-8 for copies sent by post.

Copies of the Number published on 1st July are still available at presen
Rs. 5 and Rs. 58.

IN THE PRESS.—WILL SHORTLY BE PUBLISHED.

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rected to September 1873.

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Being Chap. XXVI of the Rules of the Board of Revenue

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Sandeman, C.S., Accountant-General, Bengal, and Member of the Record Co
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Notice.

COPIES of Act VII of 1871, the Indian Emigration Act, in Urdoo and Hindee, can be obtained on application at the Bengal Secretariat at 8 annas per copy.

Bengalee Edition of the Acts of Government.

THE Acts of the Government of India, and those of the Government of Bengal, will, after publication in the *Bengalee Government Gazette*, be printed, in pamphlet form, for sale to the public, at a price which will be fixed in each instance to cover the cost of printing and paper. The first of the series will be the Criminal Procedure Act, now *ready*, the price of which is Rs. 1-4 per copy.—Postage 5 annas.

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AT the Meteorological Office, No. 22 Chowringhee, the following official publications:—

Meteorological Report of 1867	Rs.	0	12	per copy.
Ditto ditto 1868	,,	1	8	,,
Ditto ditto 1869	,,	2	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1870	,,	2	6	,,
Ditto ditto 1871	,,	2	8	,,
Ditto ditto 1872	,,	3	0	,,
Administration Report of 1870-71	,,	0	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1871-72	,,	0	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1872-73	,,	0	4	,,
A table of the average monthly and annual rainfall at 98 Stations in Northern India	,,	0	4	,,

The above are also to be obtained at the same prices at Messrs. Thacker Spink and Company, No. 5, Government place.

HENRY F. BLANFORD, *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

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For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
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Madras and Ceylon ...	7 ,, ...	5th ,, ...	*Masillia.*
Akyab ...	7 ,, ...	9th ,, ...	*Maharatta.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	7 ,, ...	9th ,, ...	*Arabia.*
Penang, Singapore, and Hong Koug ...	7 ,, ...	12th ,, ...	*Statesman.*
Ceylon, and the Australian Colonies ...	7 ,, ...	12th ,, ...	*From Bombay.*

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 7th November 1873.

2. Book post and pattern packets must be posted on the 6th idem.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M., or, bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, up to 8 P.M., and after 8 up to 9 P.M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

CALCUTTA, the 4th November 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.*

List of Remaining and Unclaimed Letters accumulated in the Calcutta Post Office during the week ending 1st November 1873.

Auzier, Mrs. E.
Beggs, S.
Brig Bullub Doss.
Campbell.
Campbell, J.
Carrison, J. R.
Coemray, Mrs.
Damerum, W.
D'Aguilar, F. B. E.
D'Cruz, Mrs.
D'Mello, P. M.
DeCourson and Co.
Deveria, J.
Edwards, E.
Fanthome, R. B.
Flindell, R. B.
Fraser, Mrs. A. C.
Fredericki, J. H.
Gray Mrs. A. G.
Gullion, W. H.
Harris, Mrs. A.
Hermon, Miss J.
Hero Chunder Banerjee.
Hughes, H. W.
Jones, Mrs. M.
Kellock, W. T.
Lake, Mr.
Lallement, Dr.
Leate, Mrs. A.
Mackay, J.
Maun, G.
McKinnon, A.
Moore Mr.
Mop, R. M.
Newbeig, Mrs.
O'Donnell, A.
Office of the "Extracts of the Month."
Ongshoo Prokas Gangooly.
Paul, M.
Peters, J.
Raban, J. G.
Radcliffe, Mrs. J. H.
Ram Lall Khettry.
Richardson, A.
Robertson, J. S.
Ross, G.
Ronald, F. M.
Saunders, Mr.
Smith, C. M.
Smith, Miss.
Smith, Miss.
Smyth, Pte.
Snel, Mrs. M.
Stretti, Sigr. G.
St. Quinton, G. H.
Tanillson, F.
Thomas, Miss H.
Vincent.
Walker, J.
Webster, J.
Webster, J. H.
Wood, J. A.
Wymouth, Mrs.
Zarie Thaler.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

Abramovitz, T.
Gartside R.
Grant, G. A.
Harrison, D.
Hawkes, R. W.
Helkit, J.
"Herbert".
Hudson, G.
Jennings, L. A.
Jeppreys, A. F.
Krishna Gobindo Gupta.
Lewis, W. S.
T. F.
Withers, J. E.

E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post-master of Calcutta.*

BENGAL CIVIL FUND.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Article XVII (18) of the Rules of the Bengal Civil Fund, that the following propositions will be proposed at the Half-yearly General Meeting of subscribers to the Civil Fund, to be held in Calcutta in the month of January 1874 :—

I.—That no surplus be declared or distributed, and that no scheme for increase of benefits or reduction of subscriptions be allowed to come into force until after reference to a professional Actuary; provided that any benefits that may be distributed shall have retrospective effect from the 1st April 1873.

II.—That in referring to the Actuary for a valuation of the Fund, he be supplied with information showing in detail the grounds for apprehending a future decrease in the average gross salaries of subscribers during their term of service, and that his advice be obtained as to the surplus, which should reasonably remain undistributed as a margin to ensure the solvency of the Fund while maintaining the present benefits and present rates of subscription.

In the event of the above resolutions being carried, it will be further moved "that a Committee, representing all grades of the service, be appointed to assist the Managers in giving effect to the second resolution."

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Re-Sale.

ESTATE RAMSEWAK MISR AND OTHERS, INSOLVENTS.

THE following Zemindaries in Ghazipore District, will be sold by auction at Ghazipore (near the Collectorate) on Saturday the 15th November next, being re-sale at the risk of Sheik Pultoo and others, who have failed to pay the deposit of 25 per cent as per conditions of sale.

Talookas.	Mowzahs.	Pergunnahs.	Annual Jumma or Collections.	GOVERNMENT REVENUE PAYABLE.			Annual net profit.
				Revenue.	Acreage.	Total.	
			Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.
Nooroodipore ...	Nooroodipore ...	Khanpore ...	3,654 1 9	1,826 9 1	203 1 1	2,029 10 11	1,624 7 7
Mandra ...	Hamzapore ...	Shadiabad ...	352 11 6	154 1 7	22 7 0	176 8 7	176 2 11
Ditto ...	Fultoo Oamrao Ráe	Ditto ...	1,265 7 0	552 1 4	48 3 3	600 4 7	665 2 5
Ditto ...	„ Duswunt Ráe	Ditto ...	730 0 0	220 15 2	26 2 4	247 1 6	482 14 6
Ditto ...	„ Keenar Ráe	Ditto ...	478 6 0	188 14 6	37 3 2	226 1 8	252 4 4
Ditto ...	„ Munsa Ráe	Ditto ...	1,089 10 9	291 3 11	34 1 5	325 5 4	764 5 5
Ditto ...	Dhumraon ...	Ditto ...	198 4 0	72 3 0	11 0 1	83 3 1	115 0 11

For conditions of sale and further particulars, apply to

PHILIP W. CARTER,
Official Assignee's Agent.

BUXAR, the 13th October 1873.

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The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1873.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Eighth Publication.]

THE following Bill as settled by the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, on the 13th September 1873, is by order of the President published for general information.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Embankments and Watercourses.

WHEREAS it is expedient that provision should be made for the better construction, maintenance, and management of embankments and watercourses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows:—

PART I.

Preliminary.

1. This Act may be called "The Bengal Embankment Act, 1873."

It extends to the whole of the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the province of Orissa and the Soonderbuns as defined under the provisions of Clause 2, Section 13, Regulation III of 1828.

And it shall come into force on the day of the passing thereof.

Repeal of former Acts.

2. From such day Act No. XXXII of 1855 (*relating to embankments*) and Bengal Act No. VII of 1866 (*to make better provision for the acquisition of land for embankments and other matters relating thereto*) shall, except so far as relates to the province of Orissa and the said Soonderbuns, be repealed.

Interpretation.

3. The following words shall, for the purposes of this Act, have the meanings hereby declared, save where, from the context, a contrary intention appears:—

"Estate."

"Estate" means—(1) Any land or share in land subject to the payment to Government of an annual sum, in respect of which the name of a proprietor is entered on the register, known as the general register of all revenue-paying estates, or in respect of which a separate account may, in pursuance of Section 10, or Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, have been opened;

(2) Any land entered in the register of revenue-free tenures;

(3) Any land acquired under any rules issued by or under authority of Government for the sale, grant, or clearance of waste lands.

"Embankment."

"Embankment" includes every bank, dam, wall, and dyke, made or used for excluding water from, or for retaining water upon, any land, and every sluice, spur, groyne, training wall, or other work annexed to or portion of any such embankment, and every bank, dam, dyke, wall, groyne or spur made or erected for the protection of any such embankment or of any land from erosion or overflow by or of rivers, tides, waves, or waters; and also all buildings intended for purposes of inspection and supervision.

"Watercourse."

"Watercourse" includes a line of drainage, weir, culvert, pipe, or other channel for the passage of water, whether natural or artificial.

"Zemindar" means all or any of the holders of an estate; and where two or more zemindars are jointly holders thereof, they shall be jointly and severally liable under this Act.

"Zemindar."

"Tenure" includes all interests in land other than estates as above defined, held permanently at a fixed rental, or held lakhiraj.

"Tenure."

"Proprietor" means the holder of a tenure.

"Proprietor."

"Public Embankment" means an embankment maintained by the officers of Government.

"Public Embankment."

"Public watercourse" means any watercourse under the charge of the officers of Government.

"Public watercourse."

"The Engineer" means the District Engineer or any Engineer specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of an Engineer under this Act.

"The Engineer."

"Collector" means any Collector, Deputy Collector or other Revenue Officer in independent charge of any district or portion of a district, or specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of a Collector under this Act.

"Collector."

"District" means the portion of territory throughout which any person vested with the powers of a Collector is authorized to exercise such powers.

"District."

"Land" includes interests in land and benefits arising out of land and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth.

"Land."

PART II.

Powers of Collector and procedure thereon.

Powers of Collector.

4. Under the conditions and in the manner hereinafter provided—

Power to take charge of embankments.

(1.) The Collector may cause any embankment which connects public embankments, or forms, by junction with them, part of a line of embankments, or any embankment or watercourse which is necessary for the protection or drainage of the neighbouring country, to be taken charge of and maintained by the officers of Government.

Power to remove embankments and obstructions.

(2.) The Collector may cause to be removed or altered any embankment which endangers the stability of a public embankment, or any obstruction of any kind which interferes with the general drainage of any tract of land.

Power to change line of embankment.

(3.) The Collector may, when necessary, change the line of or lengthen any public embankment; or make a new embankment in the place of or renew any public embankment; or make an embankment in any place in which he may deem such embankment required for the protection of any lands, or for the improvement of any watercourse; or make a sluice in any public embankment.

Power to improve drainage.

(4.) The Collector may construct any sluice or watercourse, or effect any alteration in any public watercourse, when such construction or alteration may be required for the improvement of the health, or for the protection of any village or cultivable land.

Power to alter roads and construct watercourses.

(5.) The Collector may call upon the person in charge of any road which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land to alter such road, or to construct any watercourse under or through such road. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Collector shall prescribe, the said Collector may cause the road to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the person in charge of the said road.

Applications for sluices to be made to Collector.

(6.) If any landholder, farmer, or cultivator be desirous of having a sluice made in any public embankment for the purpose of drainage or irrigation, he shall make an application in writing to the Collector of the district in which such embankment is situate. The application shall contain such particulars of the land to be drained or irrigated as may enable the Collector to judge of the advantage which may be derived from the work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Application for new embankment or drainage to be made to Collector.

(7.) Whenever any person is desirous that any new embankment be erected, or that any new watercourse be made, or that any watercourse be obstructed or diverted, if such work is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede any public embankment or any public watercourse, he shall apply to the Collector, and at the time of making such application shall deposit with him a statement of the proposed work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Procedure.

5. When it shall appear expedient to the Collector that any of the works specified in the last preceding section should be executed, he shall cause to be prepared plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said works, and he shall cause a proclamation to be issued giving notice of his intention to cause such works to be executed. Such proclamation shall be in the form, and state the particulars mentioned in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act; and the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as aforesaid, shall be kept at the office of the Collector and shall be open to the inspection of any interested persons who shall be allowed to take copies thereof. The Collector shall not commence any of such works until final order made in respect thereto under the provisions of Sections 8, 59, and 60 of this Act.

Publication of proclamation.

6. Every such proclamation shall be published by affixing the same at the cutcherry of the Collector, and in the manner provided in the third clause of Section 57.

Proclamation to be published for thirty days.

7. Every such proclamation shall be published not less than thirty days before the day appointed for hearing the persons interested.

Hearing of objections to works.

8. The Collector shall, on the day appointed for the hearing, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing shall be adjourned, hear the objections of any persons who may appear, and, after recording any evidence which they may adduce, shall pass an order in regard to the execution of the proposed works. Notice of such order shall be served on such persons as may have appeared in pursuance of the proclamation.

Authority to take proceedings where lands likely to be affected by the works are in different districts;

9. If the lands, which are likely to be affected by any such proposed works, are situated within the limits of different districts, the Collector of any district, within which any portion of such lands is situated, shall apply to the Commissioner of the division for authority to proceed in such matter; and the Commissioner of the division, if all the lands are situated within his division, may give authority to such Collector, or to any other Collector within whose district any portion of such lands is situated, to proceed in respect of all the lands likely to be affected by such works.

or different divisions.

If the districts, within which the lands likely to be affected by any such works are situated, are subject to the Commissioners of different divisions, the Collector shall apply to the Commissioner of the division within which his district is situated, and such Commissioner may, with the concurrence of the Commissioner to whom the other district is subject, give authority to proceed in such matter.

The Collector may delegate certain powers to Engineer.

10. All the powers vested in the Collector by Section 4 of this Act, may be exercised by the Engineer in cases referred to him by the Collector subject to the general orders of the Collector.

PART III.

Procedure in cases of imminent danger to life or property.

Proceedings in emergencies.

11. Whenever the Collector shall be of opinion that the proceedings commenced by notice under Sections 5 to 8 of this Act would cause delay in the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon him by Clauses 2, 3, and 4 of Section 4, likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to commence to exercise such powers. Provided that he shall forthwith cause to be prepared the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as provided in Section 5, and shall cause a proclamation to be issued as provided in that section giving notice that the work mentioned therein has already been commenced, and thereupon such proceedings and inquiries shall be had as in and by Part II of this Act are directed.

Power to take possession of land.

12. Whenever any land, or earth from any land the property of any person, is required for the purposes of any works commenced in pursuance of the provisions of the last preceding section, or for the purposes of Section 18 in cases where the Collector shall be of opinion that proceedings for the acquisition of such land according to the provisions hereinafter contained in Section 25, would cause delay as aforesaid, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act, giving notice thereof at convenient places in the locality in which such land is situated, and he may at the same time take possession of the same for the said purposes.

Compensation for standing crops and trees.

13. The Collector shall ascertain and record the nature and estimated value of the crops and trees (if any) standing on such land, and shall offer adequate compensation to the persons interested. If such offer is not accepted, the value of such crops and trees shall be allowed for in awarding compensation for the land under the provisions of Section 29.

Power to Engineer to act in absence of Collector.

14. The Collector may depute to the Engineer the powers described in Sections 11, 12, and 13 subject to his own general orders, and in that case when the Collector is not present the Engineer may, if he shall be of opinion that delay for the purpose of obtaining the orders of the Collector would be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, exercise the powers conferred on him by the Collector.

Power to restore embankments, &c.

15. Whenever, upon an inquiry had under the provisions of this Part, it has been determined in the final order to be passed on such inquiry that anything done by the Collector, or by the Engineer under the last preceding section was unnecessary, the land or the embankments or drainage shall, so far as any alteration thereof shall appear to be unnecessary, be at the expense of the Government restored as nearly as possible to the state in which they were when the Collector commenced to act under the provisions of this Part; and any person who shall have sustained loss, damage, or injury by the execution of such works, shall receive compensation from the Government to be assessed according to the provisions contained in Part V of this Act.

Section 9 to apply to proceedings under this Part.

16. The provisions of Section 9 shall be applicable to proceedings taken under this Part.

PART IV.

Powers of Engineer.

Engineer subject to control of Collector.

17. The power conferred on the Engineer under this Part shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Collector.

Power to make repairs.

18. The Engineer may make any repairs in, and may do all acts necessary and proper for the maintenance of any public embankment, public watercourse, or other work executed or taken charge of under the provisions of this Act, or of any of the Acts repealed by this Act.

Power to alter railroads or construct watercourses.

19. The Engineer may call upon the manger, or other person in charge of any railroad which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land, to alter such railroad or or to construct any watercourse under or through such railroad.

In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Engineer shall prescribe, the Engineer may thereupon, with the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, cause the said railroad to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the said manager, or other person in charge of the said railroad.

Power to make temporary roadway, watercourse or dam.

20. Whenever any person is desirous that a temporary roadway should be made over, or that a temporary watercourse should be made through, any public embankment, or that a temporary dam should be constructed in any embanked river or public watercourse, he shall apply to the Engineer, who shall communicate the application to the Collector, and the Collector shall pass such orders thereon as he shall think fit. If the proposed work is to be executed by an officer of Government, the applicant, before the commencement of the work, shall deposit the amount estimated by the Engineer to be necessary to defray the expenses of, and incidental to, making and removing such roadway, or of, and incidental to, making and closing or removing such watercourse or dam. If the amount deposited is found insufficient, the Engineer shall recover from the said applicant the further amount required; and if it exceeds the amount required, such excess shall be returned to the said applicant.

Power to remove houses.

21. Whenever the Engineer shall be of opinion that the removal of any trees, houses, huts, or other buildings, situated between a public embankment and the river, is necessary, he shall make a report to that effect, accompanied by a detailed statement of the trees, houses, huts, or other buildings to be removed, to the Collector of the district in whose jurisdiction the land on which such trees, houses, huts, or other buildings stand, is situated; and the Collector shall report the same to the Lieutenant-Governor in order that proceedings may be taken, in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870," or other law for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes, for obtaining possession of such trees, houses, huts, and buildings. Provided always that in case the Collector be of opinion that the delay required by such proceedings is likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to cause such trees, houses, huts, or buildings to be removed, and in such case the compensation due therefor shall be ascertained and paid in the manner hereinafter provided.

Sluices to be opened or shut under authority of the Engineer.

22. Sluices constructed in any public embankment shall be opened or shut only by or with the general or special permission of the officer in the immediate charge of the embankment, under such orders, either general or special, as he may receive from the Engineer.

Power to appropriate land or earth for embanked towpath.

23. In any case where an embanked towpath has heretofore been maintained by Government alongside any canal, river, khal, or channel, the Engineer shall be entitled to appropriate without payment, as heretofore, land or earth for the maintenance, repair, or re-construction of such embanked towpath. If in any case the Engineer shall consider it necessary for the purposes of towing to enlarge an existing towpath, or to construct a new towpath, proceedings shall be taken in accordance with the subsequent provisions of this Act relating thereto.

Power to enter and survey land, &c.

24. It shall be lawful for the Engineer, or any person whom he may authorize in that behalf, in order to carry out any of the purposes of this Act,

to enter upon, and survey, and take levels of any land;

to dig or bore into the sub-soil;

to do all other acts necessary to ascertain whether the land is adapted to the purpose projected by such Engineer; or by the Collector;

Power to mark out line.

to set out the boundaries of the land proposed to be taken, and the intended line of the work proposed to be made thereon;

to mark such levels, boundaries, and line, by placing marks and cutting trenches;

Power to clear land.

and, where otherwise the survey cannot be completed or the levels taken, to cut down and clear away any part of any standing crop, fence, or jungle.

Previous notice of entry.

Provided that no person shall enter into any building or upon any enclosed court or garden attached to a dwelling-house (unless with the consent of the occupier thereof) without previously giving such occupier at least seven days' notice in writing of his intention to do so.

Payment for damage.

The Engineer or other person so authorized shall at the time of such entry pay or tender payment for all necessary damage to be done as aforesaid, and, in case of dispute as to the sufficiency of the amount so paid or tendered, he shall at once refer the dispute to the decision of the Collector, and such decision shall be final.

PART V.

Acquisition of lands.

Acquisition of land.

25. Whenever in the course of proceedings under this Act, save in those cases in which the Collector has proceeded under the provisions of Part III, it appears that land is required for any of the purposes thereof, proceedings shall be forthwith taken for the acquisition of such land in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being for the acquisition of lands for public purposes.

When land taken, proclamation to be published.

26. Whenever any land shall have been taken or used under the provisions of Part III, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (C) annexed to this Act at convenient places on or near the land so taken, stating that Government has taken possession of the land, and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land shall be made to him. Thereupon the land shall vest absolutely in the Government free from all incumbrances, subject, however, to the claims for compensation to

be ascertained in manner as in this Part is provided.

Contents of proclamation.

27. Such proclamation shall state the particulars of the land so taken, and shall require all persons interested in the land to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at a time and place therein mentioned (such time not being earlier than fifteen days after the date of issuing the proclamation), and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interest.

Further notice to be served on certain parties.

28. The Collector shall also serve notice to the same effect on the occupier (if any) of such land, and on all such persons known or believed to be interested therein, or to be entitled to act for persons so interested, as reside, or have agents authorized to receive service on their behalf, within the revenue district in which the land is situate.

Proceedings after notice.

29. After service of such notice proceedings shall be had and taken to determine the amount of compensation to be payable in respect of such land, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Compensation for consequential damage.

30. Whenever any land other than land required or taken by the Engineer, or any right of fishery, right of drainage, right of the use of water, or other right or property, shall have been injuriously affected by the due exercise of the powers or provisions of this Act, the person in whom such property or right is vested may prefer a claim by petition to the Collector for compensation.

Application to be made within a year.

31. No claim shall be entertained which shall be made later than one year next after the completion of the work by which such right is injuriously affected.

Procedure for such compensation.

32. When any such claim is made, proceedings shall be taken in view to determine the amount of compensation, if any, which should be made, and the person to whom the same should be payable, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Matters to be considered in determining compensation.

33. In determining the amount of compensation to be awarded in such cases, the Judge and Assessors shall take into consideration—

First, the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land;

Secondly, the damage sustained by the claimant by reason of such acquisition injuriously affecting the property or right;

Thirdly, the consequent diminution of the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land.

Matters not to be considered in determining compensation.

But the Judge or Assessors shall not take into consideration—

First, the degree of urgency which has led to the acquisition;

Secondly, any damage sustained by the claimant, which, if caused by a private person, would not in any suit instituted against such person justify a decree for damages.

Land, &c., taken possession of to vest in Government.

34. All buildings, land, earth, pathways, sluices, gates, bermes, hedges, belonging to, or forming part of, any embankment or watercourse, of which charge has been or may hereafter be taken by the officers of Government, shall vest in the Government, and shall be held on behalf of the Government in respect of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) annexed to this Act, and in respect of other works on behalf of the persons interested in the lands to be protected or benefited by such embankment or watercourse, subject to the provisions of Section 63; and all monies received on account of such lands shall be payable to the Engineer and credited to the cost of the construction and maintenance of such works respectively.

PART VI.

COST OF WORKS, PROCEEDINGS, &c.

1. *Ascertainment thereof.*

Embankments in Schedule (D).

35. The provisions in this Part contained shall not apply to any of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) to this Act annexed, save so far as any works or repairs are executed therein or in relation thereto under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act; or to any of such embankments as may hereafter be erected for the protection of lands which at the time of the passing of this Act are protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule, save so far as the erection of such embankments may protect lands not protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule. All sums payable in respect of any works or repairs executed therein, or in relation to the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule except under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act, shall be paid by the Government.

Exclusion from Schedule.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II of this Act, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interests to retain any embankment mentioned in Schedule (D), the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that the same shall be no longer included in the said schedule. Provided that the Lieutenant-Governor may restore the same to the said schedule if on any subsequent inquiry similarly conducted it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor that it is necessary so to do.

Addition to Schedule.

The Lieutenant-Governor may at any time after the passing of this Act, by a notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that any embankment not mentioned in Schedule (D) be included in the said schedule, and the provisions of this section shall apply to such embankment.

Contribution of public money towards the maintenance of the embankments in the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) to be continued.

36. In accordance with the custom heretofore in force in respect of the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) annexed to this Act, the Government shall continue to contribute annually the sum noted therein for each

pergunnah respectively towards the maintenance of the embankments thereof.

If the embankments maintained in any such pergunnah shall at any time be declared to be public embankments under the provisions of Section 4, the Collector shall, from the date of such declaration, keep a separate account for such pergunnah, in which the aforesaid sum shall be credited at the commencement of each financial year. The unexpended balance at the close of each year shall be carried on to the credit of the account in the next succeeding year, and shall be available for the cost of repairing or erecting all the embankments which it may be deemed necessary to maintain in such pergunnah.

If such embankments are declared to be public, Collector to keep a separate account.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on an inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interest to retain any embankment in either of the said pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that such contribution shall cease in respect of such pergunnah. Provided that such contribution shall again be made in accordance with the provisions hereinbefore contained, if it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor, on the report of an inquiry similarly conducted, that the maintenance of any embankment in such pergunnah has again become necessary for the public interest.

Contribution may be discontinued, if it be found unnecessary for the public interest to maintain the embankments.

37. Specifications of any works or repairs to be executed under the provisions of this Act, and estimates of the expenses to be incurred therein or relating thereto, including such proportion of establishment charges as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, shall be prepared by the Engineer as soon after the month of October in each year as may be practicable. And whenever it appears that the actual expenses to be incurred will exceed the amount mentioned in the said estimates by one-tenth, the Engineer shall forthwith prepare further estimates, and, if necessary, further specifications. Copies of all specifications and estimates shall be transmitted to the office of the Collector, together with vernacular translations thereof, or such abstracts thereof as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time direct, and may be examined by any person interested in such works or repairs. Notice of the receipt of specifications and estimates shall be served for all estates chargeable for, or likely to be affected by, the said works or repairs; and should any objection in regard to the amount of such expenses be preferred by any such person within a period of one month from the date of such notice, the Collector shall pass such orders as may appear to him reasonable and proper. Such order shall be subject in any case to an appeal by the person making such objection to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Estimates and specifications to be prepared.

38. The accounts of the actual expense incurred in executing any works or repairs shall be prepared as soon as possible after the completion thereof. The Engineer shall sign a certificate stating the true amount of all such expenses, and the names of the estates chargeable for, and of the estates and villages affected by, the said works and repairs. Copies of the said accounts and certificates shall be forwarded to the office of the Collector, and may be there examined by any person interested. Notice of the receipt thereof shall be served for the said estates and villages, and such others as in the opinion of the Collector are liable to contribute to the payment of the said amount; and if, within thirty days from the service of such notice, any interested person shall object to the accounts on the ground either that the work charged for has not been performed, or that the whole sum charged has not been expended, or that the rates of charge are higher than those mentioned in the estimates, the Collector shall inquire into such objection, and may pass any order thereon subject in any case to an appeal by the objector to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Preparation and settlement of accounts.

39. The Collector shall add to the amount appearing in the said certificate all sums which have been paid or have become payable in respect of compensation, costs and expenses under and incidental to any proceedings taken or directed to be taken under Parts II and V of this Act, including costs of all surveys and plans. He shall thereupon make an order specifying the total sum found payable, and in respect of works done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the persons by whom, or in respect of other works the estates in respect of which, the same is payable to him. If the order is made in respect of work done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the same shall forthwith be served upon the party or parties liable to pay; otherwise the Collector shall proceed under the provisions in the next chapter contained.

Total sum payable.

Interest may be charged upon any sum paid as compensation from the date of payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding 5 per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct.

Interest.

40. The said total sum, save so far as is otherwise provided in this Act, shall be paid to the Collector by the zemindars of the estates in which are situated the lands benefited or protected by the repairs or works executed. Provided that where any specific sum has hitherto been annually demanded in respect of any embankment not included in Schedule (D), and when the said embankment is at the time of this Act coming into operation being maintained by Government, then such special payments shall, after the passing of this Act, thenceforth cease and determine.

Parties liable to pay.

Every zemindar, who is liable under this rule for the payment of the whole or a portion of such total sum, shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of every tenure which is declared to be a part of his estate, the sum apportioned to such tenure by the Collector, under the provisions of Section 45. And similarly, every proprietor shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of any subordinate tenure which is declared to be a part of his tenure, the sum apportioned to such subordinate tenure by the Collector, under the said provisions.

2. *Apportionment thereof.*

41. So soon as the total sum payable as aforesaid has been ascertained, the Collector shall cause a notice to be served for every

Notice to be given before apportionment.

one of the said estates and villages mentioned in Section 38. Every such notice shall specify the estates and villages aforesaid, and that an inquiry will be held at a day and place therein named for the purpose of apportioning amongst the zemindars and proprietors the said total sum, with interest and the costs of apportionment.

Mode of inquiry as to the proportion chargeable to each estate.

42. On the day fixed in the said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days later than the date of any service of such notice, the Collector shall proceed to make the said inquiry. In making this inquiry he shall receive such evidence as may be tendered by, or on behalf of, the said zemindars and proprietors, and by, or on behalf of, any other persons who may claim to be interested therein.

Names of proprietors.

43. In any such inquiry the Collector shall take down in writing the names of all persons who may claim, or who may be alleged by any party interested, to be proprietors of tenures within any of the estates mentioned in such notice. In default of appearance of any such person, the Collector shall issue and serve a notice calling on him to appear at a date and place therein mentioned, and to show cause against being included in the order of apportionment to be made therein, and shall adjourn the inquiry till such date.

Apportionment amongst zemindars.

44. At such or any subsequently adjourned inquiry, the Collector, if there be only one estate liable, shall charge the zemindar thereof with the total amount payable; and if there be two or more estates, he shall apportion the same amongst the zemindars thereof, rateably in proportion to the respective benefits derived by such estates from such works or repairs; or in proportion to the areas of the lands benefited or protected thereby, and comprised within such estates respectively; or with the sanction of the local Government in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates, if, before the passing of this Act, such proportion has been usually adopted.

Provided that the said total amount payable in respect of the embankments on the right bank of the river Gunduk shall be chargeable, in accordance with the custom in force for such estates, to the zemindars of all the estates situated in the district of Sarun, in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates.

Proviso in respect of the pergunnahs in Schedule (E.)

Provided also that the sum standing to the credit of a pergunnah in Schedule (E) in the account kept by the Collector, at the time when the total amount payable is fixed under the provisions of Section 39, shall be deducted from the total amount payable in respect of such portion of any embankment as is situated in such pergunnah; and that the zemindars of the estates situated therein shall be charged only with the balance of the amount (if any) which may remain payable.

Apportionment amongst proprietors.

45. The Collector shall, in like manner, apportion, except in respect of the said Gunduk embankments, the amount payable in respect of each estate amongst all the tenures therein rateably in the proportion of benefit so received or area so benefited or protected, first deducting therefrom such sum as, on the like principle of proportion, is payable in respect of such portion of the estate as is not included within any tenure.

Apportionment where the lands held without payment of rent, not being estates on the register of revenue-free tenures.

46. All lands held without payment of rent not being estates entered in the register of revenue-free tenures, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to form a part of the tenure within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any tenure, then to be a part of the estate within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any estate, then to be a part of such conterminous estate as the Collector, in whose district such conterminous estate is situated, shall, by an order under his seal and signature, declare.

Amount apportioned payable by instalments.

47. The amount apportioned to any estate or tenure shall be payable in equal instalments on such days as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, provided that no instalment shall exceed four annas for every acre of land in respect of which the same is payable, and that not more than four instalments shall be payable in any one year.

Interest.

Interest shall be charged on the unpaid portion of the said amount from the date of the same becoming due until payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding five per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time determine.

Final order of apportionment.

48. On the completion of the apportionment the Collector shall make an order specifying the estates and tenures, and the several sums payable in respect thereof, the instalments of such sums, and the dates on which the same are payable.

3. *Recovery thereof.*

Orders for payment.

49. The Collector shall, within thirty days from the final order of apportionment, make and serve for every estate therein mentioned an order, stating the amount with interest due in respect thereof, and that the same is payable to him, and the date or dates at which such amount or instalments thereof shall become payable to him.

Recovery from zemindars.

50. If such sum or any instalment thereof be not, pursuant to the said order, paid, the same with interest shall be recoverable as arrears of a demand under the provisions of Bengal Act VII of 1868 (*to make further provision for the recovery of arrears of land revenue and public demands recoverable as arrears of land revenue*).

Recovery by zemindars or proprietors.

51. Every zemindar or proprietor to whom any sum or instalment thereof is payable under the said order, may recover the same with interest as aforesaid in the manner provided for the recovery of arrears of rent in respect of putnee tenures by the provisions of Clauses 2 and 3 of Section 8, Sections 9, 10, 14, 15, and Clauses 1, 2,

and 3 of Section 11 of Regulation VIII of 1819, as amended by Bengal Act VIII of 1865; provided that the right or interest of any person holding from the proprietor of such tenure shall not be affected by any sale held under these provisions.

PART VII.

Miscellaneous.

Penalty for obstructing persons in exercise of powers of Act.

52. Whoever wilfully obstructs any person duly authorized under this Act in removing or levelling any embankment, house, hut, or other building, or in the lawful exercise of any of the powers in this Act conferred, shall, in case such obstruction shall not amount to an offence within the provisions of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for any period not exceeding six months, at the discretion of the Magistrate, or to fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, commutable, if not paid, to a period of imprisonment not exceeding six months.

Penalty on unauthorized interference with embankments or drainage.

53. Every person who, without the previous permission of the Engineer, shall erect, or cause or wilfully permit to be erected, any new embankment, or shall obstruct or divert, or cause or wilfully permit to be obstructed or diverted, any watercourse, if such embankment or watercourse is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede, any public embankment or any public watercourse, or shall abet any such act, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or in default of payment, to imprisonment of either description for a period not exceeding six months.

Penalties for injuring works under Act.

54. No person shall, without due authority, cut through, or attempt to cut through, any public embankment, or destroy, or attempt to destroy any such embankment, or open or shut, or obstruct any sluice in any such embankment, or any public watercourse; and every person who shall commit any breach of the provisions of this section shall, in case the act shall not amount to mischief within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding one month, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Penalties for diverting rivers or permitting cattle to graze on embankments.

55. Every person who shall make any dam or other obstruction for the purpose of diverting or opposing the current of a river, wherein or whereon there are public embankments, without the permission of the officer in immediate charge of the embankments, or shall refuse or neglect to remove any such dam or obstruction when so required by the Engineer, or shall cut or otherwise alter the banks of any embanked river, or shall remove the earth from any public embankment, or shall drive stakes into it, or by any other wilful act destroy or diminish the efficiency of such embankment; and every person who shall cause or knowingly and wilfully permit any cattle to graze upon any such embankment, or shall tether, or cause or wilfully permit any cattle to be tethered upon any such embankment, or who shall root up any grass or other vegetation growing on any such embankment, shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Obstructions to be removed and damage repaired.

56. Whenever any person is convicted of an offence under either of the three last preceding sections, the convicting Magistrate may order that he shall remove the embankment or obstruction, or repair the damage, in respect of which the conviction is held, within a period to be fixed in such order. If such person neglects or refuses to obey such order within the fixed period, the Engineer may remove such embankment or obstruction or repair such damage, and the cost of such removal or repair shall be levied from such person in addition to any other penalty in the manner provided in Section 307 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Service.

57. Every proclamation, notice or order in and by this Act required to be served may, unless when otherwise provided, be served—

(1) by delivering a copy of the same to the person to whom it is directed, or on failure of such service by posting a copy on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person resides, or by delivering a copy to any agent authorized to appear generally for the person to whom such proclamation, notice or order is directed; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing a copy of such proclamation, notice or order directed to the said person at his usual place of abode, or at the place where he may be known to reside; or

(3) by posting a copy of the proclamation, notice or order at the mal-cutcherry of the estate, village or tenure to which the same relates; or if no such mal-cutcherry be found, on some conspicuous place on the said estate, village or tenure, and by delivering, in the case of estates paying their annual revenue by four instalments, another copy thereof to the agent who shall have paid an instalment of revenue next before or after the preparation of such proclamation, notice or order. In all cases where two or more persons are holders of an estate, village or tenure service under this clause shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service on each and all of such persons.

No proceedings to be impeached for want of form.

58. No proceedings under this Act shall be impeached or affected by reason of any mistake in the name of any person thereby rendered liable to pay any sum of money, or in the description of any estate or tenure or land in respect of which he is rendered liable to pay; provided the directions of this Act be in substance and effect complied with; and no proceedings under this Act shall for want of form be quashed or set aside in any Court of Justice.

Appeal from orders made on objection.

59. Every order passed by the Collector in respect to applications under Section 4, Clauses 6 and 7, or under Sections 8, 39, and 48, shall be appealable to the Commissioner of Revenue, and every order of the Commissioner, except when otherwise directed by this Act, shall be appealable to the Board of Revenue, but no appeal shall lie under this section against any order unless the same be presented within one month from the date of the order.

60. Subject to the right of appeal above mentioned and to the order and control of Government, every order passed under the provisions aforesaid shall be final, and shall not be open to revision by any Civil Court.

Orders to be final.

61. In any inquiry or appeal held under this Act, the Collector and the Commissioner shall respectively have the same powers as those conferred on Courts by the Code of Civil Procedure of summoning and examining witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

Powers on inquiry and appeal.

62. All the powers of a Collector under this Act shall be exercised under the general control and orders of the Commissioner of the Division, and all the powers of Collectors and Commissioners shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Board of Revenue and of the Government.

General control of Commissioner and Government.

63. Whenever the maintenance of any public embankment, or the retention of any land appropriated to the purposes thereof, may no longer be required, and the permanent relinquishment of the same may be deemed expedient, such land shall be conveyed by the Collector to the proprietor of the land, within the limits of which it may be situated, on payment of the compensation, if any, which was paid for such land when the same was taken for the purpose of the embankment. If the proprietor of such lands refuse or neglect to pay such price within a reasonable time after demand, the same shall be sold by the Collector for such price as he can obtain for the same. All sums obtained for the conveyance of lands under the provisions of this section shall, after the payment of all expenses incurred on account of the same, be applied to the payment of the cost of any new embankment or drainage works affecting the said lands, and in such case the residue only of the cost of such new works shall be charged upon the zemindars of estates benefited as hereinbefore provided.

Disposal of lands no longer required for embankments.

64. A Collector may delegate any of his powers under this Act to a Deputy Collector, but from any order passed by a Deputy Collector to whom powers have been so delegated, an appeal shall lie to the Collector if presented within thirty days of the date of the order.

Collector may delegate any of his powers to a Deputy Collector.

65. All offences created by this Act shall be inquired into and tried by a Magistrate of the first or second class.

Jurisdiction.

66. Nothing in this Act shall affect the provisions of "the Hooghly and Burdwan Drainage Act 1871."

Saving of Bengal Act V of 1871.

SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

SCHEDULE A.—(*Referred to in Section* 5.)

All persons interested are hereby required to take notice that it is my intention to [*here state the nature of the work to be undertaken*] for the purpose of [*state the purpose*]. For the execution of this work the undermentioned land will be required to be taken up:—

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Area of land.

Plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed work, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the various estates likely to be affected by the said work, are open for inspection by any interested person at this office who is allowed to take copies thereof.

The total probable cost of such work will be the sum of Rs. , and the rate per acre of the area benefited or protected by the said work is estimated at Rs.

The following estates and villages will probably be affected by the work proposed [*here set out a list of the estates and villages*]:

Any person interested and desirous of showing cause against the execution of the works specified, is hereby required to appear before the Collector for that purpose on the day of

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE B.—(*Referred to in Section* 12.)

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the land hereunder specified has been taken up and notice thereof has been given to the Collector of

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Approximate boundaries and area of land.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE C.—(*Referred to in Section* 26.)

All persons interested are required to take notice that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the Collector of has taken possession on account of the Government of [*here state particulars of the land taken*], and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land must be made to the Collector. All persons having any such claims are therefore required to appear personally or by agent on day of at , and to state the nature of their respective interests in such land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE D.—(*Referred to in Sections 34, 35, and 40.*)

No. 1.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Isnagore to Kola.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 3 miles 4,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Isnagore of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kola in the said pergunnah.

No. 2.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Chota Roopram to Narooa.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 4 miles 770 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Chota Roopram of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Narooa in the said pergunnah.

No. 3.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Srirampore to Ganchia.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 7 miles 2,686 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Srirampore of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ganchia in the said pergunnah.

No. 4.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Kursi to Kulakuri.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 6 miles 5,265 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Kursi of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kulakuri in the said pergunnah.

No. 5.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Bagputta to Radhachuck.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 20 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bagputta of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Radhachuck of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 6.

Left Embankment of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers, 5 miles 250 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Ramnagur of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gasna of Pergunnah Jehanabad.

No. 7.

Right Embankment of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers, 6 miles 3,200 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Digra of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sowey of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 8.

Left Embankment on the Bukhshi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Bukhshi Khall, 6 miles 4,330 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bukhshi of Pergunnah Karijee Mundleghaut, and near the junction of the Roopnarain River and Bukhshi Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gyghattee in the said pergunnah where the Gyghattee Khall leaves the Damoodah.

No. 9.

Right Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the River Roopnarain, 29 miles 2,373 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground distant 57 feet south-east by compass from the Machnan masonry sluice on the right bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, in the village of Machnan of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the zero mile-post on the bank of the Tidal Canal, Reach I. This mile-post bears 500 feet south-west by compass from the Canal Toll-house, in the village of Camalpore of Pergunnah Mysadul.

No. 10.

Right Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,410 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 187 feet west of a temple on the Tumlook Road, in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 11.

Left Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,370 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, and on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 12.

Right Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 3,430 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soodhapore of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 675 feet east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice, in the village of Syedpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 13.

Left Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 1,670 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Mysda of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 170 feet north-east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, in the village of Rogonathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 14.

Right Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 3,990 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar, in the village of Jasamnathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 15.

Left Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 1,690 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Hugla in the said pergunnah.

No. 16.

Right Embankment on the Doobachutty Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Doobachutty Khall, 1 mile 3,510 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at a distance of 550 feet north-north-east of the Bhoodah Factory Chimney in the village of Bhoodah of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 57 feet south-east of the Machnan masonry sluice, in the village of Machnan in the said pergunnah.

No. 17.

Mohunkhally Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 28 miles 3,258 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the village of Kooltigree where the Mohunkhally River runs into the Roopnarain River, and passing along the right bank of the Mohunkhally River through the villages of Joligunsam, Seetapore, Manoo to Basantopore, where the Mohunkhally and Doobachutty Rivers bifurcate, thence skirting the left bank of the Doobachutty River it passes through the villages of Shahpore, Bosorepore, and Barmogria to Kachara, thence skirting the Roopnarain, right bank, it passes through the village of Doodeoura and Bagchina, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 18.

Pannah Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 9 miles 3,640 feet more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its junction with the Cossye River near a temple, in the village of Bargobindoo, Pergunnah Barda. It passes through the villages of Baramdi and Raneebazar on the left bank of the Selye River and then along the right bank of the Kanta Khall through the villages of Bhaugadow, Parna, Baramdijheel, Tubli and Dhurmpore, and terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 19.

Ghattal Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 10 miles 1,850 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its bifurcation with the Argor River, and passing along the left bank of the Selye River and through the villages of Srirampore, Bassodebpore, and Singpore, it skirts the right bank of the Argora Khall through the villages of Ramchunderpore, Rogonathchuck and others, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 20.

Sheikpore Circuit Embankment.

This a circuit embankment 18 miles 5,108 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the bifurcation of the Rivers Sankra and Jhoomee in the village of Sheikpore of Pergunnah Boyrah, and passing along the left bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Srimantpore, Anandopore, and Thakooranchuck, thence along the right bank of the Sankra River through the villages of Nursingchuck, Koolat, Goozrat, and others, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 21.

Khasbar Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 5 miles 5,240 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the point of bifurcation of the Jhoomee and Amada Rivers in the village of Lalchuck, Pergunnah Barda, and passing along the right bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Parbuttichuck, Prosadchuck, and Joybag, and thence along the left bank of the Amada River through the villages of Khasbar, Sowoi, and Lalchuck, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 22.

Chetooa Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 45 miles 1,420 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and Mohunkhally Khall in the village of Moishgatta, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and passing along the left bank of the Mohunkhally Khall through the villages of Dukinbar, Gowreechuck, Gobindnuggur, and Bosuntopore, thence along the left bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Kola, Moheshpore, Gocoolnuggur and Islampore, thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the villages of Soorutpore, Rogonathpore, and Konagore to the junction of the Selye and Roopnarain Rivers at Protabpore, and thence along the right bank of the Roopnarain River through the villages of Hurrishpore, Joleconaram, Raneechuck, and Gopeegunge, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 23.

Doosaspore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 2,350 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the right bank of the Cossye River, distant 704 feet and bearing 20° from the Doosaspore sluice in the village of Doosaspore of Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the right bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Nobinbasdeopore, Koonjpore, Mohespore, Telondee, and Brickobanupore, thence passing along the left bank of the Petooa Khall through the villages of Futtehpore, Godyepore, and Dhamkola, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Kritibaspore, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 24.

Narajole Embankment.

This is an embankment 7 miles 1,735 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye river in the village of Samat, Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the left bank of the Cossye River to the village of Mudunmohunpore, and thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the village of Ramdebpore, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Chandikhally, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 25.

Bindabunchuck Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry Pillar built in the ground in the village of Bindabunchuck, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and running along the *right* bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 26.

Dhangaria Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 2,520 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Dhangaria, Pergunnah Jehanabad, and running along the *left* bank of the Roopnarain River, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 27.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 7 miles 3,980 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Gourbazar of Pergunnah Sheregarh, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Toomnee Khall with the Adjai River in the village of Kejladee of Pergunnah Shanpaharee.

No. 28.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 4 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground near a masonry sluice near the junction of the Toomnee and Balpaharee Khalls in the village of Bistopore of Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Urjunboonee in the said pergunnah.

No. 29.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 11 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Satkonea, Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sagurposta of Pergunnah Gopeebhoom.

No. 30.

Left Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Adjai River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Singhee of Pergunnah Azmutshahi, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bamoonea in the said pergunnah.

No. 31.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 4,488 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sadipore of Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 32.

Left Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Damoodah River, 107 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry

pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sillia, Pergunnah Champanuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Allipore of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 33.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Lakea, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bergang in the said pergunnah.

No. 34.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 3,828 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bultampore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 35.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the villlage of Zangirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Srekistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 36.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 18 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Oozirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Delli Barsut of Pergunnah Barsut.

No. 37.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 29 miles 3,560 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Gyghattee Khall with the Damoodah River in the village of Gyghattee, Pergunnah Arsa, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Roopnarain and Hughli Rivers at the 32nd milepost on the Roopnarain left embankment in the village of Magrapathur of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 38.

Left Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Roopnarain, 31 miles 3,762 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and the Bakhsee Khall in the village of Bakhsee, Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Hughli and Roopnarain Rivers at the 32nd milepost of the Roopnarain embankment in the village of Magrapathur, Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 39.

This is a continuous line of embankment 41 miles and 155 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Khodalgobra, Pergunnah Birkul, and running generally parallel with the coast line of the Bay of Bengal, terminates at a masonry pillar on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal.

No. 40.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal, and running along the right bank of the Russulpore River as far as the Contai and Tumlook Road, and thence along the right bank of the Serpai River, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta.

No. 41.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Russulpore River, 2 miles 4,863 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Sanberia, Pergunnah Bahirimutta.

No. 42.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Serpai River as far as the village of Kessoorkunda on the Contai and Midnapore Road, and thence in a northerly direction to Chowmook on the Bagdah River, and thence along the right bank of the Balliaghye Khall to the east of the Dhoobda Jheel, terminates at a masonry pillar on the sand ridge in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi.

No. 43.

This is a continuous line of embankment 17½ miles, more or less, in length. It commences at the great sea dyke, east of the Peechabunnee sluice, on the left bank of the Peechabunnee Khall, and running along the said bank as far as the masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi, and thence along the right bank, terminates at the great sea dyke west of the Peechabunnee sluice.

No. 44.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Bagdah River, 3 miles 2,528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Astichuck, Pergunnah Paharpore.

No. 45.

This is a continuous line of embankment 95 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the left bank of the Iktiarpore Khall to its junction with the Madakhally River, thence running along the left bank of the Madakhally River to the Chowdachoolee Inspection Bungalow at the confluence of the Russulpore River and the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall, thence running along the left bank of the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall to its embouchure in the Bay of Bengal, thence running parallel to the coast line as far as the mouth of the River Huldee, thence following the right bank of this river as far as the junction of the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers, and lastly running along the right bank of the Kaliaghye River, terminates at a masonry pillar at the village of Nilkantapore, Pergunnah Jalamutta.

No. 46.

This is a continuous line of embankment 5 miles, more or less, in length on the right bank of the Kaliaghye River. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Kharan, Pergunnah Pataspore, and terminates at another masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 47.

This is a circuit embankment 34 miles 1,000 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground near the Barju Ghaut in the village of Barju, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the right bank of the Madakhally River, the left bank of the Bagdah River, and the right bank of the Chackbowani Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Barju, Simulbari, Dismila, Khamgara, Idalpore, Kalurathari, Lischintar, Ullalbara, Koniabar, Bhastagara, Khala Kalkadari, Sundarpore, Mallickpore, Ballabpore, Sukakhola, Udaypore, Gopalpore, Baro Adapore, Tamlapura, Chakbata, Calsai, Culbaria, Chakmathuri, Chakababani Bhayrabdari, South Chando, Manglepore, Dakhindara, Partabdigi, Bamanbasan, Sitadigi, Kistanuggur, Panesoori, Sardabar, Mathura, Chakrosal Khecura, Mangalchuck, Tonabila, Arjanuggur, Purulia, Mahesda, Khamgara, Malda, Barjee, and Pergunnahs Narnamutta, Kismat Pataspore, Kismat Danto, Kharaig, Partabjhan, Pataspore, and Bhatgar.

No. 48.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,541 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall in the village of Nurea, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and passing through the villages of Udbadal, Champainuggur, Conasdigi, Nathara, Khatmari, Etabaria, Naudigi, Manikjar, Hasgoria, Manikjor Basdebbaria, Fatarbara, Pergunnah Narnamutta, terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 49.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,525 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Iktiarpore Khall, Madakhally River, and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Iktiarpore Khall in the village of Rogonathchuk, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Madakhally River, left bank of the Udbadal Khall, and right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Udbadal, Patna, Dumurdari, Podutardi, South Biada, Ichhapore, Pauchgaria, Bhupatinuggur, Rogonathchuck, Nandichuck, Khorinet, Gobindapore, Jogomohunpore, Champainuggur, Kanjadapore, Udbadal, and the Pergunnahs of Narnamutta and Koaal.

No. 50.

This is a continuous line of embankment 3 miles 3,255 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at a pillar in the village of Radhapore, Pergunnah Erinch.

No. 51.

This is a circuit embankment 7 miles 2,735 feet, more or less, in length, between the Kaliaghye River and the Bagui Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Kaliaghye River with the Bagui Khall in the village of Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, and passing through the villages of Gocoolpore, Gholahat, Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 52.

This is a circuit embankment 20 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the south side of the junction of the Thalputti Khall with the Russulpore River in the village of Gumgar, Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee, and running along the left bank of the Russulpore River to its confluence with the sea, then following the coast line to the embouchure of the Thalputti Khall in the Bay of Bengal, and thence running along the south bank of the Thalputti Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Gorabar, Debichuck, Dandchuck, Katka, Sampore, Bagn, Padurbaria, Nenapata, Mohendranuggur, Kolagachia, Pauchbari, Osilchuck, Honabaria, Orukbaria, Salconda, Sahibchuck, Bamunchuck, Barabari, Phulbari and Mulichuck, all in the Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee.

No. 53.

This is a continuous line of embankment 60 miles 4,110 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye River in the village of Bargoda, Pergunnah Tumlook, and running along the left bank of the Cossye and Huldee Rivers to the confluence of the latter with the River Hooghly, and thence along the right bank

of the Hooghly and Roopnarain Rivers, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Banka, about one-fourth of a mile north of a Hindu temple, on the left bank of the Banka Khall.

No. 54.

This is a circuit embankment 12 miles 2,550 feet, more or less, in length, situated between the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the said rivers, and running along the left bank of the Kaliaghye River and the right bank of the Cossye River, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Purso, Nonakhari, Lachanpore, Narkuldi, Soonabhoy, Asnan, Chaundibarya, Machodal, Kholakhally, Kalkadari, Pauchpukhiria, Kistochuck, and Salugaria, all in the Pergunnah Tumlook.

No. 55.

Rampore Beauleah old Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 17,700 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kasubpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar to be fixed at the village Talliamuree, Pergunnah Laskarpore.

No. 56.

Rampore Beauleah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 8,130 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Bolanpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kudulkuttee, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, where it joins the road to Dinagepore.

No. 57.

Maldah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Mahanuddy River, 11,519 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kootubpore, Pergunnah Ameerabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Moheshpore, Pergunnah Vatra.

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No. 58.

Left Embankment on the River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the River Hooghly, 5 miles 4,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at Munneekhallee Khall at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Juggonnathnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of the Hooghly River and Churrial Khall.

No. 59.

Right bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Churrial Khall, 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of Hooghly River and Churrial Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ghurbanmonea, on the north bank of Churrial Khall near the junction of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road.

No. 60.

Left bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Churrial Khall, 3,280 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore near the junction of left bank of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village of Joychundeepore near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall.

No. 61.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 19 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore, near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall, and continues along the left bank of Hooghly River to Poojallee Khall, on both sides of Poojallee Khall, between the River Hooghly and the road leading from Calcutta to Atcheepore, and again down the left bank of the River Hooghly to the right bank of Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 62.

Right bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta, on the north side of the khall near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Fulta Khall in the village of Soharah.

No. 63.

Left bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,360 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Fulta Khall, in the village of Bosoodeapore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 64.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 11 miles 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemool-

gunge, on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River.

No. 65.

Right bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 3,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemulgunge on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the khall in the village of Durree Govindpore.

No. 66.

Left bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 4,800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, in the village of Jungalparah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Ramchundernuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall.

No. 67.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 3 miles 2,260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Ramchunderpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 68.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 7 miles 3,100 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek in the village of Dearnah.

No. 69.

Left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 6 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Dearnah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 70.

Left bank of the Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 71.

Right bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Janikeemaree.

No. 72.

Left bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Gourypore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 73.

Left bank of River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore.

No. 74.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 8 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore, and terminates at a masonry pillar near the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore.

No. 75.

Right bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah.

No. 76.

Left bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, 9 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee.

No. 77.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 26 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant.

No. 78.

Right Bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 602 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, near a drainage sluice

No. 79.

Left bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 2,040 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Kamaratha.

No. 80.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 19 miles, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Kharee Khall, in the village of Kamaratha, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee.

No. 81.

Right bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Pealee River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee.

No. 82.

Right bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Soorjipore, or Puschunbahum Khall, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee, and terminates at Puschunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah.

No. 83.

Left bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Soorjipore or Puschunbahum Khall, 4 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a Puchunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall, in the village of Ramnuggur.

No. 84.

Right bank of the Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left side of Pealee River, 9 miles 2,160 feet, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall in the village of Ramnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Saungur, near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 85.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 3 miles 3,960 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River in Soonderbun lot, No. 45, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Baugmaree Khall, in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River with Baugmaree Khall.

No. 86.

Left bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Baugmaree Khall, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River and Baugmaree Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Ath Ramdhur.

No. 87.

Right bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right side of Baugmaree Khall, 1 mile 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Koolauree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe.

No. 88.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Pealee River, 4 miles 2,460 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Povan, about a quarter of a mile north of the Calcutta and South-Eastern Railway.

No. 89.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Shrikishenpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 90.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 8 miles, more or less,

in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Balleahpore, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the same river near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 91.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 2 miles 3,120 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar near the junction of the Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers, in the village of Saungur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near its junction with Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur.

No. 92.

South side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous embankment on south side of Tolly's Canal, 10 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, near the junction of Biddiadhuree River and Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the south side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Kurramabad.

No. 93.

North side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the north side of Tolly's Canal, 2 miles 4,020 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the north side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Newabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the jungle in the village of Tehooraha.

No. 94.

Bhagiruttee Embankments.

This is a line of disconnected embankment on the left bank of the Bhagiruttee River, extending from Plassey Bazar, Pergunnah Plassey, District Nuddea, to Dadmootee, Pergunnah Rokunpore, district Moorshedabad, a distance of about 93 miles.

No. 95.

Katcheekuta Embankment.

This is a continuous line of embankment about 4,000 feet in length on the right bank of the Matabbanga River. It commences in the village of Luckimpore, Pergunnah Bajpore, District Nuddea, and terminates at the bottom of the new cut opposite the village of Radhakantpore, in the same pergunnah and district.

SCHEDULE E.—*(Referred to in sections 36 and 44.)*

Pergunnah.	District.	Amount of contribution.
		Rs. A. P.
Futtehsingh ...	Moorshedabad ...	1,706 10 8
Rokunpore ...	Ditto ...	1,466 2 0

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[Eighth Publication.]

THE following Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein, together with the Bill as amended by the Committee, is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee appointed to consider the Bill "to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," have the honor to make the following report :—

From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 7th March 1873.
From Offg. Secretary, Landholders' Association, dated 6th March 1873.
From Secretary, India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited, dated 17th March 1873.
From the Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 11th March 1873.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 11th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
From Superintendent, Labor Transport, Goalundo, dated 13th March 1873.
From Medical Inspector of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th March 1873.
Remarks and suggestions of the Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta.
From Offg. Magistrate of Sylhet, dated 20th March 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Seebsaugor, dated 21st March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 24th March 1873.
From Offg. Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 31st March 1873.
Superintendant of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 3rd April 1873.
From Under-Secretary, Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Revenue, and Commerce, dated 19th April 1873.
Notes by the Agent to the Governor-General, North-East Frontier, and Commissioner of Assam.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 9th June 1873, and enclosures.
Petition of certain contractors under Act II of 1870.
From Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 19th July 1873.

We have received and considered the papers noted in the margin.

We have made numerous alterations in the draft of the Bill, restoring in many cases the language of Act II of 1870, for instance, in Sections 11, 14, 35, 38, 62, 73, 84, 94, 97, 99, 109, 111, 116, 117, 122, and 125. We have altered the definition of "emigrant" and of "magistrate," and in reference to the latter we have specified in Section 93 the sections under which a Subordinate Magistrate may be deputed to act.

We have omitted the provisions relating to evidence in Sections 28, 62, 63, 66, 106, and 133, and the references to the Penal Code in Sections 13, 103, 108, and 132. We have omitted Section 12, the Council of India having brought in a Bill to deal with the subject of it. We have also omitted the definition of "servant" from Section 3; Clauses 4, 15, and 16, from Section 5; and the following sections or parts of sections :—Sections 26, 34 (last part), 42, 65, 67, 83 (last part), 97, 109 (last part), 112, 116 (last sentence), 122 (proviso), 124 (last sentence), and 140.*

We have not required that a garden-sirdar should pay a fee for having his certificate countersigned under Section 19, or that a recruiter should pay a fee to the medical officer for a certificate under Section 45. We have slightly altered the constitution of the Labor Transport Fund to meet the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code, Section 308.

We have given power to a Magistrate to advance any sum which a garden-sirdar may be ordered to pay to an emigrant under Section 31, and to recover the amount from the employer with interest; and we have provided that interest shall be recoverable on sums advanced by a Magistrate under Sections 79, 80, 81, and 86.

We have reduced the amount of fine which may be imposed under Sections 66, 67, 72, 75, 77, and 94. We have given power to the Lieutenant-Governor to affix penalties to the breach of rules framed by him under Section 5, and we have provided that the penalties (if any) shall be published with the rules.

We have required (in Sections 22, 46) that the garden-sirdar or recruiter, as the case may be, shall produce his certificate or license when he appears with a recruit before a

* In this paragraph the numbers of the sections refer to the Bill as preliminarily amended by the Select Committee. Elsewhere the numbers refer to the sections of the Bill as re-amended.

Magistrate for registration. We have struck out the provision that a recruiter shall wear a badge. We have given the same power of cancelling the license or certificate of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar under Sections 21, 36, and 41. We have substituted the word "rice" for "food" in Sections 5 (clause 13), 17, 23, 46, and 114.

We have slightly modified Sections 67, 119, 120, and 135.

We have annexed as Schedules to the Act forms of a garden-sirdar's certificate of a contract between emigrant and employer, and of a certificate of release on determination of contract. We have omitted Schedule D.

We have also made many verbal alterations.

G. C. PAUL.
V. H. SCHALCH.
H. L. DAMPIER.
C. E. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

The 25*th August* 1873.

As I am going to England for three or four months, I shall be unable to sign the final report of the Select Committee, but having attended nearly all meetings up to this date, I wish to record my general assent to the Bill with the alterations and amendments agreed to by the Select Committee so far as they have at present been considered, viz. to Section 99.

25*th June* 1873. B. D. COLVIN.

I agree to the report, but think that the objections raised to the Sections 105, 108 109, and 111 in Act II of 1870 (being part of the Bill, Sections 125, 126, 127, and 128,) still hold good.

T. M. ROBINSON.

RE-AMENDED BILL.

A Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law regulating the emigration of native inhabitants of India from or through the provinces subject to the Government of Bengal to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and the manner of engaging and contracting with native inhabitants of the said provinces to proceed to the said districts, and providing for the protection of the persons so proceeding, and for the enforcement of the contracts of service entered into by them; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Chapter 1.—Application and Miscellaneous.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Labor Districts Emigration Act."

Repeal of Act II of 1870.

2. Bengal Act II of 1870 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to the transport of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and their employment therein*) is hereby repealed. All contracts entered into, appointments made, and licenses granted, under the said Act, or any of the Acts thereby repealed, shall be deemed to have been respectively entered into, made, and granted under this Act.

Interpretation clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

India.

"India" means the territories for the time being vested in Her Majesty by the Statute 21 and 22 Vic., cap. 106, entitled "*An Act for the better government of India*," other than the settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore, and Malacca.

Labor Districts.

"The Labor Districts" means the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and "a labor district" means one of those districts.

Magistrate.

"Magistrate" includes a magistrate of a district or of a division of a district, and any magistrate of the first and second class, and any magistrate of police for the town of Calcutta.

Employer.

"Employer" means the chief person for the time being in charge of any lands upon which laborers may be employed.

Emigrant.

"Emigrant" means any native of India above the age of sixteen years who has engaged with any garden-sirdar or recruiter to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and has been registered as hereinafter provided.

Laborer.

"Laborer" means any emigrant who has been conveyed to a labor district in accordance with a contract made under the provisions of Bengal Act III of 1863, Bengal Act VI of 1865, Bengal Act II of 1870, or this Act, during the duration of such contract.

Vessel.

"Vessel" includes a steamer, a flat, a boat, and anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property.

Master.

"Master" means the person for the time being in charge of a vessel.

Provisions regarding emigration not to apply to domestic servants, or to persons proceeding alone.

4. The provisions of part II of this Act regarding emigration shall not apply to domestic servants, or to any person proceeding alone, or accompanied by his family only, or to any persons not exceeding twenty in number proceeding to a labor district to labor for hire, without the intervention, direct or indirect, of any person employed to induce natives of India to emigrate to a labor district. In computing the number of persons two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

Power of the Lieutenant-Governor to make rules.

5. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act, and from time to time alter, vary, and revoke such rules:—

(1)—To regulate the subordination of the several officers of emigration to the superintendent.

(2)—To prescribe the periodical returns and reports to be made by the emigration officers, by magistrates, and by the inspectors of laborers.

(3)—To prescribe the amount of the several fees to be paid under the provisions of this Act.

(4)—To provide for the management and regulation of contractors' depôts and of hospital depôts.

(5)—To provide for the medical care of emigrants during their residence at the depôts, and during transport to a labor district.

(6)—To prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be carried on vessels taking emigrants.

(7)—To prescribe the clothing to be supplied to emigrants while proceeding to a labor district.

(8)—To prescribe the description, quantity, and quality of provisions to be taken by vessels carrying emigrants, and the daily allowance to be issued to each emigrant during the journey.

(9)—To provide for the ventilation and cleanliness of vessels during the journey, to prescribe the number of officers, cooks, and other servants, and to provide for their control; and to provide generally for the accommodation of emigrants.

(10)—To provide for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of all emigrants detained at any place by order of a magistrate on account of sickness.

(11)—To provide for the periodical inspection of laborers, and the books to be kept by inspectors of laborers.

(12)—To provide for the house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and supply of rice to be provided by employers for their laborers.

(13)—To provide for the hospital accommodation and medical care of laborers, and to prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be provided for them.

The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time fix penalties not inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act for infringements of any such rules, which may be enforced and recovered as other penalties under this Act on conviction by a magistrate: Provided that no penalty shall exceed five hundred rupees.

All such rules, with the penalties (if any) for their infringement, shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall be separately printed and sold to the public at 4 annas for each copy.

Contract made with emigrant is a charge upon the land;

6. Every contract made with an emigrant, and all arrears of wages due under any such contract, and all fines imposed on any employer under the provisions of this Act, shall be a charge upon the lands upon which such laborer has been engaged to work.

and is transferred with the land.

The owner of such lands for the time being shall have all rights and remedies against such laborer, as if such owner had been originally the party executing such contract as employer.

Determination of ownership determines liability.

No person, after he has ceased to be the owner of such lands, nor his property nor effects, shall be in anywise liable or responsible for any breach of such contract which may have occurred after he has ceased to be such owner.

Any person above the age of 16 years may contract.

7. Any engagement or contract made under the provisions of this Act by a native of India, who is above the age of sixteen years, shall be held valid.

Procedure on trial of offences created by Act.

8. All offences against this Act committed without the town of Calcutta shall be inquired into and tried according to the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and all offences against this Act committed within the said town shall be inquired into and tried by a police magistrate of the said town according to the provisions of the laws regulating the investigation and trial of offences within the said town, which shall be for the time being in force.

Penalty for any offence not especially provided for.

9. For every offence against the provisions of this Act, for which no special penalty or amount of fine is prescribed, the offender shall on conviction by a Magistrate be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees. Wherever in this Act no special term of imprisonment is appointed in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall be liable to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding one month.

PART II.—EMIGRATION.

Chapter 2.—Restrictions and Appointment of Officers.

Power to prevent emigration of laborers.

10. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in case he shall be of opinion that the emigration of natives of India from any district, or to any particular part of any labor district, for the purpose of becoming laborers, is likely to be attended with danger to the health of any native so emigrating or others, or if the Lieutenant-Governor has reason to believe that a political disturbance is likely to occur in any labor district, to prohibit, by an order under his hand, the emigration of such natives from such district, or to such labor district or particular part thereof, and from time to time to revoke or vary any such order; and every such order or variation or revocation thereof shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Penalty on engaging natives contrary to such order.

11. Any person who shall knowingly engage native so to emigrate while any such emigration shall be prohibited under the provisions of the last preceding section, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees for every native who may have been so engaged.

Appointment of superintendent of emigration, embarkation agents, and medical inspectors.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a proper person to be the superintendent of emigration at Calcutta, and may also appoint proper persons to be embarkation agents and medical inspectors of emigrants at any places where he may think proper, and define by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* the local limits within which each such officer shall exercise the powers and authority conferred upon him by this Act. He may at any time suspend or remove any such officer.

Employer may recruit by garden-sirdar.

13. It shall be lawful for any employer to engage, by the agency of a garden-sirdar, or by the agency of a contractor, natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire upon lands of which such employer is in charge.

Superintendent may license contractors and recruiters.

14. It shall be lawful for the superintendent of emigration to grant to such persons as he may think fit licenses to act as contractors for engaging and supplying persons for the purpose of laboring for hire in the labor districts, or to act in behalf of some contractor as recruiters for engaging persons to proceed to the said districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire.

Natives of India shall not be engaged to proceed to the labor districts, or be conveyed there, save under this Act.

15. From and after the commencement of this Act, whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, engage any native of India in any of the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to proceed to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire; and whoever shall, otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, convey any such native through any of the said provinces to any or either of the labor districts for the purpose of laboring there for hire, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every person so engaged or conveyed.

Penalty.

No person not licensed as a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, may engage or contract to supply laborers.

16. Whoever, not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall otherwise than through or by the agency of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar engage any native of India to proceed to any of the labor-

districts for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, and whoever, not being a contractor, shall enter into any contract to supply, or shall supply, or shall transfer or make over whether to a recruiter or any other person, any such native for the purpose of laboring for hire in any of the labor districts; and whoever not being a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, shall enter into any contract to engage, or shall attempt to engage, any such native to proceed to any of the labor-districts for the purpose aforesaid; and whoever shall employ or appoint any person other than a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, to engage any such native, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished for each offence with fine or imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding three months.

Penalty.

17. It shall not be lawful for any emigrant to be conveyed to any labor district, unless and until he shall have entered into a duly registered contract with some person to serve such person there for a fixed period, which shall in no case exceed the term of three years from the date of his arrival on the estate of his employer in the said labor district. Every such contract shall be in the form in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act, and shall be reduced to writing, and shall specify the monthly amount of wages in money, the period of service, the name of the district in which the service is to be performed, and the price at which rice is to be supplied to the laborer.

Emigrant not to be conveyed to or towards a labor district until contract is executed.

Form and particulars of contract.

Chapter 3.—Garden-sirdar.

18. Every garden-sirdar, authorized by an employer under the provisions of section 13 to engage natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, shall, before proceeding to engage any such native, personally present to the magistrate of the district, or division of the district, within which is situate the estate of the employer, a certificate signed by such employer, in which shall be stated the name and description of such garden-sirdar, the name and description of the lands for the purpose of laboring upon which he is about to engage such natives, the district (or the town of Calcutta, as the case may be) in which he is about to engage them, the number which he is authorized to engage, and, if the number exceeds twenty, the name of the contractor to whose depôt they shall be conveyed. The certificate shall be in the form set forth in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act.

Garden-sirdar to obtain certificate from employer, and to present it to magistrate.

19. Such magistrate shall inquire into the facts stated in such certificate, and, upon being satisfied that the same are true, shall, unless it appears to him that the person so presenting such certificate is unfit to be employed for the purpose of engaging natives to proceed to a labor district to labor therein for hire, countersign and date such certificate; and every such certificate shall be in force for six months from the date last mentioned, and no longer.

Magistrate after inquiry to countersign it.

20. If, under his certificate from his employer, any garden-sirdar is authorized to engage more than twenty natives of India, he shall be in all respects, save as regards his certificate, subject to the provisions of this Act which relate to recruiters. The following rules of this chapter shall apply to every garden-sirdar who is not authorized to engage more than twenty such natives.

Garden-sirdar authorized to engage more than twenty natives to be subject to provisions relating to a recruiter.

Garden-sirdar who is not a Recruiter.

21. A garden-sirdar shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant, until his certificate has been countersigned by the magistrate of such district or of such division of the district; or in Calcutta, until his certificate has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta.

Has no authority until certificate is countersigned by magistrate.

It shall be lawful for such magistrate, in case of misconduct or disobedience to or neglect of any of the provisions of this Act by a garden-sirdar, to cancel the certificate of such garden-sirdar.

Magistrate may cancel certificate.

22. Every native of India, who enters into an engagement with a garden-sirdar to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall appear with the garden-sirdar before the magistrate of the district or of the division of the district within which the engagement was made, or through which he shall first pass on the road to his destination. The garden-sirdar shall at the same time produce his certificate to the Magistrate.

Every native to appear before magistrate before removal from district.

23. On the appearance of such native the magistrate shall examine him with reference to his engagement; and, if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register, in a book to be kept for the purpose, the following particulars, viz.—

Magistrate to examine native, and if the examination is satisfactory, to register particulars;

(1)—The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2)—The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3)—The labor district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(4)—The period of service;

(5)—The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

Provided that the magistrate may, if he thinks fit, require such native to appear before such medical officer as he may direct, and may refuse to register such native, unless the medical officer certifies in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor district.

but may require medical certificate.

Magistrate may refuse to register.

[illegible] and understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the garden-sirdar shall not have produced his certificate, he shall refuse to register such native.

Fee to be paid for registration.

25. For the registration of every such native the garden-sirdar shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Contract to be executed in duplicate and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by the magistrate;

26. When such registration has been made, the emigrant shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract. Such contract shall, in the presence of the magistrate, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the magistrate for the purpose; and after such abstract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant and the other to the garden-sirdar.

and copy to be sent to superintendent and magistrate.

The magistrate shall forward a certified copy of every such abstract so entered as aforesaid to the superintendent of emigration, by whom it shall be forwarded, after entry in his own register, to the magistrate of the district within which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

27. The provisions of the six last preceding sections shall be applicable to natives of India engaged by a garden-sirdar within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall appear for registration and execution of contract before the superintendent of emigration.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

28. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any garden-sirdar from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract to proceed to the labor districts to labor therein for hire, shall be presented by the garden-sirdar for registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the said Lieutenant-Governor into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Garden-sirdar must personally accompany emigrants.

29. The garden-sirdar shall personally accompany natives of India engaged by him throughout their journey from the place in which the engagement was made to the place in which they are to be employed.

Garden-sirdar cannot proceed with more than twenty emigrants in one batch.

30. It shall not be lawful for two or more garden-sirdars to proceed together towards a labor-district accompanied by emigrants, if the total number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, or unless the permission of the superintendent of emigration or embarkation agent shall have been first obtained.

Garden-sirdar must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

If such not provided, or if emigrant unfit, magistrate may award compensation, or cancel contract.

31. Every garden-sirdar, by whom any emigrant is accompanied, shall provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging throughout such journey. If it shall appear to any magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant, at any place on the journey that he has suffered any ill-treatment during the journey or that the garden-sirdar has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging; or if it be found on examination by a medical officer appointed by a magistrate for such purpose, that any such emigrant is not in a fit state of health to proceed to or to labor in a labor-district; such magistrate may order the garden sirdar to pay to such emigrant a sum of money by way of compensation, or may cancel the contract and order the garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged.

Recovery of fines ordered to be paid by Magistrate.

32. If any garden-sirder, who may be ordered under the provisions of the last preceding section to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the emigrant named in such order, and to recover from his employer the sum so advanced with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Agent in Calcutta may procure order from superintendent of emigration cancelling the contract on payment of expense of return.

33. On the arrival in Calcutta of any emigrant whose contract has been executed by a garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer, any person empowered to act as the agent or representative of such employer may require the emigrant to appear before the superintendent of emigration for the purpose of cancelling the contract. The superintendent of emigration shall, on the appearance of such emigrant, declare that the contract is cancelled, if a sum of money sufficient for his support during his return to the place at which he was engaged, be paid to him before himself, and not otherwise, and shall make an endorsement to that effect on the contract, and shall attest it with his signature. Provided that the contract of any husband or wife or parent or child of such emigrant, who may have executed a contract at the same time with the same employer, shall be cancelled at the request of such person, and in such case an equal sum of money shall be paid to such person.

Not to embark emigrants on any vessel containing more than twenty persons without a pass from the embarkation agent.

34. It shall not be lawful for a garden-sirdar to embark any emigrants on board a vessel for conveyance to or towards a labor district, if the total number of persons to be carried by such vessel, exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying the emigrants, exceeds twenty, unless such emigrants are furnished with a pass by the embarkation agent in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act.

Pass not to be granted, unless medical inspector is satisfied in regard to health.

The embarkation agent shall not grant any such pass without a certificate from the medical inspector that such emigrants may be allowed to embark without danger to the health of other persons on board the vessel.

Must report arrival in labor district.

35. As soon as possible after the arrival of the garden-sirdar with emigrants at the place of disembarkation, or at the nearest civil station in the district within which the emigrant has engaged to labor, the garden-sirdar shall report himself to the magistrate of the district or division of the district or to any subordinate magistrate whom the magistrate may depute for that purpose, and such magistrate shall check the number of emigrants landed with the number of those registered, and shall report to the superintendent of emigration any deaths which may have occurred on the journey. Any garden-sirdar who neglects to report himself as aforesaid shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Chapter 4.—Contractor.

Form of license.

36. The license granted to a contractor under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in the schedule (C) annexed to this Act.

Fee.

For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding one hundred rupees.

Period.

Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a contractor, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

To give information to superintendent.

37. It shall be the duty of every contractor to afford such information to the superintendent of emigration, and to make such returns and reports to him as the superintendent, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may from time to time require.

To establish and maintain depôts.

38. Every contractor shall forthwith, upon obtaining his license, establish a depôt in a place to be approved of by the superintendent of emigration. Every such depôt shall be maintained by such contractor for the reception of natives of India to be supplied or forwarded by or through him. All such natives shall on their arrival at or in the neighbourhood of the depôt so established by the contractor, by, through, to, or for whom they were engaged or forwarded, be forthwith received therein; and shall receive in such depôt, at the expense of such contractor, suitable lodging, food, clothing, and medical attendance, until such native shall be declared by the superintendent to be no longer thereto entitled. Every such depôt as aforesaid shall be under the supervision of the superintendent, and shall be open to his inspection and the inspection of the medical inspector at all times.

May act as recruiter.

39. A contractor may without other license act as a recruiter, and shall in such case be subject to all the provisions hereinafter contained with regard to recruiters.

Establishment of hospital depôt.

40. In addition to the depôts for the reception of emigrants which the contractors are required to establish and maintain, the Lieutenant-Governor may at any time direct that a separate depôt shall be established and maintained at any place for the reception of emigrants who are affected with cholera or other contagious disease.

Contractor to contribute to expense.

Whenever such hospital depôt is established, every contractor may be required to contribute to the expense of establishing and maintaining it in such proportion as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct.

Under charge of medical inspector.

Such hospital depôt shall be under the charge of the medical inspector, who shall be competent at any time to direct the transfer thereto of any emigrants on or after their arrival at any depôt.

Chapter 5.—Recruiter.

Form of license.

41. The license granted to a recruiter under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in schedule (D) annexed to this Act.

Fee.

For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding sixteen rupees.

Period.

Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a recruiter, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Recruiter must hold a pass.

42. Every recruiter shall hold a written pass signed by the contractor on whose behalf he is licensed to act.

No authority till license is countersigned by magistrate of recruiting district.

43. A recruiter shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant until his license has been countersigned by the magistrate of the district, or of the division of the district, or in Calcutta, until his license has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta; and such magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police shall, unless it appears to him that the person to whom a license has been granted is unfit to be employed as a recruiter, countersign such license.

Magistrate may withdraw license and suspend recruiting.

The magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police may at any time for any sufficient reason withdraw such license, provided that in any such case he shall record his reasons in writing, and shall forward a copy thereof without delay to the superintendent of emigration.

Recruiter to provide accommodation for natives before license is countersigned.

44. The magistrate or the commissioner or deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta, to whom any recruiter's license shall have been exhibited for countersignature, shall not countersign the same until he shall be satisfied that sufficient accommodation

has been provided and is available for such natives of India as may be engaged by such recruiter pending their removal to a depôt.

Magistrate charged with superintendence of accommodation.

The magistrate of the district, or division of the district, in which there may be any such accommodation provided, shall have, for the supervision, management, and regulation of such accommodation, all such and the same powers and authorities as are vested in the superintendent of emigration for the supervision, management, and regulation of depôts which are subject to the powers and authority of the superintendent.

Native to be taken for examination to medical officer, who may reject.

45. Every native of India who shall, in any place or town within the said provinces, enter into any engagement with any recruiter to proceed to a labor district, for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall be brought by such recruiter before such medical officer as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time appoint to examine such natives within such place or town; or, if no such officer has been appointed, before such medical officer as the magistrate may direct. The medical officer shall thereupon examine the native brought by the recruiter, and shall reject him or shall certify in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and work for hire in a labor district.

If certified to be fit, native to be taken to magistrate.

46. Every such native who is certified by the medical officer, as required in the last preceding section, to be fit to emigrate to a labor district, shall thereupon appear with the recruiter before the magistrate of the district or division of the district within which the place or town where the engagement was entered into is situate. The recruiter shall at the same time produce his license to the magistrate.

Magistrate to examine native respecting the engagement.

On the appearance of such native the magistrate, after inspecting the medical certificate, shall examine him with reference to his engagement, and if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register in a book to be kept for the purpose—

If satisfied, magistrate will register certain particulars.

(1.) The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2.) The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3.) The contractor's depôt to which it is intended that he shall proceed;

(4.) The labor district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(5.) The period of service;

(6.) The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

If dissatisfied, will reject.

If the magistrate thinks that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the recruiter shall not have produced his license, he shall refuse to register such native.

Copy of registration to be given to emigrant.

47. A certified copy of his registration, written on substantial paper, shall be furnished by the magistrate to each emigrant.

Copy of registration and medical certificate to be sent to superintendent.

48. A certified copy of every such registration and the original certificate of the medical officer shall be forthwith forwarded by the magistrate to the superintendent of emigration.

Fee for registration.

49. For the registration of every such native the recruiter shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

50. The provisions of the five preceding sections shall be applicable to all natives of India engaged by recruiters within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall be brought for registration before the superintendent of emigration therein.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

51. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any recruiter from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract in a district under such control, shall be presented by the recruiter for medical examination and registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Penalty for forwarding natives without registration.

52. Every recruiter, who forwards or accompanies any native of India from the district or division of the district within which the place or town where he has been recruited is situate, or into which, under the last preceding section, he has first come, or who induces any such native to leave such district or division of district for the purpose of proceeding to a labor district, without being duly registered as above required; or who forwards, accompanies, or induces any such native to proceed to any depôt other than the depôt registered under section 38, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished in respect of every such native so forwarded, accompanied, or induced, with a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to one month.

Recruiter must accompany emigrants to depôt, or depute person approved by magistrate.

53. All emigrants proceeding to a depôt shall be accompanied throughout the journey by the recruiter himself, or by a competent person appointed by him with the approval of the magistrate, by whom such emigrants have been registered. The magistrate shall give to the person so appointed a certificate under his signature stating that he has been appointed for the journey to the depôt.

Recruiter must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

54. Every recruiter, by whom any emigrant is forwarded or accompanied to a depôt, shall, throughout the journey, provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging. If it shall appear to a

magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant at any place on the journey, that the recruiter has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging at such place, such recruiter shall, on conviction by such magistrate, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees. The whole or any portion of such fine may be awarded to such emigrant as compensation. If the fine be not paid within twenty-four hours, the recruiter shall be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to one month.

Chapter 6.—Depôt.

Contractor to report arrival of emigrants.

55. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival at any depôt of any emigrant, the contractor by whom such depôt is maintained shall give to the superintendent of emigration a notice in writing of such arrival, which notice shall be in such form and shall contain such particulars as the superintendent shall prescribe.

Emigrants to be inspected by medical inspector immediately on arrival.

56. The copy of the registration and the medical certificate of every emigrant received by the superintendent as provided in section 48 shall be shown to the medical inspector; and all emigrants shall be inspected by the medical inspector at the depôt. If he be satisfied that an emigrant is in a fit state of health, and able in point of physical condition to journey to and labor in a labor district, he shall countersign the copy of the registration; if he be not satisfied thereof, he shall give a certificate to that effect to the superintendent.

Medical inspector to examine emigrant if medical certificate not given.

The medical inspector shall examine any emigrant in regard to whom a medical certificate is not forthcoming, and shall certify whether such emigrant is in his opinion in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor district; and if satisfied of his fitness, he shall countersign the copy of the registration.

Emigrant rejected by medical inspector to be sent back.

57. If the medical inspector shall cerify that any emigrant so examined is in such a state of health that his journey to a labor district would be dangerous to himself or to others, or that he is unfit for labor in a labor district, the superintendent may order the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, if such emigrant has been forwarded or brought to the depôt by a garden-sirdar, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged. Provided that any such person, who from his state of health is, in the opinion of the medical inspector, unfit to undertake the journey back to the place where he was engaged, shall, until he is reported by the medical inspector fit to undertake such journey, be fed, clothed, lodged, and medically attended at the expense of such contractor, or of such garden-sirdar, as the case may be. If such contractor or garden-sirdar negligently or wilfully omits to provide food, clothing, lodging and medical attendance for such person, the superintendent may order such contractor or garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

58. Whenever an emigrant remains behind or is detained under the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so remaining behind or detained. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain behind with the father or mother.

Emigrant ill-treated during journey may obtain compensation.

59. If upon the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, it shall appear to the superintendent of emigration on the complaint of such emigrant, that he has suffered any ill-treatment on the journey, or that the recruiter or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging, the superintendent may cause him to be removed from the depôt, and may order the contractor or garden-sirdar, for or by whom he shall have been taken to such depôt, to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation, or sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged, and in such latter case he shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Contract to be explained by superintendent and executed in duplicate, and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by superintendent.

60. Every emigrant, who is passed by the medical inspector as in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and labor in a labor district, shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract before he is forwarded from the depôt. Such contract shall, in the presence of the superintendent of emigration, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the employer with whom he intends to contract or his agent. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. Before the emigrant signs the contract, the superintendent shall personally explain it to him, and shall attest such contract and certify at the foot thereof that he has personally explained the same. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the superintendent for the purpose, and after such contract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant, and the other to the person with whom he has contracted or his agent.

The superintendent shall, within seven days after the entry of such abstract, send by post a certified copy of every such abstract to the magistrate of the district in which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Penalty on emigrant refusing to execute contract.

61. Any emigrant who, without reasonable cause, refuses to execute such contract in conformity with the engagement previously registered shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punished with a fine equal in amount to the entire cost incurred by, or on behalf of, the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, in engaging, registering, and bringing or forwarding him to the depôt, and shall forthwith be discharged from such depôt. Every fine levied under the provisions of this section shall be paid to the

contractor or garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom the person from whom such fine shall have been levied was originally registered.

Penalty on contractor failing to provide contract.

62. If within thirty days after the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, the contractor or, if he has been engaged by a garden-sirdar, the garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom such emigrant has been registered, shall not tender to him for execution such contract as under the provisions of the preceding sections he would be bound to execute, the superintendent may order the contractor or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place where he was engaged, and in such case such emigrant shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Money ordered to be paid by superintendent may be advanced by him and recovered.

63. If any contractor or garden-sirdar who may be ordered, under the provisions of sections 57, 59, and 62, to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the superintendent to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the person named in such order, and to recover from such contractor or garden-sirdar or his employer the sum so advanced, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Chapter 7.—Transport.

Transport rules when applicable.

64. The provisions of this chapter excepting sections 70, 79, 80, 81, 82, and so much of section 97 as refers to sections 29, 31, 32, and 33, shall not apply to the transport of emigrants recruited by a garden-sirdar when the number of such emigrants does not exceed twenty, unless they have embarked under a pass from the embarkation agent in accordance with the provisions of section 34.

Emigrant to be forwarded to labor district with permission of superintendent.

65. When the contract of any emigrant has been duly executed, he may, with the permission of the superintendent of emigration, be forwarded to the labor district in which he has engaged to labor by the contractor in whose depôt he is residing, or by the employer with whom he has made the contract or his agent. Every such emigrant shall be furnished with a pass in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act, signed by the contractor or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and countersigned by the superintendent of emigration and by the embarkation agent at the place at which the laborer embarks, specifying his name and age, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer. Every such pass shall be entered in a book to be kept by the embarkation agent, and shall be dated and numbered in a consecutive series.

To be furnished with a pass.

Vessel must be licensed to carry emigrants.

66. It shall not be lawful for the master of any vessel, without a license granted by the embarkation agent within the local limits of whose authority any emigrant may embark, to convey more than twenty emigrants at any one time to or towards any labor district; provided always that the number of persons (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) carried by any vessel shall not exceed twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34.

Fee for license.

A fee not exceeding four annas for every emigrant shall be paid for every such license, and it shall be in the discretion of the embarkation agent to whom application is made to grant or withhold any such license. Such license shall be in force for only one voyage to one or more of the labor districts, and shall specify the number of emigrants which the vessel is licensed to carry and the number of persons (including the crew) other than emigrants whom such vessel is licensed to carry.

Penalty for carrying without license.

The master of any vessel, in which at one time more than twenty emigrants are conveyed without a license having been obtained as aforesaid, or in which the number of persons on board (exclusive of the crew and of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for delay in despatching vessel.

67. Such license shall state the date on which the vessel shall leave the place at which the emigrants are to embark. If the vessel does not leave such place and proceed on its voyage within 24 hours of the day fixed, the master thereof shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each day during which the vessel remains at or within five miles of the place of embarkation. Provided that such penalty shall not be incurred if the delay is caused by or with the sanction of the embarkation agent or by any casualty incidental to or attending navigation, or is due to other reasonable and sufficient cause.

Fraudulent alteration of vessel after grant of certificate.

68. If the master of any vessel, after having obtained a license as aforesaid, fraudulently does or suffers to be done any act or thing whereby the state of the vessel is altered, so that such vessel is unfit for the accommodation of the number of emigrants mentioned in such license, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for receiving on board more passengers than number specified in license.

69. The master of any vessel licensed to carry emigrants, who receives on board his vessel a greater number of emigrants or other persons than the number specified in his license shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every emigrant or other person so received in excess of the licensed number.

Two children under ten to be counted as one person.

70. In computing under this Act the number of persons on board of any vessel, two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

No emigrant to be received on board without pass.

71. The master of any vessel, whether licensed or not, shall not take on board any emigrant, if the number of such emigrants exceeds twenty, unless such emigrant, or some person accompanying him, shall show the pass prescribed by section 65 countersigned by the embarkation agent; or if the

number of persons to be carried by such vessel (exclusive of the crew or of any garden-sirdar accompanying emigrants) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass under the provisions of section 34. The master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine not exceeding ten rupees for every emigrant illegally taken on board.

Embarkation agent to furnish the master with a list of emigrants on board.

72. The master of a licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall not proceed on the voyage towards a labor district until he has received from the embarkation agent a list of all the emigrants on board.

List what to contain.

Such list shall contain all the particulars noted in the pass of each such emigrant; but if all the emigrants whose names are entered in any one pass embark on board the same vessel, it shall be sufficient if the number and date of such pass are noted in the list.

To be compared with emigrants by agent and master.

The embarkation agent and the master of the vessel shall together personally ascertain that the number of emigrants on board corresponds with the number entered in such list.

Penalty for admitting emigrants not in list.

If the master of such vessel allows any emigrant not entered in such list to proceed in the vessel, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Copy of list to be sent to magistrate.

The embarkation agent shall send a copy of the said list or an extract from it to the magistrate of the labor district to which any of the emigrants are proceeding.

Provisions, medical and other stores, medical officers, cooks, &c.

73. There shall be laden under the supervision of the embarkation agent on board of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants to or towards any labor district, at the time of the embarkation of such emigrants, such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required under the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act.

Penalty if master proceeds without.

The master of any such vessel who shall commence the voyage without having on board such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Vessel carrying 200 emigrants must carry a qualified medical officer.

74. No vessel carrying two hundred emigrants shall be allowed to proceed on the voyage unless a medical officer, who is a licentiate in medicine, or who is declared to be qualified for such charge by order of the Lieutenant-Governor, has been appointed to the charge of such emigrants. And any master who shall commence the voyage without having on board such medical officer as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, and, in default of payment, imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

Emigrant not allowed finally to leave vessel at any place other than that mentioned in pass.

75. If the master of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall, save as hereinafter is provided, cause or permit any emigrant finally to leave such vessel at any place other than that named as the destination of such emigrant in his pass, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each such offence. Provided always that this section shall not be deemed to prevent the master of any vessel from permitting emigrants to disembark at any place or places on the voyage so long as such disembarkation is not intended or known to be likely to be final; nor to prevent the final disembarkation of any emigrants in case of accident or other unavoidable necessity, if such accident or necessity be forthwith reported to the embarkation agent by whom the license of such vessel was granted, and to the nearest magistrate in the district within which such accident may occur or necessity arise.

Master to report arrival of emigrants at every intermediate station where there is a magistrate.

76. Every licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall stop at every place in which a magistrate is stationed, intermediate between the places of embarkation and disembarkation of such emigrants, and shall remain during not less than six hours of daylight. The master of every such vessel shall immediately on arrival report to the magistrate, or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 94, the number of emigrants on board, the general state of their health, and the number of deaths (if any) which have occurred among the persons who embarked on such vessel.

Any master who wilfully omits to comply with the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may at any time inspect vessel.

77. A magistrate may at any time go on board of any such licensed vessel, carrying emigrants while within the limits of his jurisdiction, and may inspect the vessel, the emigrants, and all persons on board.

Master bound to give all information required.

The master and officers of such vessel shall be bound to afford to such magistrate all reasonable facility for such inspection, and to give him all such information respecting the emigrants or other persons on board as may be reasonably required, and respecting any deaths which may have occurred on board, and respecting any other facts which may affect the health of the emigrants.

Penalty for omission.

Any master or other officer, who wilfully omits to give any such information to such magistrate, shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may regulate communication between vessel and land.

78. On the arrival of such vessel, or at any time while it is within the limits of his jurisdiction, the magistrate may regulate the communication between such vessel and the land, and may prohibit all persons from leaving the vessel and all persons on land

to be proceeding on board. And any person not complying with any order made under this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may detain vessel for inspection and for removal of disease, and may detain sick emigrants.

79. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that any emigrants on board any vessel within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such vessel, and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants on board such vessel, and to report on their health, and whether any or what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease. After the submission of such report the magistrate may detain the vessel for a further period not exceeding five days for the purpose of carrying out such measures, if any, recommended by the medical officer in his report, and he may further detain at such station for medical treatment any emigrant who is affected with any infectious or contagious disease.

Magistrate may detain emigrants proceeding by land.

80. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that a party of emigrants proceeding by land within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such party and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants and to report on their health, and whether any and what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease, and the magistrate may further detain for medical treatment such party or such emigrants of the party as are affected with any infectious or contagious disease for such period as the medical officer may certify to be requisite.

Magistrate may detain sick emigrants,

81. If in any case whatever it appears to a magistrate expedient that any emigrant, in consequence of ill health, should not be allowed to proceed towards a labor district, he may order the detention of such emigrant; and in such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant.

and shall arrange for their accommodation and treatment.

Expenses how to be recovered.

82. All expenses incurred under sections 79, 80, or 81, by a magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, in respect of any emigrant so detained, shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the contractor by whom the emigrant has been engaged or forwarded; or in the case of an emigrant engaged by a garden-sirdar, from the employer from whom such garden-sirdar received his certificate.

Measures to be taken if excess number of emigrants is found on board.

83. If it appears to a magistrate making an inspection of any licensed vessel that the number of emigrants on board is larger than the number specified in the license, he may remove the excess number and detain them until another opportunity of forwarding them to their destination is found. The necessary expense of maintaining such emigrants, and of conveying them to their destination, shall be recoverable by such magistrate or other officer who may have been deputed as aforesaid from the master of such vessel.

Infraction of the Act and rules to be reported.

84. In any case in which, on making an inspection of a licensed vessel, a magistrate shall find that any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act have not been complied with, he shall report the same to the embarkation agent by whom the license to carry the emigrants was granted to such vessel; and, if the circumstances of the case are such as in such magistrate's opinion make it necessary so to do, he may detain the vessel until the provisions of this Act, or any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor as aforesaid, have been complied with, so far as to make it possible for the voyage to be further prosecuted with safety and reasonable comfort to the emigrants.

Vessel may be detained.

On arrival of licensed vessel at the place of disembarkation, the master shall give information to the magistrate.

85. Whenever any licensed vessel carrying emigrants arrives at a civil station at which it is intended that any of such emigrants shall disembark, the master shall immediately give notice of the arrival to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, and shall forward to him at the same time the list furnished to him by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72, or a copy of so much of the said list as relates to the emigrants who are to disembark. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate.

Magistrate shall send information to employer or agent,

Immediately on the receipt of such notice the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. And he shall at the same time direct the civil medical officer of the station, or other qualified medical officer, to go on board such vessel and to inspect such emigrants.

and direct medical inspection.

Report of medical inspection.

Such medical officer shall, without delay, make a careful inspection of all such emigrants; and, after making such inspection, shall prepare and sign a report, in which he shall certify the state of health and general condition of each emigrant so inspected.

Sick emigrants to be detained at station.

86. The magistrate shall detain at the station for medical treatment any emigrant who is, in the opinion of the medical officer, in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the place at which he has contracted to labor. In such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant, and all expenses so incurred by the magistrate in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrant has contracted.

87. The magistrate shall also ascertain whether reasonable provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination. If he is satisfied that such reasonable provision has been made, the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted or his agent shall forthwith take charge of such emigrants except those, if any, detained under the provisions of the last preceding section. But if such reasonable provision has not been made, or if the employer or his agent shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, the magistrate shall order such arrangements to be made, and incur such expenses as under the circumstances may seem to him necessary; and the amount of expenses so incurred by him in the disembarkation, or in respect of the food, lodging, medicines, hospital attendance, or clothing of the laborers, shall, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted.

If necessary provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants, they shall be made over to employer or agent.

If not made, or if employer or agent not present, magistrate to make arrangements;

expenses recoverable from employers.

88. If it is intended that the emigrants on board of any licensed vessel shall disembark at a place which is not a civil station, the master of such vessel shall report the arrival, as required in section 85, to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 93, at the last civil station which such vessel shall pass before arriving at the said place of disembarkation, and shall not proceed on his voyage until the medical inspection of such emigrants has been made as provided in the said section. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate. Immediately on the receipt of such notice, the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. When such inspection has been made, the magistrate shall, without delay, authorize the master to proceed on his voyage, provided that he may, if he thinks fit, detain any emigrant who is unfit to proceed under the provisions of section 81.

If emigrants are to disembark at a place other than a civil station, medical inspection to be made at the civil station last preceding.

89. On the arrival of any licensed vessel at a place of disembarkation which is not a civil station, the emigrants who are to disembark at such place shall, in case the employers with whom they have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, be present, be disembarked and given in charge to such employers or agents. Provided that in case the medical officer in charge of such emigrants, if there be any such medical officer, and if there be not, then the master of the vessel in which such emigrants have been conveyed, shall be of opinion that any of such emigrants are in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the places where they have respectively contracted to labor, or that reasonable provision for the support and lodging of such emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination has not been made, or in case the employers with whom such emigrants have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, then and in every such case the emigrants so unfit to proceed, or for whose support reasonable provision has not been made, or whose employers may not be present personally or by their agents, shall be further conveyed in the vessel to the next civil station, and shall be there disembarked, and the place at which they shall be so disembarked shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be their place of disembarkation.

Disembarkation at such place.

If necessary provision not made, emigrants to be carried on to next station.

90. Whenever an emigrant is detained under the provisions of sections 81, 86, or 88, or is further conveyed under the provisions of section 89, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so detained, or to be taken forward along with the emigrant so further conveyed. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain, or be taken forward with the father or mother.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

91. Every medical officer who is required to make a report under the provisions of this chapter, shall submit such report to the magistrate, and shall enter therein the name and age of each emigrant, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer, as set forth in the list prepared by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 72.

Particulars to be entered in the reports of medical officers.

92. The magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 93, shall make a detailed report to the superintendent of emigration, of the arrival of all emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, and of all proceedings taken and orders passed by him under the provisions of this chapter, and shall forward with such report a copy of every report made to him by a medical officer relating to emigrants proceeding to a labor district. He shall also forward to the superintendent any observations which he or the medical officer may think fit to make in regard to the state of health and general condition of the emigrants. Whenever such reports or observations relate to emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, he shall forward them to the embarkation agent by whom such emigrants were despatched, and the agent shall transmit them to the superintendent with any remarks which he may desire to record.

Magistrate to report arrival of all emigrants, and all proceedings, to the superintendent of emigration;

in certain cases through the embarkation agent.

93. The magistrate of a district, or of a division of a district, may depute any subordinate magistrate to exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on a magistrate under the provisions of sections 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 83, 84, 85, 86, 88, and 92.

Magistrate may depute a subordinate magistrate to discharge the functions of the magistrate.

94. Every inspector, [illegible] or medical officer in charge of emigrants on board of any vessel carrying emigrants, who shall wilfully and knowingly neglect or refuse to obey or to enforce on board of such vessel any rule which may from time to time be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty if inspector or medical officer neglects to enforce rules.

95. Any offence against any of the provisions of this chapter, or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act, committed on board of any vessel, may be tried by any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in any place at which emigrants may have embarked on board such vessel, or may have disembarked from such vessel, or in any place in which such vessel may be detained under the provisions of this Act.

Jurisdiction, if offence created by this Act is committed on board.

96. Any emigrant who deserts while in transit from the district in which he has been registered to the district in which he has engaged to labor may, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a period which may extend to three months. Such offence may be inquired into and tried in the district in which such emigrant is apprehended, or in the district in which the desertion took place, or in the district in which he was registered.

Punishment of emigrant for desertion.

97. The provisions with regard to engaged natives of India and emigrants contained in sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, and 88 of this Act, shall be applicable to such women, children, and aged relatives of such natives and emigrants as may, with the consent of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and with the written permission of the registering magistrate or superintendent, accompany them without having entered into an engagement.

Provisions of sections 29, 31, 32, 33, 54, 57, 59, 73, 79, 80, 81, 84, 86, 87, 88 to apply to children, &c., accompanying emigrants.

PART III.—LABOR DISTRICTS.

Chapter 8.—Inland Labor Transport Fund.

98. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time, by order published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, fix a yearly rate, not exceeding one rupee and eight annas per laborer, for the purpose of defraying the expense of carrying out the purposes of this Act; and the sum or rate so fixed shall be paid half-yearly by each employer on the last day of July and the last day of January in each year for each laborer entered in the last return of laborers furnished (as is hereinafter provided) by such employer before such date.

Annual rate payable by employers.

99. If any employer shall fail to comply with the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to notify such default to him; and if within one month from the receipt of such notification, or such longer period as it may, under special circumstances, appear to the magistrate reasonable, such employer shall not so comply, the magistrate shall, by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer, levy the sum so payable.

Payment of rate how to be enforced.

If there shall be no such moveable property, or insufficient moveable property so found, the amount shall be recoverable by a civil regular suit from the person for whose benefit the laborers in respect of whom the same may be payable shall have been employed. In every such suit the Government shall be named as plaintiff, and the cause of action shall be taken to have arisen within the limits of the jurisdiction of any court having jurisdiction at any place where any such laborers may have been employed by such employer.

100. Subject to the powers conferred on a magistrate by this Act or by the Code of Criminal Procedure, of awarding fines in whole or in part as compensation to or for the benefit of any complainant or other person, all fines, fees, and rates levied and paid under this Act shall be credited to a fund which shall be called the "Inland Labor Transport Fund," and such fund shall be at the disposal of the Lieutenant-Governor for defraying the expenses of carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Fines, fees, and rates to be credited to "Inland Labor Transport Fund."

Chapter 9.—Inspector's Returns and Magistrates' Inspections.

101. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint in any labor district so many inspectors and assistant inspectors of laborers as he may think proper, and may define, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the local limits within which each such inspector and assistant inspector shall exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on him by this Act. Such inspectors and assistant inspectors may be by the said Lieutenant-Governor vested with all or any of the powers of a magistrate.

Appointment of inspectors and assistant inspectors.

102. The Lieutenant-Governor may authorize inspectors and assistant inspectors to entertain such establishment as he may think fit. An assistant inspector shall perform all such duties and exercise all such powers of an inspector as he is authorized in writing by the inspector to perform or exercise.

Establishment.

Duty of assistant inspector.

103. Every employer shall, on or before the last day of January and the last day of July in each and every year, make out in writing, and deliver to the inspector of laborers, a return of the number of all laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed by such employer on the last day of the preceding month, and return of the sickness and mortality among the laborers during the preceding six months.

Half-yearly report of laborers employed, of their state of health, and of mortality.

104. If any employer shall refuse or wilfully omit duly to send in any such return, or shall knowingly send in an incorrect return, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for omission to furnish such report or for submitting false report.

Periodical inspection of laborers to be made by inspector.

105. Every inspector of laborers shall once within each of such periods as may be fixed for such purpose by the Lieutenant-Governor, visit all lands within the limits of his authority on which there shall be employed any laborers, and inspect every hospital, tent, camp, or building in any way used by any such laborers, and investigate the condition of the laborers employed; and for such purpose the inspector may require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and may make such inquiries as may to him seem proper. Every such inspector shall keep books, in which from time to time shall be entered the number of laborers then under contract with each employer, the number who shall then be sick or missing, or who shall have complained of ill-treatment, the particulars of such complaints, and such other particulars regarding the laborers as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time direct. Each inspector shall annually make a written report to the Lieutenant-Governor through the Commissioner of the division of the aforesaid particulars; and every such report, as regards the laborers under any particular employer, shall, at all reasonable times, be open to the inspection of such employer or any person by him appointed in writing in that behalf, and the person so inspecting shall be entitled to take a copy of the report so far as it relates to such laborers.

Books to be kept by inspector.

Annual report.

Such report open to inspection by employer.

106. It shall be lawful for any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in the district, or any person authorized by him in writing in that behalf, at any time to enter and inspect any hospital, tent, camp, or building, wholly or partially used by or for laborers, and to require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and to make any inquiries which he may think proper touching the condition or treatment of any laborer.

Magistrate may at any time inspect laborers' buildings used by them, &c.

If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, wilfully obstructs or impedes any entry, inspection, or inquiry, made under either of the two preceding sections, such employer or other person as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees for each such offence.

Penalty for obstructing inspection or inquiry.

Chapter 10.—*Regulation of Labor.*

107. Every employer shall from time to time, with the sanction of the inspector previously obtained, fix the daily tasks to be executed by the laborers employed by such employer, and shall frame a schedule of such daily tasks, and publish the same by posting a copy thereof in the Bengali language upon the door of each place of payment of the laborers employed by such employer, and by sending a copy thereof in the English language to the inspector.

Schedule of daily tasks to be framed.

108. No laborer shall be bound to work under his contract more than six days in one week, or more than six hours consecutively, or more than nine hours on any one day.

Maximum amount of labor.

109. If at any time the inspector considers such schedule of daily tasks or any part thereof to be unreasonable, he shall refer the consideration of such schedule to a committee consisting of the inspector, of some employer to be nominated by him, and of some person to be nominated by the employer whose schedule is to be considered, or on his default by the inspector.

Inspector may submit schedule to a committee.

110. In case the said committee or the majority in number thereof are of opinion that the daily tasks in such schedule contained, or any of them, unreasonable, they shall modify and reduce such daily tasks in such manner as they shall deem reasonable, and such schedule so modified shall be published in manner aforesaid, and every schedule published as aforesaid shall have effect as between the employer and laborers in substitution for any former schedule.

Committee to revise schedule.

Chapter 11.—*Incapacity for Labor.*

111. It shall be lawful for the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority any laborer may be employed, to suspend, for such period as he shall consider advisable, the contract of such laborer, or any particular term thereof, if such laborer shall be, in the judgment of such inspector, temporarily unfitted for the performance thereof by reason of sickness, pregnancy, or other sufficient cause. Provided that every such suspension shall be endorsed by the inspector on the contract. Provided also that every such laborer shall, during such incapacity, receive such subsistence money from his employer as shall be considered sufficient by the inspector, and that the time during which the suspension continues shall not be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve.

Inspector may suspend contract of any laborer temporarily unfitted for labor.

112. If it shall be found that any laborer has been compelled to perform any species of labor for which he was at the time unfit, the employer by whom he was so employed shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for compelling laborer to perform work for which he is unfit.

113. If, in the opinion of the inspector of laborers, any laborer shall be permanently incapacitated for the performance of his contract or any material part thereof, the inspector shall certify to that effect in writing, and deliver such certificate to the employer of such laborer or some one on his behalf, and from the date of such certificate the contract of such laborer shall wholly cease and determine. The inspector shall make a return of all such cases of determination of contract in his report under section 105. Every laborer whose contract shall have been determined as aforesaid, shall be entitled to receive from his employer such sum, not exceeding three months' wages, as the inspector may award, and such sum shall be recoverable before a magistrate in the manner hereinafter provided for the recovery of wages.

Discharge of laborers permanently incapacitated.

Chapter 12.—Accommodation, &c., for Laborers.

114. Whenever any laborers shall be employed in any labor district, the employer of such laborers shall be bound to provide for them sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice.

Sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, and sanitary arrangements to be provided.

115. Every employer shall be bound to provide for his laborers such sufficient hospital accommodation, and such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor; and if three hundred or more laborers shall be employed by any employer, it shall be the duty of such employer to place in medical charge of such laborers a medical officer holding a medical diploma as licentiate in medicine, from some Indian or European collegiate institution authorized to grant diplomas, or an officer for the time being licensed by the local Government to act in such medical charge of laborers.

Hospital, medicines, &c., to be provided.

116. It shall be lawful for any inspector or assistant inspector who is himself a magistrate, to institute within his jurisdiction, on the lands in charge of any employer, or at some place within his jurisdiction not more than ten miles distant from such lands, an inquiry whether such employer has provided for his laborers sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice. On the complaint of any inspector or assistant inspector a similar inquiry may be made by a magistrate.

Inquiry whether employer has failed to provide as required by the rules.

117. If the employer is convicted of gross neglect in not having provided sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, such employer shall be punished with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees. In any case where a magistrate shall find that proper or sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, has not been provided, he may order the employer to provide such proper and sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice. If the employer wilfully omits to comply with such order, he shall, on conviction, be punished with a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees a day for every day that such omission continues. In default of payment by the employer of the last mentioned fine, the person on whose account such employer has been acting shall be liable to pay the fine.

Punishment for gross neglect as to house accommodation, &c., and for wilfully omitting to comply with the order of the magistrate in such respect.

118. Wherever such sufficient hospital accommodation or such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, or such medical officer as aforesaid, shall not have been provided, the employer or other person through whose wilful default the same shall not have been provided shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for every week during which any such default continues.

Penalty for failure to provide hospital accommodation, &c.

Chapter 13.—Localities unfit for the Residence of Laborers.

119. If an inspector of laborers shall at any time have reason to believe that any estate or portion of an estate situated within the limits of his jurisdiction is by reason of climate, situation, or condition unfit for the residence of laborers, he shall give notice in writing of his opinion to the magistrate of the district, and such magistrate shall forthwith summon a committee to inquire into the fitness of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers. Such committee shall consist of the magistrate, the inspector of laborers, the medical officer of the district, and one or more employers of laborers, when such persons are available. If the magistrate is unable to procure the service on such committee of any employer of laborers he may, with the sanction of the commissioner of the division, appoint one or more persons whom he may deem qualified.

Inspector to report.

Magistrate to summon committee.

Such committee shall proceed, with as little delay as possible, to inquire into the healthiness of the estate or portion thereof to which the order appointing the committee has reference, and shall hear such information on the subject as the owner of the estate, or the employer or inspector, may desire to place before it; and if such committee, or the major part in number thereof, shall be of opinion that such estate or any portion thereof be unfit for the residence of laborers, it shall record a finding to that effect; and the contract of every laborer who shall have contracted to serve on such estate shall thereupon be void as regards such estate or portion of estate as may be found unfit for the residence of laborers.

Proceedings of committee.

If committee finds unfit, contract to be void as regards such locality.

Provided that every such contract shall continue valid with regard to any other portion of such estate or to any other estate of the same employer in the same district.

Proviso as regards other localities.

120. If it shall at any time appear that the number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on any estate or portion of an estate during the preceding twelve months, bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, or if the average annual number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on such estate or portion thereof during the preceding three years bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, it shall be lawful

Lieutenant-Governor how to proceed if mortality in past year exceeds 7 per cent., or if the average of 3 years exceeds 5 per cent.

for the Lieutenant-Governor to direct the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inquire into and report on the following matters:—

Matters to be inquired into.

(1) The cause or causes of such mortality.

(2) The want (if any) of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures, on the part of the owner of such estate or portion thereof or the employer, causing or contributing to such mortality.

(3) The fitness or otherwise of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers and the reasons thereof.

Such medical officer shall proceed with as little delay as possible, and shall hear and record such information on the subject of the several matters aforesaid as the owner of such estate or portion thereof, or the employer, or inspector may desire to place before him, and shall visit and inspect such estate or portion thereof, and shall make his report expressing the reasons of his opinion and transmit the same with the recorded information and notes of his inspection of such estate or portion thereof to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Medical officer to report.

If the Lieutenant-Governor, after perusal and consideration of the said report, information, and notes, shall be of opinion that such mortality was caused by the want of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or the employer, and that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers by reason of the want of due care or precaution, and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or portion thereof or the employer, it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to declare in writing that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers. Such declaration of the Lieutenant-Governor shall have the same effect as the finding of a committee under the last preceding section.

Lieutenant-Governor may declare estate unfit for residence.

Contracts to be void as regards that estate.

121. Every employer who shall cause or permit any laborer to reside upon any such estate or portion of an estate as under the provisions of either of the two preceding sections may have been found to be unfit for the residence of laborers, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine. Provided always that in case it shall appear to the inspector that any such estate, or portion of an estate, or any part of such portion, has become fit for the residence of laborers, he shall, with the sanction of the magistrate of the district, give under his hand a certificate of such fitness, and no employer shall be liable to fine by reason of his causing or permitting laborers to reside in any place respecting which such certificate of fitness shall have been given.

Penalty on employer permitting laborer to reside in locality declared to be unfit.

Chapter 14.—Offences committed by Laborers.

122. Any laborer, who shall absent himself from his labor without sufficient cause, may, on conviction by a magistrate, be sentenced to lose all claims to wages or allowances during the period of such absence, and also to forfeit to his employer a sum not exceeding four annas for each day during which such absence shall be continued; and in case such absence shall have exceeded seven days, or in case such laborer shall have been already convicted of the same offence within a period of three months, such laborer shall be furthermore sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for fourteen days.

Penalty on laborer for absenting himself without sufficient cause.

123. If any laborer deserts or attempts to desert from his employer's service, such employer or any other person acting in his behalf may, without first procuring a warrant, and without the assistance of any police officer (who, nevertheless, shall be bound to give such assistance if called upon to do so), apprehend such laborer wherever he may be found. Provided, nevertheless, that if such laborer be found in the service of another employer, he shall not be arrested without a warrant. Provided also that such employer or other person shall without delay give the said laborer in charge at the nearest police station, and there enter the charge upon which he shall have apprehended such laborer.

Deserting may be apprehended without warrant.

Any laborer so given in charge shall be conveyed, without delay, to the nearest magistrate; and, if the place from which such laborer is charged with having deserted, be within the jurisdiction of such magistrate, he shall himself adjudicate upon the charge; but if not, he shall forward the said laborer, under custody, to the magistrate within whose jurisdiction such place may be situated, who shall adjudicate upon such charge.

To be taken to nearest magistrate.

Every laborer who deserts from his employer's service shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with rigorous imprisonment which may extend to one month; and every laborer, who after having been convicted of desertion, shall again desert from his employer's service, shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with rigorous imprisonment for a period which may extend to two months; and every laborer who, after having been twice convicted of desertion shall again desert shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Punishment.

124. On the expiry of any sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, save as is provided in section 125, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to make over such laborer to any person appointed on the part of his employer to receive charge of him; and no conviction under this Act, or imprisonment under such conviction, shall, save as is provided in section 125, be held to operate as a release to any laborer from the terms of his contract. Provided, nevertheless, that the period of imprisonment shall in no case be prolonged by reason of their being no person present on the part of the employer to take charge of the laborer at the expiry to his sentence; but such laborer shall in that case be sent to the principal place of business of such employer, and the expense of such conveyance shall be levied from the employer in the manner provided in section 99.

Conviction not to operate as a release.

Cancellation of contract by desertion.

125. Whenever any laborer shall have actually suffered imprisonment amounting in the whole to six months for desertion from his employer's service, it shall be lawful for the inspector, and he is hereby required, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and every such cancellation shall be certified by the inspector on the back of the contract.

Portion of sentence may be cancelled on application of employer.

126. The employer, or any person authorized to act for the employer, of any laborer imprisoned for any offence under this Act, may apply to a magistrate, at any time previous to the expiry of such sentence, that such laborer be made over to him for the purpose of completing his contract; and such magistrate may, if he see good cause, make over or forward such laborer to his employer; and in that case such magistrate shall cancel the remainder of the sentence passed on him, and shall endorse on the contract of such laborer a memorandum signed by him of such cancellation.

Expense of restoring deserting laborer to be paid by employer.

127. Every employer who obtains an order for the return or forwarding of any laborer who has deserted, shall pay the expense incurred in such return or forwarding, and shall, before the order is issued, deposit with the magistrate such sum as such magistrate may in his discretion deem to be sufficient for defraying the expense of such return or forwarding.

Time of unlawful absence or imprisonment to be excluded from contract period.

128. The duration of every unlawful absence from labor, of which any laborer may be convicted, and every sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, shall be endorsed on the contract, at the time of its being passed, by the officer passing it; and no such period of imprisonment or unlawful absence so endorsed shall be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve, but such term shall extend to such further period as shall be equivalent to the aggregate amount of the imprisonment and unlawful absence so endorsed.

Other person enticing away, harbouring, or employing laborer under contract.

129. Any person who knowingly and wilfully entices away, harbours, or employs, or attempts to entice from his employment, any laborer, before such laborer shall have been lawfully released from his contract, shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with fine, the whole or any portion of which may be awarded to the employer of such laborer.

Chapter 15.—Complaints made by Laborers.

Employer to give notice to inspector if laborer wishes to complain of personal ill-usage or breach of contract.

130. If any laborer states to his employer, or to any person acting for such employer, that he desires to make a complaint to the inspector of laborers of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act on the part of such employer or other person, the person to whom such statement is made shall, within forty-eight hours send notice thereof in writing to the inspectors and in default of so doing, such person shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Inspector how to proceed on receipt of notice, or if complaint is made to him, or if he has reason to believe that there is ground for a complaint.

131. Whenever any inspector of laborers receives such notice in writing as aforesaid, or whenever any complaint of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid, is made to him by any laborer against his employer or any person acting for such employer, or whenever the inspector has other reasonable grounds for believing that any such personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid has been suffered by a laborer, such inspector shall forthwith, if the place in which such offence has been committed is not situated within the limits of his own authority, give notice thereof in writing to the inspector within the limits of whose authority such place is situated; and if such place be situated within the limits of his own authority, then such inspector shall, so soon as conveniently may be, proceed to some place not more than ten miles from the principal place of business of such employer, and make full inquiry into the matter complained of.

Procedure. Penalty for obstructing service of, or disobedience to, summons.

132. For the purposes of such inquiry the inspector may summon such laborer and any witnesses. If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, in any way wilfully obstructs the service of, or obedience to, such summons; or if the laborer or any witness summoned intentionally omits to attend as required in such summons, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

If complaint is untrue or frivolous.

133. If, upon such inquiry made on the complaint of a laborer, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is untrue or frivolous, he shall enter in his book the particulars of such complaint, and a short statement of the grounds of his opinion respecting it, and shall dismiss the complaint, and in such case shall endorse on the employer's copy of the contract of such complainant the number of days during which such complainant has been absent from work in consequence of such inquiry, and such number of days shall be added to the period of the contract of such complainant.

If complaint is well founded.

134. If, upon inquiry as aforesaid, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is well-founded, he shall, if himself a magistrate, dispose of the case according to due course of law. If the inspector shall not be a magistrate, he shall without delay send the complainant and his witnesses to the nearest magistrate, and such magistrate shall thereupon dispose of the case according to due course of law.

Recovery of arrears of wages.

135. If, upon the complaint of any laborer, it is proved to the satisfaction of a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear for two months, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to award to such laborer the amount which shall appear to be then due to him; and also, by way of compensation, such further sum, not exceeding that amount, as shall appear to such

Compensation may be given if arrear is for two months.

magistrate to be just; and in case of default, the magistrate shall levy the entire sum by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer.

Contract may be declared cancelled, if employer is convicted of maltreatment by session court, or twice by magistrate.

136. If any employer, or any person placed in authority over any laborer by such employer, shall be convicted of any offence causing injury to the person or property of such laborer triable under the Code of Criminal Procedure by the court of session; or if any such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall be twice convicted of any such offence against such laborer triable under the said Code by a magistrate; or if it shall be proved before a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear to an amount exceeding the total of such laborer's wages for four months; or if a magistrate shall, on the report of the inspector and after due inquiry, upon oath, in the presence of the parties, be satisfied that any laborer has been compelled to perform any labor while he was unfit for it, or has been subjected to ill-usage by such employer, or any other person placed in authority over the laborer by such employer; it shall be lawful for the magistrate, if he think fit, on the application of the laborer, in each of such cases, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and award to him compensation not exceeding thirty rupees, and every such cancelment shall be certified by the magistrate on the back of such contract.

or if wages are in arrear for four months;

or if ill-usage is proved.

Chapter 16.—*Determination of Contract.*

Laborer may appear before the inspector to register completion of contract.

137. Every laborer who has completed the term of his contract shall be forthwith entitled to appear before the inspector or assistant inspector in order that the completion of his contract may be registered.

Penalty if employer detains, or omits to report.

If an employer detains such laborer after the completion of his contract, or fails to give notice of such completion to the inspector within one month after the date of such completion, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Power to redeem contract.

138. If any laborer is able and desirous to redeem the unexpired term of his contract of service by payment of a sum equivalent to the value thereof, such laborer may demand to be taken or allowed to go before the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority he may be employed, and on his depositing such sum in the hands of such inspector, such inspector shall give notice to the employer that such laborer requires him within one week to show cause why the contract of such laborer should not be released; and, in case no sufficient cause should be shown, such inspector shall require the production of the contract of such laborer, and endorse thereon a certificate of release by purchase, and shall hold the sum in deposit on account of the employer of such laborer. If any employer, or other person authorized to act for the employer, shall neglect to comply with such demand as aforesaid, such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Value of unexpired term of contract.

The value of the unexpired term of contract shall be deemed to be the aggregate amount of one rupee for every month of the unexpired portion of the first year, of three rupees for every such month of the second year, and of five rupees for every such month of the third year, of the original term of the laborer's engagement.

Certificate to be given of determination of contract.

139. Every laborer the period of whose contract has expired, or whose contract has been rescinded by the mutual consent of the parties thereto, or whose contract has been cancelled or redeemed under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to receive forthwith from the inspector a certificate of release in the form set forth in Schedule (F) annexed to this Act.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 17.)

FORM OF CONTRACT BETWEEN EMIGRANT AND EMPLOYER.

"THIS contract made under Bengal Act of 187 , between (*emigrant's name*) of the one part and (*employer's name*) of the other part. Whereas the said (*employer's name*) has promised the said (*emigrant's name*) (hereinafter called 'the emigrant') that, if he the said emigrant do proceed to the district (*name of*) in (*name of labor district*) and do remain and labor therein on the estate of the said (*employer's name*) his successors, representatives and assigns (hereinafter called 'the employer'), he the said employer will from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, for years from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate, and that during such period he the said employer will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

Now this contract witnesseth that the said emigrant doth hereby, in consideration of the aforesaid promise by the said employer and of the agreement by him hereinafter contained, agree with the said employer that he the said emigrant will, so soon after the execution of these presents as he shall be required so to do, proceed to the said district (*name of*) in (*name of labor district*), and will there remain and labor on the estate of the said employer for a period of years from the date of his, the said emigrant's, arrival on such estate. And this contract further witnesseth that the said employer doth hereby, on consideration of the said agreement by the said emigrant, agree with the said emigrant that he, the said employer will with all convenient despatch after the execution of these presents, convey or cause to be conveyed the said emigrant free of all costs unto the estate of the said employer in the district aforesaid, and will from the date of his the said emigrant's arrival on such estate employ the said emigrant as a laborer for the period aforesaid, and will pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, and will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

In witness whereof the said parties to these presents

have hereunto set their hands the day of 187 ."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

Note.—If the contract is one under section 28, it must be signed by the garden-sirdar on behalf of the employer, if under section 61, by the person with whom the emigrant intends to contract, or his agent. It must, if under section 28, be executed before the magistrate; if under sections 29 or 61, before the superintendent of emigration. The execution of the contract, if under section 16, must be attested by the superintendent of emigration, who must also append to the foot thereof a certificate to the following effect:

"I hereby certify that before the within-mentioned (*emigrant's name*) signed this contract, I personally explained it to him.

(Sd.) ———

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE B.

(*See Section* 18.)

FORM OF GARDEN-SIRDAR'S CERTIFICATE.

"*Garden-Sirdar's Certificate, required under Section* 19 *of Bengal Act of* 187 .

Name of garden-sirdar.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Height.		General appearance and characteristic marks.	Name of place and description of lands on which labor is to be performed.	District (or Calcutta) where natives are to be engaged.	Number of natives the bearer is authorized to engage.	*Name of contractor to whose depôt natives should be conveyed.	Remarks.
				Feet.	In.						

* *N.B.*—If the number of natives engaged exceed twenty, they will have to go to a contractor's depôt.

Countersigned (under Section 19) on the 187 , six months from which date this certificate ceases to be in force.

Magistrate of "

(Sd.)

Employer."

Dated 187 .

SCHEDULE C.

(*See Sections* 14 *and* 36).

FORM OF CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.

"A. B. is hereby licensed to act, throughout the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, as a contractor for engaging and supplying natives for the purpose of laboring for hire in the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE D.

(*See Sections* 14 *and* 41).

FORM OF RECRUITER'S LICENSE.

"C. D. is hereby licensed to act on behalf of A. B., a licensed contractor, as a recruiter for engaging or inducing natives to proceed to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE E.

(*See Sections* 34 *and* 65).

FORM OF EMIGRANT'S PASS.

Name of emigrant.	Age.	Father's name.	Name of employer.	Place in which emigrant has contracted to labor.	Place of disembarkation.

"The emigrants above described are permitted to embark on the , which will leave on the , for the purpose of proceeding to the district of .

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) R. M.,

Contractor [or Garden-sirdar].

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) G. D.,

Superintendent of Emigration.

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) A. L.,

Embarkation Agent."

Note.—When the pass is granted by the embarkation agent to emigrants brought to him by a garden-sirdar under the provisions of section 34, it need not be signed by the superintendent of emigration.

Note.—The names of any number of emigrants proceeding in the same vessel may be entered in one pass.

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 139.)

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE ON DETERMINATION OF CONTRACT.

"I hereby certify that the contract entered into on the day of 187 , under Act of 187 , between [*laborer's name*] of the one part, and [*employer's name*] of the other part, has been determined by effluxion of time (or 'by mutual consent,' or 'under the provisions of section of the said Act,' as the case may be).

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand day of 187 .

Inspector of Laborers."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

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The following Supplementary Report of the Select Committee on the "Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service therein," is published for general information :—

WE, the Select Committee on the "Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract-labor and service therein," have read and considered the correspondence noted in the margin relating to a proposal by the Lieutenant-Governor to provide for the gradual introduction of a system of free recruiting of laborers for the labor districts.

The Committee are unanimously of opinion that the systems of free recruiting and recruiting under the Act cannot work side by side. They do not feel themselves able, on the materials before them, to recommend that Cachar or any other district should be exempted from the operation of the Act, or to make any specific recommendation to the Council on the general subject.

G. C. PAUL.
V. H. SCHALCH.
C. BERNARD.
T. M. ROBINSON.
DEGUMBER MITTER.

From Messrs. Whitney Brothers and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. W. Moran and Company, dated 7th July 1873.
From Messrs. Lyall, Reunie and Company, dated 4th July 1873.
From Messrs. Steel, McIntosh and Company, dated 4th July 1873, and enclosure.
From Dr. C. A. Kernot, M.D., dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs. Robert and Charriol, dated 9th July 1873.
From R. J. Staunton, Esq., dated 10th July 1873.
From Messrs. Young, Gray and Company, dated 9th July 1873.
From Messrs. Jardine, Skinner and Company, dated 12th July 1873.
Memorandum by the Collector of Sylhet, dated 8th July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner, Nowgong, Assam, dated 9th July 1873.
Extract from the *Englishman* of the 9th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Indian Daily News* of the 10th and 12th July 1873.
Extracts from the *Hindu Patriot* of the 14th July 1873.
From R. Blechynden, Esq., dated 15th July 1873.
From Secretary, East India Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From Acting Secretary, Bengal Tea Company, Limited, dated 15th July 1873.
From S. H. Robinson, Esq., dated 16th July 1873.
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 17th July 1873.
From Commissioner of Assam, dated 23rd July 1873.
From Deputy Commissioner of Seebsaugor, dated 22nd July 1873.
From Messrs. Begg, Dunlop and Company, dated 31st July 1873.
From Superintendent of Labor Transport, Calcutta, dated 29th July 1873, and enclosures.
From Directors of the Kanchunpore Tea Company, Limited.
From Secretary, Planters' Association, Debrooghur, dated 21st July 1873.
Memorandum by the Deputy Commissioner of Luckimpore, dated 30th July 1873.
From Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, dated 8th August, and enclosure.
Notes by the Officiating Magistrate of Bancoorah.
From Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, dated 6th August 1873.
From Secretary, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, dated 16th August 1873, and enclosure.
From Messrs. Borradaile, Schiller and Company, dated 19th August 1873.

The 27th August 1873.

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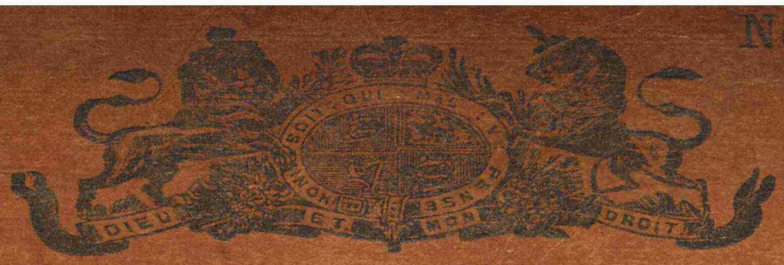

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ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE BURDWAN DIVISION FOR 1872-73.

RESOLUTION.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 16th September 1873.

READ—

The Annual General Report of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division for the year 1872-73, with its enclosures.

1. The Lieutenant-Governor is much indebted to the Commissioner, Mr. Buckland, for the trouble he has taken in so clearly condensing and systematizing the several district reports and for his own review of the Divisional Administration.

2. The general tendency of the report is to show that the people of the western districts are upon the whole poorer than the average of the inhabitants in Bengal, and that wages are low except in the vicinity of Calcutta and along the Hooghly River. Throughout the division the lower classes, it is said, are a poor and improvident people, and although their actual bodily wants are small and easily satisfied, there is but a small approach to anything like an accumulation of capital among them at present. There is a good deal of emigration from the western borders of the division, but not apparently from the alluvial tracts or from Beerbhoom.

3. There was a scanty rainfall last year, and the rice crop in the division was necessarily affected, but the losses were mostly local, and the general crop was not very deficient. Fortunately the cold weather harvest was unusually good and abundant.

4. The manufacture of silk is a staple industry in the districts of Midnapore and Beerbhoom. In Midnapore the value of the silk made is valued by the Collector at thirty-two lakhs of rupees, and its manufacture is said to contribute directly or indirectly to the support of 150,000 people. In Midnapore also is produced indigo of a very excellent description. The produce is valued at 4½ lakhs per annum. The manufacture of indigo is now extinct in Hooghly, and is languishing and unprofitable in other parts of the division.

5. The topic of public health has, as Mr. Buckland remarks, an unfortunately overpowering interest in the Burdwan Division. Very numerous special reports on the subject of the epidemic fever in Hooghly, Burdwan, Midnapore, and Beerbhoom have been submitted to Government during the year. The district of Howrah also, and even Bancoorah, have not been entirely free from the fever. In Burdwan the sub-divisions of Culna—the seat of its early ravages—and of Raneegunge alone escaped—the former partially, the latter almost entirely. This is the tenth year of the epidemic in the district, and the fourth year of its appearance in the town of Burdwan.

The whole tract of Beerbhoom, speaking roughly, lying south and east of a line drawn through Soory from south-west to north-east, was occupied by the malady. It is noteworthy here, as Mr. Geoghegan observes, that the low flesh-eating castes, who had offered a more successful resistance to the disease in the year before, now succumbed equally with others. In Midnapore the fever again made its appearance, in the over-populated thannah of Daspore, which borders on Hooghly, and showed a tendency to spread southwards. There was much fever in Hooghly during the usual season from October to February; and over the densely populated part of the district reaching from French Chandernagore to Howrah, it assumed a very fatal character. The entire question of the incidence of the fever in this unfortunate division is, as the Commissioner and the public are aware, under the most anxious consideration of the Lieutenant-Governor, and the executive Government is sparing no pains to relieve, if possible, the sufferings and depression under which the country still labors.

There is much reason to hope that the present season is turning out more favorably, and that the scourge may be passing away from tracts which have suffered for several years, as it has passed from those which previously suffered in former years.

6. Mr. Pellew, the Collector of Hooghly, comments. His Honor believes with truth, upon the favorable disposition of the people generally towards Government. They have rendered willing obedience and even co-operation in the statistical inquiries which have been instituted. The ordinary village population are, he says, a respectable, decent, and quiet class, who hate impropriety of any sort, and are almost puritan in their ideas. The English-speaking natives, though to be found in almost every village, are for the most part employed in the larger towns, and are only occasionally visitors to their homes. These men are generally supposed to be less loyally disposed, but the Collector thinks that there is not much ground for the belief. "They are chiefly remarkable," he writes, "for the loss of the good manners for which their fathers were so distinguished, and they confuse a desire for independence with an awkward appearance of incivility, which sits rudely upon them."

7. It is to be feared that the native press, which is largely supported by subscribers and contributors from this division, very inadequately expresses the real outcome of public feeling on the subjects of which it treats. The illiterate classes, who are, of course, the immense majority, are entirely unrepresented by the newspapers. The Commissioner complains of the present unbridled license of the press as affecting the feelings of the native officers of Government to an extent which is detrimental to the upright and fearless discharge of their official functions. "I fear," says Mr. Buckland, "that there is not a native Deputy Magistrate in the country who could deny that he was afraid

of becoming the subject of any personal attack in a native newspaper." He also denounces the growing practice of native newspapers commenting on and prejudicing pending cases. The Lieutenant-Governor must say that he thinks there is some foundation for these statements.

8. There was a break and a consequent failure of statistical operations in some districts of this division, owing to an unfortunate misunderstanding by which the services of the temporary establishments to which the Government of India had taken objection were dispensed with, before the permanent sub-divisional establishments had been entertained. The Lieutenant-Governor trusts that now the latter have been sanctioned and are in operation, statistical work will be carried on actively. The report of the Special Statistical Deputy Collector of Beerbhoom has not yet been received.

9. The irrigation works have been pushed on during the year in Midnapore. It is much to be regretted that the attempts to introduce irrigation were accompanied by some circumstances which have led to discontent and annoyance among the people concerned. Mr. Buckland remarks that it would have been more for the true interests of Government to have given the people the gratuitous use of the water, so that they might have learned its value to them, than to attempt to obtain a petty revenue from it prematurely before the works were completed.

The Lieutenant-Governor is gratified to observe the valuable testimony that is borne by the Collector of Hooghly to the success of the new Public Works system, under which the Executive Engineer, while professionally responsible to his own department, is placed directly under the orders of the Magistrate and those of the Road Cess Committee. The work now done, if somewhat more expensive than formerly, "is much superior in quality, and the system works admirably."

10. His Honor is inclined to concur with the Commissioner's observation (paragraph 27) that Assistant Magistrates should at some time serve as Assistant Superintendents of Police. This subject will be considered by the Lieutenant-Governor in the Judicial Department, in connexion with a somewhat similar recommendation by the Magistrate of Mymensingh in the administration report of his district for the past year.

11. Mr. Buckland recites the history and present situation of the rent law. His Honor fears that it is the fact that the status designed for the ryot by the Regulations of 1793 was much impaired, and in great part destroyed, by the great powers subsequently given to the zemindars under the old *huftum* and *punjum* regulations with a view to enable them to realize their rents. As Mr. Buckland truly describes the process, under the law of 1799 and that of 1812, the proceedings began in both cases by a strong presumption equivalent to a knock-down blow against the ryot. The law of 1859 reduced the powers exercised by the zemindars themselves, while it increased the grounds of enhancement, and afforded the remedy of a summary process before Deputy Collectors, who were, however, often very insufficiently qualified. Rent-suits are now transferred to the civil courts; they are better tried, and the rights of the ryots are more respected than they were; but, on the other hand, there certainly seems now good ground of complaint that there is difficulty in quickly realizing undisputed rents by legal process.

12. The working of the new Criminal Procedure Code has not, it appears, created alarm in the division. In Midnapore the remarks of Mr. Harrison are very favorable to its operation. The new arrangements have worked smoothly, and are not unpopular.

13. In excise, the Commissioner observes that the great problem of the year has been the introduction of the experiment of letting the licenses of certain liquor shops to the highest bidder, instead of as formerly at a fixed fee. The result has been to reduce the number of shops and the consumption of liquor, but to increase the cost of liquor and to enhance the revenue. The system is still on its trial.

14. Mr. Buckland thinks, and he says that the same opinion is held by many intelligent natives, that the withdrawal of the income-tax was a mistake. It was the only tax, he remarks, that caught the rich trading classes

and the mahajans, however imperfectly. If the tax had been retained at ever so low a rate, the Government could, when necessary, by a mere turn of the screw have doubled or multiplied it as it pleased.

15. Municipalities work well in the Burdwan Division. The road cess proceedings of the Hooghly Committee have been specially reviewed by the Lieutenant-Governor. The progress of the District Education Committees is said to have been encouraging. The little Hooghly Municipalities and Town Committees are distinguished by their independent and public spirit. The Lieutenant-Governor notices the Commissioner's remark as a hopeful one, that the judicious appointment of Municipal Commissioners is regarded as an honor which the recipients seldom like to relinquish.

17. His Honor regrets to hear of the unsatisfactory condition of the dispensary at Burdwan. If possible, a new site should certainly be chosen nearer the town and native bazars as suggested by Mr. Buckland. The Lieutenant-Governor would be glad to hear what may be resolved on in this matter, as well as further particulars of the Kistonuggur Dispensary in Midnapore, which has been closed, it is said, because the patron owed it Rs. 1,500, and to recover which amount a civil suit is in contemplation. The other dispensaries, of which there are several in the division, seem to have done well.

18. The district post in the division is, it is said, efficiently managed under the agency of the officers of the imperial Post Office. The attention of the Post-Master-General will be directed to the Magistrate of Burdwan's objection to a charge of postage on Government letters in cases where the letters are conveyed for the greater part of the distance at the cost of the zemindari dâk.

19. The Comissioner's observations on the subject of death from snake-bites and wild animals will be communicated to the Judicial Department of Government, where the whole question is now before the consideration of the Lieutenant-Governor.

20. His Honor is glad to notice the favorable comments of the Commissioner on the conduct of zemindars during the year. The testimony of Commissioner and Magistrate is very favorable regarding the conduct of the firm known as Messrs. Watson & Co., in their position of zemindars in the Midnapore district. In one capacity or another one-fifth of the rent of this very extensive district is collected by this firm. Among the native zemindars who have been distinguished for active benevolence and liberality, the Commissioner notices Baboo Joykishen Mookerjee in Hooghly, Baboo Nobin Chunder Nag in Midnapore, Baboo Radhabullub Singh of Kunchiakole, Baboo Damoodur Singh of Maliara in Bancoorah, and Baboo Ramrunjun Chuckerbutty of Hitumpore in Beerbhoom. The Maharajah of Burdwan has, with his accustomed liberality, made a further donation of Rs. 10,000 during the year as an addition to his former subscription of Rs. 50,000 in aid of the dispensaries for the suppression of the epidemic fever.

21. The Lieutenant-Governor's acknowledgments are due to Mr. Buckland for his careful supervision.

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ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE PRESIDENCY DIVISION FOR 1872-73.

RESOLUTION.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 22nd October 1873.

READ—

The annual Administration Report of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division for the year 1872-73.

1. THE present Commissioner was only in charge during a small part of the year, and his report could not therefore be so exhaustive as the Lieutenant-Governor hopes it will be next time. His Honor's thanks are, however, due to Lord Ulick Browne for a zealous and efficient administration since he assumed charge and a careful report.

2. The sub-divisional officers of this division seem to have duly attended to their duty in making tours into the interior.

3. The condition of the people in this division is believed to be improving, and is tolerably prosperous in the 24-Pergunnahs district. The proximity of Calcutta affords a ready sale and a comparatively high rate of wages, while from the north, south, and west of the district rice is largely raised and exported, and quantities of timber and firewood and thatching leaves can be obtained from the Soonderbuns for the mere trouble of cutting. Immigration into this district is still steady, and there are no complaints of over-population. It is to be regretted that the peasantry of Jessore and Nuddea are not so well off, but His Honor believes in Jessore, though the ryots may be poor, there are many jotedars, gantedars, and others who, with their rice fields and date gardens, occupy something of the position of peasant proprietors. In Nuddea the people came wonderfully through the floods, and then and since have shown much self-reliance. The inundation of 1871-72 has no doubt had the effect of enriching the soil a good deal; and it is certain that the produce of two great staples in this division—indigo and the date-tree—was unusually good last year.

4. It is said by the Commissioner that the relations between ryots and planters have on the whole been amicable; the Lieutenant-Governor has, however, heard of some cases in which it did not seem to be so. The Commissioner alludes to a system of cultivation adopted by Baboo Jadu Nath Roy and another native gentleman, under which the ryot grows as much or little indigo as he pleases; and when the manufacturing season comes, takes it to the vats, where note is kept of the quantity, and eventually, after the indigo has been sold, receives a proportion of the proceeds of the manufactured article. His Honor will be glad to learn how this co-operative system is found to work.

5. There are large jute factories at Baranagore and Gowripore, both in the 24-Pergunnahs, and also at Fort Gloucester, 15 miles down the Hooghly, and several new factories are rising round Calcutta. There can be no doubt that in this district these manufactories are a great success; the people show much aptitude for the work, and it seems that the neighbourhood of Calcutta will become before long a great seat of manufacturing industry.

6. The Municipal Bill, the new Criminal Procedure Code, the educational policy of Government, and the imposition of the Road Cess, are the subjects on which public feeling exhibited itself during the year. It was the educated section of the community, remarks the Commissioner, who sought to infuse their ideas into the minds of their less enlightened and less inquisitive countrymen, laying before them pictures of imaginary evils as the probable result of the measures referred to. The native gentry do not like losing the chance of a succession of appeals up to the High Court in all kinds of cases. On this subject Mr. Stevens, the Magistrate of Nuddea, writes as follows:—

"I believe that the law of the Criminal Procedure Code regarding summary trials was to some extent misunderstood; it was thought to be wider in its oper-

ation than it really is. Since however the Act has been in force, I have heard no word of complaint against the manner in which either of the officers holding summary powers in this district has exercised them. The persistent abuse of the right of appeal has become so thoroughly familiar to the native mind, that the checks introduced by the new code were looked upon with much dread. Crimes and criminals do not repel a native of this country as they repel a European; but a prisoner is looked upon more as an object of compassion in being unfortunate enough to be caught than as a violator of the laws of society and a public enemy. Hence the fact that trivial technicalities might prevail to cause the release of a guilty man, produced little dissatisfaction in the mind of anyone who was not personally interested in a case. The subtlety of the technicality had an attraction for the native mind, while the easy good nature which is a Bengalee characteristic, was pleased by the release of the prisoner. I think, however, that the strong feeling in this matter has begun to die away. The power of enhancing punishments has been exercised very sparingly both by the Judge and by myself."

7. Although it is said that the Lieutenant-Governor's scheme of primary education has not as yet commended itself to the higher classes owing to a fear that their own influence will be affected by it, and although it is unpopular with the native educational officers employed in the district who, it is said, dislike their subordination to the Magistrate, the public generally seem to be pleased with the change. The Commissioner remarks that the impetus given to primary education is satisfactory, "and a new era has now commenced in the educational history of the country."

8. The disappearance of the income tax has been gradual, and its abolition has therefore not created excitement, but has been looked upon with favour in this division.

9. The transfer of the rent-suits from the revenue to the civil courts is said to have not yet reconciled itself to the suitors, and no doubt there is cause of complaint regarding delay and expense which are now inevitable. The remarks of Mr. Porter, the Joint-Magistrate of Baraset, to which the Commissioner invites attention, are, however, too exclusively from a zemindaree point of view; and we must consider strict justice to ryots as well as speedy process for zemindars.

10. The municipal committees are reported to have on the whole worked satisfactorily. The Magistrate of Nuddea speaks in high terms of the three principal municipalities of that district. The most successful is, he thinks, Krishnaghur. "We have," he writes, "a body of intelligent men, chiefly professional, independent in their views, but acting in harmony both with the Government and with each other, and content to the very useful, though quiet and unobtrusive, work. During three years' experience I cannot call to mind one instance of petty jealousy or party feeling." The minor municipalities have also been fairly successful. Generally speaking, Mr. Stevens writes, those are best which are entirely composed of natives. Although party feeling does greatly impair their efficiency, and though there is often much ado about nothing where there is no one else to do anything, they no doubt do a little. As the Magistrate again says, it is possible that the executive officer of Government would do the mere work better, but when we think of the attempts we are now making to govern the country more minutely, we must feel in an increasing degree the necessity for developing the capacity of the people for local self-government.

11. The account of the Commissioner seems to show that even in the metropolitan districts the influence of the native press is not very wide-spread. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to observe the statement that the less important native papers do not show such ill will to Government as those of greater pretensions, such as the *Hindoo Patriot* and *Amrita Bazaar Patrika*, though what Lord Ulick Browne says of their following the example set them of attacking individuals and Government officers, is no doubt an evil. The Commissioner of Burdwan in his report has dwelt strongly on this point, and His Honor fears that native officers are unduly sensitive to what is written against them.

12. The establishment of rural sub-registry offices has proved of great advantage, and has saved trouble and expense to the people.

13. Lord Ulick Browne is also much in favor of the scheme for the Lower Subordinate Executive service, which has recently been carried into effect. "It has," he says, "all the elements of success, and cannot but be a most useful and efficient auxiliary to the administrative arrangements of the country."

14. The road cess has not yet become enough of reality for the ryot to cause him to make much complaint. It is said to be unpopular among the higher classes, but they accept it as inevitable. The Lieutenant-Governor regrets to read in the Collector of Nuddea's report that signs have already begun to show themselves which indicate that the landlord will attempt to throw the whole tax on the ryots. A sub-divisional officer of that district has lately had presented for registration 157 leases, a condition of which was that the tenant should pay any Government cess which might be imposed, a provision which, though no doubt illegal, shows the spirit prevailing. Despite, however, the odium which necessarily attaches to taxation, the cess can, says the Commissioner, scarcely fail to produce great advantages to the people when its effects on the communications of the country are seen a few years hence. The account which Lord Ulick Browne gives of the district roads in another place shows that his division, while it has clearly reached the stage when the road cess may properly be imposed, especially requires the benefits that will be afforded by it.

15. Lord Ulick Browne dwells at length on the complaint, that under new administrative changes and arrangements, officers, and principally district officers, are over-worked. The Lieutenant-Governor would express a hope on this subject that as they learn method and distribution of work the grievance will wear off. He cannot acknowledge that the creation of sub-divisions should increase a Magistrate-Collector's work. The total quantity of work it certainly increases, but it also increases the working machinery, and should relieve the head of the district from details. If the district officer takes his proper place as the general controller and supervisor of outlying sub-divisions, and makes the most of his Joint-Magistrate or other experienced Assistants in the head-quarters division and on general work, His Honor thinks that the Magistrate-Collector of a fully sub-divided district should not be over-worked, but should be head of a large and important machine which he should keep in order as head engineer, not himself acting as stoker and poker and everything else. The Lieutenant-Governor also can hardly agree with the Commissioner's view that Magistrates should always go out into camp as formerly with their establishments and correspondence, so as to place himself in the same position as regards work that he is in when at the sudder station. His Honor thinks there is much to be said for the present plan of going out with one or two clerks, and letting the district work of a routine character be done at head-quarters. At the same time if a Magistrate can now and then go more deliberately into camp, this may have its advantages.

The Lieutenant-Governor remarks with pleasure the Commissioner's observation, that on the part of none of his subordinates, from the district officer downwards, has there been any disposition to avoid giving full effect to any orders which have been received. Some of the orders may have been distasteful to those whose duty it was to carry them out, but it has throughout been His Honor's experience that whatever officers previous ideas may have been, they have, speaking generally, and as a body, carried out recent reforms zealously, thoroughly, and well, with no hanging back or passive resistance, but with an active interest. Sir George Campbell has felt this and acknowledges it thoroughly.

The Commissioner alludes in another place to the policy of Government having been such as to deprive the Magistrates of districts of almost every fraction of personal influence by sedulously teaching the people that they need obey no instructions unless the officer who gives it can point to a particular law as his authority; but the Lieutenant-Governor hopes we are getting over this difficulty and now exercising fair influence.

16. Considerable attention has been bestowed in this division to the collection of useful statistics of more than one description. The select mortuary statistics have been more successful in towns than in the rural areas; in the Chooadangah area they have been very unsuccessful, but elsewhere there is good hope of a successful result. The report of the special Deputy Collector,

Baboo Ram Shunker Sen, who was appointed for the purpose of obtaining correct statistics regarding food grains, and staples, and other subjects in the district of Jessore, has submitted his report for the sub-divisions of Magoorah and Jhenidah, and it is very interesting and instructive.

17. It is satisfactory to note that the importance of accurate records of rights and holdings in settlement operations is now fully recognised. His Honor hopes that something may be done in the way of improvement of estates under the Court of Wards.

18. The taste for spirits and intoxicating drugs is on the increase, and is attributed by the Commissioner more to the increasing prosperity of the people, and to the free-thinking tendencies of the age, than to anything else. However this increase in the consumption of spirits is to be regretted in, it can hardly, says the Commissioner, be said that the use of liquor leads to crime in this country, whatever it may do in Europe.

19. The Magistrate of Jessore points out that the money-lenders are to some extent kept out of court by the heavy stamp duties now required. This is no doubt the case, and if this was the only effect, it would not be so bad; but the Lieutenant-Governor believes that the fees are really too high in many instances, such as suits about rent, exaction, &c.

20. Lord Ulick Browne remarks on the satisfactory management of the Eastern Bengal Railway, about which there are scarcely any complaints. The facilities of the railway are thoroughly appreciated, and no one cares to walk if he can only find the money for his fare.

21. With regard to dispensaries, it is a matter of regret that more in-patients are not received, and surgical cases especially. The Lieutenant-Governor hopes that efforts will be made at sub-divisions where there are sub-assistant surgeons to supply a ward to receive accident and surgical cases.

22. Rajah Komul Krishna and Baboo Bussunt Koomar Roy Chowdhry are both favorably mentioned by the Commissioner for the interest they take in the establishment of dispensaries. His Honor is glad again to recognize the exemplary manner in which Mr. Sibbald of Sibbaldgunge, in the Meherpore sub-division of the Nuddea district, discharges the duties of a good and popular landlord. Koomar Narendra Krishna is also an excellent landlord.

23. The Lieutenant-Governor will conclude this resolution by quoting the words of the Magistrate of Nuddea who expresses his belief that the people, notwithstanding their alleged grievances, are thoroughly loyal throughout all classes. "We ought," writes Mr. Stevens, "to make great allowances for the feelings of persons governed by foreigners, whose manners and customs are perfectly unknown to most of the people, and are imitated rather than adopted by even the most advanced. Under such circumstances it is not strange if sometimes motives are misunderstood or facts distorted. Of this I am perfectly certain that the people of this district appreciate the good will of Government and of its officers to them, and desire no violent radical changes."

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Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 1st November 1873.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
BENGAL.						
	Western Districts.	1873.				
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan ...	Nov. 4th*	Nil	Weather dry and cool ...	Prospects of crops bad, except in low lands and where irrigation is going on. Cold weather crops are being sown in Culna. Rice rather cheaper.	Fever prevalent.
2	Bancoorah ...	" 1st	Nil	Dry and cool ...	Not much change since last week; a good deal of rice crop has been saved by irrigation. Teel, oilseed, and sugarcane crops are very good in the south, but have suffered much elsewhere; preparations are being made generally for sowing the cold weather crops, and where water is obtainable sowings have actually commenced. Slight rise in the price of rice.	
3	Beerbhoom ...	" 1st	Nil	Bright and clear. Cold weather coming in.	The harvest of the early rice crop, which is about one-fifth of the district, is turning out better than was expected. Owing in great measure to the timely utilization of the tank supplies, ten annas may possibly be secured; of the late rice crop, probably not less than five, possibly seven annas will be saved even without rain; with rain now eight annas. Tank irrigation has during the past month been extended as widely as possible. Price of common rice has risen one seer since last report.	
4	Midnapore ...	" 1st	Nil	No rain; cold weather seems to have set in. Stormy wind from north and north-west the last three days.	Not changed for the better. All chance of rain in any useful form has passed. Still the late rice crop is reckoned at three-fifths of an average crop over the whole district, including the irrigable area and the littoral tract, though scarcely one-fifth in the jungle mehals. This, viz three-fifths, is very nearly the proportion of the crop which the district ordinarily consumes, exporting the remainder. The prospects of the cold weather food crops are bad, but they are not of much importance in this district. The mulberry, which is a valuable crop in the east, is suffering from drought. It is probable that a good deal of *boro* (winter) rice may be sown where river water is obtainable, and that more than the ordinary proportion of land will be planted with early rice next year. This proportion, about one-sixteenth, is capable of being largely increased, and the late rice is usually preferred because it entails so much less labor, though on the other hand it is much more precarious.	

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Western Districts.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
BURDWAN DIVN.—(*Contd.*) 5	Hooghly ...	Nov. 1st	Nil	Clear throughout; wind northerly.	Clouds forming. From personal inspection the Collector says that the Hooghly thannah police reports appear exaggerated. He does not think more than 8 annas is yet lost, and rain would save the remainder. Irrigation practised energetically, but water getting exhausted in many parts of the district.	
	Howrah ...	" 1st	Nil	Evenings, nights, and mornings cold. Weather bright, and apparently set fair. Heavy dews, and apparently no hopes of rain.	The chief alteration since last report is that the crops have undergone another dry week. In the Jugguthullubpore thannah the crops are very bad, and it is feared that only an insignificant proportion can now be saved. Elsewhere the rule is that the further one goes south, the better crops one sees. The water stores are still low, and likely to do all that is wanted from them. Hitherto the ryots seem not to have despaired that rain would come in time, and they did not irrigate. Now, however, they are busily engaged in irrigating; there is much water still lying about and otherwise procurable from the rivers and water-courses, and this will save much rice without rain.	
	Central Districts.					
PRESIDENCY DIVISION. 6	24-Pergunnahs ...	" 4th*	Nil.	The weather has been cloudy, but without rain; cool during the first five days with northerly breeze, but close and heavy the last two days.	The prospects of the late rice is week by week becoming more gloomy as the drought continues. Under any circumstances the crop must be a very short one, and will, unless rain come, speedily, almost entirely, fail except on the very low-lying lands.	Fever still continues in Barripore, Baraset and Satkhirah.
7	Nuddea ...	" 1st	Nil	Dry and hot. The sky is frequently clouded over, but no rain falls, or seems likely to fall. Heavy dews in Koosteah, but there is next to no dew in the Sudder.	The late rice on high lands may now be said to have been irretrievably ruined. Of that which is in the low grounds, a portion will under any circumstances be saved; and if rain falls a moderate crop in such situations might be looked for. The sowing of cold weather crops has been generally deferred for want of rain. Mustard and linseed, which have been sown, have in many places been eaten up by insects as fast as the seed has germinated. Teel—oilseed, rahur—and chillies promise fairly. The ryots are irrigating their rice wherever they can, and no doubt something will be thus saved. The early rice crop was fortunately very good on the greater part of the district, but it is being exported to other districts. Prices vary very much; they appear higher at Krishnaghur than elsewhere, and this is said to be the result of combination among the mahajuns: on the day of report prices have slightly fallen, but they had suddenly risen by one-half.	There is but little sickness in the district.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)						
8	Jessore ...	Nov. 1st	Nil	Clear and bright, with a northerly wind. No rain.	The want of rain is continuing to injure the crops on the higher lands, and the northern and western parts of the district, which are higher than the rest, will suffer a good deal of damage. The lower lying lands to the east and south are better off. In Magoorah sub-division the harvest is expected to be a good ordinary one, and that the winter crops are doing well to date. In Nurrail sub-division the outturn will be not less than a ten annas, nor more than a twelve annas crop of an average year. In Khoolnah and Bagirhaut sub-divisions a similar outturn may, according to present estimate, be expected. Prices of food-grains are rising all over the district. Within the last three days the price of common rice at the head-quarters has risen from 26 to 16 seers per rupee, owing to sudden demand for exportation to Chagdah and the westward.	
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.						
9	Moorshedabad ...	„ 1st	Nil	A slight shower fell in the south-eastern parts of the district at the beginning of the week, but no rain is reported elsewhere. The weather is much cooler, and there are no signs of rain.	The crops on the high lands have withered almost beyond recovery. In the low lands of the Kalantor in the south-east of the district, and generally in the beels, the paddy is much better and in ears. The cold weather sowings are also suffering from want of rain, and in the south-east some injury has been caused by a small insect similar to the grass-hopper. The outturn will be, it is feared, less than a four annas one. Prices continue to rise.	
10	Dinagepore ...	„ 1st	Nil	Fine, cool and pleasant in the mornings; sun hot in the middle of day.	No improvement to report as there has been no rain. Some places are of course worse off than others, and rain could do little good now to the rice crops, but is wanted for the winter crops. The price of rice is slightly cheaper.	
11	Maldah ...	„ 1st	Nil	Weather fair, no prospects of rain; days hot, nights cold.	The prospects of the hemunt or late rice are worse than last week, since there has been no rain. In Shibgunge thannah six annas of the late rice crop is expected. The cold weather crops are being sown, and if there is rain, will most likely turn out well. An insect called "bhua" has attacked the cold weather crops in thannahs English Bazar and Kalliachuck. There is a marked rise in the price of rice this week, and the prospects can scarcely be worse.	

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.—(*Contd.*) 12	Rajshahye ...	Nov. 1st	Nil	There was a very slight fall of rain in the jurisdiction of station Boraigong last Wednesday. No rain elsewhere, though in the first part of the week it was cloudy. It has since cleared, and a northerly wind is blowing.	The transplanted rice is a complete failure except only few beegahs here and there in the vicinity of tanks. The tanks are drying up fast. The deep-water rice, however, will yield a fair crop. Prices of rice continue stationary. Rain is necessary for the cold weather crops. Teel—oil-seed and urhur—pulse are thriving. For sugarcane rain is also wanted. Indigo is being sown.	
13	Rungpore ...	„ 1st	Nil	A little rain to the south; no news of rain elsewhere.	The paddy crop is in much the same state; better reports from distant thannahs. In the north, north-west, and north-east, the people are busy in sowing the spring crops. Course rice in the sudder station selling at Rs. 5 per maund, and at about Rs. 2-8 to Rs. 3 throughout the district.	
14	Bograh ..	„ 1st	Nil	Cooler, but still dry ...	The greater part of the late rice crop is past recovery in consequence of the continued drought. Sugarcane, in parts of the district, is reported as flourishing. Cold weather crops are being sown.	
15	Pubna ...	„ 1st	Nil	Cloudy and cold, with rather chilly winds.	The late rice in the high lands is almost destroyed; that on the low lands is somewhat better, but rain is still much wanted. Cold weather crops are being sown.	
COOCH BEHAR DIVISION. 16	Darjeeling ...	„ 1st	Nil	Threatening sky at intervals, but not a drop of rain.	Although there has been a great deficiency in the rainfall, the crops have not suffered so much as might have been anticipated, as in the terai irrigation is freely resorted to. A twelve-anna crop may even now be obtained throughout the district. The price of rice has gone up, but this may be owing to a good deal having been sold in the terai to purchasers from other districts. In the hills, bhootta; there would have been a fair outturn but for the visitation of locusts in July. The price is rising, but no serious consequences are anticipated unless the Nepaulese should attempt to import from this side. Murwa has almost entirely failed, but it is not of much consequence. Potatoes; neither quality nor quantity so good as last year for unequal rainfall. About one-fourth of the anticipated crop has been lost.	

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
	Central Districts.—(Contd.)					
Cooch Behar Division.—(*Contd.*) 17	Julpigoree ..	Oct. 25th	Nil	Fine and bright weather; heavy dews; cold weather setting in.	The state of the rice crop varies greatly in different parts of the district, but generally the short rainfall has affected it. In the Dooars, from the border of Darjeeling to the Jaldoka river, the rice crop is good; in parts very good. The rice crop all round this tract may be put down at fifteen annas. Getting down towards Buxa and on to the Gowalpara Dooars the crop varies, being towards the Patgram border poor, but good in the interior of the Dooars. Special loss in some parts of the Dooars, and further report called for. The Deputy Commissioner has reason to believe that a fourteen annas will fairly represent the actual crop all round from the Jaldoka river to the Gowalpara border. In Patgram the want of rain has been severely felt, and the loss of crop is from five to six annas. In South Beda, and more especially the parts towards Rungpore, the loss is said to vary from eight to six annas. Julpigoree and around it, there will be a fair twelve annas crop. From Julpigoree on to Siliguri, and in the Ambari and Bykantpore tracts, the loss is estimated at a four annas. From Julpigoree to Titalyah the crop varies greatly. On the whole, a thirteen annas crop is expected in the district, which is not exceptionally bad crop. Beparees are coming in to purchase grains which will raise the price, but it will tell on the artizan class only, whose wages will have to be raised also. The agricultural class is well-to-do and have stores. No rain wanted at present. Cold weather crops are being sown.	
	Cooch Behar ...	,, 25th	Nil.	Fine mornings and evenings, pleasantly cool.	Prospect same as last week. Rain is wanted.	
	Eastern Districts.					
Dacca Division. 18	Dacca ...	Nov. 4th*	0·34	Weather dry and hot up to the 3rd instant, when there was heavy rain; clouds still hanging about, and prospects of more rain.	Rain not sufficient to do much good as yet.	
19	Furreedpore ...	,, 1st	Nil	Clear sunshine throughout the week.	Much the same as last week, excepting that an additional week's drought has in no way improved the prospects of the rice crop.	
20	Backergunge ...	,, 1st	Nil	Cold nights and hot days. North wind blowing.	Under the average. There will be plenty for home consumption, but there will be less than usual for exportation. The high lands have suffered the most. In some of the low-lying tracts, on the other hand the crop is better than usual. The crop in the Patuakhali sub-division is said to be good. In Manpura and other parts of the Dukhin Sabazpore sub-division the crop has been damaged by insects. Taking the district all round there will probably be a twelve annas crop.	

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No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sadder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Eastern Districts—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
DACCA DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)						
21	Mymensing ...	Nov. 1st	Nil	Bright and clear, cool mornings and evenings with dews at night; no present appearance of rain.	Another week of dry weather has made the prospect of the rice crop worse than ever; pulses are being sown but the ground is so hard that cultivation is difficult.	Fever reported to be very prevalent in the south-west of the district.
22	Sylhet ...	Oct. 25th	0·16	Tolerably cool during the day, chilly at night and towards morning.	Not very promising. The rain expected with the new moon has not fallen. Unless there is rain with the full moon the late rice crop will be a good deal destroyed. There has been heavy rain eastwards in Cachar, and this will do some good to the crops at Latu. An insect called the "Lubai" has done a great deal of damage to the late rice crops; it appears in this district in September if there is little or no rain. The price of rice has risen from 36 seers to 26¼ seers per rupee, in consequence of the brisk export trade which has already begun. Full report about crops next week. Briefly put, the low lands have yielded a good crop. The high lands will fall short by nearly half, unless there be a blight next month and then the whole late crops will go.	
23	Cachar ...	„ 25th	1·15	Fair	The prospects of the paddy crops are very good throughout two-thirds of the district. In the remainder flies and deficiency of rain have caused damage, the extent of which is under enquiry. It has been so far a very good tea season.	
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.						
24	Chittagong ...	„ 25th	0·16	A few drops of rain on Sunday, the 19th October, weather during the week otherwise fair and getting cool in the mornings.	Slight damage by insects reported from Meerkaserai. No change since last report in other parts of the district.	
25	Noakhally ...	„ 25th	0·37	Weather fair. North winds prevalent, days and nights cool.	To the south of Sudharam, in the islands of Hatteah and Sidhi, the late rice is reported to be injured by the "Sani" and "Mayoah" insects. In other parts of the district it is reported to be doing well.	
26	Tipperah ...	Nov. 1st	Nil	Weather still muggy and rather cloudy towards evening. But there seems to be no likelihood of a heavy fall.	Prospects gradually getting worse and a six-anna crop is the most that can be expected. Rain can scarcely be hoped for now. The official reports, however, strangely enough, seem to be more gloomy than those of the parties most concerned, and it is hoped that the low lands may yet yield a moderate crop. Famine in the terrible sense of the word is not to be apprehended. True, rice has risen enormously lately (Rs. 3 per maund last Sunday), but this was in consequence of the mahajuns buying largely. Twenty miles south it was Rs. 2 a maund.	

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BENGAL—(*Contd.*)						
	Eastern Districts.—(Contd.)					
CHITTAGONG DIVN.—(*Contd.*) 27	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Oct. 25th	1·42	Cool throughout the whole week; foggy in the morning.	The early paddy crop has been harvested, but the outturn has not been equal to that of the last year. The late rice crop is being gathered but owing to the early cessation of rains it has not been very successful. The prospects of the cotton crop are good, it is brought for sale now in small quantities to the local markets. Up to date there has been no fear of scarcity.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	„ 25th	Nil	Much the same as last week. No rain, but it is gradually getting cooler.	The paddy on the low lands only will be saved; that on the high lands is irretrievably lost. Mustard sowing has commenced.	
BEHAR.						
PATNA DIVISION. 28	Patna ...	Nov. 3rd*	Nil	No rain as yet ...	Nothing to add to the last week's report, except that the prospects are daily getting worse.	The health of the district is all that could be desired.
29	Gya ..	„ 1st	Nil	Cool and fine. No rain has fallen in any part of the district.	No improvement since last return. The prospects of the rice and cold weather crop continue most gloomy.	
30	Shahabad ...	„ 1st	Nil	Hot during the day and cool at night. Prevailing wind west.	The only change since last week is that an additional seven days of dry weather has made prospects worse. The rice crop can only be saved where up to this time it has been kept alive by artificial irrigation. Canal irrigation in the Saseeram Sub-division is still being carried on and is doing material good. In the north of the district on the Dearah lands the cold weather crops look well, elsewhere without early rain, that which has been sown will give a very poor outturn, and a considerable portion of land must remain unsown and fallow. No remarkable rising in prices since last week.	
31	Tirhoot ..	„ 1st	Nil	Bright and sunny ...	The prospects of the rice crop in the Sittamarhee sub-division continue bad. The paddy crops between Nanpore and Settamarhee are in a very bad state, and there is no river near from which water can be got for irrigation purposes. In some places the paddy has been cut for fodder. The cold weather crops have been sown in places, but have not come up in many places for want of moisture. The rice land for two miles on each side of the Bogmatti river may yield an eight to twelve anna crop. Nothing may be expected of the paddy except where irrigation is possible. The paddy crops now are much inferior to those of 1273F, but the (bhadoi) early crops have been superior. Pulses doing well. In Tajpore sub-division things could not well be worse. The paddy is	

* Telegram of the 3rd November received on the 4th. Shows the rainfall during the seven days including the 4th idem.

	No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall during preceding fortnight in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	Remarks.
BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)			1873.				
PATNA DIVISION—(*Contd.*)						nearly all still standing, but it is feared that even a heavy rain within seven days would but save two to three annas of it. The ryots would have cut much of it ere this could they have done anything with the land when cleared, and had they not still hopes of setting rain within the full moon. The cold weather crops are being sown on light lands, the ryots availing themselves of the night moisture, but the seed germinates sparingly, and what comes up wants rain badly soon. That the only redeeming feature of the season is the condition of the Dearah cold weather crop sowings. Heavy lands still unploughed. Tobacco is very backward, and in some places seems to make no progress whatever. In Durbhangah the prospect of the rice crop is very bad, and rain is much wanted for cold weather sowings. The prospects in the rest of the district are gloomy. Prices same as last week.	
	32	Sarun ...	Nov. 1st	Nil	Clear sky, no signs of rain, weather cool, dews at night, east and west wind.	Prospects are getting worse and worse for want of rain. All the high land paddy has been burnt; that of the low lands, if it does not rain soon, will yield less than a six annas harvest. The cold weather crops are being sown in places where the soil has sufficient moisture, but large tracts of land will remain unsown unless rain falls. Indigo fields are being ploughed. Prices rising.	
	33	Chumparun ...	,, 1st	Nil	Cool in the mornings and evenings, but hot in the middle of the day.	The prospects of the late paddy is more gloomy than heretofore; there is no hope of even six annas harvest. Every assistance is rendered to the farmers and cultivators to irrigate their fields by allowing them to dam rivers and khals across which there are Government ferries, but the portion that will be thus irrigated is very small in extent in comparison to the more inland cultivation. The prospect of the cold weather crops is not very cheering, as the plants are dying for want of moisture; the yield of the late Bhadoi or early crops is estimated at eight annas, but whatever the cultivators harvested they had to make over almost the entire quantity to the mahajuns; the little they had would at the most furnish food for a month more. From enquiries made it appears that there is enough food-grains in the hands of the mahajuns of the district as to supply food for the whole population for another six months.	
BHAGULPORE DIVN.	34	Monghyr ...	,, 1st	Nil	Cool with a high wind, not a drop of rain and no appearance of it.	With the exception of a few *dearah* lands and lands lately inundated by the Ganges, the whole country is dried up. The rice crop may be considered nearly hopeless, and at present the cold weather crops cannot be sown at all.	

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)						
		1873.				
BHAGULPORE DIVISION. 35	Bhaugulpore ...	Nov. 4th*	Nil	Clouded up from south-east on the 3rd November and slight rain has been falling since the morning of the 4th at head-quarters and between Sahebgunge and Sultangunge. More rain looks possible and will be of great benefit.	Late paddy is very bad indeed in Soopool and part of Muddehpoora Sub-division. No improvement to report.	General health very good.
36	Purneah ...	„ 1st	Nil	No change.	The cold weather sowings are being proceeded with, but unless rain falls soon the yield will be small. Reports from the east of the district worse, from other quarters same as before.	
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	„ 1st	Nil	Cold and dry with apparently no chance of rain.	Prospects even more gloomy than last week, as it is now too late to hope for rain. Cold weather crops will be very bad indeed. Bunds are being cut in all directions to save as much winter rice as possible.	
ORISSA.						
ORISSA DIVISION. 38	Cuttack ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	Return not received.
39	Pooree ...	„ 25th	0·48	Cloudy ...	Weeding in the late rice fields in certain pergunnahs finished, and in others it is forming into ears, as well as the Laghu or second rice crop. Prospects of the cold weather crops continue favorable, and in this part of the district all is well up to date. Khoordha Sub-division—The Laghu or second rice crop is being reaped. Prospects of the late rice pretty good; the crops suffered to some extent from insufficiency of rain.	
40	Balasore ...	„ 1st	Nil	Dry, with wind. No signs of rain at head-quarters. Rainfall at Bhuddruck 0·14.	A very slight fall of rain has taken place throughout most of the Bhuddruck sub-division and has done some good. No rain has fallen elsewhere, and the prospects of a limited area at the extreme north of the district are extremely bad. On the whole however the harvest is not expected to fall much short of an average one. Prices rising slightly in consequence of exportations.	
CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-West Frontier Agency.*						
41	Hazareebaugh ...	„ 1st	Nil	No sign for hope of rain	It is difficult to ascertain what the rice crop yields. Accounts vary so enormously. The outturn of the year should be put at half that of an ordinary years. Following the total loss of the (mukai) maize the poor will have distress, there have been no robberies of stored grain as yet.	
42	Lohardugga ...	„ 1st	Nil	Fine weather, clear and cool.	The rice crop generally has suffered a good deal from the drought, but in many parts it would even now be much benefited by a fall of rain. Rain is anxiously looked for in Palamow in order to prepare the lands for cold weather sowings. Only about four annas of the cold weather crop has been sown as yet. The rice crop generally will no doubt be a short one, but there are no grounds for supposing that it will fail anywhere, and in some parts it will be better than was anticipated. Prices continue the same.	

* Telegram of the 4th November received on the same day. Shows the rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

No.	Place of	Date of last rainfall in each district.	Rainfall during week ending Saturday, Sunset.	Character of the weather in the district so far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
CHOTA NAGPORE—(*Contd.*) *South-West Frontier Agency*—(*Contd.*)						
43	Singbhoom ...	1872. Oct. 25th	Nil	Hot and no signs of rain yet.	Very gloomy generally. Nothing to add to the remarks of last week, except that the state of the crops is getting more hopeless each day. In Porahaut there was some rain on the 11th October, and that part of the country, having a good many tanks and embankments the state of the crops in it, and also in some parts of Seraikeyla, is much more favorable than elsewhere.	
44	Maunbhoom ...	Nov. 1st	Nil	No rain, but little dew ...	The crops have continued to suffer during the past week, and where irrigation is not possible, are drying up and will come to almost nothing. Tanks and reservoirs have been cut all over the district and have saved a large quantity of the low land paddy. Those villages which have no such water supply will be very badly off. Sirgoojah and kurthi, which have been sown, have nearly all failed and the further sowing of these and of mustard, gram, peas, and wheat cannot be proceeded with for want of rain.	
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.						
45	Goalparah ...	Oct. 25th	Nil	The first part of the week was fair and bright and the latter part cloudy.	The late rice plants are reported to be parched by the sun in some places. State of other crops, such as cotton, jute, sugarcane, mustard, &c., is good.	
46	Kamroop ...	Nov. 3rd	Nil	Weather cool and foggy in the morning and night, days hot and clear.	Late rice and tea backward. Sugarcane, cotton, pulse, and mustard crops progressing favorably.	Public health good.
47	Durrung ...	Oct. 25th	Nil	Bright days and nights, occasional fogs in the mornings, easterly wind prevailing.	Rice crops very inferior owing to the long drought. No chance of improvement now.	Fever prevalent. No cholera cases reported.
48	Nowgong ...	„ 25th	0·03	Weather set in cold and clear. Two slight showers on Thursday in the station, but heavy rain fell for half an hour to the south and east of the district in Kothiatoli and Solsolee.	The Bao paddy crop doing well, but the late paddy on the high lands very stunted and sickly in many places for want of rain; the pulses are poor also from the same cause. Sugarcane doing well. Tea doing fairly.	General health good.
49	Seebsanger ...	„ 25th	0·65	Mornings and evenings are cool.	More rain wanted for the late sown paddy. The prospects of the rice crop are not up to the average. The sowing of the mustard crop progresses.	
50	Luckimpore ...	„ 25th	0·81	There was rain on two days which may be said to have ushered in the cold weather.	The crop of rice is threatening to be short, but it cannot be yet said that there will be a material failure; their state is being anxiously watched. North Luckimpore generally good, but the dry crops would be better for a little more rain.	Public health slightly improving.
51	Naga Hills ...	„ 18th	0·26	Mornings and evenings becoming very cool and pleasant.	Crop gathering continues active.	
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills	„ 25th	Nil	The weather has been cold, clear in the early part of the day and cloudy in the afternoon.	The harvest of the Hali or late rice crops continues and the outturn is better than last year, though the rainfall has been short yet the absence of equinoctial gales has counterbalanced the want of moisture. The cereals still standing, millet potato, cotton, &c., are coming on favorably.	
53	Garo Hills ...	„ 25th	Nil	The weather during the week has been very hot; no rain, one or two days were cloudy and there was some appearance of rain, but it passed away, the nights are now beginning to get cold and the cold weather appears to be commencing.	The cotton crop in the lower land is very good, that on the higher only fair. The late rice crop at the foot of the hills has suffered from want of rain, but where irrigation has been practicable it looks very fair.	

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office

Division	District	Station	Rain from 12th to 18th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 19th to 25th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
	WESTERN DISTRICTS.						
BURDWAN.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	57·[illegible]	25th Oct.	
		Cutwa	Nil	0·26	39·20	ditto.	
		Culna	Nil	Nil	43·18	ditto.	
		Bood-Bood	Nil	0·10	48·13	ditto.	
		Raneegunge	0·02	Nil	44·53	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Nil	0·05	43·72	ditto.	
	Bancoorah ...	Bancoorah	Nil	Nil	46·88	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom ...	Sooree	0·01	Nil	53·37	ditto.	
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	Nil	Nil	44·77	ditto.	
		Tumlook	Nil	Nil	47·49	ditto.	
		Gurbetta	Nil	Nil	46·28	ditto.	
		Contai ... Dy. Collr.'s Office ...	1·10	1·03	45·87	ditto.	
		Contai ... Exc. Engr.'s Office	1·28	1·22	51·02	ditto.	
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly	Nil	Nil	38·79	ditto.	
		Serampore	Nil	Nil	43·13	ditto.	
	Howrah ...	Howrah	0·22	Nil	46·56	ditto.	
	CENTRAL DISTRICTS.						
PRESIDENCY.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	0·90	1·30	47·73	ditto.	
		Calcutta	0·15	Nil	44·31	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	0·13	Nil	45·36	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Jail	0·11	Nil	44·31	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut	Nil	Nil	43·19	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
		Baraset	0·16	Nil	40·28	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour	0·01	Nil	50·84	ditto.	
		Barripore	0·11	Nil	50·08	ditto.	
		Satkheyah	Nil	Nil	47·63	ditto.	
		Barrackpore	Nil	Nil	45·97	ditto ...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
		Dum-Dum	Nil	Nil	48·74	ditto ...	" " " "
	Nuddea ...	Kishnaghur	Nil	0·06	46·77	ditto.	
		Bongong	0·25	Nil	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore	Nil	0·15	52·21	ditto.	
		Chooadangah	0·02	0·10	45·92	ditto.	
		Kooshtea	Nil	0·03	38·66	ditto.	
		Ranaghat	0·60	Nil	34·51	ditto.	
	Jessore ...	Jessore	0·53	Nil	44·45	ditto.	
		Nurrail	0·50	Nil	66·71	ditto.	
		Khoolneah	Nil	Nil	59·25	ditto.	
		Jenadah	1·05	Nil	43·15	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut	0·48	Nil	55·91	ditto.	
		Magoorah	0·30	0·12	47·25	ditto.	
RAJSHAHYE.	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	Nil	Nil	31·59	ditto.	
		Ramporehaut	0·04	0·24	28·71	ditto.	
		City Moorshedabad ...	0·13	Nil	27·04	ditto.	
		Jungipore	Nil	Nil	36·14	ditto.	
		Azimgunge	Nil	Nil	34·78	ditto.	
		Lalgolla	Nil	Nil	40·41	ditto ...	From 1st Feb.
	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	0·92	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah ...	Maldah	Nil	Nil	27·92	ditto.	
	Rajshahye ...	Beauleah	0·14	Nil	31·86	ditto.	
		Nattore	Nil	Nil	43·63	ditto.	
	Rungpore ...	Rungpore	Nil	0·16	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge	Nil	Nil	47·28	ditto.	
		Titalya	Nil	Nil	82·72	ditto.	
	Bograh ...	Bograh	0·04	0·05	36·74	ditto.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	Not rec.	Not rec.	43·18	ditto.	
		Serajgunge	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·26	11th Oct.	
COOCH BEHAR.	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	93·66	30th Sept.	
		Darjeeling Hospital ...	Nil	Nil	77·74	25th Oct.	
	Julpigoree ...	Julpigoree	Nil	Nil	88·20	ditto.	
		Fallacotta	Nil	Nil	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah	Nil	Nil	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar	Nil	Nil	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars ...	Buxa	Nil	Nil	175·64	ditto.	
	EASTERN DISTRICTS.						
DACCA.	Dacca ...	Dacca ... Telegraph Office ...	0·22	Nil	60·64	ditto.	
		Dacca ... Hospital ...	0·20	Nil	58·38	ditto.	
		Moonshegunge	0·46	Nil	63·47	ditto.	
		Manickgunge	0·31	Nil	48·86	ditto.	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	Nil	Nil	50·55	ditto.	
		Goalundo	0·30	Nil	42·03	ditto.	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisaul	1·73	Nil	69·61	ditto.	
		Perozepore	0·40	Nil	55·99	ditto.	
		Madaripore	Not rec.	Nil	60·09	ditto ...	Not rec. 12th to 18th Oct.
		Patooakhally	4·56	Nil	89·84	ditto.	
		Dowlat Khan	5·70	0·05	99·66	ditto.	
	Mymensing ...	Mymensing	0·27	Nil	61·39	ditto.	
		Jamalpore	0·25	Nil	48·56	ditto.	
		Atteah	0·36	Nil	44·06	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge	2·36	Nil	67·43	ditto.	
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	0·50	0·16	126·34	ditto.	
	Cachar ...	Cachar	4·10	1·15	102·10	ditto.	
		Hylakandy	2·34	Not rec.	85·37	18th Oct.	
		Koyah	1·78	2·31	83·65	25th Oct...	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
CHITTAGONG.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	3·50	0·20	84·60	ditto.	
		Chittagong Jail	3·21	0·16	85·44	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar	5·09	0·34	151·98	ditto.	
	Noakhally ...	Noakhally	6·73	0·36	115·81	ditto.	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	0·52	Nil	72·20	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah	3·08	Nil	58·32	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill	1·02	1·42	72·95	ditto.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	0·82	Nil	57·47	ditto.	

Province.	District.	Station.	Rainfall for the week ending 31st Oct. 1873.	Rainfall for the week ending 31st Oct. 1873.	Rain from 1st July to date 1873.		Remarks.
			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Up to date. 1873.	
BEHAR.							
PATNA.	Patna ...	Patna ...	Nil	Nil	36·49	25th Oct.	
		Behar ...	Nil	Nil	38·09	ditto.	
		Barh ...	Nil	Nil	33·18	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Jail ...	0·20	Nil	34·16	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Cantonment ...	0·15	Nil	34·75	ditto.	
	Gya ...	Gya ...	Nil	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah ...	Nil	Nil	40·90	ditto.	
		Arungabad ...	Nil	Nil	33·04	ditto.	
		Jehanabad ...	Nil	Nil	38·73	ditto.	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah ...	Nil	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram ...	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar ...	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhubooah ...	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot ...	Mozufferpore ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	29·03	11th Oct.	
		Durbhangah ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	34·46	ditto.	
		Hajeepore ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·36	ditto.	
		Mudhubani ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	27·61	ditto.	
		Seetamaree ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	37·10	ditto.	
		Tajpore ...	Nil	Nil	31·11	25th Oct.	
	Sarun ...	Chuprah ...	Nil	Nil	33·88	ditto.	
		Sewan ...	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Chumparun ...	Motecharri ...	Nil	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah ...	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
BHAGULPORE.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr ...	Nil	Nil	38·20	ditto.	
		Bagooserai ...	Nil	Nil	35·85	ditto.	
		Jamooie ...	Nil	Not rec.	43·09	18th Oct.	
	Bhaugulpore ...	Bhaugulpore ...	Nil	Nil	28·62	25th Oct.	
		Soopool ...	Nil	Nil	26·73	ditto ...	Not received 5th to 11th Oct.
		Mudheypoorah ...	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka ...	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Sanborsa ...	0·33	Nil	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah ...	Purneah ...	Nil	Nil	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge ...	Nil	Nil	37·69	ditto.	
		Arrareah ...	Nil	Nil	35·00	ditto.	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Deoghur ...	Nil	Nil	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara ...	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto ...	Not recorded 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal ...	Nil	Nil	23·09	ditto.	
		Moheshpore ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	25·24	20th Sept...	From 15th June.
		Nya-Doomka ...	Nil	Nil	52·94	25th Oct.	
		Godda ...	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto.	
ORISSA.							
	Cuttack ...	Cuttack Telegraph Office ...	0·20	Nil	33·50	ditto.	
		Cuttack Hospital ...	0·08	0·07	37·89	ditto.	
		Jajipore ...	Nil	1·70	35·31	ditto.	
		Kendrapara ...	Nil	Nil	57·20	ditto.	
		Jugutsingpore ...	Nil	1·19	40·81	ditto.	
	Pooree ...	False Point ...	0·30	1·45	56·50	ditto.	
		Pooree ...	0·03	1·19	54·27	ditto.	
		Khurdah ...	Nil	0·69	48·86	ditto.	
	Balasore ...	Balasore ...	1·47	Nil	47·17	ditto.	
		Bhuddruck ...	Nil	0·14	34·84	ditto ...	Not received 21st to 27th Sept.
		Jellasore ...	Nil	Nil	48·05	ditto ...	From 1st April.
		Sorah ...	Nil	0·36	36·55	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals ...	Chandbally ...	Nil	Nil	35·25	ditto ...	Ditto.
	CHOTA NAGPORE.	Sambalpore ...	Nil	Not rec.	51·25	18th Oct.	
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebaugh ...	Hazareebaugh Jail ...	Nil	Nil	59·04	25th Oct.	
		Hazareebaugh Dispensary ...	Nil	Nil	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba ...	Nil	Nil	51·55	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah ...	Ranchee ...	Nil	Nil	49·95	ditto.	
		Palamow ...	Nil	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa ...	Nil	Nil	38·54	ditto.	
	Maunbhoom ...	Purulia ...	0·69	Nil	40·70	ditto.	
		Gobindpore ...	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Goalparah ...	Goalparah ...	Nil	Nil	68·21	ditto.	
		Dhoobree ...	Nil	Nil	91·42	ditto.	
	Kamroop ...	Gowhatty ...	Nil	0·32	49·11	ditto.	
		Burpettah ...	Nil	Not rec.	70·78	18th Oct.	
	Darrung ...	Tezpore ...	0·31	Not rec.	65·89	ditto.	
		Mungledye ...	Nil	Not rec.	53·90	ditto.	
	Nowgong ...	Nowgong ...	Nil	0·03	70·61	25th Oct.	
	Seebsaugor ...	Seebsaugor ...	0·38	Not rec.	72·06	18th Oct.	
		Golaghat ...	0·24	Not rec.	65·62	ditto.	
		Jorehaut ...	0·60	Not rec.	59·41	ditto.	
		Nazeerah ...	0·10	Not rec.	74·74	ditto.	
	Luckimpore ...	Debrooghur ...	Nil	Not rec.	30·06	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore ...	0·09	Not rec	100·57	ditto.	
		Suddya ...	Nil	Not rec.	82·38	ditto.	
	Naga Hills ...	Samoogoodting ...	0·57	Not rec.	43·34	ditto.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills.	Shillong ...	0·34	Not rec.	53·37	ditto.	
		Jaowai ...	0·25	Not rec.	73·40	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee ...	0·18	Not rec.	293·53	ditto.	
	Garo Hills ...	Tura ...	0·42	Nil	85·22	25th Oct.	
		Benares ...	Nil	Nil	35·83	ditto.	
		Akyab ...	12·10	Nil	202·30	ditto.	

CALCUTTA,
The 1st November 1873.

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 26th Oct. to 1st Nov. 1873.

Station.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. * Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Calcutta	Oct. 26th	10	29·909	29·927	84·3	75·4	64	E	...	...	CK	
		16	29·798	29·816	85·2	73·6	55	E	...	...	CK	
	27th	10	29·877	29·895	84·0	74·7	63	E	...	...	C	
		16	29·763	29·781	86·3	71·3	44	N by E	...		C	
	28th	10	29·883	29·901	79·2	72·5	70	N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·781	29·799	84·7	70·2	45	N E	...	...	CS	
	29th	10	29·901	29·919	80·5	71·2	61	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·808	29·826	86·8	70·6	42	E N E	...	...	C	
	30th	10	29·959	29·977	81·2	71·0	59	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·821	29·839	86·5	71·5	44	N	...	...	C	
	31st	10	29·923	29·941	80·5	71·5	62	N N W	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·798	29·816	85·5	70·0	42	N	...	...	C	
	Nov. 1st	10	29·926	29·944	79·8	65·0	40	N N W	...	...	C	
		16	29·825	29·843	84·5	65·5	31	N	...	...	C	
Saugor Isld.	Oct. 26th	10	29·921	29·937	81	73	66	N E	5·9	...	N	b, m
		16	29·823	29·839	84	73	56	N N W	5·2	...	N	b
	27th	10	29·896	29·902	84	75	64	E N E	9·3	...	CK, C	b, m
		16	29·788	29·794	83	76	71	N E	2·4	...	N	o, x, m, calm
	28th	10	29·895	29·901	80	70	58	N N E	5·4	...	N	m, o
		16	29·800	29·806	83	70	49	N E	6·0	...	CS	m
	29th	10	29·920	29·926	80	72	66	N	5·5	...	C	m
		16	29·819	29·825	84	72	53	N	6·9	...	C	m
	30th	10	29·956	29·962	81	72	62	N	5·3	...	C	b, m
		16	29·844	29·850	84	71	50	N	12·6	...	C	b, m
	31st	10	29·930	29·936	79	71	65	N N W	8·4	...	C	b
		16	29·801	29·807	84	69	43	N	16·4	...	CS	b
	Nov. 1st	10	30·023	30·029	78	66	49	N	14·7	...	C	b, m
		16	29·916	29·922	82	65	35	N N W	16·8	...	CS	b, m
Chittagong	Oct. 26th	10	29·753	29·846	82	75	70	N E	4·2	...	CK	b, v
		16	29·730	29·822	84	75	64	W	6·9	...	C	b, v
	27th	10	29·810	29·903	82	76	74	N W	2·6	...	K	b, v
		16	29·720	29·812	84	76	67	W S W	5·2	...	C	b, v
	28th	10	29·820	29·913	82	75	70	N W	2·3	...	CK	b, v
		16	29·725	29·818	81	75	74	N W	3·3	...	KS	m
	29th	10	29·822	29·915	80	75	78	N W	2·8	...	KS	g, m
		16	29·738	29·831	81	75	74	W N W	2·4	...	KS	v
	30th	10	29·827	29·920	82	76	74	N N W	1·8	...	CK, C	b
		16	29·743	29·835	84	77	71	W S W	5·1	...	CK, C	b, v
	31st	10	29·822	29·915	80	76	82	N	2·3	...	KS	v
		16	29·710	29·802	84	79	79	W	5·9	...	K, KS	v
	Nov. 1st	10	29·840	29·933	81	74	70	N N W	1·8	...	KS	g
		16	29·743	29·835	83	76	71	W	4·8	...	K, CK	b, v
Madras	Oct. 25th	10	29·836	29·866	82	76	74	W by S	8	0·04	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·762	29·792	83	77	75	N N W	7	...	.....	c
	26th	10	29·894	29·924	82	77	78	S W by W	7	0·05	.....	c
		16	29·780	29·810	84	78	75	N	5	...	.....	c
	27th	10	29·894	29·924	83	76	71	N W	6	...	.....	c
		16	29·775	29·805	84	78	75	E	5	...	.....	c
	28th	10	29·897	29·927	82	78	82	S W by S	4	...	.....	c
		16	29·803	29·833	83	78	78	N N W	6	...	.....	cloudy.
	29th	10	29·949	29·979	83	76	71	N W by N	4	...	.....	c
		16	29·862	29·892	83	77	75	E by N	10	...	.....	c
	30th	10	29·985	30·015	83	75	67	N E	5	...	.....	c
		16	29·882	29·912	84	75	64	S W by W	2	...	.....	c
	31st	10	29·993	30·023	84	73	56	W by N	7	...	.....	b
		16	29·885	29·915	85	69	41	N N E	10	...	.....	b
Cuttack.	Oct. 26th	10	29·833	29·915	84	73	56	N E	1·6	...	CK, C	
		16	29·756	29·839	81	75	74	S	4·8	...	KS, N, C	
	27th	10	29·808	29·891	78	73	77	E N E	0·2	...	N, C	
		16	29·709	29·792	78	69	61	N N E	2·4	...	S, N, C	
	28th	10	29·821	29·904	80	68	51	N N W	0·3	...	C	b
		16	29·724	29·806	84	70	46	E N E	6·6	...	C	b
	29th	10	29·841	29·924	80	70	58	W N W	0·7	...	C	b
		16	29·754	29·836	85	70	44	N	2·7	...	C	b
	30th	10	29·891	29·973	83	70	49	N W	1·8	...	C	b
		16	29·783	29·865	86	69	38	N	1·2	...	C	b
	31st	10	29·871	29·954	81	63	48	N	1·1	...	C	b
		16	29·754	29·836	85	70	44	N	3·7	...	CS	b
	Nov. 1st	10	29·876	29·959	78	65	46	N W	0·5	...	C	b
		16	29·775	29·857	84	66	34	N N E	4·5	...	C	b
Akyab	Oct. 26th	10	29·869	29·891	82	78	82	N E	3·1	...	.....	b
		16	29·816	29·838	80	78	91	S S E	3·0	...	.....	b, g
	27th	10	29·839	29·860	83	78	78	N N W	3·5	0·30	.....	b
		16	29·761	29·782	85	78	71	W N W	8·0	...	.....	b
	28th	10	29·859	29·880	83	79	83	E N E	1·0	...	.....	g
		16	29·764	29·785	83	79	83	E	2·8	...	.....	v
	29th	10	29·866	29·887	85	81	83	E	2·2	...	...	b
		16	29·776	29·797	85	79	75	S S E	2·5	...	...	g
	30th	10	29·859	29·880	83	80	87	N E	1·9	...	.....	g
		16	29·756	29·777	86	80	75	N N E	8·6	...	.....	b
	31st	10	29·866	29·888	82	79	87	N E	2·1	...	...	g
		16	29·729	29·750	86	86	100	N N W	3·8	...	.....	b, g
	Nov. 1st	10	29·851	29·872	85	80	79	S E	2·1	...	.....	b
		16	29·763	29·784	87	79	68	S W	4·1	...	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

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Province.	District.	Station.	24 hours ending 8 A.M. on the 31st October 1873.	24 hours ending 8 A.M. on the 1st November 1873.	Rainfall from the 1st January 1873.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BEHAR.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
PATNA.	Patna	Patna	Nil	Nil	30·40	25th Oct.	
		Behar	Nil	Nil	38·09	ditto.	
		Barh	Nil	Nil	33·18	ditto.	
		Dinapore... Jail	0·20	Nil	34·16	ditto.	
		Dinapore... Cantonment	0·15	Nil	34·75	ditto.	
	Gya	Gya	Nil	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah	Nil	Nil	40·90	ditto.	
		Arungabad	Nil	Nil	33·04	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Nil	Nil	38·73	ditto.	
	Shahabad	Arrah	Nil	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhubooah	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozufferpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	29·03	11th Oct.	
		Durbhangah	Not rec.	Not rec.	34·46	ditto.	
		Hajeepore	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·36	ditto.	
		Mudhubani	Not rec.	Not rec.	27·61	ditto.	
		Seetamaree	Not rec.	Not rec.	37·10	ditto.	
		Tajpore	Nil	Nil	31·11	25th Oct.	
	Sarun	Chuprah	Nil	Nil	33·82	ditto.	
		Sewan	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Chumparun	Motecharri	Nil	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettah	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
BHAGULPORE.	Monghyr	Monghyr	Nil	Nil	38·29	ditto.	
		Bagooserai	Nil	Nil	35·85	ditto.	
		Jamooie	Nil	Not rec.	43·09	18th Oct.	
	Bhaugulpore	Bhaugulpore	Nil	Nil	28·62	25th Oct.	
		Soopool	Nil	Nil	26·73	ditto ...	Not received 5th to 11th Oct.
		Mudheypoorah	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Sanborsa	0·33	Nil	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah	Nil	Nil	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge	Nil	Nil	37·69	ditto.	
		Arrareah	Nil	Nil	35·00	ditto.	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Deoghur	Nil	Nil	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto ...	Not recorded 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal	Nil	Nil	23·09	ditto.	
		Moheshpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	25·24	20th Sept...	From 15th June.
		Nya-Doomka	Nil	Nil	52·94	25th Oct.	
		Godda	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto.	
ORISSA.							
ORISSA.	Cuttack	Cuttack Telegraph Office ...	0·20	Nil	33·50	ditto.	
		Cuttack Hospital ...	0·08	0·07	37·89	ditto.	
		Jajipore	Nil	1·70	35·31	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	Nil	Nil	57·20	ditto.	
		Jugutsingpore	Nil	1·19	40·81	ditto.	
	Pooree	False Point	0·30	1·45	56·50	ditto.	
		Pooree	0·03	1·19	54·27	ditto.	
		Khurdah	Nil	0·69	48·86	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	1·47	Nil	47·17	ditto.	
		Bhuddruck	Nil	0·14	34·84	ditto ...	Not received 21st to 27th Sept.
		Jellasore	Nil	Nil	48·05	ditto ...	From 1st April.
		Sorah	Nil	0·36	36·55	ditto ...	Ditto.
		Chandbally	Nil	Nil	35·25	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals ...	Sambalpore	Nil	Not rec.	51·25	18th Oct.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE. SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebaugh	Hazareebaugh Jail ...	Nil	Nil	59·04	25th Oct.	
		Hazareebaugh Dispensary...	Nil	Nil	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba	Nil	Nil	51·55	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah	Ranchee	Nil	Nil	49·95	ditto.	
		Palamow	Nil	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singhbhoom	Chyebassa	Nil	Nil	38·54	ditto.	
	Maunbhoom	Purulia	0·69	Nil	40·70	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Goalparah	Goalparah	Nil	Nil	68·21	ditto.	
		Dhoobree	Nil	Nil	91·42	ditto.	
	Kamroop	Gowhatty	Nil	0·32	49·11	ditto.	
		Burpettah	Nil	Not rec.	70·78	18th Oct.	
	Durrung	Tezpore	0·31	Not rec.	65·89	ditto.	
		Mungledye	Nil	Not rec.	53·90	ditto.	
	Nowgong	Nowgong	Nil	0·03	70·61	25th Oct.	
	Seebsaugor	Seebsaugor	0·38	Not rec.	72·06	18th Oct.	
		Golaghat	0·24	Not rec.	65·62	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	0·60	Not rec.	59·41	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	0·10	Not rec.	74·74	ditto.	
	Luckimpore	Debrooghur	Nil	Not rec.	90·06	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	0·09	Not rec	100·57	ditto.	
		Suddya	Nil	Not rec.	82·38	ditto.	
	Naga Hills	Samoogoodting	0·57	Not rec.	43·34	ditto.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills.	Shillong	0·34	Not rec.	53·37	ditto.	
		Jaowai	0·25	Not rec.	73·40	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	0·18	Not rec.	293·53	ditto.	
	Garo Hills	Tura	0·42	Nil	85·22	25th Oct.	
		Benares	Nil	Nil	35·83	ditto.	
		Akyab	12·10	Nil	202·30	ditto.	

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 26th Oct. to 1st Nov. 1873.

Station	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. * Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Calcutta	Oct. 26th	10	29·909	29·927	84·3	75·4	64	E	...	...	CK	
		16	29·798	29·816	86·2	73·6	55	E	...	...	CK	
	27th	10	29·877	29·895	84·0	74·7	63	E	...	...	C	
		16	29·763	29·781	86·3	71·3	44	N by E	...		C	
	28th	10	29·883	29·901	79·2	72·5	70	N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·781	29·799	84·7	70·2	45	N E	...	...	CS	
	29th	10	29·901	29·919	80·5	71·2	61	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·808	29·826	86·8	70·0	42	E N E	...	...	C	
	30th	10	29·959	29·977	81·2	71·0	59	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·821	29·839	86·5	71·5	44	N	...	...	C	
	31st	10	29·923	29·941	80·5	71·5	62	N N W	...	...	...	b
		16	29·798	29·816	85·5	70·0	42	N	...	...	C	
	Nov. 1st	10	29·926	29·944	79·8	65·0	40	N N W	...	...	C	
		16	29·825	29·843	84·5	65·5	31	N	...	...	C	
Saugor Island	Oct. 26th	10	29·921	29·927	81	73	66	N E	5·9	...	N	b, m
		16	29·323	29·329	84	73	56	N N W	5·3	...	N	b
	27th	10	29·896	29·903	84	75	64	E N E	9·3	...	CK, C	b, m
		16	29·788	29·794	83	76	71	N E	2·4	...	N	o, a, m, calm
	28th	10	29·895	29·901	80	70	58	N N E	5·4	...	N	m, o
		16	29·800	29·806	83	70	49	N E	6·0	...	CS	m
	29th	10	29·920	29·926	80	72	66	N	5·5	...	C	m
		16	29·819	29·825	84	72	53	N	6·9	...	C	m
	30th	10	29·956	29·962	81	72	62	N	5·3	...	C	b, m
		16	29·844	29·850	84	71	50	N	12·6	...	C	b, m
	31st	10	29·930	29·936	79	71	65	N N W	8·4	...	C	b
		16	29·801	29·807	84	69	43	N	16·4	...	CS	b
	Nov. 1st	10	30·023	30·029	78	66	49	N	14·7	...	C	b, m
		16	29·916	29·922	82	65	35	N N W	16·8	...	CS	b, m
Agra	Oct. 26th	10	29·753	29·846	82	75	70	N E	4·2	...	CK	b, v
		16	29·730	29·822	84	75	64	W	6·9	...	C	b, v
	27th	10	29·810	29·903	82	76	74	N W	2·6	...	K	b, v
		16	29·720	29·812	84	76	67	W S W	5·2	...	C	b, v
	28th	10	29·820	29·913	82	75	70	N W	2·3	...	CK	b, v
		16	29·725	29·818	81	75	74	N W	3·3	...	KS	m
	29th	10	29·822	29·915	80	75	78	N W	2·8	...	KS	g, m
		16	29·738	29·831	81	75	74	W N W	2·4	...	KS	v
	30th	10	29·827	29·920	82	76	74	N N W	1·8	...	CK, C	b
		16	29·743	29·835	84	77	71	W S W	5·1	...	CK, C	b, v
	31st	10	29·822	29·915	80	76	82	N	2·3	...	KS	v
		16	29·710	29·802	84	79	79	W	5·9	...	K, KS	v
	Nov. 1st	10	29·840	29·933	81	74	70	N N W	1·8	...	KS	g
		16	29·743	29·835	83	76	71	W	4·8	...	K, CK	b, v
Allyghur	Oct. 25th	10	29·836	29·866	82	76	74	W by S	8	0·04	.....	cloudy
		16	29·762	29·792	83	77	75	N N W	7	...	.....	c
	26th	10	29·894	29·924	82	77	78	S W by W	7	0·05	.....	c
		16	29·780	29·810	84	78	75	N	5	...	.....	c
	27th	10	29·894	29·924	83	76	71	N W	6	...	.....	c
		16	29·775	29·805	84	78	75	E	5	...	.....	c
	28th	10	29·897	29·927	82	78	82	S W by S	4	...	.....	c
		16	29·803	29·833	83	78	78	N N W	6	...	.....	cloudy.
	29th	10	29·949	29·979	83	76	71	N W by N	4	...	.....	c
		16	29·862	29·892	83	77	75	E by N	10	...	.....	c
	30th	10	29·985	30·015	83	75	67	N E	5	...	.....	c
		16	29·882	29·912	84	75	64	S W by W	2	...	.....	c
	31st	10	29·993	30·023	84	73	56	W by N	7	...	.....	b
		16	29·885	29·915	85	69	41	N N E	10	...	.....	b
Futtehpore	Oct. 26th	10	29·833	29·915	84	73	56	N E	1·6	...	CK, C	
		16	29·756	29·839	81	75	74	S	4·8	...	KS, N, C	
	27th	10	29·808	29·891	78	73	77	E N E	0·2	...	N, C	
		16	29·709	29·792	78	69	61	N N E	2·4	...	S, N, C	
	28th	10	29·821	29·904	80	68	51	N N W	0·3	...	C	b
		16	29·724	29·806	84	70	46	E N E	6·6	...	C	b
	29th	10	29·841	29·924	80	70	58	W N W	0·7	...	C	b
		16	29·754	29·836	85	70	44	N	2·7	...	C	b
	30th	10	29·891	29·973	83	70	49	N W	1·8	...	C	b
		16	29·783	29·865	86	69	38	N	1·2	...	C	b
	31st	10	29·871	29·954	81	68	48	N	1·1	...	C	b
		16	29·754	29·836	85	70	44	N	3·7	...	CS	b
	Nov. 1st	10	29·876	29·959	78	65	46	N W	0·5	...	C	b
		16	29·775	29·857	84	66	34	N N E	4·5	...	C	b
Agra	Oct. 26th	10	29·869	29·891	82	78	82	N E	3·1	...	.....	b
		16	29·816	29·838	80	78	91	S S E	3·0	...	.....	b, g
	27th	10	29·839	29·860	83	78	78	N N W	3·5	0·30	.....	b
		16	29·761	29·782	85	78	71	W N W	8·0	...	.....	b
	28th	10	29·859	29·880	83	79	83	E N E	1·0	...	.....	g
		16	29·764	29·785	83	79	83	E	2·8	...	.....	v
	29th	10	29·866	29·887	85	81	83	E	2·2	...	...	b
		16	29·776	29·797	85	79	75	S S E	2·5	...	...	g
	30th	10	29·859	29·880	83	80	87	N E	1·9	...	.....	a
		16	29·756	29·777	86	80	75	N N E	8·6	...	.....	b
	31st	10	29·866	29·888	82	79	87	N E	2·1	...	...	g
		16	29·729	29·750	86	86	100	N N W	3·8	...	.....	b, g
	Nov. 1st	10	29·851	29·872	85	80	79	S E	2·1	...	.....	b
		16	29·763	29·784	87	79	68	S W	4·1	...	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 22nd to 31st October 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer. Highest reading.	Thermometer. Lowest reading.	Thermometer. Max. solar radiation.	Mean dry bulb.	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew-point.	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Max. pressure.	Wind. Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General remarks.
		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	°			Lb.	Miles.	In.		
Oct. ..	22nd	29·864	89·5	79·4	138·0	83·8	77·7	73·4	0·72	S S E & S by E	...	72·7	...	...	Clear and cirrostrati.
	23rd	·874	87·8	77·6	132·8	81·8	76·1	72·1	·73	S by E	...	70·0	...	...	Clear and cirricumuli.
	24th	·862	88·6	76·5	141·0	81·9	76·2	72·2	·73	S by E, E S E & E by S	...	48·1	...	...	Cirrocumuli and stratoni. Drizzled at 1 P.M.
	25th	·871	88·5	76·8	138·8	82·0	74·9	69·9	·68	E by S & E	...	19·0	...	...	Cirri and clear.
	26th	·850	86·3	74·0	142·0	80·4	72·9	67·6	·66	E	...	71·0	...	...	Clear and cirrocumuli.
	27th	·821	87·5	75·2	139·0	80·6	72·4	66·7	·64	E & N N E	...	15·7	...	...	Clear and cirri.
	28th	·827	85·0	71·2	136·8	77·5	70·1	64·9	·66	N N E, N E & E by N	...	...	...	...	Ditto.
	29th	·848	87·3	70·5	129·0	77·8	70·1	64·7	·65	E by N & E N E	...	...	...	...	Ditto.
	30th	·870	88·2	70·0	135·8	78·3	69·6	63·5	·62	E N E & N	0·5	91·0	...	☽	Ditto.
	31st	·857	87·8	69·3	140·0	77·8	68·0	61·1	58	N & N by W	0·8	184·2	...	...	Cirri and clear.

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means, are derived fro the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represe the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of t lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of t ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noo

		°
The extreme variation of temperature during the past ten days	...	20·2
The maximum temperature during the past ten days	...	89·5
The maximum temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	...	88·9
The mean humidity during the past ten days	...	0·67
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·82
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 22nd to 31st { by lower rain gauge	...	Nil
The total fall of rain from 22nd to 31st { by anemometer gauge	...	Nil
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	2·06
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 31st October	...	44·31
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	68·38

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
In charge of the Observatory.

The 3rd November 1873.

Abstract of the Results of the Hourly Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, in the month of September 1873.

LATITUDE 22° 33′ 1″ North. Longitude 88° 20′ 34″ East. Height of the cistern of the standard barometer above the sea level, 18·11 feet.

MONTHLY RESULTS.

	Inches.
Mean height of the barometer for the month	29·668
Max. height of the barometer occurred at 9 A.M. on the 17th	29·872
Min. height of the barometer occurred at 3 P.M. on the 4th	29·429
Extreme range of the barometer during the month	0·443
Mean of the daily max. pressures	29·726
Ditto ditto min. ditto	29·605
Mean daily range of the barometer during the month	0·121

	°
Mean dry bulb thermometer for the month	84·3
Max. temperature occurred at 2 P.M. on the 29th	93·6
Min. temperature occurred at 6 A.M. on the 6th	76·5
Extreme range of the temperature during the month	17·1
Mean of the daily max. temperature	89·7
Ditto ditto min. ditto	80·7
Mean daily range of the temperature during the month	9·0

Mean wet bulb thermometer for the month	80·9
Mean dry bulb thermometer above mean wet bulb thermometer	3·4
Computed mean dew-point for the month	78·5
Mean dry bulb thermometer above computed mean dew-point	5·8
	Inches.
Mean elastic force of vapour for the month	0·955
	Troy grain.
Mean weight of vapour for the month	10·23
Additional weight of vapour required for complete saturation	2·05
Mean degree of humidity for the month, complete saturation being unity ...	0·83
	°
Mean max. solar radiation thermometer for the month	137·3
	Inches.
Rained 21 days,—max. fall of rain during 24 hours	2·32
Total amount of rain during the month	5·82
Total amount of rain indicated by the gauge* attached to the anemometer during the month	5·44
Prevailing direction of the wind	S. S. W. & S. W.

* Height, 70 feet 10 inches above ground.

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
In charge of the Observatory.

The 29th October 1873.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Midnapore Section of the High Level Canal for the month of September 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—24 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Maunds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
77	Coal	21,235	9,434	40,150	...	...	161 15 0
25	Cotton	2,780	50,486	7,575	...	...	46 6 6
6	Firewood	1,150	246	2,125	...	...	7 15 6
92	Grain	9,385	16,954	21,825	...	...	106 11 6
24	Hides and horns	1,950	37,887	4,800	...	...	35 11 0
74	Jaggery and sugar	5,467	32,804	16,325	...	...	75 13 0
22	Metal	2,630	95,355	8,450	...	...	32 13 0
200	Miscellaneous	13,775	41,629	42,675	...	...	211 11 0
77	Oil and oil-seeds	14,310	57,774	31,300	...	...	139 2 0
132	Paddy and rice	18,868	24,061	40,125	...	...	159 15 0
50	Piece-good	1,642	1,67,678	7,875	...	...	33 8 0
44	Thread	2,920	99,380	10,625	...	...	39 13 6
28	Garden produce	2,315	8,112	6,825	...	...	30 9 6
37	Pottery	962	962	7,475	...	...	29 12 6
111	Salt	23,095	95,357	48,925	...	...	256 5 6
25	Silk and indigo	571	1,45,155	3,825	...	...	19 11 6
7	Jute	650	2,350	1,975	...	...	7 6 6
26	Straw	2,354	924	7,500	...	...	28 2 0
35	Tobacco	7,096	45,042	16,125	...	...	87 13 6
2	Tiles	300	425	750	...	...	2 13 0
16	Sand	3,050	244	6,475	...	...	24 4 6
3	Rafts of timber...	...	250	Logs 6	...	...	0 12 0
594	Empty boats	...	...	55,800	...	...	239 3 0
1273	Passengers	...	...	No. 12005	...	...	140 7 7½
...	Ditto	...	...	78,250	...	...	524 1 0
...	Miscellaneous revenue	...	...	...	...	...	20 10 7½
12	Police boats	...	...	...	...	...	...
2992		136,508	9,32,509	333,725	11,918	105,688	2,463 7 9

ABSTRACT.

Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Remarks.
			Rs.			Rs. A. P.	
2,992	Local	136,508	9,32,509	11,918	105,688	2,463 7 9	
...	Irrigation Work	...	...	...	...	...	
...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	
...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	The toll collections for same month of last year were Rs. 2,394-5-0.
...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	The most marked increase is in cotton, miscellaneous, oil and oil-seed, salt, tobacco, empty boats, passengers and passenger boats.
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2,992		136,508	9,32,509	11,918	105,688	2,463 7 9	

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Hidgellee Tidal Canal, for the month of September 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—29 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.								STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.								ABSTRACT.							
Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	TOTAL, EXCLUSIVE OF TONNAGE OF EMPTY BOATS. Maunds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Number of boats or rafts.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	TOTAL, EXCLUSIVE OF TONNAGE OF EMPTY BOATS. Maunds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage	Tollage.	Amount of corresponding month in previous year.
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.			Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.			Mds.	Rs.			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Plantains, Kahons.	10	25	125	...	...	0 13 9	1	Planks ...	...	210	175	...	...	3 2 9	11,86	Local ...	88,937	1,43,327	6,899¾	2,00,087¾	2,964 6 0	1,367 7 9
								1	Artificial stones, No.	300	150	400	...	...	7 4 0	8	Irrigation ...	3	860	25	725	12 11 0	...
21	Straw ...	...	386	5,150	...	...	35 2 9	1	Tools and plant	3	500	125	...	...	2 4 3	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Cows, No. ...	40	620	300	...	...	2 1 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Water „ ...	...	...	750	...	...	5 2 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Pottery „ ...	...	138	795	...	...	7 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
73	Tobacco ...	5,254	22,427	14,470	...	...	144 12 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Salt ...	8,312	33,893	17,543	...	...	154 12 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	Wooden doors	30	900	450	...	...	3 1 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Firewood ...	500	125	1,200	...	...	8 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Oilcakes ...	351	284	790	...	...	6 7 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	Wine ...	...	100	80	...	...	1 7 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Miscellaneous...	800	3,247	2,405	...	...	22 13 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Sugar ...	14	124	75	...	...	0 13 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuts ...	675	2,732	1,615	...	...	16 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	Spices ...	150	3,000	400	...	...	2 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Betel Leaves ...	82	169	280	...	...	2 4 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Cloth ...	20	4,400	250	...	...	3 6 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Mustard seeds	170	650	430	...	...	2 15 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
444	Paddy ...	70,668	60,244	1,39,855	...	...	1,942 1 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rice ...	785	979	1,740	...	...	15 0 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Jaggery ...	449	2,090	1,695	...	...	11 11 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Mats ...	275	6,644	1,955	...	...	14 9 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Fishes ...	8	25	115	...	...	0 11 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Sand ...	400	8	700	...	...	3 13 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	Vegetables ...	5	8	25	...	...	0 4 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Passengers, No. 122.	...	...	2,285	...	...	32 7 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
475	Empty boats ...	...	...	...	...	...	522 8 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	Timber, No. 1...	...	16	...	...	...	0 2 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
1186		88,937	1,43,327	1,93,188	6,899¾	2,00,087¾	2,964 6 0	3		3	860	700	25	725	12 11 0	1,189		88,940	1,44,187	6,924¾	2,00,812¾	2,977 1 0	1,367 7 9

The increase is due to the canals having been opened for traffic for the first time in a complete state with the 4 Terminal Locks at work. Last year the boats could only get through during the spring tides, or for about eight or ten days in the month, and hence the amount of the tolls realized was less than half what it is this year, when the boat can pass through the canals irrespective of the state of the tides in the river.

N. B.—Canals re-opened to traffic on the 4th September 1873. The length of canal has been increased owing to the change of Terminus from Banka to Gowkhally.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Kendraparah Canal for the month of September 1873.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Mds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.
9	Paddy ...	358	711	25	602	7 12 0
1	Jaggery ...	1,350	270	10	320	2 8 0
1	Salt ...	450	90	3	57	0 6 0
1	Cloth ...	900	45	2	52	0 6 0
1	Garlic ...	490	49	2	32	0 4 0
1	Spices ..	1,060	53	2	60	0 12 0
1	Onion ...	312	39	1	30	0 6 0
1	Bags ...	5,292	756	27	810	11 4 0
2	Turmeric ...	2,365	473	17	323	2 4 0
7	Passengers (13 in No.)	...	715	25	537	8 9 5
27	Empty ...	...	2,758	99	2,185	30 8 0
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...
52	...	12,575	5,959	213	5,008	64 15 5
66	...	28,400	10,098	360	7,491	63 4 0

TRAFFIC BETWEEN CUTTACK AND SEA BOARD.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Mds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.
91	Paddy ...	8,491	16,982	...	...	234 0 0
3	Juggery ...	1,905	395	...	...	5 4 0
1	Black peas ...	170	136	...	...	1 14 0
2	Beans ...	297	99	...	...	1 2 0
1	Hides ...	3,130	313	...	...	4 8 0
1	Bamboos ...	15	119	...	...	1 8 0
7	Gram ...	2,229	1,486	...	...	20 8 0
5	Cocoanuts ...	1,705	1,137	...	...	16 2 0
6	Timbers ...	18,262	5,619	...	...	82 2 0
6	Gingelly ...	18,448	4,612	...	...	67 8 0
4	Castor seeds...	18,305	5,230	...	...	76 2 0
3	Cloth ...	12,340	617	...	...	8 10 0
9	Spices ...	1,27,840	6,392	...	...	95 2 0
1	Bags ...	6,468	924	...	...	13 8 0
11	Passengers (4 in number.)	...	1,478	...	...	21 14 11
70	Empty ...	...	14,165	...	...	182 2 0
Raft1	Bamboos (200)	3	...	...	...	0 8 0
222	...	2,19,668	59,702	2,132	89,544	832 6 11
156	...	97,953	39,940	1,427	59,934	555 7 8

STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Mds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
	LOCAL TRAFFIC					Rs. A. P.
1	Stones ...	6	405	15	285	2 0 0
1	Sluice shutters	...	487	17	323	2 6 0
2	...	6	892	32	608	4 6 0
37	...	3,423	18,914	675	11,352	111 12 0
	THROUGH TRAFFIC.					
1	Fire wood ...	99	990	...	...	14 10 0
1	Beans ...	1,620	540	...	...	7 14 0
1	Timber ...	3,110	957	...	...	14 4 0
3	Passenger ...	...	3,000	...	...	45 0 0
7	Empty ...	...	3,163	...	...	46 8 0
13	...	4,829	8,650	309	12,978	128 4 0
4	...	50	2,675	95	3,990	39 12 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...

ABSTRACT.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Rs.			Rs. A. P.
52	Local traffic, paid	12,575	213	5,008	64 15 5
222	Through (do.)	2,19,668	2,132	89,544	832 6 11
	IRRI. WORKS.				
2	Local traffic ...	6	32	609	4 8 0
13	Through ditto...	4,829	309	12,978	128 4 0
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289	...	2,37,078	2,086	108,138	1,030 0 4
263	...	1,29,826	2,557	82,767	770 3 8

The total of corresponding return for September 1872 is given under the totals for this month, and shows a total increase of Rs. 259-12-8, or increase on all the items except on "local traffic" in the column of stores and materials for irrigation works, on which there is a decrease of Rs. 107-6-0. The traffic in stone has decreased by 18 boats and tollage Rs. 80-6, and in empty boats by 17 boats and tollage Rs. 27-2.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Brahminee Division, High Level Canal, for the month of September 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—37 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
1	Salt ..	180	900	336	12	408	4 14 0
7	Rice ...	250	250	411	$14\frac{12}{28}$	$103\frac{13}{28}$	1 14 1
1	Oil, &c. ...	100	1,300	175	$6\frac{1}{4}$	$212\frac{1}{2}$	2 10 0
2	Cotton ...	200	2,000	392	14	322	3 8 0
1	Firewood ...	86	9	165	$5\frac{25}{28}$	$70\frac{6}{7}$	0 12 0
2	Copper ...	80	2,400	162	$5\frac{11}{14}$	$133\frac{1}{14}$	1 9 6
4	Jaggery ...	20	100	36	$1\frac{2}{7}$	$29\frac{4}{7}$	0 5 0
1	Tiles ...	190	3	400	$14\frac{2}{7}$	$485\frac{1}{7}$	6 0 0
2	Provision ...	22	22	88	$3\frac{1}{7}$	$106\frac{6}{7}$	1 5 6
1	Furniture ...	...	...	22	$\frac{11}{14}$	$26\frac{2}{7}$	0 4 9
1	Flower pots ...	...	...	87	$3\frac{3}{28}$	$105\frac{9}{14}$	1 3 2
17	Empty ...	...	...	875	$31\frac{1}{4}$	$1,067\frac{19}{28}$	8 9 11
...	Passenger ...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 5
40		1,128	6,984	3,149	$112\frac{13}{28}$	$3,071\frac{13}{14}$	35 4 4
Sept. 1872, 33		1,519	2,650	2,818	$100\frac{9}{14}$	$2,314\frac{67}{196}$	33 5 10

STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

Number of boats or rafts.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
4	Firewood ...	1,560	156	3,048	$108\frac{8}{7}$	$1,306\frac{2}{7}$	15 0 0
1	Iron rails ...	240	...	465	$16\frac{17}{28}$	$564\frac{9}{14}$	6 12 0
1	Cill stone ...	265	...	441	$15\frac{23}{28}$	$535\frac{1}{2}$	6 6 0
1	Polang Plants	...	...	119	$4\frac{1}{7}$	$144\frac{1}{7}$	1 8 0
1	Stores ...	...	...	810	$28\frac{3}{14}$	$983\frac{5}{7}$	12 0 0
20	Empty ...	...	...	4,176	$149\frac{1}{7}$	$3497\frac{1}{14}$	40 13 2
4	Steamer ...	...	...	4,000	$142\frac{8}{7}$	$2071\frac{3}{7}$	30 1 8
3	Earthen pipes	...	...	184	$6\frac{4}{7}$	$78\frac{2}{7}$	0 13 6
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35		2,065	156	13,243	$472\frac{27}{28}$	$9,181\frac{2}{7}$	113 6 4
21		1,500	310	6,933	$247\frac{17}{28}$	$6,177\frac{11}{14}$	72 0 0

ABSTRACT.

Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of Traffic.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.			Rs. A. P.
40	Local Traffic ...	1,128	6,984	$112\frac{13}{28}$	$3,071\frac{13}{14}$	35 4 4
	Irrigation do. ...	2,065	156	$472\frac{27}{28}$	$9,181\frac{2}{7}$	113 6 4
35	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
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75		3,193	7,140	$585\frac{3}{7}$	$12,253\frac{11}{14}$	148 10 8
54		3,019	2,960	$348\frac{1}{4}$	$8,492\frac{15}{196}$	105 5 10

The total of corresponding return for September 1872 is given under the total for this month, and shows an increase of Rs. 43-4-10 on the whole.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Taldundah Canal for the month of September 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—27¼ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.								STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.								ABSTRACT.							
Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Number of boats or rafts.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Remarks.
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.			Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.				Rs.			Rs. A. P.	
2	Paddy ...	...	250	863	31	93	2 2 6																During September 1873.
1	Lime ...	...	25	252	9	144	1 4 2	6	Rubble Stone	...	54	3,667¼	131	1,965	9 2 8								
1	Rubble stone ...	...	8	459	16¼	65	1 2 4	1	Wooden doors	...	260	844	30	30	2 1 9	10	Local traffic	...	283	83¾	604½	9 9 3	Nil.
6	Empty ...	...	...	772½	27½	302½	3 12 11	1	Earthen tiles	...	75	416¼	15	15	1 0 8	16	Irrign. ditto	...	379	235½	2,664½	16 7 8	Nil.
	8 Passengers for 20 miles.	...	...	...	...	...	0 3 4	8	Empty ...	...	...	1,666½	59½	654½	4 2 7								
	Demurrage of 2 boats.	...	...	...	...	...	1 0 0																There has been a considerable increase in the local and irrigation traffic compared with that of the same month of last year. The above remark by Executive Engineer shows a disposition to take the brief view of matters, but is scarcely to the purpose.
10		...	283	2,346½	83¾	604½	9 9 3	16		...	379	6,593¾	235½	2,664½	16 7 8	26		...	662	319½	3,269	26 0 11	

The 4th November 1873.

H. W. GULLIVER, *Lieut.-Col.*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secretary to the Government of Bengal
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

CALCUTTA: PRINTED AT THE GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE. 1873.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th October 1873, on 153¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	29,3962	20,587 11 6	1,887 3 8	161,678 21	51,569 10 7	4727 4 5	6,614 8 1
Or per mile of railway	185	130 1 6	11 18 6	1,022 0	325 13 4	29 17 3	41 12 11
For previous 15 weeks of half-year...	441,701	2,74,995 0 9	25,208 5 6	1,882,020 0	6,34,429 5 8	58,797 15 7	84,606 1
Total for 16 weeks	471,097½	2,95,582 12 0	27,095 9 2	2,043,698 21	6,92,999 0 3	63,523 0 0	90,620 9 2
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	26,677½	16,948 11 0	1,553 12 7	166,860 19	58,111 11 8	5,326 13 2	6,880 10 9
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	192	108 4 8	9 18 7	1,066 0	371 5 1	34 0 9	43 19 4
Total to corresponding date of previous year	924,290½	2,56,707 0 5	23,476 0 6	2,403,529 15	6,45,267 6 1	59,213 13 6	82,690 3 0

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th October 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	7,096	968 0 0	96 16 0	12,523 0	394 0 0	39 8 0	136 4 0
Or per mile of railway	253	34 8 0	3 9 6	447 0	14 0 0	1 8 0	4 17 0
For previous 16 weeks of half-year	67,728	11,730 0 0	1,173 9 0	280,740 0	9,301 0 0	930 2 0	2,103 2 0
Total for 17 weeks	74,824	12,698 0 0	1,269 16 0	293,263 0	9,695 0 0	969 10 0	2,239 3 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,313	941 5 0	84 2 8	11,178 5	357 3 6	35 14 6	119 17 2
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	225	30 0 9	3 0 1	399 2	12 12 1	1 5 6	4 5 7
Total to corresponding date of previous year	77,284	12,756 3 9	1,273 12 5	264,996 21	6,264 2 3	626 8 4	1,990 0 9

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th October 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	1,204	822 0 0	82 4 0	1,973 0	215 0 0	21 10 0	103 14 0
Or per mile of railway	44	30 0 0	3 0 0	72 0	8 0 0	0 16 0	3 16 0
For previous 16 weeks of half-year...	20,177	15,937 0 0	1,593 14 0	54,816 0	6,314 0 0	531 8 0	2,125 2 0
Total for 17 weeks ...	21,381	16,759 0 0	1,675 18 0	56,789 0	5,529 0 0	562 18 0	2,228 16 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,297	1,047 0 7	104 14 1	1,238 10	152 10 8	15 5 4	119 19 5
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	48	38 6 9	3 16 10	45 18	5 9 7	0 11 2	4 8 0
Total to corresponding date of previous year	21,085	15,676 7 1	1,567 0 11	71,855 11	6,390 11 6	639 1 6	2,206 3 5

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th October 1873, on 223½ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	3,621	9,694 10 0	888 13 6	49,565 0	17,146 2 0	1,571 3 6	2,459 17 0
Or per mile of railway	.....	43 6 0	3 19 6	.....	76 11 1	7 0 8	11 0 2
For previous 16 weeks of half-year...	58,870	1,45,240 8 0	13,313 11 3	625,236 10	1,92,053 8 6	17,604 18 2	30,918 12 5
Total for 17 weeks... ...	62,491	1,54,935 2 0	14,202 7 9	674,801 10	2,09,199 10 6	19,176 1 8	33,378 9 5
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,036	13,556 15 2	1,242 14 5	49,196 10	15,511 10 8	1,421 18 1	2,664 12 6
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	60 10 6	5 11 2	.....	69 6 6	6 7 3	11 18 5
Total to corresponding date of previous year	71,687	1,63,292 18 3	14,968 10 2	545,317 30	1,63,618 1 5	14,998 6 6	29,966 16 8

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th October 1873, for 1,280 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	100,211	1,35,966 5 6	12,466 6 7	803,800 30	3,57,196 12 0	32,743 0 9	45,209 7 4
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	106 3 11	9 14 10	.....	279 1 0	25 11 7	35 3 5
For previous 16 weeks of half-year	1,645,986	20,81,377 1 9	190,792 18 1	9,377,045 10	41,25,284 14 0	378,151 2 3	568,944 9 4
Total for 17 weeks	1,746,197	22,17,373 7 3	203,259 4 8	10,180,346 0	44,82,481 16 0	410,894 3 0	614,153 7 8
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year...	96,559	1,54,136 8 8	14,129 3 8	404,198 0	2,56,168 11 9	23,482 2 8	37,611 6 4
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	120 6 9	11 0 9	.....	200 2 1	18 6 11	29 7 8
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,634,197	20,56,438 10 7	188,506 17 7	7,563,913 20	39,67,498 1 4	363,687 6 6	552,194 4 1

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1741.

GENERAL.—*The 5th November* 1873.—The following gentlemen, who have been recently appointed to be Members of the Bengal Civil Service, are to be Assistants to the Magistrates and Collectors of the Districts mentioned against their names, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

Mr. Lancelot Hare, Dacca.
" David Bird Allen, Patna.

Baboo Joggesbur Mookerjee, M.A. and B.L., Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on special duty, Howrah, is transferred to Hooghly, and is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870 for the acquisition of lands required for the Dhankoney Drainage Scheme.

The 6th November 1873.—Baboo Shama Churn Mitter is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Bhaugulpore, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The privilege leave for one month and seven days which was granted to Mr. John Henry Ravenshaw by the orders of the 27th October will take effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

The 7th November 1873.—Edmond Elliot Lowis is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Dinagepore in the First Grade, *vice* Mr. W. Leff. Robinson, employed on special duty.

Under Section 3, Act XXXVII of 1850, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Colonel C. Holroyd (Staff Corps) to be a Member of the Commission appointed to inquire into certain imputations of misbehaviour by Mr. S. N. Banerjee, Assistant Magistrate of Sylhet, in place of Colonel C. F. G. Lamb, who is prevented by illness from undertaking the duty.

Mr. Thomas Taylor Allen is appointed to officiate temporarily as Additional District and Sessions Judge of Hooghly and the 24-Pergunnahs, from the date on which he may relieve Mr. C. D. Field of the charge of that office.

Mr. Frank Hunter Barrow, C.S., is appointed to be an Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class. Mr. Barrow is allowed the usual subsidiary leave from the day following the date of his arrival in Calcutta on his return from furlough, to enable him to join his appointment.

Mr. William Henry Ryland is appointed to officiate temporarily as Judge of the Small Cause Court at Sealdah.

The 8th November 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the District of Bhaugulpore, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

Baboo Harry Mohan Thakur, Zemindar.
" Sheeb Chunder Banerjee, Pleader.
Moonshee Abdool Kadir Khan.
Baboo Bhoodar Mull Marwaree, Banker.
" Gopal Chunder Sircar, Pleader.

Baboo Jogendronath Sen is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Tirhoot, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 11th November 1873.—The following Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors are appointed to the special duty of taking up land for the Northern Bengal Railway, and are vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870:—

Baboo Gopal Chunder Das, Rungpore.
" Dwarkanath Roy, Bograh.

Baboo Brojomohun Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, Pubna, is appointed temporarily to be a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in Rungpore during the absence on special duty of Baboo Gopal Chunder Das, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

Baboo Okhoy Coomar Chatterjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, Moorshedabad, is appointed temporarily to be a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in Bograh during the absence on special duty of Baboo Dwarkanath Roy, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

Baboo Juguth Chunder Sen is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in the Chittagong Hill Tracts, and is vested with the powers of a Deputy Collector.

Mr. Guybon Henry Damant is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Rungpore in the Fourth Grade from the afternoon of the 6th November, the date on which he relieved Mr. E. G. Glazier, till the arrival of Mr. E. J. Barton.

Mr. Roger Henry Pawsey is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Mymensing in the First Grade, during the absence on special duty of Mr. H. J. Reynolds, or until further orders.

POLICE.—*The 5th November* 1873.—Mr. John Lambert, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is appointed to be a Visitor of the Alipore Jail.

The 8th November 1873.—Mr. Henry Neville Harris, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Jessore, having returned to duty on the 22nd September, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 1st July, of which he availed himself on the 21st August, is cancelled.

EDUCATION.—*The 6th November* 1873.—Baboo Kali Kumar Mitra, B.A., is appointed to be Head Master of the Normal School at Patna.

The 8th November 1873.—The following persons are appointed to be Members of the District School Committee of Pubna:—

Madhob Chundra Poddar,	Jotedar.	Kafaitollah Biswas,	Ryot.
Kanai Molla,	ditto.	Mohesh Chundra Das,	ditto.
Forman Sirdar,	ditto.	Karamati Biswas,	ditto.

REGISTRATION.—*The 5th November* 1873.—Mr. Charles Frederick Magrath officiated as Inspector-General of Registration from the forenoon of the 11th October, the date on which he relieved Mr. R. H. Wilson, to the afternoon of the 19th idem.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 11th November* 1873.—The Reverend D. B. Morris, M.A., is appointed to be Chaplain of Howrah, with effect from the 1st November 1873.

MEDICAL.—*The 4th November* 1873.—Sub-Assistant Surgeon Preumber Nath Mitter, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, is appointed to have charge of the Issen Chunder Roy Dispensary and Hospital at Maloocha in Dacca.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 8th November* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Bhaugulpore, viz.—

Baboo Harry Mohun Thakur, Zemindar.
" Sheeb Chunder Banerjee, Pleader.
Moonshee Abdool Kadir Khan.
Baboo Bhoodar Mull Marwaree, Banker.
" Gopal Chunder Sircar, Pleader.

PORT COMMISSIONERS.—*The 5th November* 1873.—Mr. Stuart Saunders Hogg is appointed to be a Commissioner for making improvements in the Port of Calcutta under Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

ROAD CESS.—*The 8th November* 1873.—The following persons are appointed to be Members of the District Road Committee in the Pubna District:—

Madhob Chundra Poddar,	Jotedar.	Kafaitollah Biswas,	Ryot.
Kanai Molla,	ditto.	Mohesh Chundra Das,	ditto.
Forman Sirdar,	ditto.	Karamati Biswas,	ditto.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 8th November 1873.—Thannah Gournuddee, now forming part of the Madaripore sub-division of the Backergunge district, is hereby transferred to the head-quarters sub-division of Backergunge.

The Madaripore sub-division, which will now consist of the three thannahs, Kotalipara, Madaripore, and Moolfutgunge, is hereby transferred from the district of Backergunge to the district of Furreedpore.

The following villages in Gopalgunge Thannah, of Zillah Furreedpore, are transferred to Zillah Backergunge, and annexed to the Suroopkatee Thannah :—

No.	Names of Villages.	Names of Pergunnahs.	Thakbust number.
	Boulia	Sooltanpoor Khururea	1858
	Hijli	ditto	1857
	Pirerabad	Hubeebpoor	1856
	Pangasia	ditto	1855
	Chursaeldaha	Sooltanpoor Khururea	1854
	Puranabaree	Hubeebpoor	1853
	Hijli Chuk Kalatala	Sooltanpoor Khururea	1852
	Arazee Kalatala	ditto	1851
	Saeldaha	ditto	1850
	Gangacharna	ditto	1849
	Chingaria	ditto	1848
	Machandpoor	Mokimpoor	1847

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NOTIFICATION.

The 11th November 1873.—The following villages in Zillah Mymensing are transferred to Zillah Dacca, and annexed to Thannah Kapaseea :—

No.	Names of Villages.	Pergunnahs.	Thakbust number.
	Choorbuhur	Runbhowal	53
	Gheelashoer	Ditto	52
	Shohadeea	Ditto	51
	Burnul	Ditto	48
	Burmee	Ditto	54
	Kaetpara	Ditto	56
	Kendooa	Bhowal	55
	Burma	Runbhowal	57
	Singsree	Ditto	59
	Barokaeka	Bhowal	61
	Panasaree	Ditto	60
	Hureeadee	Ditto	58
	Purmanund Khalee	Ditto	59½
	Patantek	Runbhowal	50
	Koohadeea	Bhowal	49

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NOTIFICATION.

The 11th November 1873.—The following villages in Zillah Mymensing are transferred to Zillah Dacca and annexed to Thannah Roypoora :—

No.	Names of Villages.	Pergunnahs.	Thakbust number.
	Oojan Kalikapershad	Tuppeh Koorukhaee	270
	Dukhin Kalikapershad	ditto	271
	Shororabad	ditto	272
	Ibrahimpoor	ditto	273
	Mamdabad	ditto	274
	Moosapoor	ditto	275
	Hureepoor	ditto	276
	Paharkharkandee	ditto	277
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NOTIFICATION.

The 11th November 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 5, Act VI (B.C.) of 1868, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the boundaries of the Town of Cuttack for municipal purposes will hereafter be as follows:—

On the north the Mahanuddy River; on the west the boundary follows the western boundary of Mansingh Patna from the Katjoree River to Stoney's Road, and thence is formed by that road to the banks of the Mahanuddy; on the south the Katjoree River; on the east the Cuttack trunk road from the Katjoree to Race Course Road, then down Race Course Road to No. 2 bridge, on the Taldunda Canal, and thence the canal itself to its junction with the Mahanuddy.

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Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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NOTIFICATION.

It is notified for general information that a Horse Show will be held in Calcutta during the week commencing Monday, the 12th January next, at which the prizes detailed below will be given by the Government of India.

Patron:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE LORD NORTHBROOK, G.M.S.I.,
Viceroy and Governor-General.

Vice Patron:

HON'BLE SIR G. CAMPBELL, D.C.L., K.C.S.I., *Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.*

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

President:

MAJOR-GENERAL C. T. CHAMBERLAIN, C.S.I.

Stewards:

Honorary Secretary—MR. J. A. CRAWFORD, B.C.S.,
HON'BLE LORD ULICK BROWNE, B.C.S.,
J. J. J. KESWICK, ESQ.,
Honorary Secretary—COLONEL M. TURNBULL,
Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon—J. H. B. HALLEN,
KHWAJEH AHSANOOLLAH,
MR. ESAU BIN CURTAS,

with power to add to their number.

A detailed notice regarding the arrangements for the Show, the entrance fees, reception of horses, &c., will be published hereafter by the Committee of Management.

Applications for information on the above points should be made to the Honorary Secretaries.

	Rs.
1st Prize.	
For the best six (6) brood mares, suitable for Army purposes, *bonâ fide* the property of one importer	3,000
2nd Prize.	
For the second best six (6) brood mares, suitable for Army purposes, *bonâ fide* the property of one importer	2,000
3rd Prize.	
For the third best six (6) brood mares, suitable for Army purposes, *bonâ fide* the property of one importer	1,000
4th Prize.	
For the best thorough-bred stallion for Stud purposes	3,000
2nd best do. do.	2,000
3rd best do. do.	1,000

The Government of India will retain a *right of pre-emption of any horses* exhibited, at a price to be fixed by the exhibitor before exhibition. No prizes will be given unless the horses exhibited come up to a high standard of excellence.

Importers and competitors are informed that the judges will be considerably guided by good measurement of girth and leg, and blood combined with power.

Animals wanting in such essential points will have no chance of gaining a prize.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information :—

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LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 3973.—*Simla, the 30th October* 1873.—*Notifications.*—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to rule that when a Ministerial Officer in superior service, and whose salary is not so much as Rs. 50 a month, travels by railway at the public expense, he shall receive the actual cost of a ticket by the intermediate class, or, if there be no such class, by the third class. This Notification supersedes Resolution (in this Department) No. 3835, dated 31st May 1862.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

No. 3996.—*The 31st October* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be added as Rules 1 (*a*) and 1 (*b*) under Section 47 of the Civil Pension Code :—

1 (*a*.) An officer discharged with a compensation pension may not, on pain of losing his pension, refuse to accept any appointment which the Local Government thinks fit within six months from the date of his discharge to offer to him.

The salary of such new appointment must not, however, be less than enough to raise his total receipts under the operation of Section 93 to the amount which he received as salary immediately before his discharge. Nor should the new appointment be such as the officer may not reasonably and equitably be expected to accept.

1 (*b*.) Rule 1 (*a*) applies also to the case of an officer entitled to compensation pension who is transferred to another appointment simultaneously with the abolition of his own appointment under proper authority. To such an officer a compensation pension may be simultaneously awarded.

No. 2939.—*Fort William, the 6th November* 1873.—*Notifications.*—*Accounts.*—Mr. H. A. Mangles is appointed to be a Director of the Bank of Bengal.

No. 2940.—*The 7th November* 1873.—Mr. H. A. Mangles resumed charge of the office of Accountant-General, Bengal, before noon, on the 5th November 1873.

SEPARATE REVENUE—OPIUM.

The 7th November 1873.

No. 2951.—Opium Revenue to date compared with the estimate for the year 1873-74 :—

PRESIDENCY.	LATEST MONTH.				EIGHT SALES OF BENGAL OPIUM, AND SEVEN MONTHS' DUTY ON MALWA OPIUM.		
	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.	Worse than Estimate.	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bengal	420,000	428,083	8,083	.....	3,360,000	3,499,494	139,494
Bombay	232,933	215,460	.....	17,473	1,258,672	1,569,300	310,628
TOTAL ...	652,933	643,543	.....	9,390	4,618,672	5,068,794	450,122

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 1128.—*Simla, the 31st October* 1873.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain Pryce Corbet to be Major, *vice* Major H. Carrick, resigned.
Lieutenant Richard Pearce to be Captain, *vice* Captain P. Corbet, promoted.
Ensign David Neville* to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant R. Pearce, promoted.

* *Subject to his passing an examination in drill.*

No. 1135.—*Simla, the 3rd November* 1873.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted o proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Major Adrian Deneys Vanrenen, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Grade, and officiating in the 1st Grade, Revenue Survey Department,—for 2 years, under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 1143.—*The 4th November* 1873.—The following extract from the *London Gazette* of the 23rd September 1873, page 4290, is published for general information:—

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL,
23rd September 1873.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officer having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel:—

* * * * * * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel Adrian Hugh Paterson, Bengal Staff Corps,—dated 3rd March 1873.

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No. 1144.—Captain J. Smith and Lieutenant W. Alexander are, at their own request, permitted to resign their appointments in the Calcutta Volunteer Lancers.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—A plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 24,439, for the construction of the Strand Bank Road in front of the Eastern Bengal Railway Station at Chitpore, having been submitted by the Vice-Chairman to the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with his letter No. 4067, dated the 11th of October 1873, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the construction under Section 35, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 13th October 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. the site for the Post Office at Nya Doomka, Tuppeh Bel Putta, Zillah Doomka, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring more or less 1 beegah and 13 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land between the Bhaugulpore and Soory road and the road leading to the Extra Assistant Commissioner's Bungalow; on the west by the land on the side of the latter road; on the south by a tank belonging to Messrs. G. H. and S. Grant; and on the east by the Bhaugulpore and Soory road, is required within the town of Nya Doomka.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 23rd October 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that the land, particulars of which are subjoined, is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. the site for the Post Office of Garhwa, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land, measuring 3 cottahs, pergunnah measurement, or 6¾ cottahs, Bengal standard measurement, is required.

The land is situated in the district of Lohardduggah, Tuppeh Serhey, Pargana Palamow, Thannah Garhwa, village or town Sonpurwa, and is bounded on the north by fallow land 50 paces wide running between north boundary and Jugul Sahir's garden; on the south by jamun tree and Police Station compound; on the east by the Pound Shed; and on the west by path leading to and from Jugul Sahir's garden past the Pound Shed. The declaration is made under Section 6 of Act X of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that, with the concurrence of the Government of India, the Lieutenant-Governor has sanctioned the establishment of a new sub-division to be attached to the Magisterial District of Howrah with its head-quarters at Mohesrekha. The sub-division will be conterminous with and include Thannahs Oolaberria, Khanakool, Bagnan, Amptah, and Shampore.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1742.

JUDICIAL.—*The 6th November* 1873.—Baboo Punchanun Banerjee, Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Hooghly, Serampore, and Howrah, is allowed fifteen days' leave on medical certificate, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, from the 24th October, the date on which he availed himself of it, making over charge of the current duties of his offices to the Clerk of the Courts.

The 10th November 1873.—Baboo Ashootosh Addy is appointed to officiate as Additional Munsif of Nitrokona, in Mymensing, during the absence on leave of Baboo Bhoobun Mohun Roy, or until further orders.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Coomarkhali in the District of Nuddea, and to appoint Baboo Tarini Churn Roy to be Additional Sub-Registrar of Kooshtea, with Head-Quarters at Coomarkhali.

This notification will take effect on and from the 15th November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th November 1873.—With reference to the Notification of the 6th May last, published at page 663 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, it is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has accepted the resignation by the persons named below of their appointments as Honorary Magistrates in the District of Hooghly :—

Baboo Chunder Kant Mookerjee.
,, Satya Dayal Banerjee.
,, Govind Chunder Mookerjee.
,, Hurry Hur Mookerjee.
,, Peary Mohun Mookerjee.
Moonshee Nazirooddeen.
Baboo Opendra Narain Nundy.
,, Purendra Deb Roy.
,, Rajendra Narain Nundy.
,, Shib Chunder Deb.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Agriculture, Revenue and Commerce, is republished for general information :—

No. 309.—*Simla, the 28th October* 1873.—*Notification.*—*Emigration.*—The rules relating to emigration from the port of Calcutta, made by the Governor General in Council under the provisions of Section fifty-six of the Indian Emigration Act, 1871, and published in the *Gazette of India* of the 22nd February 1873, are modified in the following respect :—

The scale for chunam or lime for whitewashing is increased from 400lb for every hundred statute adults to 600lb for every hundred statute adults.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act (VIII of 1871), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of the following four new sub-districts in the district of Burdwan :—

I.—Indas, with jurisdiction over thannahs Indas and Kotalpur.
II.—Mangalkot, with jurisdiction over thannahs Mangalkot and Sahibgunge.
III.—Mantessar, with jurisdiction over thannah Mantessar.
IV.—Mymaree, with jurisdiction over thannahs Selimabad and Ganguriah.

Baboo Shama Churn Deb Roy is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Indas.
,, Amrita Lal Biswas is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mangalkot.
Munshi Hydar Hussain is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mantessar.
Baboo Polin Behari Mozumdar is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mymaree.

This notification will take effect on and from 1st November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of two new sub-districts in the district of Monghyr, conterminous with the Thannahs of Gogree and Tegrah, which have hitherto been included under the sub-districts of Monghyr and Beguserai, respectively, and to appoint Syed Ali Hossein to be the Sub-Registrar of Gogree with head-quarters at Gogree, and Syed Mohamed Hossein to be the Sub-Registrar of Tegrah with head-quarters in the town of that name.

This notification will take effect on and from the 1st November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Shazadpur in the sub-division of Serajgunge in the district of Pubna, and to appoint Moonshee Muhammad Khalid to be Additional Sub-Registrar of Serajgunge with head-quarters at Shazadpur.

This notification will take effect on and from 1st November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased, in modification of the Notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 21st June 1871 (pages 1238 to 1248), to sanction the following changes in the sub-districts in the district of Maunbhoom, and the thannahs of the district will be distributed between the various sub-districts as shown below :—

Sub-district.	Extent of Jurisdiction.
PURULIA ...	Thannah Purulia, except Pergunnahs Palma and Baghda, which are within the jurisdiction of the Manbazar sub-district. Thannah Raghunathpore. ,, Gaurangdihi. ,, Chas. ,, Jaipur. ,, Jhalda. ,, Ichagarh. ,, Baghmundi. ,, Para.
MANBAZAR ...	Thannah Khatra. ,, Raipur. ,, Borabhum. ,, Manbazar. ,, Simlapol.
GOBINDPUR ..	Thannah Gobindpur. ,, Topichanchi. ,, Nirsha. ,, Tundi. ,, Jherya.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 28th October 1873.—With reference to rules 9 and 20 of the Rules for the qualification, admission, and enrolment of Pleaders and Mooktears in Mofussil Courts, published by the High Court in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th September last, requiring candidates for examination for the Higher and Lower Grade Pleaderships to give notice to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners on or before the 1st November in each year of their intention to appear at the ensuing examination, it is hereby notified that, pending the appointment of a Secretary to the Board of Examiners, notices from candidates will be received at the Office of the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Judicial Department, and that on this occasion only if they reach that office within fourteen days from the date of this Notification they will be considered as having been received on the 1st November for the purposes of the rules above referred to.

A. MACKENZIE,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 4th November 1873.

No. 381.—*Notification.*—Mr. G. Pothecary, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, Assistant Secretary in this Department, availed himself of one month's privilege leave* from the 1st November 1873.

* Bengal Government Public Works Department, Notification No. 358, of the 18th October 1873.

No. 382.—*Leave of Absence.*—Baboo Grischunder Doss, Overseer, Third Grade, attached to the Goalparah and Kamroop District, for three months on medical certificate, under Supplement F, Section 3, of the Civil Leave Code, in addition to that already granted* to him.

* Bengal Government Public Works Department, Notification No. 299, dated 19th August 1873.

No. 383.—Mr. T. G. Moreton, Supervisor, First Grade, attached to the Rajshahye and Pubna Districts, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 14th October 1873.

The 8th November 1873.

No. 384.—*Notification.*—Mr. J. Fennessy, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, attached to the Dinagepore and Maldah Districts, who obtained furlough* on medical certificate to proceed to Europe, having left India on the 12th September 1873, afternoon, will be borne on the list of the Engineer Establishment in Bengal, as a Supernumerary in his Grade from that date.

* Bengal Government Public Works Department, Notification No. 308 of the 25th August 1873.

No. 385.—*Promotion.*—Mr. J. S. Carey, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, attached to the Moorshedabad District, is promoted to the rank of Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, with effect from the 13th September 1873.

No. 386.—The following orders, issued by the Government of India Public Works Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 683, *of the* 31*st October* 1873.—Mr. J. Douglas, Officiating Assistant Controller, Bengal, is transferred to Lahore as Officiating Assistant Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts.

Mr. A. Wilson, Accountant, Third Grade, is appointed to Officiate as Assistant Controller, Bengal.

No. 684.—The undermentioned passed, students of the Thomason College are appointed to the Public Works Department in the grade specified and posted as follows :—,

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AS OVERSEER FIRST GRADE.

To Bengal Provincial Establishment.

Private J. Craig, Her Majesty's 55th Regiment, Corporal E. Hughes, C. 8th Royal Artillery.

No. 689, *of the* 3*rd November* 1873.—The undermentioned gentlemen, who have been appointed from the Indian Civil Engineering College at Cooper's Hill by Her Majesty's Secretary of State, as Assistant Engineers, Second Grade, are posted as follows :—

* * * *

Mr. R. G. Kennedy	...	...	To Bengal.
„ C. A. Mills	...	...	Ditto.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 6th November 1873.

No. 461.—*Appointment.*—Baboo Subba Roydoo Naidoo is appointed a Probationary Overseer of the Third Grade, and posted to the Eastern Sone Survey Division.

The 7th November 1873.

No. 462.—*Transfer.*—Baboo Issur Chunder Ghose, Overseer, First Grade, from the South-Western to the Sone Circle.

No. 463.—*Notification.*—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new division in the Sone Circle, to be called the Buxar Division, subject to the approval of the Government of India.

No. 464.—*Notification.*—Lieutenant A. D. McArthur, R.E., Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, to be Executive Engineer, Buxar Division, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge of the division.

No. 465.—*Posting.*—Mr. R. K. Buckley, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, having returned from the sick leave granted him in the orders marginally noted on the forenoon of the 2nd November 1873, is posted to the Buxar Division.

No. 87, dated 24th February 1873.

2. The unexpired portion of the sick leave is hereby cancelled.

No. 466.—*Transfers.*—Baboo Kedarnath Doss, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, from the Western Sone Survey to the Buxar Division.

No. 467.—Mr. B. J. Elias, Temporary Supervisor, Second Grade, from the Dehree to the Eastern Sone Division.

No. 468.—*Appointment.*—Baboo Baney Madhub Chatterjee is appointed a Probationary Sub-Overseer, First Grade, and posted to the Behar Survey.

No. 469.—*Leave.*—Mr. L. A. Mendes, Supervisor, First Grade, Hidgellee Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted on the forenoon of the 24th October 1873.

No. 406, dated 25th September 1873.

No. 470.—Baboo Gopal Chunder Ghose, Overseer, Second Grade, Arrah Division, is granted privilege leave for one month, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code, from 22nd September to the forenoon of 22nd October 1873.

No. 471.—*Notification.*—Baboo Charoo Churn Bose, Probationary Overseer, Third Grade, Arrah Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted in the orders marginally noted on the 25th September 1873, and returned to duty on the forenoon of the 25th October 1873.

No. 422, dated 16th October 1873.

No. 472.—*Notification.*—Mr. E. W. P. Foster, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Eastern Sone Division, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 27th October 1873.

No. 473.—*Leave.*—Baboo Shushi Bhoosun Ghose, Supervisor, First Grade, Hidgellee Division, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 474.—Baboo Audhur Chunder Roy Chowdry, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, Hidgellee Division, is granted privilege leave for two months, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 475.—*Notification.*—The services of Baboo Kedarnath Chuckerbutty, Overseer, Second Grade, Cuttack Workshop Division, are dispensed with.

No. 476.—*Notification.*—Baboo Soodam Chunder Patnaik, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, Western Sone Survey Division, is granted privilege leave for two days from 15th October 1873 in extension of the leave granted him on the 18th August last, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code.

He returned from leave on the 17th October 1873.

No. 477.—*Notification.*—Baboo Shib Chunder Banerjea, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, Dehree Division, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of 15th October 1873.

No. 478.—*Leave.*—Mr. O. W. Palmer, Supervisor, Second Grade, Cossye Divison, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted on the afternoon of the 18th September 1873.

No. 382, dated 16th September 1873.

No. 479.—*Leave.*—Serjeant Malachai Doyle, Supervisor, Second Grade, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, having been allowed sick leave for one year under sanction communicated by the Government of India, Military Department, availed himself of the same with effect from the 14th February last.

No. 480.—*Notification.*—Mr. R. Read, Supervisor, First Grade, Cossye Division, returned from privilege leave on the afternoon of the 29th October 1873.

No. 481.—*Notification.*—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 681, *dated* 28*th October* 1873.—The services of Mr. G. E. Abbott, Temporary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, Bengal Irrigation Branch, are dispensed with with effect from the 23rd instant."

No. 482.—*Notification.*—Mr. F. W. R. Cowley, Officiating Canal Revenue Superintendent, Orissa, made over the duties of that office to the Collector of Cuttack on the 29th October 1873, and resumed charge of the office of Canal Revenue Superintendent, Behar, on the afternoon of the 3rd November 1873.

No. 483.—*Notification.*—Mr. G. Toynbee, C. S., Canal Revenue Superintendent, Orissa, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 27th October 1873.

The unexpired portion of the leave is hereby cancelled.

The 8*th November* 1873.

No. 484.—*Transfer.*—Mr. G. F. Moore, Probationary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, from the Hidgellee to the Cossye Division.

No. 485.—*Notification.*—Mr. C. W. Hope, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, reported his return from Dehree, and joined the office of Superintending Engineer, Sone Circle, on the afternoon of the 29th October 1873.

No. 486.—*Notification.*—Mr. T. Gleeson, Probationary Overseer, First Grade, joined the Arrah Division on the forenoon of the 29th October 1873.

The 10*th November* 1873.

No. 487.—*Appointment.*—Mr. J. Tyndall, Temporary Sub-Overseer, First Grade, Arrah Division, is confirmed in that grade.

No. 488.—*Notification.*—Mr. F. Taylor, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, Hidgellee Division, returned from privilege leave on the afternoon of the 31st October 1873.

No. 489.—*Notification.*—Mr. H. Herd, Temporary Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, Dehree Division, is permitted at his own request to resign his appointment in the Department, with effect from 30th October 1873.

No. 490.—*Leave.*—Baboo Mohesh Chunder Mitter, Overseer, First Grade, Hidgellee Division, is granted sick leave for two months, under Supplement F, Section 3, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the forenoon of 3rd November 1873, on which date he availed himself of it.

IRRIGATION.

Dated 10th November 1873.

No. 491.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a line of navigable canal, to be called the Buxar Canal, taking off from the 12th mile of the Main Western Canal in Mouzah Kurma, Pergunnah Sasseram, in Zillah Shahabad, to the River Ganges near Buxar, in Mouzah Sareepoor, Pergunnah Bhojpoor, in the said Zillah of Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land of about 45 miles 2 furlongs and 124 feet in length, and averaging 300 feet in width, more or less, and containing 1,646 acres and 5 poles, more or less, is required within the aforesaid Zillah of Shahabad.

The said strip of land is situated in Mouzahs Kurma, Gooroora, Kudwa, Joynuggra, Mounduha, Sesirtha, Pipra, Sireeaon, Sirkinda or Duwan, Soonra, Misrowleea, Nokha-Kohua, and Koosua, in the aforesaid Pergunnah Sasseram; in Mouzahs Mytee, Nundooa, Musowna, Moosowth, Junhooaree, Rampoor, Tendooa, Kuroundee, Teelyee, Budkee-Khap, Kuroundee, Bishoonpoora, Chaudee, Khyra or Pusapoor, Kheeroodharpoor, Khyra, Turunpoora, Natwar, Ludooee, Khuttooa, Ugraind Kd., Goonsey, Byreea, Bitthuee, Chowraputtee, Khurantee, Kookoohae, Anwareeh, and Meduecpoor, in Pergunnah Dunwar; and in Mouzahs Ghoorsoonee, Belanon, Sukroor, Titrahund, Suthooaree, Burka, Birama, Hurnichatty, Narainpoor, Baireea, Munohurpoor, Bughee, Orap, Keknussee, Pusaree, Bumhunee, Hurpoora, Nawaon, Buboor, Mahadeo, Nadaen, Lallgunge, Batawa, Buxar, and Sareepoor, in Pergunnah Bhojpoor.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

No. 492.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a line of canal, to be called the Chowsa Branch Canal, to run from the second mile of the Buxar Canal (*vide* Notification No. 491, of this date) in Mouzah Joynuggra, Pergunnah Sasseram, in Zillah Shahabad, to the River Ganges near Chowsa, in Pergunnah Chowsa, in the said Zillah of Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land of about forty miles in length, and averaging 110 feet in width, and containing 533 acres and 5 poles, more or less, is required within the aforesaid Zillah of Shahabad.

The said strip of land is situated in Mouzahs Joynuggra, Moondeha, Jokhnee, Pynadh, Dharoopoor, Nokha, Hutnee, Churnadh, Doodhur, Gumhureea, and Baradeeh, in Pergunnah Sasseram; in Mouzahs Semra, Urung, Puruseea, Busdeeha, Chithurooa, and Gopalpoor, in Pergunnah Dunwar; Mouzahs Khoond, Husree-Deheree, Denareh, Bhoysa, Dhurmungolpoor, Jumroud, and Kookhock, in Pergunnah Dinareh; and in Mouzahs Sikteeah, Burman, Shoojatpoor, Dhoolpha, Munia, Naraundpoor, Motkeepoor, Lalloochok, Gorurdhonpoor, Issureepoor, Chutownau, Parbutchuk, Bissumburpoor, Boykoontpoor, Deodheea, Hurpoor, Munohurpoor, Jumotia, Rajpoor, Surawon, Trilochunpoor, Bhokooree, Buhmuee, Sureeha, Koochadee, Bunarpoor, Bochilwa, Choondee, Shalerpoor, and Kuthghurwa, in Pergunnah Chowsa.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

No. 493.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for brick-making, near Deegah, Pergunnah Phoolwaree, Zillah Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 25 beegahs 16 cottahs and 13 chittacks of standard measurement, situated in Mouzah Ramjeechuck, Pergunnah Phoolwaree, in Zillah Patna, to the west and south of the houses adjoining the Patna and Dinapore Road, and bounded on the west by a kucha road in the said Mouzah, running southwards from the said Patna and Dinapore Road, is required within the aforesaid village of Ramjeechuck.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. W. GULLIVER, LIEUT.-COL., *R. E.*,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

NOTIFICATION.

8th November 1873.

UNDER Section 14 Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Nurail will hold sittings at Nurail on the dates mentioned below, in order to clear off the accumulations of cases now on the file of that Court :—

Thursday, the 20th November 1873.
Friday 21st ditto ditto.

The 8th November 1873.

J. WESTON, *Judge.*

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABOO PEARY MOHUN BANERJEE, Uncovenanted Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Treasury at Bhagulpore, and has been authorized to draw bills on all other treasuries.

G. N. BARLOW, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'s OFFICE, BHAGULPORE, the 3rd November 1873.

MR. M. LITTLE, Uncovenanted Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Treasury at Monghyr, and has been authorized to draw bills on all other treasuries.

G. N. BARLOW, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'s OFFICE, BHAGULPORE, the 3rd November 1873.

NOTICE.

THE following Candidates have passed the Examination in Physical Geography, Surveying, and Drawing held in accordance with the Junior Scholarship Rules in the Burdwan Division on 18th and 19th September 1873 :—

No.	Name of Candidates.	School.
	Division I. in order of merit.	
1	Tárák Náth Mitra ...	... Konnagar Aided School.
2	Satya Priya Deb	... ditto ditto.
3	Upendra Nath Chakravarti ...	... Uttepara School.
4	Suka Deb Chandhuri	... Howrah School.
5	Hárádhan Mukhopádhyáy ...	... Utterpara School.
6	Haris Chandra Rái Chandhuri ...	... Howrah School.
7	Nitai Chánd Datta ...	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
8	Dina Náth Gui	... Howrah School.
9	Upendra Náth Chattopádhyáy ...	... Utterpara School.
	Division II. in Alphabetical order.	
10	Amjed Ali	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
11	Bandyopádhyáy, Atul Chandra...	... Janai School.
12	,, Bhushan Chandra ...	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
13	,, Chandra Mohun	... ditto ditto.
14	,, Hari Dás ...	... Chinsurah Free Church School.
15	,, Man Mohun ...	... Hooghly Branch School.
16	,, Purna Chandra ...	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
17	,, Uma Charan ...	.. Hindoo School.
18	Barál, Prosád Dás	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
19	Basu, Amarendra Náth ...	... Midnapore High School.
20	,, Jogendra Náth	... Howrah School.
21	Bháduri, Gokul Chandra ...	... ditto ditto.
22	Bhakat, Bihári Lal	... Midnapore High School.
23	Bhattácharya, Krishnadhan ...	... Hindoo School.
24	Chakravarti, Gopál Chandra ...	... ditto ditto.
25	,, Trailokyo Náth ...	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
26	Chandra, Man Mohan ...	... Beerbhoom School.
27	Chattopadhyáy, Brindávan Chandra	... Konnagar School.
28	,, Gopál Chandra ...	... Howrah School.
29	,, Kamaláksha ...	... Beerbhoom School.
30	,, Manmatha ...	... Howrah School.
31	,, Nivárán Chandra	... Utterpara School.
32	,, Priya Gopál ...	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
33	,, Priya Náth ...	... Utterpara School.

No.	Name of Candidates.	School.
34	Dás, Bihári Lál	Hooghl- Collegiate School.
35	„ Chuni Lál	ditto ditto.
36	„ Kesav Lál	ditto ditto.
37	„ Krishná Nanda	Midnapore High School.
38	Datta, Akshay Kumár	Hooghly Branch School.
39	„ Amrita Lál	Hooghly Collegiate School.
40	„ Banka Vihári	Howrah Government School.
41	„ Binari Lal	Hooghly Collegiate School.
42	„ Gaur Chánd	ditto ditto.
43	„ Sripati Charan	Midnapore High School.
44	Dhar, Nagendra Náth	Hooghly Branch School.
45	Dé, Bipin Vihári	Beerbhoom Government School.
46	„ Mati Lál	Midnapore High School.
47	Golám Kádir	Hooghly Collegiate School.
48	Ghosh, Barodá Charan	Midnapore High School.
49	„ Krishna Dhan	Hooghly Branch School.
50	„ Mahátáp Chandra	Beerbhoom School.
51	„ Rájendra Lál	Hooghly Branch School.
52	Ghoshál, Akshay Kumár	Utterpara School.
53	„ Svámá Pada	difto ditto.
54	Hájrá, Jadu Náth	Hooghly Collegiate School.
55	„ Sachi Náth	ditto ditto.
56	Háldár, Hari Jáhnavi	Howrah School.
57	Kundu, Trailokya Nath	Midnapore High School.
58	Mandal, Nilmani	Utterpara School.
59	Mallik, Jugal Kisor	Hooghly Branch School.
60	Mukhopadhyáy, Chandra Kumár	Utterpara School.
61	„ Dwárka Náth	ditto ditto.
62	„ Jánaki Náth	Beerbhoom School.
63	Ráy, Amrita Lál	Howrah School.
64	„ Chandra Nárayán	Hooghly Branch School.
65	„ Nil Kántha	Midnapore High School.
66	Sá á, Ananta Lál	ditto ditto.
67	„ Lakshmi Náráyan	ditto ditto.
68	Sarkár, Nakur Lál	Howrah School.
69	Sen, Durgá Prasanna	Hooghly Collegiate School.
70	Sil, Binod Vihári	ditto ditto.
71	„ Bipin Vihári	ditto ditto.
72	„ Jogendra Náth (No. I. Section A.)	ditto ditto.
73	„ Ditto („ II. „ A.)	ditto ditto.
74	„ Ditto („ III. „ B.)	ditto ditto.
75	Sinha, Binod Vihári	Howrah School.
76	„ Narendra Prasanna	Beerbhoom School.
77	Sur, Jaggesvar	Utterpara School.
78	„ Lolit Mohan	Hooghly Collegiate School.

KEDARNATH DAS,
Personal Asst. to Commr., Burdwan Divn.

Sheriff's Office, the 28th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Criminal Sessions of the year 1873, of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Thursday, the twentyseventh day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Session be then and there to prosecute.

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস সন ১৮৭৩ সাল ২৮ অকটোবর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ২৭ নবেম্বর বৃহস্পতিবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যেপর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের নবম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারায় প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

ECCLESIASTICAL.

THE REVEREND ARTHUR CHARLES PEARSON of Magdalene College, Cambridge, M.A., Junior Chaplain, has been appointed by the Lord Bishop, a Surrogate in this Diocese, for granting Episcopal Licences of Marriage.

CALCUTTA, 11th November 1873. R. LEYCESTER UPTON, *Offg. Registrar.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 909B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1874, will consist of 26,244 chests of Behar, and 18,756 chests of Benares Opium, being of the two seasons 1871-72 and 1872-73 in the proportions marginally noted. The sales will be held on or about the dates specified below. The Member in charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

	Chests.	Chests.
BEHAR.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	8	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	26,236	
		26,244
BENARES.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	16	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	18,740	
		18,756
Total ...		45,000

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 5th Jan. 1874	...	2,209	1,541	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	...	26,244	18,756	45,000

The following are the conditions of Sale :—

1. The Opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The Opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by Clause 12 of these Conditions of Sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M.; but if at that hour any of the lots advertized for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Member in charge, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday) at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or, if the whole quantity advertized shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Member in charge may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room, and before the lot is registered in the sale book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this Office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale; or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts, or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Member in charge shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and

DEPOSIT.
When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

6. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the last-mentioned condition, if remaining unredeemed at 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

7. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of Opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted.

8. The Opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 4 o'clock of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, and in case any lots of such Opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth Condition or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Member in charge shall think fit, and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the Opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale.

9. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of Opium after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots, or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests originally required to be included in each certificate or order.

10. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present Conditions will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale book or his anthorized Agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

11. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall, on demand, tender at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal Receipts, or Government Securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these Conditions.

12. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually until a bid is obtained, and the first *bona fide* bidder for a lot after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these Conditions

13. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same agency Opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the Opium to complete the said twenty-five.

14. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the Opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Juditure at Fort William in Bengal.

15. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. No. 1, certificate of the Opium advertized for sale; No. 2, report of the examination of such Opium.

16. The public are hereby informed that, in providing the investment of the Behar and Banares Opium for the year 1872-73, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

17. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the Opium advertized for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Member in charge entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of Opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the Opium for shipment.

13. It is hereby further notified that under the 6th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March, 1815, quoted below, the Agents in India of the French Government, or persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that out of the quantities of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for sale, at the twelve sales of the year 1874, there shall be delivered to them, at the average of the particular sale or sales to which the Opium so applied for may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make requisition specifying the quantity of Opium required by them at any particular sale, within thirty days from the advertisement of such intended sale, provided however that the Agents of the French Government may make such requisition for the whole quantity within thirty days from the publication of this notification. If the Agent of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time above mentioned, the entire quantity of about 45,000 chests of Behar and Benares, as above estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner; and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertized for sale at each or any of the twelve sales above mentioned, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

	Chests.
Behar	26,244
Benares	18,756
Total	45,000

Article of the convention above referred to.

Article VI.—"With regard to the trade in Opium, it is agreed between the high contracting parties that at each of the periodical sales of that article, there shall be reserved for the French Government, and delivered upon requisition duly made by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty, or by the persons duly appointed by them, the number of chests so supplied for provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken on account of the French Government by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred chests hereinbefore mentioned. The requisitions for Opium, as aforesaid, are to be addressed to the Governor-General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended sales shall have been published in the *Government Gazette*."—By order of the Member in charge.

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, The 8th November 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 869B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth or last Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 4th December 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 Chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares ,, ...	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertized will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 19th December respectively; that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 9th December 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 19th December 1873.

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 28th October 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

STATEMENT shewing the quantity of Salt in store available for Exportation on Private Trade at each of the several Ports of Export in the undermentioned Districts.

Name of District.	Ports at which Salt is generally available for export on private trade.	Quantity remaining in store actually available for export on 16th September 1873.	REMARKS.
		Indian Mds.	
Ganjam	Bavanapadu at the Nowpadah Salt Pans	50,000	
Godavery	Cocanada	50,000	
Chingleput ..	Madras	....	
	Ennore	....	
	Covelong	....	
Tanjore ..	Negapatam	....	
	Katmavady	....	
	Total ..	100,000	

N.B.—Salt for export will be supplied by Government at the rates specified in the Notifications dated 21st March 1868 and 22nd April 1869, published at pages 737, *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 24th March 1868, and 673, dated 27th April 1869.

H. E. STOKES, *Acting Sub-Secretary.*

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE, *Madras, the 16th October* 1873.

PUBLISHED for general information.

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., Fort William, the 8th November 1873.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situated in the District of Burdwan, from 1873-74 to 1900 will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on Friday, the 5th December 1873, corresponding with 21st Aughran 1280, B.S.:—

The purchasers of the estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1*st*.—The estate will be sold subject to a [light] jumma of Rs. 4 per annum to the highest bidder.

2*nd*.—The sale will be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers will be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

5*th*.—In addition to the ordinary Government revenue assessed upon the estates the purchaser shall be bound to pay for the construction of roads and improvement of communications, 1 per cent. on the Government revenue assessed from the date of entry upon the purchase. This sum will be leviable in the same manner as other arrear's of revenue.

6*th*.—The purchasers will be bound to perform the Patwary's duties.

No. in statement of Government estate.	No. on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government Revenue.			Upset price.	Remarks.
				Revenue assessed.	Road cess.	Total.		
				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		
64	4519	Kashipore, Pergunnah Raneehatty.	0 3 3	4 0 0	.....	4 0 0	.....	Proprietary right of Government to the estate from 1873-74 to 1900 to be sold.

E. H. WINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 1st day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1873.

Number on the rent roll.	Class.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	REMARKS.
57	1st class	Kismut Pergunnah Kurgram, Pergunnah Kurgram.	Fuckeer Chunder, Dolegovind, Ramessur Karfurma, Brojo Koomar, Dhurum Dutt, Sharoda Soondery, Modhoo Soodun, Kangalee Nath, Hereclall Roy, Mohamaya Debbia, Tarini Proshad Roy Chowdry, Horish Chunder Karfurma, and Ramessuree Debee.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 2,397-13-10. That exclusive of the share of 11 gundas and 2 kowrees of Tarinee Proshad Roy Chowdry, viz. Rs. 85-13-4, is Rs. 2,312-0-6.	The separate share of Tarini Proshad Chowdry only will be sold.
100	Ditto ...	Kismut Pergunnah Choonakhallee. Pergunnah Choonakhalee.	Rajkissore, Chunderchoor, Ramcoomar, Horeproshad, Kassissur, Moharanee Surnomoye, Joynarain Bose, Radhakristo, Bissonath, Mrittonjoy Roy, Brojosoonderee Dassia, Jeebunkristo Pramanic, Haradhonee Dassia, Shama Soondery Dassia, Shosodhur Chowdhoory, Peari Soondery Dassia, Assootosh Bose, Charoo Chunder Bose, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, Kamini Soondery, Torunginee, *alias* Lootoomony Dassia, Poolin Beharee Sen, Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany, Saroda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad, Roy Chowdhoory, Shama Churun Bose, Kaminee Soondery Dassia, Kandarimul, Dooleechand, Khettro Nath Bundopaddhea, Jogendro Mohinee Debbia, Shoseebhoosun Mookhopaddhia, Sarossutee Debbia.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 3,551-7-5. That exclusive of the separate shares of Moharanee Surnomoye ... ... 107 11 9 Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor ... 443 15 0 Charoo Chunder Bose ... 83 11 1½ Joynarain Bose ... ... 167 6 0 Assootosh Bose ... ... 83 11 1½ Sosodhur Chowdhoori ... 104 9 10 Shama Churn Bose ... 201 11 0 Shama Soondery Chowdhoorany ... ... 62 14 0 Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany. 262 12 0 Sharoda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad Roy ... 262 12 0 Khetter Nath Banerjea and Jogendro Mohini Debbia ... 366 14 3 Haradhonee Dassia ... 6 0 11½ Lotoomony Dassia, *alias* Kamini Soondery Dassia ... 6 0 11½ Total ... 2,160 2 0 is Rs. 1,391-5-5.	The rights and interest of all the proprietors in the estate except those of the persons mentioned in the foregoing column will be sold.
120	Ditto ...	Kismut Mouzah Chhooleepoor, Pergunnah Oozeerabad.	Ranee Aunund Moyee, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 759-12-10. That exclusive of the share of Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, viz. Rs. 384-14-5. is Rs. 384-14-5.	The share of Ranee Aunund Moye only will be sold.
234	Ditto ...	Pullee Bahadoorpoor, Pergunnah Kassipore.	Prosunno Chunder Ghose ...	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 742-15-8.	The entire mehal will be sold.

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of 24-Pergunnahs, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 5th day of December 1873, corresponding with 21st Augrahon 1280, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day September 1873 :—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

No. 658, Kismut Pergunnah Baliah, Turf Sreekistopore, recorded proprietor Ramdhun Bose and others; sudder jumma, including police charges, Rs. 1,141-12-1.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Collector.*

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, 24-PERGUNNAHS, the 27th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of East Burdwan will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 3rd day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-Settled Estates.

Number in the rent roll.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	
27	Shahapere and others, Pergunnah Jahangirabad.	Chowdhory Golam Rohoman, Nocoor Chunder Shaha, Kristoprosunno Mozoomdar, Jurifunnessa Bibee, Gooroo Dass Koondoo, Kofiluddin *alias* Doonoomea, Kangali Churn Shaha, and Shehatannessa Bibee.	8,569 1 10	Out of the total amount of Government Revenue, separate accounts have been opened on behalf of the undermentioned shareholders, and they have paid up their quotas, viz:— Jurifunnessa Bibee for Rs. 1,391-3-3; Nocoor Chunder Shaha for Rs. 904-4-6; Kofiluddin *alias* Doonoomea for Rs. 834-11-6; Gooroo Dass Koondoo for Rs. 208-10-11; Kangali Churn Shaha for Rs. 208-10-11; Shehatannessa Bibee for Rs. 904-4-6; The estate to be sold for arrears of Government Revenue only.
158	Shumoodrogouree, Pergunnah Shatshocka.	Rohimunnessa Bibee, Koylash Chundra De Chowdhory, Gobin Chand Nundy, and Nilcomul De Chowdhory.	2,710 8 11	In this estate general registry has been recorded in the names of different personages under Section 41 of Act XI of 1859, as stated below:— Kedarnath Chuckerbutty, putnidar of 8as. share of 9 mouzahs, viz: Kypookooriah and others for Rs. 900; Beny Madhub Mullick, putnidar of 2as. share of Shumoodrogori and Hursloona, and 1 anna 8 gundas 1 cowree share of 16 mouzahs of Shinghoojooley for Rs. 293-2-2. Bunomalee Nundy, putnidar of 8as. share of mouzah Neiz Shumoodrogori and Hurshoona &c., and three-fourths of 5 annas 13 gundas 1 cowree 1 krantee share of 15 mouzahs, Putty Thakoordara and others; in all 17 mouzahs general registry for Rs. 726-6-7. The estate to be sold for arrears of government revenue only.
174	Gowara, Pergunnah Mamdanipore.	Kristodeb Bhuttacherjee ...	727 14 7	1st Class.—Permanently settled estate. The estate to be sold for arrears of Government Revenue only.

E. H. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE, the 29th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 28th day of November 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873:—

Serial number.	Number on the Touji.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Names of Proprietors.	Amount of Government Revenue.	Amount of arrears.
				Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.
...	250	First Class permanently settled Estate, Taraf Soorjopárá, Pergunnah Tegechi.	Kali Sundary Deby, Shabitri Dassy, Kaliprosad Chowdrury, Bhobodeb, Talookdar, Santoomony Deby, Gungaprosad, Debiprosad, Ramshonaton Lahiry, Essur Chandra, Gungagobind Roy, Digbashona Deby, Bepin Chandra Chowdhury, Bama Sundary Deby, Chandra Kanta, Romonikant Lahiry, Soorjo Kant Lahiry, Pran Nath Roy and Gowri Nath, Gooroo Prosunno and Poresh Nath Roy, Minors, Ram Ram Charn, Gooroo Charn, Boroda Charn, Gunga Charn, Shib Charn, Doorga Doss Khan, Horo Moni Deby, Koilash Chandra and Hurri Dass Lahiry, Minors.	1,604 14 0 Of this revenue separate accounts have been opened under Section 10, Act XI, 1859, with Ram Charn Khan and others, for Rs. 156-4, and with Hurro Moni Deby and others, for Rs. 65-6, in lots for Rs. 221-10. Deducting this the portion of revenue payable by the shares of Kali Sundary Deby and others to be sold is Rs 1,383-4.	103 7 0

RAJSHAHYE COLLECTORATE, the 15th October 1873. W. H. D'OYLY, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of Sarun, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December 1873, corresponding with 6th Poos 1281 F.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873 in lieu of 28th September 1873:—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

Serial No.	Towjee No.	
1	1751	Mehal Telpa Boozoorg, Pergunnah Chirand; recorded proprietors, Rai Baboo Shewgholam Sah Bahadur and others; Sudder Jumma, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 1,267-8.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

2	2294	Mehal Bajraha, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ramanugreh Opadhia and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 172-0-1½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

3	2303	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raj Coomar Singh and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 640.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

4	2329	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raghoonath Sahai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 438-11-11½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

5	2411	Mehal Tarya, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Issardut and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 744-13-4¾.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

6	2433	Mehal Chhap Sudershurn, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ritbarun Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 344-11-1.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

7	2523	Mehal Saguni, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Brijraj Kuer and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 1,536.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

8	2615	Mehal Kewani, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Barumdeo Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 626-10-2¼ deducting Rs. 261-14-9 for which separate accounts have been opened, and Rs. 357-14-11¼, the share of the Ijmali proprietors for which revenue has been paid, the share of Barumdeo Rai bearing a revenue of Rs. 6-12-6 for which separate account has been opened and in respect of which balance has accrued shall be sold.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

9	2664	Mehal Mushruk, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Mussamut Mitto Bibi and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 250-10-6½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

10	2813	Mehal Amnour Madur, Pergunnah Makair; recorded proprietors, Jobraj Sing and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 2,443-15-2¼.

SARUN COLLECTORATE, the 25th October 1873. G. G. DEY, *For Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام بابت بقیہ مالگذاري سرکار

واضح ہو کہ حسب دفعہ ۶ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع کے یہہ محالات مرقومہ الذیل ضلع سارن مین بابت بقیہ مالگذاري سرکار و دیگر عوي جو ازروے دستورات وقوانین مجاریہ موافق باقي مالگذاري سرکار کے بتاریخ ۸ اکتوبر بیساب سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع واجب الوصول ہي بروز چارشنبہ تاریخ دہم ۵ دسمبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع مطابق ۶ پوس سنہ ۱۲۸۱ فصلي کچہري مین صاحب کلکٹر اوسي ضلع کے بلا عذر و عام نیلام مین رکہا جائیگا:—

نمبر توزیع	نام محال	قسم اول	قسم مطالبہ
۱۷۵۱	محال تیلپا براگ پرگنہ چراند جنکي جمع صدر ۶۴۳۱ روپیہ ۸ پائي	بامستثنا ۲ انہ ۸ پائي	جمع ۹۷ روپیہ باقیمالگذاري سرکار

رول شدہ بمراد ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ حصہ دہندہ ان حصہ اجمالي راے بابو شیو غلام شاہ بہادر وغیرہ نادہندان جمعي ۷۶۲۱ روپیہ ۸ انہ بعلت باقي مبلغ ۹ روپیہ ۱۳ انہ ۶ پائي کے نیلام ہوگا۔

۶۶۹۴ محال بجرا ها پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۲۲۶ روپیه ۱۴ باستثنائے ۰۵۴ روپیه ایضا
انه ۱۱ ½ پائي ۴۱ انه ۰۱ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ حصه دهندان کے حصه اجمالي
رام انو گوه ا و پدهیا وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۲۷۱ روپیه ۱ ½ انه بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۶ روپیه ۸ انه ۳ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۰۳ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۰۴۳ روپیه هي ایضا
وخانه مالگذارمین نام کمهار سنگه وغیره کالکها جاتا هي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۶ روپیه ۳ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۲۹ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۱۳۵ روپیه ۱۳ انه باستثنائے جمع ۳۹ ایضا
روپیه ۱۱ انه ۶ پائي ۵ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے حصه اجمالي
رگهوناتهه سهائے وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۸۳۴ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱۱ ½
پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۴ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۱۱ محال تریا پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۱۴۴۱ روپیه ۱ انه باستثنائے جمع ۶۹۶ ایضا
روپیه ۳ انه ۸ پائي ۳ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے حصه
اجمالي ایشرت وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۴۴۷ روپیه ۱۳ انه
۴ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۲۳ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۰۱ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۳۳ محال چهاب سودرشن پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۶۲۸ روپیه باستثنائے جمع ۶۷۴ ایضا
۵ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۰۱ انه ۳ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان اجمالي رتیبرن
رائے وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۴۴۳ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۱۳ روپیه ۸ انه ۷ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۵۲۳ محال سگونے پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۶۳۵۱ روپیه هي ایضا
وخانه مالگذارمین نام برج راج کنور وغیره کالکها جاتا هي بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۰۱ انه ۲ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۱۵ محال کیواني پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۶۲۶ روپیه ۰۲ باستثنائے جمع ۱۶۲ ایضا
انه ۲ ½ پائي روپیه ۱۴ انه ۹ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۵۷ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۱۱ ½ پائي
جمع اجمالي حصه دهندان کے برهمدیو رائے وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۶۲
روپیه ۱ انه ۶ پائي تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۷۵
بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۶۴ محال مسرکه پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۳۶۰۱ باستثنائے جمع ۱۲۸ ایضا
روپیه ۱۷ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۱۲ انه ۹ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے
حصه اجمالي مسماة منوبي بي وغیره نا دهندان جمعي
۰۵۲ روپیه ۰۱ ۶ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۴ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۷ ½
پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۸۱۳ محال امنوربا نور پرگنه بکیر جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۲۴۸۵ باستثنائے جمع ۱۰۰۴۱ ایضا
روپیه ۱ انه ۳ ½ پائي روپیه ۲ انه ۱ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے
حصه اجمالي جوبراج سنگه وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۲۴۳۴ روپیه ۱۵
انه ۲ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۲۹ روپیه ۱۷ انه ۴ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

دستخط في التاریخ ۲۲ اکتوبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع

G. G. DEY,
For Offg. Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6 of Act XI of 1859 and Section 3 of Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the under-mentioned estate in the district of Rungpore, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd Pous 1280 B.S., corresponding to 17th December 1873.

Class I.—Permanently settled estate.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue No. 7, Mouzah Monbhasa, &c., Chakla Futtehpore. The shares of the recorded proprietors, Tara Mohun Chaudhuree, Brojokissoree Dasya, Ishan Chunder Choudhuree, Hurro Soondaree Dabya, Chondhuranee, Mutteculla Kutoobulla, Bhyrub Chundra Choudhuree, Amirulla minor, Shona Bibee, Maharajah Nreependra Narain Bhoop Bahadur, Dhunnessuree Dasya, Nilkant Surmah, Joyantee Dabya, Mahamed Sadatulla, for himself and Sadatullah and Komoruddeen, on behalf of Anaitullah minors, Barada Sundaree Dabya and Bama Sundary Gupta Choudhuranee, having been separated under Sections 10 and 11 of Act XI of 1859 are exempted. The shares of Hurro Chundra Gossamee, Hurish Chundra Roy, Protab Mul Rakha *alias* Nanka Rokha Abeenessa Khatoon and Jadu Nath Shah Chowdry, are to be sold, the revenue of the shares to be sold is Rs. 746-8. The revenue of the entire estate is Rs. 6,554-13-8.

RUNGPORE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 3rd November 1873. E. G. GLAZIER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the under-mentioned estates in the District of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 22nd December 1873 corresponding with 8th Pous 1280, for arrears of revenue and for other demands, which by Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, which were due on the 8th October 1873 corresponding with 23rd Assin 1280, on which day the office re-opened after the Dasahara vacation.

No. 62.—Mehal Ghop Silunda, Pergunnah Sinduri, recorded proprietors, Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan Lahiry and others. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,859-10-2 of which Rs. 409-0-1 are to be deducted on account of the share of Annapurna Dasya, Hur Sundari Devya and others, with whom a separate account has been opened under the provisions of Section 10 of Act II of 1859, and the joint share of Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan, Lahiry Chundi Prosad Mozoomdar, Mahamed Ahasan, Gopi Nath Sanyal, Ram Nath Sircar, Kali Churan Singh and others, and Syama Soonduri Dassya, and others, and Golam Abbas, Nazaruddin Chandhari, Mahamed Esrail, Fakoruddin Mahamed Assan, *alias* Azimuddin Choudhari and Anandamoni Dasya, will be sold for Rs. 295-7-4, being the balance of Rs. 1,450-10-1, their share of the revenue.

No 1120.—The recently accreted chur of Taraf Bharara, Pergunnah Bajuras Nazirpur, recorded proprietors, Mahahutnissa Sagirannessa Bibi, Tarabali Khan, Azimunnessa Bibi, Sonajan Bibi—Santamoni Devya, Mothoora Nath and Jodu Nath Mozoomdar, Saroda Soondari Devya, Hari Mohan, Har Nath, and Krishna Nath Pal, Ram Dhan Saha Umarannissa and Elahibaksh Khan. Sudder Jumma Rs. 755-14-11, will be sold for Rs. 189-6-7 being the balance of Government revenue due.

PUBNA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873. R. PORCH, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the District of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 15th day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1873.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Ali Pohella, proprietor, Tripuracharan Roy. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs 994-0-6.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Baseer Hanif, proprietor Jafer Ali. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs. 173.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 1279.—Taraf Joyram Chowdry, proprietor, Abdool Odood Furkhond Bakt, Jahirnepa, Mobarek Bakt, Nozumnepa, Taznepa, Karinnepa and Mafiznepa. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,420-5.

C. L. CLAY, *Offg. Collector.*

Notice.

The undermentioned estates or lots of waste lands in Chittagong will be re-sold by public auction at the Office of the Collector of that district on Tuesday, the 2nd day of December 1873 at noon, for arrears of interest money and other Government demands agreeably to Section 6 Act XI of 1859, on account, and at the risk, of the defaulters.

No. of lot.	Name of defaulting proprietors.	Thannah in which situated.	Area in acres.	Arrears of interest money.	Balance of purchase money.	Balance of survey charges.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
67a	Durga Mohun Roy ...	Potia ...	1,575	909 15 4	1,112 8 0	114 4 0	
92	Jowalager Bharati ...	Zorwargunge..	604	567 3 1	1,246 2 0	154 14 0	
98	Kristna Chandra and others.	Fatickchari ...	634	2,265 0 7	7,013 8 0	98 10 0	

(Sd.) J. C. VEASEY, *Offg. Collector.*

Notice

THE Cachar Melâ will as usual be held at Silchar, commencing on Tuesday, the 30th December 1873, corresponding with 16th Pous, 1280 (B.S.), and continue for as many days as may be considered necessary.

E. Y. WALCOTT, *Asst. Commr. in charge of Dy. Commr.'s Office.*

CACHAR, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 23rd October 1873.

Notice.

THE Singhbum Annual Fair will be held as usual at Chyebassa during the last fortnight in December 1873.

C. H. GARBETT, *Captain, Offg. Dy. Commr., Singbhum.*

CHYEBASSA, the 22nd October 1873.

Matabhangah River.

Weekly Report showing the least depth of water from the Entrance of the Matabhangah River to Kissengunge, for the week ending on Friday, the 31st October 1873.

Name of Shoals.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.
Entrance from the Ganges ...	6	0
Tatarparah	3	0
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia	5	0
,, Hât Bolia to Cut No. 1	1	6
,, Cut No. 1 to Boalmaree	5	9
,, Boalmaree to Alickdeah ...	5	6
,, Alickdeah to Kissengunge	6	0

Jellinghee River.

Entrance ...	5	6
,, to Jellinghee	0	3
From Jellinghee to Teakatta	1	0
,, Teakatta to Nuddea ...	2	6

H. T. FORBES, *Major, R.A., Exe. Engr., Nuddea District.*

KISHNAGHUR, the 5th November 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 7th November 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Chourasea ...	12	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles	3	6	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	0	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	3	0	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles	3	6	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles	4	3	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 10th November 1873, above zero, 4 ft. 1 inch.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Moorshedabad District.*

BERHAMPORE, the 10th November 1873.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the undermentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1873.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Nov. 11th ...	1 Bale, A P C J	... Order ...	City of Oxford.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Captain Adamson, care of Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, G [B]	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	8 Packages, [B]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Cases, B or no mark or	.. Lord Ulick Browne	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	4 Casks, C J M	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Packages, S C [C]	.. T. E. Thomson, & Co.	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	26 Cases, [C L S 280]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Bale, addressed	... D. T. Shaw, & Co ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, [600]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Mr. D. Waldie ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Cask, P [G D C C]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Keg, [G]	... Gopal ChunderMitter	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Packages, addressed	... Hunter, & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, I J C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Package, J W	... J. Walker ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	8 Bales, Buckets P [L E] P	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Casks, R or addressed	... J. A. Landola, J. Skinner, & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	8 Cases, M O C	... A. Wright, & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, M E	... N. & Edwards ..	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	3 Packages, addressed	... Mr. R. D. Macpherson	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	39 Packages, S N N C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	3 Chains, [B] or no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Packages, no mark	... ,, ..	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Casks, addressed	... Officers Mess, 1st Battalion, 14th Regiment ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Cases, R M & Co.	.. R. Macallister ..	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	9 Cases, S K C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	4 Packages, addressed	... Col. Sherriff, H. M. 42nd A. L. I., care of Begg, Dunlop, & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	3 Casks, S	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, addressed	... J. Simson, Esq., Agra	
,, 11th ...	4 Cases, T R I	... Anderson, Wright & Co ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	3 Cases, W H & Co., [1872]	... Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, [W K]	... G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Sample parcel, G [B]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 ,, ,, C F [D]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 ,, ,, A [G]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 ,, ,, addressed	... P. K. Law & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 ,, ,, S & C	. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 ,, ,, B S C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 ,, ,, W W [L] Rangoon	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Sample case, A S P	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 ,, ,, J W or	.. James Walker ...	Ditto.
,, 4th ...	20 Drums, S C [C]	... T. E. Thomson & Co.	John Tennant.
,, 4th ...	2 ,, [J W S & Co.]	... Order ...	Aphrodita.
,, 4th ...	1 Drum no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 8th *November* 1873. (423—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
4 Cases, no mark	Hereford.
1 Case, [S & Co., N]	Hydaspes.
2 Cases, S & Co.	Ditto.
1 Case, M. L. & Co., Calcutta	Ditto.
1 Portmanteau, A. F. Jafferys, care of P. & O. Co. Agent, Calcutta	Ditto.
1 Cask, } A L 32 Cases, }	China.
1 Cabinet-ware, no mark	Ditto.

N.B.—The above will be sold, if not cleared within the 29th of November 1873.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 8th November 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal on the 4th November 1873

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		15,47,596	8	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,22,53,624 2 0	3,31,44,180	6	10
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	„ 2,08,90,556 4 10			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		3,00,73,757	8	2
Bank Post Bills, &c.		2,83,172	6	6
Sundries		5,81,942	9	8
Total ...		8,76,30,649	7	11

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,66,30,575	3	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		42,04,642	3	7
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		23,66,335	6	2
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		1,99,27,687	5	9
Dead Stock		11,40,302	2	10
Stamps		12,563	13	0
Balances with other Banks		6,03,811	0	11
Sundries		90,619	4	5
Bullion		2,93,555	13	6
		4,52,70,092	5	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,28,03,747 0 1	4,23,60,557	2	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	„ 2,95,56,810 2 8			
Total ...		8,76,30,649	7	11

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 6th November 1873.* F. A. GILLAM, *Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.* R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

(421—1)

NOTICE is hereby given that the shares, right and interests of Baboo Nursingh Narain, Junior, Lunatic, the son of Baboo Kooldip Narain, deceased, in the undermentioned villages in Zillah Sarun, under the management of the Court of Wards, will be sold by public auction to the highest bidders at the Sarun Collector's office, on the 17th November 1873, for the liquidation of the debts due by the estate.

Right is reserved to postpone the sale in any case where the sum bid fails to satisfy the officer holding the sale, and discretion is also reserved as to the sale of each share or village separately or in one or more lots.

The party purchasing any lot will be subject to the conditions set forth in sections 22, 23, and 24, Act II of 1859.

I. Mehal Kairwa Kutsa, Pergunnah Goah, Towji No. 2613, consisting of—	As.	P.	Sudder Jumma of the mehal.	Jumma Sudder of the Lunatics share as ascertained from his agents.
1. Aujeetpore	2	0	3,146 10 8	162 2 6
2. Bajrahia	2	0		
3. Bandopore	2	0		
4. Fareedpore	2	0		
5. Oosree	1	9		
6. Payarehpore	2	0		
7. Kairwa	1	0		
8. Saraya Basant ...	1	0		
9. Parsa	2	0		

J. DRUMMOND, *Offg. Collector.*

SARUN COLLECTORATE, COURT OF WARDS, the 18th October 1873. (425—1)

Monthly Statement of Traffic passed through the Circular and Eastern Canals from 1st to 31st October 1873.

	Names of Chowkeys.	Charcoal.			Wood Coal.			Piece-Goods, Native Produce.			Piece-Goods, Imported Fabrics.			Hides.			Cotton.			Castor Seed.			Castor Oil.			Indigo.			Jagghery.			Jute.			Lime.			Mustard Seed.			Mustard Seed Oil.		
		Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.
Calcutta Canals	Bamunghatta	...	...	...	5	700	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	200	1,200	...	...	...	1	1200	700	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	20,200	12,700	850	552,800	358,200	89	112,500	84,300	65	16,300	11,800	...	...	...
	Chitpore	106	16,875	87,355	10	3,000	1,500	21	6,000	800	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	4,000	250	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	8,000	3,500	9	1,400	1,100
	Rajah's Khal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tolly's Nullah	Samookpotta	...	...	...	...	2,375	1,250	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	125	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	16,550	8,075	39	74,650	37,322	1	...	...	19	16,525	7,900	...	...	...
	Russa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kidderpore	46	50,950	22,855	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	15,000	4,700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2,500	1,300	3	1,700	900	...	...	...	8	2,750	1,500	...	...	...

	Names of Chowkeys.	Salt.			Sugar.			Tobacco.			Linseed.			Paddy.			Pulse.			Peas.			Rice.			Wheat.			Lentil.			Grain.			Sundries.		
		Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Total number of boats.	Total maundage by canal measurement.	Total maundage of cargo by estimate.
Calcutta Canals	Bamunghatta	...	...	...	60	16,200	11,300	5	2,400	1,600	48	16,400	9,300	12	2,400	1,500	8	3,200	2,100	43	9,600	7,200	653	216,200	163,500	8	4,800	3,200	8	2,000	1,300	5	1,600	900	4,462	4,391,875	...
	Chitpore	442	273,925	156,348	...	...	...	30	4,000	2,700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,549	297,775	...
	Rajah's Khal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	127	4,275	...
Tolly's Nullah	Samookpotta	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	450	200	...	...	...	186	52,550	27,526	8	4,625	2,475	...	...	...	292	156,425	75,475	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,145	340,725	...
	Russa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	175	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	718	21,000	22,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	486	23,125	...
	Kidderpore	18	69,550	38,270	...	...	...	48	9,025	4,400	...	...	...	14	2,000	1,000	1	275	125	...	...	...	7	2,450	1,400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,538	177,625	...

* Per bale. † Per hide. ‡ Per chest.

Dhappa, Toll Collector's Office;
The 3rd November 1873.

J. F. Galiffe,
Collector and Superintendent, Calcutta Canals.

[Part I.
Monthly Statement of Traffic passed through the Calcutta Canals in 1873.
Part I.]

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
6071½	A/91 70139	100	C. Crayden.
6072	A/76 30598	100	Lalla Dyaram Das.
	A/92 64154	50	
3074	A/87 80026	1,000	Messrs. Jardine, Skinner & Co.
	,, 80028	1,000	
	,, 80031	1,000	
6098	L/4 57072	10	H. C. Davis.
	L/2 42450	10	
	A/95 24773	10	
	L/2 41331	10	
	L/5 46032	10	
	A/92 80615	50	
6104	,, 79972	50	Kasub Chunder Bose.
6105	,, 19885	50	Asst. Inspr.-Genl., Govt. Railway Police.
6106	L/38 30192	10	G. Martyr.
6110	L/19 35736	50	Santo Chunder Banerjee.
6114	A/83 39566	50	John Demitrius.
6118	A/91 83429	100	Shaik Ameerjaun.
	A/92 76550	50	
	L/19 04171	50	
6119	/6 69699	10	Pte. John Bunce.
	L/2 61341	5	
6121	L/19 18921	50	Abdoolla Moosah.
6124	L/8 59023	100	Seetul Pershad Bhuggut.
	,, 59025	100	
	,, 59030	100	
	,, 59031	100	
6139	L/5 61778	100	Gopalkristo Paulit.
6149	,, 80638	100	Grish Chunder Chatterjee.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
6076	A/98 39312	10	Lala Chuterdhaw Lall.
	,, 46631	10	
	L/3 04095	10	
	A/78 62636	10	
6077	L/8 27417	100	Koomar Gyanoda Caunt Roy.
	,, 27135	100	
	,, 38534	100	
	,, 12668	100	
	L/5 23927	10	
	,, 57667	10	
	L/ 29977	10	
	/5 08309	10	
6078	L/15 87543	20	Hurrish Chunder Chatterjee.
6082	L/12 13819	20	Bhurrath.
6083	A/93 69437	20	Bastoollah, Draftsman.
6084	A/91 86781	100	Dabeedeen.
	A/92 72949	50	
	L/19 02496	50	
6086	L/6 70423	10	J. G. Godwin.
6088	A/91 55759	100	District Superintendent of Police, Dinagepore.
	,, 55769	100	
	L/8 32440	100	
	A/84 14636	100	
	A/92 86426	50	
	,, 87856	50	
	L/13 60551	20	
	A/82 09435	20	
	A/81 41512	20	
	A/93 58352	20	
	A/82 81557	20	
6089	L/8 47827	100	Onoocool Chunder Chatterjee.
	,, 47829	100	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Names of Claimant.
6090	A/98 31403	10	The Secretary and Treasurer Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.
6092	L/5 00874	10	Mir Abdoolah.
6093	L/19 38989	20	Banarasi Khaw.
6094	A/62 90025	20	F. J. Rickards.
	L/13 10777	20	
	A/98 12186	20	
6095	L/4 42585	10	F. H. Cox.
6097	A/97 62518	10	Mrs. H. S. Andrews.
	L/1 76747	10	
6099	L/13 86354	20	E. W. Nyss.
	,, 91395	20	
6109	A/97 22118	10	Messrs. Cooke and Kelvie.
	A/92 55300	20	
6112	L/6 29593	100	A. Brownlow.
6116	L/4 45510	10	Doorgadas Chatterjee.
6120	L/19 45593	20	W. Ridler.
6122	L/8 29466	100	Nanabhoy Hormusjee Hadowad.
6125	L/3 84410	10	Aubinash Chunder Chatterjee.
6127	L/13 91610	20	Preonath Roychowdhory.
	L/9 87108	5	
6129	A/87 10238	1,000	Revd. A. Marietti.
6132	L/3 60788	10	R. Williamson.
6133	L/8 02253	10	The Offg. Manager, Agra Bank, Limited.
	L/3 06136	10	
	L/9 82615	10	
6135	A/20 47347	10	Messrs. Ernest and Co.
6137	L/8 34390	100	Woodoy Chund.
6143	L/1 61165	10	Shaik Fuzzle Ahmed.
6144	A/98 32007	10	Haradhone Ghose.
	L/6 65383	10	
6145	A/64 25996	100	Dwarkanath Chuckerbutty.
6147	A/98 36658	10	L. Mendes.

Wrongly joined.

6075	L/8 46373	10	Amadudeen.
	,, 46374		
6079	A/97 95043	10	Pertab Chunder Das.
	,, 95042		
6080	L/7 90247	20	Messrs. Surroop Dhur and Sons.
	,, 90246		
	L/6 38954	10	
	,, 38956		
6081	L/7 25849	20	Nobodip Chunder Dutt.
	,, 25848		
6085	L/6 36569	10	The District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling.
	,, 36917		
6087	L/12 65634	20	The Chief Pay Master, East Indian Railway.
	,, 65635		
	,, 67466	20	
	,, 67465		
	A/98 73670	10	
	,, 73671		
	A/66 51437	10	
	A/99 51437		
	L/2 23448	10	
	L/4 21673		
	A/97 94564	10	
	,, 94574		
	A/98 65548	10	
	,, 65549		
	L/8 29073	10	
	,, 29078		
	L/10 00902	5	
	,, 00901		
	,, 82579	5	
	,, 82578		
	L/6 36976	5	
	,, 36977		

Wrongly joined.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Names of Claimant.
6091	A/68 76585 ,, 76553	10	Mati Lall Mitter.
6096	L/9 58898 ,, 58891	5	C. H. Reily.
6100	L/11 56680 ,, 56672	5	The Offg. Principal, Presidency College.
6107	L/4 58848 ,, 58847	10	J. E. Rowe.
6108	L/3 74862 L/1 37527	10	James Pimm.
6115	L/8 27636 ,, 27637	100	Messrs. T. F. Brown, and Co.
6117	L/9 93426 ,, 93434	5	Kallachund Das.
6123	A/94 06908 ,, 06906	20	Nundolaul Dutt.
6126	A/99 97266 ,, 97268	20	T. Nujeeboollah.
6128	L/5 17294 ,, 17292	5	Bissun Tewary.
6131	A/83 91197 ,, 91196	50	Messrs. Todd, Finlay and Co.
6136	L/9 69843 ,, 69913	5	Messrs. T. E. Thomson and Co.
6138	L/5 05560 ,, 05559	10	L. D. Tores.
6140	A/10 46022 ,, 46026	10	Kissory Laul Seal.
	A/67 74245 ,, 76918	10	
	A/75 28582 X/30 02314	10	
	A/82 22519 ,, 22518	20	
6141	A/62 74100 A/74 62116	20	Somboonath Kattree.
6142	L/10 30535 ,, 30535	5	Degambur Mookerjee.
	L/9 51775 ,, 51777	5	
6146	L/10 85708 ,, 85706	5	J. Sutcheffe.
6148	A/90 17571 A/95 46171	10	Cany Laul Seal.
	L/7 12299 ,, 12297	10	

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 10th November 1873.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Notice.

WHEREAS the moveable property of the late Mr. John Thornton of Golaghaut is still in charge of the civil authorities at this station, this is to give notice that, if within three month of this date the executrix do not take possession of the estate, the aforesaid moveable property will be sold by public auction to meet the expenses incurred in keeping the same in safe custody.

L. BLATHWAYT, *Asst. Commissioner.*

GOLAGHAUT, ASST. COMMR.'s OFFICE, the 1st November 1873. (424—1)

Jokai Assam Tea Company, "Limited."

NOTICE.

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Registered Offices, No. 103, Clive Street, on Wednesday, the 12th day of November 1873, at noon, for the purpose of confirming the resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held this day.

BALMER, LAWRIE AND CO., *Managing Directors and Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 28th October 1873. (414—2)

R. Scott Thomson and Company, "Limited."

THE Twenty-first Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 15, Government Place, Thursday, the 20th November 1873, at noon, for the purpose of declaring an *ad-interim* Dividend for the Half-year ended 30th September last.

By order of the Directors.

The 23rd October 1873. (417—3) JNO. FRED. HAMER, *Secretary.*

Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-third Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will take place at the Registered Office of the Company, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Old Court House Street, on Saturday, the 29th November 1873, at 3 P.M., to receive the report of the Directors, and an *ad interim* statement of accounts for the half-year ended 31st August last, and for the transaction of such other business as may be placed before the Meeting. By order of the Directors.

CALCUTTA, the 27th October 1873. (411—5) A. DONALDSON, *Acting Secretary.*

Notice.

A Special General meeting of the Shareholders of the Dulcherra Tea Company, Limited will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 6, Mission Row, at noon, on Wednesday, the 19th instant, to pass a special resolution to wind up the Company, as the number of shareholders is now under seven.

CALCUTTA, 5th November 1873. (420—2) YOUNG, GRAY, AND CO., *Secretaries.*

Notice

Is hereby given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at the Judge's Kutcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale :—

A pucka two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race Course, and renting monthly for Rs. 175.

A thatched bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

A *half-share* of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., Purneah. (386—10)

Mackenzie Lyall & Co.

HAVE been instructed to sell by Public Auction in the Exchange Hall at 3 P.M., on Monday next, November 17th 1873, on account of the concerned.

A J B 1-4.—4 Cases, each 18 pieces; each 13 yards black and blue union cloth Ex *Hindoo* damaged by sea water. (426—1)

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st October 1873.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. loan of 1853-54.	4 Per Cent. Loans							5 per cent. P. W. Loan of 1854-55.	4½ Per Cent. Loans			5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	5 Per Cent. Debentures for		Total amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.		of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.		10 years. Repayable June 1877.	15 years. Repayable June 1882.	
Balance of 15th October 1873	54,100	27,840	2,346	16,62,618	34,26,200	1,35,00,700	1,14,96,300	1,19,90,400	12,500	36,65,900	3,59,000	3,10,11,000	4,40,31,500	36,36,000	30,53,000	12,79,29,393
ADD—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 31st October 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 31st October 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	7,000	...	.....	.....	.....	27,500	.....	.....	36,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st October 1873	...	5,333	.....	39,487	.....	2,000	24,200	59,200	...	1,00,000	.....	1,98,500	60,900	.....	.....	4,89,600
TOTAL ...	54,100	33,173	2,346	17,02,080	34,26,200	1,35,02,700	1,15,22,500	1,20,66,600	12,500	37,65,900	3,59,000	3,12,09,500	4,41,10,900	36,36,000	30,53,000	12,84,65,493
DEDUCT—																
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	.....	.....	6,500	.....	29,200	1,21,200	...	8,000	.....	16,000	3,37,400	10,000	25,000	5,53,300
Balance on 31st October 1873	54,100	33,173	2,346	17,02,080	34,19,700	1,35,02,700	1,14,93,300	1,19,45,400	12,500	37,57,900	3,59,000	3,11,93,500	4,37,82,500	36,26,000	30,28,000	12,79,12,193

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th Aug. 1873—Enfaced from India 1,760 lakhs, re-transferred from London 1,799 lakhs.
" 1st Sept. 1873 to 15th Sept. " ditto ditto 8 " ditto ditto 4 "
" 16th " " to 30th " " ditto ditto 1 " ditto ditto 8 "
" 1st Oct. " to 15th Oct. " ditto ditto 0 " ditto ditto 3 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " ditto ditto 5 " ditto ditto 5 "

1,772 — 1,819
1,772

Balance against India ... 47 lakhs.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 5th November 1873.

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CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

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F. R. HOGG, *Offg. Director-General of the Post Office of India.*

SIMLA, the 28th October 1873.

Postal Notices.

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For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
Ceylon, Straits and United States of America.	7 P.M. ...	15th Nov. ...	*From Bombay.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	7 „ ...	16th „ ...	*Abyssinia.*
Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo ...	7 „ ...	16th „ ...	*Busheer.*
Persian Gulf	7 „ ...	17th „ ...	*From*
Madras and Coast Ports ...	7 „ ...	19th „ ...	*Asia.*
Madras and Ceylon ...	7 „ ...	19th „ ...	*Peshwar.*

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 14th November 1873.

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N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M., or, bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, up to 8 P.M., and after 8 up to 9 P.M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

CALCUTTA, the 11th November 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.*

List of Remaining and Unclaimed Letters accumulated in the Calcutta Post Office during the week ending 8th November 1873.

Bagshawe, F.
Bamber, H. W.
Brooke, Mrs. J. J.
Cassinath.
Chapman, Capt. A. W.
Cotton, Mrs. G.
Damerum, W.
Davis, A. A.
D'Costa, Mrs. C.
Deuridge, Bros. Messrs.
Deveria, J.
Dobson, E.
Dods, Mr.
Driver, S. H.
D'Silva, Miss J.
Dutt, Dr. B. B.
Edwardes, Sergt.
Elliot, Mrs. S.
Enos, J.
Evans, J. M.
Fernandez, P.
Frewin, R. M.
Fuller, Mrs
Galains, C.
Grierson, G. A.
Gomes, J.
Halford.
Hancock, Sergt.
Harrington,
Head Master, Mirzapore Preparatory School.
Henderson, J.
Issun Chunder Dutt, and Co.
Jones, Lieut. C.
Jimimann, Mrs. A. E.
Lattey, Brothers and Co.
Lewis, J. A.
Littlewood, H. R.
Manager of the Philmeer Co.
Manuel, Mrs. L.
Marshall, F. H.
McDonald, J.
Nobodeep Chandra Bahadoor, Prince.
Nundy and Co., Messrs. G. P.
Officer of Settlement Dept.
Parochunder Dutt and Co.
Phillips, Miss M.
Premchand Dhur.
Puruceram.
Reade, R.
Rebeiro Mrs. A.
Reid, J.
Robinson, Mrs. M.
Rodrigues, Mrs. M. A.
Rogers, Mrs. E.
Rolfe, Miss.
Secy. of the Bethune Society.
Smith and Co.
The English Consul.
Thomas, Miss N.
Tripe, Miss S. C.
Valentrie, Madam.
Wilson, W.
Winterscale, J.
Woodward, Mrs.
Woomesh Chunder Mitter.
Weomesh Chunder Mitter.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

Abrey, R. M.
Beck, R. A.
Bianconi, A.
Bowyear, G.
Gartside, R. A.
Jeffreys, A. F.
McKinley, A.
Ravenshaw, Mrs. J. H.
Stack, G. W.

E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post-master of Calcutta.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of WILLIAM MUSGRAVE and BENJAMIN WILLIAM MUSGRAVE, Insolvents.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvents were adjudged entitled to their personal discharge under the Act XI., Vic. Chap. 21, as to all persons named in their schedule as Creditors or claiming to be Creditors respectively.

A. St. John Carruthers, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of WILLIAM MUSGRAVE and BENJAMIN WILLIAM MUSGRAVE, Insolvents.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvents be discharged personally as well as to their after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvents at the time of the filing of their petition for relief.

A. St. John Carruthers, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of CHARLES WALTER PEARSON SUNDER, an Insolvent.
On Friday, the 24th day of October last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of CHARLES WALTER PEARSON SUNDER, formerly of No. 9, Grant's Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, afterwards of No. 16 Crooked Lane in the Town of Calcutta, at present of No. 41, Goristan Lane, in the Town of Calcutta; a Clerk in the Office of the Comptroller General of Accounts, of the Government of India, an Insolvent.
Notice that the Petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI., Vic Chap. 21, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, on Friday, the 24th day of the October last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of LUCKEYNARAIN PAYNE, an Insolvent.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 12th day of January, 1872 to the 30th day of September last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any Creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days' before the day of hearing."*

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of MANICKCHUND, an Insolvent.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 17th day of January 1873 to the 30th day of September last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days' before the day of hearing."*

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of PERTAUB CHUNDER ROY, an Insolvent
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 6th day of January 1873 to the 30th day of September last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days' before the day of hearing."*

C. J. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of NICHOLAS MARTIN CARTER, an Insolvent.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 18th day of June 1872 to the 30th day of September last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days' before the day of hearing."*

C. J. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of JOHN ARMSTRONG CURRIE, an Insolvent.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 30th day of September last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days' before the day of hearing."*

C. J. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of DOORGAPERSAUD AND GOOLZAREEMULL, Insolvents.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 30th day of September last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days' before the day of hearing."*

C. J. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of EDWARD ROSTON BOLST, an Insolvent.
On Tuesday, the 2nd day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 18th day of November next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. Heckle, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of EDWARD TEMPLER and JOHN THEYLAND, Insolvents.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 30th day of September last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days' before the day of hearing."*

C. J. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of CARRAPIET POGOSE CARRAPIET, an Insolvent.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 30th day of September last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days' before the day of hearing."*

C. J. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of FREDERICK PETER LINDEMAN, an Insolvent.
On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 30th day of September last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days' before the day of hearing."*

C. J. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 10th November 1873.

Re-Sale.

ESTATE RAMSEWAK MISR AND OTHERS, INSOLVENTS.

THE following Zemindaries in Ghazipore District, will be sold by auction at Ghazipore (near the Collectorate) on Saturday the 15th November next, being re-sale at the risk of Sheik Pultoo and others, who have failed to pay the deposit of 25 per cent as per conditions of sale.

Talookas.	Mowzahs.	Pergunnahs.	Annual Jamma or Collections.	GOVERNMENT REVENUE PAYABLE.			Annual net profit.
				Revenue.	Acreage.	Total.	
			Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.
Noorodipore ...	Noorodipore ...	Khanpore ...	3,654 1 9	1,826 9 1	203 1 1	2,029 10 11	1,624 7 7
Mandra ...	Hamzapore ...	Shadiabad ...	352 11 6	154 1 7	22 7 0	176 8 7	176 2 11
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Ditto ...	" Duswunt Ráe	Ditto	730 0 0	220 15 2	26 2 4	247 1 6	482 14 6
Ditto ...	" Keenar Ráe	Ditto ...	478 6 0	188 14 6	37 3 2	226 1 8	252 4 4
Ditto ...	" Munsa Ráe	Ditto ...	1,089 10 9	291 3 11	34 1 5	325 5 4	764 5 5
Ditto ...	Dhumraon ...	Ditto ...	198 4 0	72 3 0	11 0 1	83 3 1	115 0 11

For conditions of sale and further particulars, apply to

PHILIP W. CARTER,
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BUXAR, the 13th October 1873. (394—5)

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ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE JAILS OF BENGAL FOR 1872.

RESOLUTION.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

JAILS.

Calcutta, the 5th November 1873.

READ—

The Administration Report of the Jails of Bengal for the year 1872.

1. MR. HEELEY's able and exhaustive report shows how thoroughly, as Inspector-General of Jails, he has continued to do justice to the expectations formed of him. He has gone thoroughly to the core of all matters connected with jail discipline and management, and the Lieutenant-Governor has to thank him for much valuable work and a lucid report. As he shows, the department is in a transition state; some things have been done and more commenced. The reforms of last year have been fairly started, and it may be hoped are bearing fruit in the present year.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor trusts that Mr. Heeley will carry out his intention of bringing out a complete new jail code with all the latest improvements. This is very much wanted. Next year's report will, it may be hoped,

show how the principles enunciated at the close of last year have been carried out in practice, and meantime the Inspector-General is, His Honor thinks, right in very much devoting his attention, and the greater part of his present report, to "individual jails." In truth, as in the entire absence of good jails in Bengal we cannot with our limited means make new and perfect jails all over the country at once, the Lieutenant-Governor has always assumed that our main care must be to make the most of the jails we have by improving each as its individual circumstances and peculiarities will best admit. This is the more necessary, as the greatest difficulties in respect of mortality, and in some other respects, that we have to contend with, are not so much general to Bengal as confined to some particular jails, to which most special attention must be given.

3. Mr. Heeley refers to criticisms of last year's report and resolution published by Dr. Mouat, the late Inspector-General of Jails, in the *Times* newspaper. The Lieutenant-Governor does not remember exactly Dr. Mouat's criticisms. He believes they were of an extremely general character. The reforms introduced within the last two years in the Bengal Jail system have certainly been much criticised in several quarters, but no one maintains, or can maintain that except in so far as (in common with most provinces in India) a great improvement had been wrought in the sanitary condition of the jails taken as a whole, they were otherwise in a satisfactory state. It cannot be alleged that the buildings were decently fitted for the purpose; that the discipline was good; that there was any tolerable classification and separation of the prisoners. We do not allege that we have even yet made them satisfactory, or that we soon shall. It is a great and very difficult work. But the Lieutenant-Governor believes that we have made a good beginning, and that Mr. Heeley is efficiently carrying out some very great and beneficial improvements in the buildings, and in the discipline and the methods of our jails.

4. As regards sanitation, it is not to be supposed that the great improvements effected have brought the jails to anything like a satisfactory state of health. The statement in the margin shows the mortality in each year from 1857 to 1872. Roughly speaking, it may be said that whereas the mortality used to amount to 10 or 12 per cent., it had come down in the latter years of Dr. Mouat's incumbency, ending in 1870, to about 5 per cent. This is still a very heavy rate for an adult and able-bodied population, among whom are comparatively few old men. But it may be feared that nowhere in India have we learned to reduce the jail mortality to that of the ordinary population. The Lieutenant-Governor must differ from Mr. Heeley when he says (paragraph 4) that it is possible to take such measures as to bring the death-rate actually below that of the free population. If we had the power to reduce the death-rate by indulgence to, for instance, 1 per cent., we should of course not be justified in keeping up a system which involves a death-rate of 5 per cent. But it is because we have *not* discovered any means by which, while maintaining the semblance of a prison, we can reduce the death-rate to a really low point, that we cannot absolutely sacrifice everything to a doubtful attempt to make a very small alteration in the health of the prisoners. Further on in Mr. Heeley's report it is shown that in fact the evidence on the point goes to prove that reasonable discipline and hard work, as compared with laxness of system, do not increase the death-rate, but rather have the opposite effect.

		Ratio per cent. of deaths to mean population in jail.
Total number of deaths during 1857	2,126	12·09
" " 1858	2,800	13·51
" " 1859	2,116	10·82
" " 1860	2,440	13·29
" " 1861	1,456	8·88
" " 1862	1,306	7·50
" " 1863	1,711	9·52
" " 1864	1,122	6·17
" " 1865	1,122	5·95
" " 1866	2,347	10·59
" " 1867	1,187	5·88
" " 1868	982	5·05
" " 1869	1,029	5·24
" " 1870	864	4·51
" " 1871	759	4·01
" " 1872	1,063	5·19
Mean		8·16

5. (*Partition Walls, para.* 5).—On the subject of our rebuilding partitions that Dr. Mouat pulled down, His Honor would only remark that some dividing walls are an absolute necessity. Till recently in Bengal, it was no unusual sight to see under-trial and non-laboring prisoners mixed up in the same yard with convicts, and no distinction attempted between criminals of various degrees and classes. To continue such a state of things was impossible, and partitions must be put up sufficient to prevent this.

6. (*Chapter II, Population of Jails*).—The daily average number of prisoners under confinement during the year was 20,489, or 1,570 more than in 1871. The increase is common to all classes—civil, under-trial, and convicted prisoners. The increase in the total aggregate number of prisoners passing through the jails during the year, as shown in the table on page 4, is certainly remarkable, the number convicted during 1872 having been 5,342 more than in 1871. The Lieutenant-Governor will, however, for the present reserve the consideration of these and the other judicial statistics in Mr. Heeley's report. They are most interesting and important, but will be more conveniently dealt with in connection with criminal justice and police. His Honor will only here notice those parts of the chapter on jail population which have a departmental bearing.

7. (*Transfers, paras.* 14 *and* 15).—The number of prisoners transferred during the year from one jail to another has been very large (18,819). These figures are, however, swelled in some instances by transfers in the same station between the central and district jails. The Inspector-General remarks upon the difficulties with which the transfer of convicts is attended owing to want of discipline among the police guards escorting them. The Lieutenant-Governor fears there is much truth in this; but it is even a more serious matter to find that European medical officers in charge of jails have in so many cases set at nought the positive orders of Government as to the class of men that should be transferred to central jails. The fact that 70 prisoners were sent to the Bhaugulpore Central Jail works, who were men that had attempted escape, was not before known to Government; but several instances have been reported of the transfer of weakly and inefficient prisoners, and the Lieutenant-Governor has taken due notice of these. The recent orders imposing the check of further inspection by the Magistrate of drafts selected by the Superintendent for transfer, may stop the practice; but certainly such an order ought never to have been required.

8. (*Detention in Lock-ups, para.* 17).—The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to find that the orders of Government prohibiting the detention of any but very short-term prisoners in lock-ups have had a good effect in reducing the average detention from twenty to fourteen days. Some lock-ups were, however, far above this average. In the case of those in Assam, allowances must be made; but such instances as Pachumba, 56 days; Attiah, 43; Jehanabad, 30; and Burhee, 30; must not be allowed to recur. The Lieutenant-Governor has now, he hopes, made it clear both to the police and jail departments that it is quite unnecessary to send an armed guard of two policemen to escort to the sudder jail a petty thief or an old woman. He must insist on regular and speedy transfer from all lock-ups. There is certainly not the least pretext for keeping females in lock-ups long after conviction. They can always be sent in charge of a single constable, and require no formal guard, and from such a place as Barh they should be despatched to jail immediately.

9. (*Ages of prisoners, para.* 20).—The table of the ages of convicts on admission shows that there were only 327 who may be called juvenile, as being under sixteen years of age when convicted. There were only 32 under 12 years. There is in fact very little juvenile crime in Bengal; and it is this which makes it difficult to attempt to apply any regular reformatory system to the cases which do occur. The juvenile ward in the Presidency Jail is the only place in which this class of criminals can at present be conveniently brought together, and the Lieutenant-Governor will be glad to have the proposal made in paragraph 36, for declaring this ward a reformatory, submitted for consideration in a separate shape.

10. (*Chapter III, Sanitation*).—The percentage of mortality for 1872 shows an increase, being 5·19 against 4·01 in 1871; but, as remarked by Mr. Heeley, 1871 was an exceptionally healthy year, not only in jails, but in the country at large; while 1872 was marked by a serious outbreak of cholera, and by considerable unhealthiness of other kinds in the country generally.

11. Mr. Heeley discusses very fully and ably the question whether any of the increased mortality is due to the change in the jail system and the stricter discipline now enforced. The opinions of the medical Superintendent on this point are sufficient on the whole to prove that this was not the case. Careful analysis of the death-rate in most of the principal jails has convinced the medical officers that there is no direct connection between the mortality and the improved discipline. Dr. Lynch shows that in Russa and Baraset, where no change of system was introduced, the death-rate rose, owing doubtless to the unhealthiness of the year; while in Alipore, where the new system was put in force with the greatest rigor, the mortality was 2·10 per cent. lower than it ever was before; and even if Baraset, which serves as a sort of out-hospital to Alipore, be taken into account, it is shown at page 110 that the combined death-rate of the two jails was lower by 1·02 than in 1871. It is true that some officers have recorded opinions of the contrary kind; but in fact these opinions are found on examination to rest entirely upon theory, and it so happens that they are contradicted by the statistics of the very jails of which those officers have charge. Dr. French thinks that the short-term men suffer most, but he seems to attribute this to mental depression rather than to penal labor; and the mortality in his jail (Burdwan) was certainly not more than might have been looked for from the state of the district generally, but the contrary. In fact, however, the statistics of every jail show, as Mr. Heeley points out, that it is long-term prisoners to whom the first six months of their imprisonment are most dangerous, and that the short-term men, in spite of their penal labor, are better than the others. Dr. Bensley of Rajshahye again, while in one sentence attributing an injurious effect on the death-rate to harder work and strict discipline, adverts in the next to the fact that the death-rate of his jail has fallen from an average of 8·73 to 2·33. The same may be observed of other places—Bograh having fallen from 10 deaths to one; Rungpore, from 13·10 per cent. to 3·59,—facts quite opposed to the theories of the Superintendents in charge; and the Lieutenant-Governor has no doubt that the Inspector-General has arrived at a correct conclusion when he states that there is no evidence whatever that increased mortality is attributable to better discipline and harder work; and that while medical officers use judiciously the discretion which they have in respect of individual exemptions, there is no reason to fear the contrary.

In truth, the mass (nine-tenths) of the jails were as healthy or healthier in the past year than they ever were, and the increased mortality is due to three or four notoriously unhealthy jails, where, owing also to epidemics, &c., the death-rate has unhappily risen beyond that of any recent year,—very far beyond it indeed in one or two cases. These were the very jails in which we were fore-warned and fore-armed, and in which we have attempted ameliorative measures instead of pressing the prisoners, though unhappily the taint in them has so far got the better of us. Extramural labor has also in some places proved unfavorable to health; but at Midnapore, where this was most marked, the work was stopped. The mortality had nothing to do with any change of system, the extramural system having been introduced under the former *regimé*.

12. Of the 1,063 deaths that took place during the year, 135 were due to cholera; 37 of these being in Tirhoot, 20 in Julpigoree, 13 at Dehree, and 13 in the Presidency. There had been no cholera in these jails in 1871. Dysentery was worse than usual, causing 332 deaths, owing probably, Dr. Lynch suggests, to the excessive rainfall of 1871 and subsequent malaria having told upon the health of the population for 1872. Fever again appears to be less fatal than is popularly supposed, only 125 deaths being due to this, of which 22 were at Backergunge.

13. (*Paras. 52 seq., Mortality in particular Jails*).—Julpigoree is a very petty place—hardly a jail. The frightful percentage of mortality here (42·62) is due to an outbreak of cholera, which, as above noted, carried off 20 out of an average daily population of 61 only. There is nothing therefore in this result on which to generalize. The Lieutenant-Governor is happy to say he has since visited this jail and found it quite healthy, and apparently the present accommodation is excellent for the number of prisoners confined there. Tirhoot and Chumparun will be specially noticed below. The rate at Baraset, taken with Alipore Jail, is not unfavorable (4·7); on the contrary, it is better than it ever was before; but precautions have been taken to prevent any overcrowding of the aged prisoners and invalids, who form the chief part of the inmates at Baraset. The unhealthiness of Hooghly (9·03) is still not accounted for. The Inspector-General must pay rigorous attention to this jail, and endeavour to find out what is the matter with it. Mr. Heeley intimates his intention of transferring to Hooghly only strong and healthy men. This should be the rule certainly, but the efforts to discover the cause of its continued unhealthiness should not be relaxed.

In Backergunge (15·59) it is clear that something must be radically wrong. This jail has been a constant subject of anxiety, and we are now altering the entire structure of the jail, erecting double-storied barracks, and putting in arched floors, and must persevere till we have remedied its state most thoroughly.

In Midnapore (8·7) the mortality was due to, we hope, temporary causes. It has been the subject of much discussion, and seems to have been more or less explained by the exposure at extramural labor in the quarries. The stone quarrying has been stopped, and it is hoped the evil has now been remedied.

In Russa Female Jail (8·33) further explanation is required of the high mortality, which was, it seems, chiefly from dysentery. There is said to be an improvement this year, but the matter requires careful inquiry.

At Dehree (7·75) cholera and the general unhealthiness of the year accounted for much, and the evil was, it is believed, only temporary.

The rate of Bhaugulpore district, taken with the central jail, was not bad (3·77); but the Lieutenant-Governor is sorry to hear of a serious outbreak of cholera in 1873.

Gya (7·03) is clearly a bad jail, and under all the circumstances the Lieutenant-Governor has now determined to build a new one on a new site. Proposals for this may be sent in at once.

The rate at Burdwan (7·18) was not more than might have been expected from the fever-stricken state of the district population.

Purneah, with a rate of 6·58, is also an unhealthy place, and we can only strive to improve the jail as much as possible. Of the 20 prisoners who died, it is noticeable that 19 were engaged on light, not penal labor.

Jessore (5·64) and Sylhet (5·61) show higher rates than usual this year. Here also improvement must be sought after.

At Moorshedabad (5·10) the new jail will soon be ready, and things should be better.

In the Presidency Jail, Native (4·69) and European (8·99), we have to regret a falling back owing largely to cholera. Here no change was introduced by the hard labor system. The Lieutenant-Governor trusts this jail will recover its position. The mortality among Europeans was quite abnormal, 3 deaths being from liver abscess, 2 from typhoid, apparently brought into jail, while 2 were cases of men admitted in a weakly state.

In Patna (3·67) underground drainage experiments had been proposed to meet the cholera which always haunted the jail; but cholera left before the work began. If this had happened after, it would have been considered proof of the advantage of underground drainage. As it is, we are unable to account for the improvement. We may certainly congratulate ourselves on the comparative healthiness of Patna, Rungpore, Dinagepore, Rajshahye, Dacca, and also of the Assam jails as a whole.

14. On the whole subject of jail healthiness, it might almost be said that the only rule seems to be a rule of contraries, the jails at the unhealthiest places being the healthiest; *e.g.*, Chittagong and Noacolly, notoriously bad places, yet having healthy jails; Dacca (perhaps falsely) reputed unhealthy, and certainly shunned by Europeans, yet of late years having a very healthy jail; while even Rungpore shows a mortality reduced below average. On the other hand, jails at healthy places are very deadly, as at Backergunge, Hooghly, and Midnapore.

15. The singular contrast between the jails of Eastern Bengal, a country generally considered so unhealthy, and those of Behar, generally considered so healthy, is again most marked. Behar is undoubtedly very healthy both for Europeans and Natives, supports a great population, and sends out a surplus population such as no other part of India does. Why then, it may well be asked, are its jails so unhealthy? There is not a jail in Behar where there has not been frightful mortality within a few years, and where the average of 15 years is not very large. We have happily reduced the death-rate, formerly so frightful, in South Behar, except at Gya, where a bad jail may perhaps in some degree account for it; but still in North Behar we have a mortality and a constant anxiety as to the jails far beyond that in most other parts of the country. All the jails there show a mortality above average; Tirhoot (20·89) and Chumparun (13·75) frightfully so. In 1871 overcrowding was alleged in Tirhoot as the cause. In 1872, 316 prisoners were transferred to other jails. The district is large and populous, and the number of short-term and weakly prisoners unfit for transfer coming into the jail is so great that it is said to be impossible to deplete the place thoroughly. The Lieutenant-Governor sanctioned extensive additions and alterations, but these have not yet been carried out in spite of the very urgent orders given to let no considerations stand in the way. Further discussion has, however, it is said, become necessary. The Lieutenant-Governor must insist on having discussion brought to a conclusion, and building begun and pushed on as rapidly as possible. The present building itself is a very open jail, with high, healthy-looking wards; overcrowding apart, there is certainly no apparent reason for unhealthiness. This year a severe cholera epidemic, added to the endemic sickness, has made the rate frightful; but even cholera apart, dysentery and other diseases are terribly fatal. His Honor is glad to learn that this year up to the middle of July there had been only 14 deaths in Tirhoot. Chumparun also is to all appearance a good, healthy jail.

16. Looking to the persistent excessive unhealthiness of Behar jails as compared to those of Bengal on the one side, and to those of the similarly situated districts, with similar populations, in the North-Western Provinces on the other, the Lieutenant-Governor is haunted with the suspicion that the connection of Behar with Bengal, and the application of Bengal principles in regard to food, water-supply, beds, or we know not what, may have something to do with it. He thinks we should try to get a North-Western Province Jail Officer, and associate him with Dr. Lethbridge, of Punjab experience, and some of the best of our local officers, to form a committee to inquire into, and report on the history and system of Behar jails. The Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces will, with the sanction of the Government of India, be asked if he could lend an officer temporarily for this inquiry. Meantime the radical improvements in the Tirhoot jail must be pushed on, and no time must be lost in starting the new jail at Gya above sanctioned.

17. (*Effect of transfers on health, para.* 70).—The general result of the Inspector-General's inquiries is to convince the Lieutenant-Governor that we should not transfer Bengal men in large numbers to Behar, and that seeing how deficient Bengal is in central jails, we must supply more such jails there. The Lieutenant-Governor agrees that another new one must be built; and as Furreedpore is to be kept up as a district, His Honor is willing to consider favorably a proposition for building there a central jail for East Bengal. Immediate special report on this matter should be submitted.

18. Also the Lieutenant-Governor is willing that Rajshahye should be put on the footing of a central jail, and proposals to that end may be drawn up.

Dr. Bensley has eminent merits as a Jail Superintendent, and His Honor is sure that in his hands such a plan would be well carried out.

19. Where, as in Furreedpore, and perhaps Rajshahye, there is only a small civil station, if a medical man is Superintendent of the Jail, he might also, if well qualified, have the general superintendence of the civil station, a good first-class Sub-Assistant Surgeon being put under him to assist in that duty. This would save an increase of expensive appointments. The Surgeon-General will be consulted on this.

20. (*Chapter IV, Public Works*).—This chapter should in future be headed "Jail Buildings."

The improvement of the district jails and lock-ups of Bengal, and the building of solitary and punishment cells, the completion of the central jails, and the provision of separate hajuts for under-trial prisoners, have been subjects to which constant attention has been given during the year. Not so much actual work has been done as had been hoped for, but a very great deal has been planned and put in train, and with a budget grant of Rs. 6,87,000 for the year 1873-74 there ought to be considerable progress visible before long.

21. The central jail works have been getting on but slowly. Alipore is now, however, completely sub-divided, and is for the first time in its history tolerably secure from the risk of combination and outbreak among the prisoners; while at Midnapore, Bhaugulpore, and Hazareebaugh, vigorous efforts must be made to push on the buildings more rapidly than heretofore. It has been stated that one reason of the comparatively slow advance of these works is the insufficient proportion of paid skilled labor allowed to direct and instruct the convict workmen. The Public Works Department must direct attention to this point. It is false economy to delay the completion of these jails longer than can be helped.

22. New jails at Mymensing (on a new plan), Nya Doomka, Lohardugga, and the Khasi Hills, have been sanctioned; much has been ordered and is doing to improve Dacca, Burrisal, Tirhoot, Jessore, and Dinagepore, and the scheme of separate hajuts is well advanced. The Lieutenant-Governor hopes the new model plan of a district jail, which is being tried at Mymensing, will answer expectations. There is a great need of providing small but decent European wards in districts where this class of prisoners may be looked for, and the Inspector-General should not overlook this point.

23. The Lieutenant-Governor has found that in some cases, where we had settled ground-plans and the general plan of lock-ups, hajuts, &c., their execution was being too much left to the Department of Public Works, who cannot be expected to know the requirements precisely. He begs that every step and every inch of progress may be narrowly watched by the local officers responsible for the jail management. It must be quite understood that under the present system the civil officers are responsible for everything that is done as respects the arrangements and design. There must be thorough communication with, and instruction of the Public Works officers on all non-professional points, and the Inspector-General must narrowly watch the details of rising buildings, to see that they are thoroughly suitable, and all little conveniences are provided. He must not trust to the Department of Public Works to do this of themselves.

24. (*Chapter V, Guarding*).—The Lieutenant-Governor is quite satisfied of the necessity of increasing the staff of regular warders, while the police guard is correspondingly diminished. Also it is settled that in small lock-ups and hajuts warders may be altogether substituted for police for *ordinary* purposes; and he hopes this will be carried out. At the same time we must insist on the police supplying a regular guard when there are unusually dangerous prisoners. We cannot at all times and all the year round keep up at every place a permanent establishment enough to guard any set of desperate dacoits who may come in once in a year or so. The Jail and Police Departments must pull well together, and not act at arm's length departmentally. We must get rid of that intense departmentalism against which the Lieutenant-Governor has been struggling. His Honor must insist much

on that. He has directed that in all new sub-divisions and new buildings it should be arranged, if possible, that the lock-up and thannah should be contiguous, so that with separate administration one may have the support of the other. This must never be lost sight of.

25. It is very unsatisfactory to see the failure to carry out the orders for improved discipline and penal labor in some lock-ups, as noted later on in paragraph 134. His Honor fears there will be much of this whilst lock-ups are under police not trained to jail work, and periodically changed. With a lock-up establishment this must be wholly reformed. There is a crying necessity for this, and it must be insisted on. The regular transfer of prisoners to sudder stations will, however, do much to prevent such abuses.

26. The Lieutenant-Governor does not expect reduction of expenditure by substituting warders for police; if, as Mr. Heeley promises, there is only a very slight increase, His Honor will be quite satisfied.

27. It is satisfactory to see that there were fewer escapes from jail during the year under review. As regards lock-ups, it must be admitted that the reduction of guards attempted last year has ended unfortunately with such lock-ups as we have, but the increased escapes were solely due to two or three unfortunate cases, and these again occurred from the breach, not from the observance, of orders. It never was supposed that two men would guard properly a gang of desperate criminals. Express provision was made for extra guards in such cases. It not only might be, but actually was the fact, as suggested by Mr. Heeley in paragraph 98, that in one instance when a strong extra guard was required to look after a sudden influx of dangerous prisoners, a roundabout process of official requisition and correspondence was resorted to, and that the prisoners escaped, while their guards were being only talked about. Departmentalism has been scotched, but, His Honor fears, not killed; however, we are keeping the monster down, and hope to get the life out of him soon.

28. (*Chapter VII, Section* 1, *Establishment*).—The Lieutenant-Governor has accepted in the main Mr. Heeley's proposals with reference to the salaries of jailors. The commission system, carried to the extent it was, was pernicious in every way, and will shortly be done away with. The scheme for naib jailors and warders also commends itself to His Honor's approval; but it is desirable to have all these proposals involving financial considerations in a complete shape before finally sanctioning them. The substitution of warders for police in lock-ups has already been complicated by the difficulty of removing the head constable, who at present has charge of the treasury as well as of the lock-up guard.

29. (*Section II, Conduct of Prisoners*).—There is a large increase in the return of jail offences and punishments. The change of system in jail discipline must of course involve some increase of punishments at first, but it is hoped this will soon cease; the efficient Superintendent is he who succeeds without severe punishments. The Beerbhoom system of flogging wholesale was intolerable, and severe notice was taken of it. His Honor is glad to learn that Dr. Barker has wholly changed his system.

Again, in the Presidency Jail, and after making every allowance for the class of prisoners confined there, there is no doubt flogging is carried to excess. Despite all Dr. Mackenzie's merits, the Lieutenant-Governor must insist that he will abate that; not abandon it in necessary cases, but abate the present excessive resort to flogging in his jail. The Inspector-General will be held responsible for effecting a change in this respect.

30. (*Section III, Rewards*).—The mark system, which has been introduced very lately, will, it is hoped, place the whole system of remissions and rewards on a more satisfactory footing. There will now be a tolerable guarantee that these will go by merit, and not by chance selection. The prisoners will have tangible inducements to steady good conduct; while there will be less executive interference with the effects of judicial sentences, inasmuch as dangerous or habitual criminals will earn only a modified remission, and be under surveillance to the end of their term.

31. (*Section IV, Registers and Returns*).—The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to know that Mr. Heeley has been able to revise and reduce the registers

and returns which were far too elaborate hitherto, and calculated only to defeat their own object.

32. (*Section V, Employment*).—In stating the percentage of prisoners engaged in labor, Sundays and holidays should not be deducted in calculating the number employed. The number employed on working days should be taken.

The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to see increased employment on manufactures, and diminution of useless jail servants.

33. He must, however, again dwell on the advantage of providing penal labor for short-term prisoners in every jail and lock-up. Some improvement has taken place in this respect, but not so much as ought to be the case. Treadmills are being put up at several jails, and when the special inquiries now being made in England as to cranks and other mechanical appliances are complete, it is hoped that every place of confinement will in time have the means of exacting penal labor.

34. As regards the practical difficulty of providing penal labor for all short-term men, the Lieutenant-Governor does not object to the Inspector-General's exercising a discretion and looking to the nature of offences. He does not wish all short-term prisoners to be equally punished, absolutely and literally. He only does not wish to make so sweeping a difference as shall nullify altogether the work of judicial officers in apportioning sentences. At any rate, while means of hard labor are deficient, the Inspector-General may select the classes of criminals for whose benefit they are to be used.

35. (*Chapters VIII & IX, Expenditure and Profits*).—The returns show that the net profits in most jails have somewhat fallen off, but not on the whole to an excessive degree. The great number of prisoners employed on miscellaneous duties is still very unsatisfactory, though useless jail servants have been generally reduced; but it is reported that some jail officers seem very helpless about devising industrial employments. The central jails will, when completed, concentrate labor and make the outturn more satisfactory. In lock-ups the employment of a warder guard should lead to improvements, and secure some return for the labor which is now exacted in these places. The Lieutenant-Governor quite approves of the general stoppage of extra-mural work, except for purposes of health and upon jail buildings, in the garden or the brick-field.

36. There is doubtless much in what Mr. Heeley says about the difficulty of inducing all Superintendents to take an earnest and intelligent interest in the industries of their jails. We cannot afford to neglect entirely the question of remunerative labor; but there is nothing naturally antagonistic between labor that pays and labor that irks. It is disappointing to learn that on inspection many of the jails in which the Lieutenant-Governor's orders were reported to have been carried out were found so wanting; but Mr. Heeley has the question well in hand, and much may be hoped for from the attention he has given to it.

37. The cost of supervision has risen from Rs. 34,548 to Rs. 41,397, but this was almost accounted for by the full salary of the Inspector-General being drawn this year, while there were savings last. The cost of establishments had also risen from Rs. 2,62,737 to Rs. 2,68,176, but the difference is fully explained, and was not at all in proportion to the increase in the jail population. There was also an increase in the cost of police guards from Rs. 1,96,620 to Rs. 2,09,311. Rations had of course cost more owing to the larger number of mouths to feed, and stood at Rs. 5,41,198, against Rs. 4,91,205; the rate per man was 7 annas 2 pies more than in 1871. Hospital charges were Rs. 27,769; and clothing cost Rs. 78,959, or Rs. 14,476 over last year. This last increase is not altogether explained. Contingencies also rose slightly to Rs. 63,378. The total expenditure, including buildings, was Rs. 14,98,656, or Rs. 73-3-1 per man, against Rs. 13,20,606, or Rs. 70-5-8 per man, in 1871. The increase is mainly due to increased activity in jail building, the outlay being Rs. 2,50,232, against Rs. 1,69,619 in 1871. Excluding buildings, the total cost was Rs. 12,48,424 as against Rs. 11,50,987 in the previous year.

The general result may be accepted as satisfactory, showing improvement effected without serious expense to the State. The European jails are naturally very expensive, and tend to raise the average much. Assam and Darjeeling are also unavoidably expensive places; but it should be explained why Kamroop and Julpigoree should show largely increased charges. Doomka, Pooree, Bogra, and Singbhoom, are much above the average, apparently because being small jails the cost of their guards and establishments is relatively greater.

38. As regards profits from manufactures, it appears that, excluding Alipore, the final balance of profit on the outturn, minus the expenditure in mofussil jails, was Rs. 90,900, against Rs. 1,00,300 in 1871. There was a much greater outturn of work, but a largely increased expenditure on comparatively unproductive and penal labor. The Lieutenant-Governor must repeat what he said last year, that our mofussil jails never were profitable to an extent to justify the sacrifice of system. He would express his satisfaction at the general results of the present year, attended as they are with improved discipline and new non-paying penal labor. At the same time he thinks gunny-weaving may be extended, and that there is room for improvement in paying occupations. The Lieutenant-Governor has already noticed the Inspector-General's statement that some jail officers are painfully helpless about providing industrial employments, and seem as if they had never given a thought to the matter; and His Honor would here again entirely endorse Mr. Heeley's views in paragraph 153, that prisoners, if properly looked after, ought to show something for their work. The present waste of power, of which the Inspector-General complains, he must do all he can to correct; and Superintendents must not, while enforcing penal labor, lose sight entirely of the prospect of earning a legitimate profit.

39. On the whole, however, thanks to the great and continued success of Alipore, the net balance of profit for the year was Rs. 2,72,400, against Rs. 2,24,700 in 1871. The profits of the Alipore mills were Rs. 1,81,500, against Rs. 1,24,300. This is explained by the great fall in the price of jute, which "caused the year to be one of unexampled prosperity for the trade of gunny-weaving. Dr. Lynch, however, warns us that a succession of such years is not to be looked for; it is probable that the extreme limit of profits has been already reached; competition has begun to an extent which threatens to destroy profits altogether." Whether this is a correct anticipation or not, it is certain that it is very important to develope the manufacture departments of central and district jails to meet the very probable fall in the net returns of Alipore.

40. Looking to the returns of the district jails, it appears that in eight the expenditure on manufactures actually exceeded the returns from sales. This is a result which should certainly be carefully examined, and if possible corrected. Twelve jails just cleared their manufacturing outlay by a mere fraction, while in only nine jails were the *profits* really large. This has in fact always been the state of things as regards the profits of Bengal jails; the profits were made up of Alipore (actual and press account) and a few other jails; the majority gave little real profit. Rajshahye, Hooghly, Mymensing, Russa, Purneah, and Cachar, were the jails where profit was largest in proportion to the expenditure in the past year.

41. The net profits of the Alipore Jail Press are shown at Rs. 1,05,904, but these are only book-earnings. The press has no cash receipts.

42. The Lieutenant-Governor has read with interest Mr. Heeley's account of the different j ils contained in part II of his report. His Honor will not attempt to deal with all the points of detail that arise here and there in these summaries. Mr. Heeley is in possession of the views of Government, and must himself issue orders to correct anomalies, reform abuses, and push on improvements, where these are required. In several instances, where discrepancies in the accounts of Superintendents are indicated, full inquiry should be made, and the matter should be cleared up. Certain remarks, however, with reference to some of the jail summaries, are appended to this resolution.

43. The following table exhibits jail expenditure and receipts in a compendious form:—

Heads.	Jails.			Lock-ups.			Total.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Supervision	41,396	15	6	.....			41,396	15	6
Rations	5,03,198	15	3½	37,999	1	2¾	5,41,198	0	6¼
Establishment, fixed	2,40,743	1	7	22,810	9	8	2,63,553	11	3
Ditto, extra	4,621	13	5	.....			4,621	13	5
Hospital charges	27,331	2	4	438	5	11	27,769	8	3
Clothing	77,884	8	3½	1,074	13	11	78,959	6	2½
Contingencies	56,199	0	6¾	7,179	8	3¼	63,378	8	10
Petty repairs	15,784	11	8	2,452	3	6	18,236	15	2
Total	9,67,160	4	7¾	71,954	10	6	10,39,114	15	1¾
Cost of Manufacture Department	4,73,086	13	6½	.....			4,73,086	13	6½
Grand total	14,40,247	2	2¼	71,954	10	6	15,12,201	12	8½
Receipts from sale of manufactures	7,22,541	9	0	.....			7,22,541	9	0
Net expenditure by the Jail Department	7,17,705	9	2¼	71,954	10	6	7,89,660	3	8½
Police guards	1,65,918	1	1	43,393	1	9	2,09,311	2	10
Total expenditure of the Jail Department	8,83,623	10	3½	1,15,347	12	3	9,98,971	6	6¼

44. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to find from these reports that Superintendents of Jails have, as a body, done good service during the past year. He may, however, single out for special thanks the following gentlemen:—Drs. Lynch, Mackenzie, Lethbridge, N. Jackson, Bensley (Rajshahye), Conolly, Coates, French, Bose, Simpson, Macleod, Bensley (Backergunge), Bowser, and Major Hitchins.

ANNUAL CUSTOMS REPORT BY THE BOARD OF REVENUE FOR 1872-73.

RESOLUTION.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE.

Calcutta, the 17th October 1873.

READ—

The Annual Customs Report by the Board of Revenue for the year 1872-73.

RESOLUTION.—If the salt duty be omitted, the customs transactions of the year 1872-73 compare with the results of previous years as follows :—

In the year	Receipts from duties on merchandise at Calcutta.	Chittagong.	Orissa ports.
	£	£	£
1840-41	324,177	991	180
1850-51	424,433	402	81
1860-61	1,356,703	4,301	1,311
1870-71	1,113,926	15,820	1,821
1871-72	1,052,152	17,767	759
1872-73	1,051,000	34,875	977

The customs receipts of the petty port of Morellgunge are included in the Calcutta receipts, and so also were the customs receipts of Port Canning, until there ceased to be any receipts at all, about three years ago. It will be seen that the customs receipts of Calcutta are very nearly the same as last year, while the Chittagong customs revenue was nearly double as high as it ever was before. The Calcutta customs revenue of 1872-73 was 22 per cent. less than it was in the days of high duties after the mutiny, and was 5 per cent. below what it was in the prosperous year 1870-71.

2. Though the customs revenue of the port of Calcutta has kept up to the level of the preceding year, yet the value of the total (foreign and inter-portal) trade of the port in 1872-73 was very much lower than in the previous year; thus—

	Value of exports from Calcutta.	Value of imports to Calcutta.	Total.
	£	£	£
1871-72 ...	32,771,152	21,365,677	54,136,829
1872-73 ...	29,908,937	17,986,994	47,895,931

The decrease of imports is mainly under the head of bullion and specie; the imports of gold, silver and money were £3,251,806 less than they were in the previous year, while there was a net decrease of £126,877 on the value of other merchandise imports. There was a net decrease of £2,862,215 in the value of all exports, the decrease being very large in the exports of—

Opium,
Oil-seeds,
Cotton.

The falling off in the bullion imports is said to have been due to the condition of the exchange market, under which bankers found it more convenient to buy India Office bills than to import bullion or specie. The total drawings of the Secretary of State paid in Calcutta during the year under review were Rs. 10,81,62,000, which falls short by one million of the whole difference between the estimated values of exports and imports.

3. Taking first the exports of the year from Calcutta to places beyond British India, we find the largest fluctuations in the following articles :—

	Value of exports in the year 1871-72. £	1872-73. £	£	
Opium	6,852,380	5,613,205	1,239,175	decrease.
Cotton	4,036,955	1,779,129	2,257,826	,,
Oil-seeds	2,009,403	1,111,920	898,483	,,
Hides and skins	1,862,557	1,815,557	47,000	,,
Lac and lacdye	239,205	188,175	51,030	,,
Safflower & other dyes	131,580	110,246	21,334	,,
Jute	4,113,943	4,127,943	14,000	increase.
Gunny-bags	114,612	161,419	46,807	,,
Indigo	2,465,186	2,699,420	234,234	,,
Tea	1,448,467	1,567,561	119,094	,,
Rice	1,277,672	1,685,170	407,498	,,
Sugar	146,189	182,456	36,266	,,
Tobacco	7,636	71,695	64,059	,,
Saltpetre	390,676	518,012	127,836	,,
Raw silk	1,060,444	1,236,887	170,443	,,
India-rubber	78,565	143,631	65,166	,,

The increases and decreases in each article are partially explainable thus :—The opium decrease is due to the shortness of the crop and of the number of chests offered for sale by Government. The very large decrease in the value of cotton exports is due mainly to the comparative cheapness of American cotton in Europe, and the consequently reduced demand for Bengal cotton: the year 1871-72 was a year of very exceptional briskness in the Bengal cotton trade. The fall in the seed trade was due in part to the shortness of the seed crops in the Ganges valley and elsewhere. In the preceding year (1871-72) the value of the seeds export fell off by £835,000, and now it has fallen by £898,483 more. The exports to Great Britain and America, our principal customers for seeds, have fallen off in about equal proportions. The Collector of Customs notes that the rape-seed crop was a failure, and that mineral oils are largely taking the place of rape-seed oil in Europe. This very large and continuous decrease of the trade in an important staple merits some further inquiry; and the Lieutenant-Governor would be glad if the Board would obtain from the Collector of Customs a detailed account of the fluctuations of the particular markets which take less of our seeds, of the sources from whence those markets now draw their supplies, and of any reasons why Indian seeds should have lost ground in the estimation of European and American consumers. The decrease in the exports of hides and of lac is not explained: if any of the decrease in the hides trade is due to the cessation of the cattle disease, which threw so many hides on the market, the decrease will not be matter for regret. The decrease in the safflower trade is said by the authorities of Dacca, in which district safflower is almost exclusively grown, to be due to over-trading and excess European stocks of the preceding year. The Commissioner of Dacca reports that one of the causes for the decline in the trade is the discovery of a cheaper substitute for safflower. The Lieutenant-Governor would wish the facts in this matter to be ascertained.

The increase in the estimated value of the jute exports is very small, but the increase in the quantity of jute exports was very large. The growth of the jute trade during the last few years has been as follows :—

In the year	Exports of jute and jute cuttings from Calcutta in Cwts.
1867-68	2,291,565
1868-69	3,350,626
1869-70	3,350,200
1870-71	3,745,402
1871-72	6,128,545
1872-73	7,061,951

The jute produce of the year under review was so large that the price went down nearly one-half, and as a consequence there has been a reduc-

tion in the area sown with jute during the current year. The trade in gunny-bags has also increased; Australia and the Straits Settlements have taken more gunny-bags, but America took less than in the preceding year. The export of jute and jute cuttings to America was somewhat in excess of the previous years, being 1,242,000 cwts., against 1,000,000 cwts. in the preceding year. It is not known if the manufacture of gunny-bags is increasing in America. The indigo export was 119,385 cwts., against 66,929 cwts. in the preceding year; but the outturn having been so very large, prices went down considerably, and the increase in the estimated value of the indigo exports was, as shown above, barely ten per cent. The exports of tea, which increased by 4,000,000lb in the preceding year, show a further increase of 516,000lb. The tea crop of the year under review was short in some districts, or the increase would have been still higher. Great Britain continues to take almost the whole of our teas. The increase in the rice export was 1,341,413 cwts.; the bulk of the increase went to the Mauritius and Great Britain: and the West Indian Islands took more rice than in previous years. The large export of rice to Java was a new trade, and was due apparently to the partial failure of the crops in that island. With the cessation of the Persian famine a smaller quantity of rice has gone from Calcutta to the Gulf. The increased exports in sugar must have been due mainly to the goodness of the date and other sugar crop in Lower Bengal, for the up-country sugar yield of the year was low. Almost the whole of the increased exports (23,949 cwts.) went to Great Britain and Persia. Recent inquiries in Jessore have shown that the increase in the export of date sugar to Calcutta has been very great during the last eight or ten years. The tobacco export to Europe is almost a new trade. The Collector of Customs writes: "This increase has been owing to a trial shipment "having been favorably reported on for the German market, which is supplied "through London * * * * From the cheap rate at which "Indian tobacco can be laid down in Europe, there are prospects of much "further development." If a steady and growing trade in Indian tobacco should be established, it will be a great advantage to the Indian growers. The increase in the saltpetre export is satisfactory, as the trade had been dull in the preceding year. The increase occurred chiefly in the exports to America and China, and may serve to counterbalance the somewhat gloomy anticipations made regarding this trade in the Patna divisional report.

4. Among the foreign imports fluctuation has occurred principally in the following items:—

	Value of imports in the year 1871-72.	1872-73.	
	£	£	£
Specie and bullion	4,001,604	1,096,251	*2,905,352 decrease.
Grey cotton goods	6,853,691	6,026,728	826,962 "
White cotton goods	1,410,112	1,628,977	218,865 increase.
Turkey reds	577,285	476,224	101,061 decrease.
Colored piece-goods	617,340	808,126	190,786 increase.
Cotton twist	973,252	1,020,248	46,996 "
Coal and other fuel	121,387	77,088	44,298 decrease.
Candles	17,015	44,679	27,663 increase.
Spices	64,720	97,453	32,733 "
Fruits	61,301	39,643	21,658 decrease.
Copper	579,609	289,367	290,241 "
Railway materials	210,967	253,848	42,881 increase.
and wood	100,083	16,483	83,600 decrease.

The decrease in the bullion imports have already been noticed; almost the whole decrease occurred in imports from Great Britain and China. The decrease in grey cotton goods, following on a decrease of £716,635 in the value of imports during the preceding year, is ascribed mainly to the over-trading of the year 1870-71. The trade in twist, colored goods, and white cotton goods, is recovering from the stagnation of the year 1871-72. The decrease in the import of fuel is due to the rise in prices in England.

* NOTE.—This figure differs from that in paragraph 2, which contains interportal as well as foreign bullion and pecie imports.

The fluctuation in the imports of candles, fruits, and spices, is casual, and is not explained. The great falling off in the copper import is said to be due to the rise of prices in England, to which country the ordinary Indian supplies of copper from Australia were diverted. A new source of supply for copper has been worked during the year under review, namely, Japan, which sent £27,835 worth of copper, as compared with £12,942 worth in the preceding year. The small increase in the import of railway materials followed on a decrease of over half a million sterling in the preceding year. The decrease in the timber imports occurred chiefly in the Australian and British trade. There was an almost corresponding increase in the imports of timber from Moulmein, which is shown under the head of *interportal* as distinguished from *foreign* trade.

5. On a general review of all the items of the trade of Calcutta, the Lieutenant-Governor feels able to say that the Custom House returns testify that the yield of country produce and the general commerce of the country was fairly good. The only very unfavorable item was the continued large decrease in the export of oil-seeds. The reduction of imports of piece-goods was, it is believed, merely the natural reaction from the excessive trading of 1870-71.

6. Of the total value of all the inward and outward trade of Calcutta during the year, 52 per cent. was with Great Britain. In the trade to North America there was a net decrease of £252,421 in value; of this decrease £6,164 were in the imports, which are altogether inconsiderable in value (less than £40,000 in all). The chief items of decrease in exports were indigo, oil-seeds, raw skins, gunny cloths, and gunny-bags; while there was a considerable increase in the saltpetre, gums, india-rubber, and tanned skins trade. Altogether the exports from Calcutta to America fell from a value of £2,247,712 in 1871-72 to £2,013,705 during the year under review.

There has been a net decrease of £114,895 in the Calcutta trade with Australia. The decrease has occurred mainly in the imports of copper, horses, and timber, and there have been small decreases in the value of rice and of miscellaneous exports to Australia. The only noticeable item of increase in the Australian trade is gunny-bags, of which Australia took more than double as many as she did in the preceding year.

7. The Calcutta trade* with France has remained stationary; while the trade to China, Holland, Hamburgh, Trieste, Egypt, North America, Australia, South America, the Straits Settlements, and the Arabian and Persian Gulfs, has decreased considerably during the year under review; and the trade with the Mauritius and Italy has increased thus—

* *Note.*—The figures used in this paragraph are taken from the Commercial Annual for 1871-72 and 1872-73, published by the Collector of Customs.

	Total value of export and import trade (exclusive of bullion) between Calcutta and the undermentioned places during the year	
	1871-72.	1872-73.
	£	£
France	1,477,285	1,471,730
China	6,602,862	5,614,844
Holland	244,769	107,671
Hamburgh	65,452	1,323
Trieste	643,869	425,690
Egypt	69,342	56,034
North America	2,161,573	1,790,217
Australia	279,348	160,942
South America	134,329	6,411
The Straits Settlements	1,549,641	1,307,378
The Arabian and Persian Gulfs ...	398,440	375,867
Italy	268,448	467,373
The Mauritius	503,034	733,864

France has taken much more raw silk, more shawls, more jute, more hides, and more saltpetre, than in the previous year; but the exports of cotton, seeds, and indigo, have fallen very largely indeed; the net result being that the value of the whole trade was about the same as in the previous year. The

decrease in the China trade has occurred chiefly in imports of copper and vermilion, and in exports of opium and rice. The exports of cotton from Calcutta to China had risen in value from £409,491 in 1871-72 to £659,338 during the year under review. The trade with Hamburgh has almost ceased owing to the failure of the rape-seed crop. The falling off in the Trieste trade has been principally in indigo exports (£190,000), cotton exports (£60,000); the exports of hides to Trieste has meanwhile risen by nearly £70,000 in value. The export of indigo to Egypt almost ceased during the year, and the import of corals from Egypt was very slack. The decrease in the North American trade; the decrease in the import of horses, copper, and timber from Australia, and the increased export of gunnies to Australia, have already been noticed. The decrease in the trade with South America was due entirely to the cessation of the demand for Indian rice in South America. The decrease in the value of trade to the Straits is due to the shortness of the opium supply; the trade in gunnies to Singapore and the imports of black pepper from Penang increased largely. Nine-tenths of the trade with the Straits is export trade. The export of rice to the Gulf decreased by about £60,000, but as a make-weight the export of indigo went up £35,000; both these fluctuations are probably due to the cessation of the Persian famine. The large increase in the trade with Italy consists of an increase of £100,000 in the export of raw silk, £56,000 in the hides and skins export, and £12,000 in the indigo export. There was some increase in the imports of salt and of beads from Italy. The increase in the Mauritius trade occurred entirely under the head of rice and other food-grains. More than ninety-nine-hundredths of the trade with the Mauritius is export trade.

8. Of all the countries with which Calcutta has considerable foreign trade, Great Britain is the only country which sends to India more merchandise than she receives. In 1872-73 Great Britain sent to Calcutta £14,362,000 worth of merchandise, and received from Calcutta £10,735,000. To all other countries Calcutta sent about £19,265,000 worth, and received back from those countries about £3,624,000 worth of goods. The excess in value of the Calcutta export over its import trade with some of the principal countries of the world may be seen from the subjoined figures:—

Country with which the trade occurs.	Value of Calcutta trade of the year 1872-73, exclusive of bullion.	
	Exports.	Imports.
	£	£
China	5,442,357	172,487
North America	1,756,061	34,565
France	1,284,601	187,293
The Straits Settlements	1,080,839	125,639
Australia	111,552	49,390
The Mauritius	732,342	1,522
Italy	407,647	59,726
Trieste	396,076	29,614
Arabian and Persian Gulfs	295,156	80,611
Holland	107,677	Nil.

9. The number of steamers, other vessels, and native craft, entering Calcutta during the last three years compares as follows:—

		1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.
Vessels of all kinds...	Number ...	1,082	1,109	1,118
	Tonnage ...	890,675	978,693	992,211
Steamers ...	Number ...	.....	290	342
	Tonnage ...	.....	279,692	347,130
Native craft ...	Number ...	.....	169	161
	Tonnage ...	.....	15,324	13,299
Suez Canal steamers, included in the first two totals ...	Number ...	56	89	91
	Tonnage ...	56,353	109,175	121,534

It is evident that the average tonnage of the vessels coming to this port continues to increase, though not at so rapid a rate as in the years immediately after the opening of the Suez Canal.

10. At the port of Chittagong there was a large increase of trade and customs duty during the year 1872-73; thus—

		1871-72. £	1872-73. £
Total customs collections, exclusive of salt duty	...	18,990	35,891
Estimated value of exports	... ...	278,795	452,749
Ditto of imports	... ...	121,010	184,829
Ditto of total trade	... ...	399,805	637,578
Square-rigged vessels entering the port — Number	...	219	267
Square-rigged vessels entering the port — Tonnage	...	67,234	102,767

It would seem that in the foregoing figures, taken from the Board's report, the value of the salt imported has been taken at the invoice price plus the duty, instead of being taken at the price in bond; a deduction of Rs. 7,25,000 must therefore be made from the estimated value of the Chittagong trade, if the estimate is to be framed in the same way as for Calcutta and other ports.

The dutiable export of rice from Chittagong is mostly to the Mauritius and Ceylon. There is also a very considerable and rising trade with Rangoon in timber and earth-oil, which last commodity is coming into general use among the people of Chittagong. From Akyab also, where salt is cheap, a considerable trade in salt-fish is setting to Chittagong. Chittagong still draws its supplies of piece-goods and other European commodities, except salt, from Calcutta.

11. The custom duty realized at the Orissa ports is still extremely small, barely Rs. 10,000 a year, which is realized on small consignments of rice to, and of cocoanuts, coir, and cowries from, the Laccadives and Maldives, or upon an occasional package of European stores from Pondicherry. In 1872-73 the total quantity of rice exported from the Orissa ports to places outside India was only 42,000 maunds. There is, however, a considerable export of rice from Orissa to other Indian ports. When the canal system of Orissa shall be complete, we may expect to see a large export of rice from Orissa to foreign and to Indian ports. The coasting trade between Calcutta and the Orissa ports is largely increasing. The ports and the establishments at False Point, Balasore, Chandballee, as well as the communications between these ports and the interior, have recently been much improved, and are receiving still further attention. The Government of India has recently sanctioned proposals for relieving the Orissa ports from the strict letter of some of the customs departmental rules, which hampered the coasting trade. The working of these ports will be a very great benefit to Orissa and its people, though for some years to come their trade can hardly have much effect upon the customs revenue. The principal exports will be rice for Calcutta and other Indian markets.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor's acknowledgments are due to Mr. Money, the Member in charge of the Customs Department of the Board of Revenue, for his able supervision of the Customs Department; to Mr. Crawford, for his successful administration of the Calcutta Custom House; to Messrs. Hankey and Ravenshaw for their attention to customs affairs in their divisions; as well as to the officers mentioned at paragraphs 149, 174, 175, 206, and 207 of the Board's report, for the diligent discharge of their duties during the year.

REPORT BY THE BOARD OF REVENUE ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE EXCISE DEPARTMENT FOR 1872-73.

(RESOLUTION.)

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE.

ABKAREE.

Calcutta, the 23rd October 1873.

READ—

The report by the Board of Revenue on the administration of the Excise Department for the year 1872-73.

1. Two important experiments were made in the year under review to effect an increase in the revenue derived from country spirits without promoting consumption, each of which has been attended with some measure of success. Under the central distillery system the practice had been to charge a fixed monthly license fee, generally Rs. 4, on all shops in a district, irrespective of their locality. The tendency thus was to increase the revenue by increasing the number of shops. While some dealers, whose shops were well situated, got quick returns on their capital, others less favorably situated made very small profits, and some could barely contrive to continue their trade all the year round. It was thought that Government might well claim to share in the extra profits of the former class arising from local advantages, and that the shops of many of the latter might with advantage be closed. It was therefore determined to make the license fees charged for any shop correspond in some measure with the local advantages which the holder might be expected to enjoy, securing these to him at the same time by restricting the number of shops to be licensed. The amount of yearly fee for each shop can now be settled by competition at auction, subject to an upset price of Rs. 4 per mensem, or it can be determined by the Collector on a consideration of the local circumstances. Both plans have been tried in parts of the Patna, Bhaugulpore, Burdwan, and Dacca Divisions, with results that are on the whole encouraging. The number of shops has largely decreased, the consumption of duty-paid liquor has been reduced, while the revenue has not suffered, but has on the whole increased.

2. The difficulty of ensuring the honest and intelligent use of the hydrometer, as well as of keeping the instruments in order, suggested the adoption as an experiment of the plan of levying a tax upon the materials of distillation, instead of a duty upon spirit according to its alcoholic strength. The head-quarters and outlying distilleries of Monghyr and the Begumpore distillery in Patna were selected for the trial. Rates were fixed after experiment, calculated to be equivalent to the still-head duty previously levied. These rates in Patna were Rs. 4-8 per maund on goor, Rs. 3-8 per maund upon choor, and Rs. 3 on the other materials used in distilling spirit. The experiment appears to have broken down in Monghyr, where the system, however, is said not to have had a fair chance. In the Begumpore distillery, on the other hand, there was in the last three quarters of the year, the period during which the trial was made, an increase of 49,589 gallons of spirit passed out, and of Rs. 7,908 in the tax realized as compared with the issues and amount of duty realized during the same period of the previous year. Under the new system the produce of the tax levied on materials was equivalent to an average duty of only three annas one pie per gallon. It would therefore seem that the new system has enabled the dealers to make a large quantity of cheap weak liquor, such as the consumers demanded. If the people prefer this kind of drink to the stronger stuff turned out under the hydrometer system, it is very much better that their wishes should be met.

3. Towards the close of the year the selling price of excise opium was increased by about ten per cent. in all districts except those in which opium is produced. The revenue has improved somewhat, but the late period of the year

from which the change had effect renders it premature to draw any inference from this. The duty on flat ganja was also raised from Rs. 2 to 2½ per seer with effect from the 1st April 1872. The result has been a consumption diminished by 1,420 maunds, and a revenue increased by Rs. 41,828.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor notices with satisfaction that in accordance with the view expressed by him in August 1872 the supervision of the excise system has now been generally entrusted to the sub-divisional officers within their respective jurisdictions. This practice had, it is understood, previously existed in some districts. It is now to be universally adopted, and there are to be no special Excise Deputy Collectors.

5. The total excise revenue of the year under review was larger than that of 1871-72 by Rs. 4,47,407. It exceeded the average of the five years immediately preceding by Rs. 8,51,966. Including the customs duty on imported wines and other liquor, the results of the year are as follows, compared first with those of an average of the five preceding years, and next with those of 1871-72 only :—

Articles.	Average, 1867-72.	1871-72.	1872-73.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Country spirits	16,79,221	19,81,448	21,77,670
Rum	4,90,405	4,23,203	4,41,223
License duty for imported wines	64,155	70,705	89,877
Taree or toddy	5,41,500	5,70,902	6,04,752
Puchwai or rice beer	1,31,264	1,46,717	1,51,203
Ganja or hemp drug	10,37,281	11,40,329	11,89,706
Opium	20,73,762	20,82,864	21,99,180
Churrus ... } Preparations of hemp {	4,031	3,555	3,582
Siddhi, sabzi or bhang } Preparations of hemp {	8,153	10,103	13,342
Majoom ... } Preparations of opium {	2,245	2,286	2,417
Muddat ... } Preparations of opium {	64,162	66,743	71,043
Chundoo ... } Preparations of opium {	11,355	13,576	15,993
Spirits used in arts	1,802	1,464	1,314
Total	61,09,336	65,13,895	69,61,302
Customs duty on wines, &c.	2,87,409	2,65,556	2,92,353
Ditto on spirits	7,43,730	7,46,742	8,56,897
Ditto on beer, &c.	44,817	41,102	42,457
Grand Total	71,85,292	75,67,295	81,53,009

The Lieutenant-Governor considers it to be a happy result that, with diminished consumption, we have very considerably increased the revenue on the whole.

6. *Country spirits, Taree, and Puchwai.*—The above figures show an increase in the revenue derived from these liquors of Rs. 2,34,558 as compared with 1871-72, and of Rs. 5,81,640 as compared with the average of five years. Though the increase of this revenue is hardly a subject for congratulation, the Lieutenant-Governor believes that consumption is really checked. The measures adopted with a view to this end are the enhancement of the rates of still-head duty, the increase by auction-sale of the license fees, and above all the restriction of the number of shops. The introduction of the new system of licensing shops for the sale of country spirits has had much effect in this direction. The total number of gallons issued from all public distilleries during the year in question was 2,673,190, or 278,092 less than in the previous year, and 640,004 less than the average of five years immediately preceding it. Of the decrease in consumption, as compared with 1871-72, 276,654 gallons represent the diminution in the districts where the new system of licensing country spirit shops was introduced. The average monthly license fee exacted there per shop was a little over Rs. 8 in place of Rs. 4, which was formerly customary, the increased revenue thus obtained more than meeting the falling off in the amount of still-head duty. At the same time the number of shops was reduced by 1,536 in these districts alone.

The reduction in number of native liquor shops throughout the whole of Bengal was 1,559 as compared with the previous year. A similar plan has been followed of enhancing the revenue derived from shops for the sale of fermented taree. Though there was a slight increase in the number of these as compared with the previous year, still the total number of taree shops was less by 217 than the average of five years. At the same time the average annual fee levied from each shop has increased from Rs. 28-15-3, the average of five years, to Rs. 32-11-2, the average of the year under review.

7. After all the spirit revenue of these provinces is not large in view of the vast populations they contain. The consumption of country spirits and rum does not average more than one-twenty-fifth of a gallon per head of the population in Bengal.

The Commissioner of Patna, in his administration report for the past year, says: "The mhowa liquor most generally sold in these districts is 75° to 90° below proof, and is probably much less intoxicating than public-house beer at home. It sells at two to three annas a quart in the shops, a price which, in comparison with the general range of prices in India, is considerably dearer than that of beer in England. In Patna the annual consumption is something over one-half a gallon per head, while in Chumparun it falls as low as one-thirty-third of a gallon per head. This of course means that the proportion of people who drink is very small, for I suppose any one who drinks at all regularly is bound to consume 50 gallons of such weak liquor in the course of a year."

8. The use of taree, the juice of the date tree, is by no means so injurious as that of distilled spirits; while puchwai, the chief drink of a large section of our population, is really very small beer.

9. In commenting last year on the extension of the out-still system to Hazareebaugh, and to the Nepal and the North-East Frontier, the Lieutenant-Governor desired that every precaution should be taken against encouraging a taste for distilled spirits among aboriginal tribes. The Commissioner of Patna and the Collector of Purneah now report that there is no danger of this in their districts; while the Commissioner of Chota Nagpore anticipates that with a proper superintendence there will be no cause for fearing that more liquor will be produced and consumed than was the case under the central distillery system. The Lieutenant-Governor much hopes that his instructions may be borne in mind; he observes that in Maunbhoom the number of out-stills is considered by the Board to have been "much more than were required." Indeed in the Chota Nagpore districts generally a very large number of out-stills have been licensed—181 in Hazareebaugh, 533 in Lohardugga, and 138 in the jungly tracts of Maunbhoom. The Lieutenant-Governor considers that there could have been no actual necessity for licensing such a very large number of out-stills. He hopes that this matter will receive Colonel Dalton's best attention; that inquiry will be made how much liquor, at what price, and of what kind, this large number of out-stills turns out; and that if these new out-stills have promoted drinking and drunkenness unduly, by bringing liquor to every man's door, the number of licenses should be very considerably reduced.

10. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to observe that the Commissioners of the various divisions take on the whole a favorable view of the results of the experiments which have been made. By none of them is it pronounced a failure, while the Commissioner of Dacca thinks that the trial has been very satisfactory, and that the results are the best encomium on the wisdom of the measure. Even the Commissioner of Bhaugulpore, where there were the least encouraging results, remarks that a great loss caused by the first introduction of the change was to a considerable extent recovered afterwards, and is sanguine that ere long the system will answer well. The Commissioner of Patna thinks there was rather too hasty a diminution in the number of shops, but is of opinion that the experiment has succeeded better than could be expected for the first year. Mr. Buckland is inclined to await a longer trial before pronouncing the measure to be a success. It is encouraging to observe that the experiment made of taxing the materials instead of spirit in its manu-

factured form is also regarded as a success. Mr. Money, however, thinks that the crucial test of extending the system to distilleries in the interior yet remains to be applied. The Lieutenant-Governor will await with interest an account of the success which may attend the further experiments to be made this year.

11. With reference to paragraph 87 of the report, the Lieutenant-Governor takes occasion again to say that he cannot accept as proved Mr. Money's assertion, that in most places the sudder distillery system is a total failure. The present report wholly fails to give sufficient evidence of the smuggling, &c., said to exist. One petty fraud detected by one sub-divisional officer is all that is cited in paragraph 84 to which the Member in charge refers for proof. As regards thinly-peopled tracts, such as Chota Nagpore and the Nepal frontier, Mr. Money's views have been already adopted, and a relaxation permitted in the rule requiring a fixed still-head duty to be levied on all spirits according to quality. So far as a comparison is possible between the central distillery system and the old farming (or monthly tax) system, we know that under the new system there are in some districts, and ought to be everywhere, fewer liquor shops than under the old system. We believe (but on this point we have no actual certainty) that liquor is, strength for strength, dearer than it was under the old system; we receive reports that the amount of liquor made in the central distilleries is decreasing year by year; the excise revenue on country spirits has, notwithstanding the forebodings made in the Board's special report of August 1870, and notwithstanding a largely increased import of European brandies, gradually worked up to a total considerably higher than the revenue of the year 1863-64, just before the central distillery system was introduced; and the Government is gradually reducing still further the number of liquor shops without causing any very large loss to the excise revenue. There may be corruption and peculation at outlying distilleries, but at any rate it is very difficult to believe that liquor would not be cheaper and more largely consumed under the monthly tax system, when it was the distiller's interest to produce as much as he could, and to bring cheap liquor to every man's door, than under the central distillery system, whereby a distiller must pay a still-head duty (or even under the pessimist view must pay a considerable bribe) for every gallon he distills. It certainly seems reasonable to presume that under the present system liquor must be dearer and less plentiful, must be less forced upon the people than under the old farming system.

12. *Imported wines and spirits.*—Although in the year under review the revenue derived from import duty on wines was somewhat larger than in the previous year, there has been a diminution both in the amount imported and in the duty paid on wines since 1868-69 and 1869-70. As compared with the former year, the difference is 54,667 gallons and Rs. 29,761, and as compared with the latter year, 52,393 gallons and Rs. 32,131. Coupled with this is an extraordinary decrease in the consumption of beer, the imports having fallen gradually from 1,022,255 in 1866-67 to 681,963 in the past year, entailing a loss of revenue amounting to Rs. 21,434. The amount of import duty realized on beer last year was, however, less than the average of the previous five years by only Rs. 2,360. It has been ascertained that the Bombay imports of beer have also decreased of late years, though not quite in so large a proportion as the Calcutta imports;—the total Bombay beer imports of 1872-73 were 264,284 gallons as against 356,527 gallons in the year 1866-67. It seems therefore to be clear that the imports of beer, whether on Government account or for private consumption, has considerably decreased of late years. The decrease in the Government imports may be due partly to the decrease in the number of European troops, and partly to the more frequent use of Indian hill beer for soldiers in the Punjab. The decrease in the imports of beer on private account is, the Lieutenant-Governor believes, due to a change in the habits of Anglo-Indians, who drink less beer than they used to do, substituting more generally light wine for beer as a daily drink.

The revenue derived from import duty on spirits was larger by more than one lakh of rupees than in the previous year. It is much to be regretted that

there should be, as observed by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, an increase in the consumption of low class imported brandies. It may be advisable, as recommended by Mr. Money, to raise the customs duty on this class of spirit.

13. *Ganja.*—Paragraphs 114 to 123 show the results of the administration with regard to ganja. As compared with the previous year, there was a diminution of 220 in the number of shops licensed, and of 1,414 maunds 20 seers 10 chittacks (about 14 per cent.) in the consumption of ganja, while the revenue on the whole improved by Rs. 49,377. The Lieutenant-Governor desires to congratulate the Member in charge on his having secured this very happy result of an increased revenue with a diminished consumption of this noxious drug. It appears to be due in a great measure to the increase of the duty on flat ganja before noticed, and also in some degree to the system adopted in the 24-Pergunnahs of putting up licenses to auction.

14. *Opium.*—The Lieutenant-Governor views with regret the increase, small though it is, which is observable in the consumption of opium: but after all, as he has before remarked, it is only in districts with a large element of Indo-Chinese population like Assam, Gowalpara, and Rungpore, that there is any considerable consumption. The only exception to this rule is the small district of Balasore, before remarked, where consumption continues to increase, and where it has never been sufficiently accounted for. There is also consumption, but to a less extent, in the Oorya and semi-Oorya districts of Cuttack and Midnapore. It may be that the consumption is due in part to the pilgrims who pass through those districts. A moderate quantity of opium is taken in Calcutta and its suburbs, in the suburban towns of Hooghly, &c., and in Moorshedabad. In no other district does the revenue derived from it reach Rs. 30,000, except in Mymensing, where also there is an Indo-Chinese strain in part of the population.

Paragraphs 143-5 point out that it is impossible to prevent petty illicit consumption of opium in the producing districts notwithstanding the increased activity of the police and the large amount of Rs. 4,682 granted as rewards in the course of the year. The Lieutenant-Governor concurs in this view. He is, however, consoled to know that the result of inquiries has shown that opium is really not largely consumed by the people of these districts. As long as this is not the case, with the great export opium revenue derived from these districts, we can well afford to spare the petty local revenue.

15. But the wholesale mercantile smuggling reported in paragraphs 148 and 155-8 is a very much more serious affair, and may have very serious consequences if not put down with a strong hand, and the Lieutenant-Governor desires that no stone be left unturned to this end. He is strongly of opinion that in the present state of communications, with free-trade, and absence of custom lines search and restrictions, opium smuggling must be more severely punished than by fine, which can always be paid as part of the transaction, when the smugglers happen to be caught. It has lately come out that there was an organized system of sending illicit opium by rail to the Punjab carried on by Punjabees settled in the producing districts, and that there is, besides, a regular flow of similarly smuggled opium to Calcutta and Chandernagore. It is hopeless to check this by the infliction of such punishment as is reported to have been awarded in the case noted in paragraph 158, where an important seizure of illicit opium was made and the smugglers got off with a fine of Rs. 250. Even putting the profit to be made as low as Rs. 5 a seer, these men would, if undetected, have cleared some Rs. 1,500 by the transaction.

16. The Lieutenant-Governor is gratified at the zeal and efficiency which the Member in charge considers Messrs. Hankey, Bayley, Ravenshaw, and Colonel Dalton, have shown in the supervision of the working of the Excise Department in their respective divisions; and his acknowledgments are due to all the officers mentioned at paragraph 168 of the Board's report.

17. The thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are again due to the Member in charge for the care and ability with which he has directed the administration of the Excise Department during the year.

ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF THE CHOTA NAGPORE DIVISION FOR 1872-73.

RESOLUTION.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 8th November 1873.

READ—

The Annual General Report of the Commissioner of the Chota Nagpore Division for the year 1872-73, with its enclosures.

1. THIS division has had the unusual advantage of having been superintended for a long series of years by one officer, and he an officer admirably fitted to deal with it, and who has rendered invaluable service in the management and development of the simple people of these Western Hill Tracts. As usual, under his care all has gone smoothly and well during the past year, and the Lieutenant-Governor heartily thanks Colonel Dalton. The advance made by the people under his charge during his incumbency has been very great indeed, and there are now probably no more peaceable and loyal subjects in any part of Her Majesty's dominions. The disturbances and rebellions of former days have now wholly passed into oblivion.

In particular, the general prosperity of the Koles of the Singbhoom district is one of the most pleasing features. It is stated that when an eminent officer inspected the district in 1856, he was so struck with the savage barbarism of the rude population, that he doubted the expediency of encouraging the further propagation of Koles, but now Captain Garbett says that their villages are often perfect pictures of comfort and prettiness. The brisk attendance and business done at markets, the increasing use of brass instead of earthen utensils, the more common wearing by the women of a better description of garment, and a dozen other inclinations, in themselves perhaps slight, but important in the aggregate, all attest the growing prosperity of the people.

2. The sure, though somewhat slow, progress of the inquiry into and settlement of the old Bhuinhari tenures of the aboriginal tribes puts an end to the last ground of discontent, and if we can restrain landlords from a harsh exercise of power, all will go well. The progress of Christianity among the people tends to make them independent. It may be hoped that the officers of Government will be able to render their position tolerable, notwithstanding the wide rights improvidently given to chiefs in the early days, when the only object was to protect the plains against the hill people, and the revenue was alienated to those who were bound to guard the passes, but have now almost a sinecure. The Lieutenant-Governor is sure that, as long as Colonel Dalton reigns in Chota Nagpore, the fair rights of the people, whether in the Bhuinhari tenures in the *Khudkutti* villages mentioned by him, or in any other form, will be maintained. Whether Act X of 1859 be strictly in force or not, the tenantry are entitled to at least all the protection which that Act affords to occupancy and other rights. His Honor notices what is said of the landlords in Maunbhoom, that they have served on their tenants notices of enhancements of rent at treble, quadruple, quintuple, and even higher rates. The explanation of the talookdars, than which, as Colonel Dalton says, a more unjust reason for enhancement could not have been given, is that having accepted their talooks with a spurious rent-roll, according to which the head proprietor himself never dreamt of realizing, they were compelled to increase heavily to make some profit out of the transaction. Be that as it may, His Honor is certain that if justice is fairly done, such attempts cannot succeed.

3. Wages are perhaps lower in Chota Nagpore than in any other part of India, but the Lieutenant-Governor is very glad to see how favorable and hopeful, all things considered, is the Commissioner's account of the condition of the people. This is mainly due to their freedom from prejudice and local ties, and their industrious disposition, which enables them to go forth from their own country to earn money by labor. Not only do very many thus

serve abroad, but a large proportion of those who do not emigrate for a longer period go forth for labor in the season when they have little work at home, and bring back their modest earnings. In addition to this they have the advantage of their women working as well as the men.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor notices that in several parts of this division, *e.g.* in Kharakdea on one side and in Palamow on another, the system under which men, and even whole families, are held as hereditary bondsmen (to which the Lieutenant-Governor has elsewhere several times alluded) is still in full force. Colonel Dalton believes the system to be principally confined to Hindu or Hinduised tracts, and he hopes that the poorer aborigines do not submit to this bondage. We must gradually teach the humble people who submit to such a system that they have rights as other men.

5. It is stated as the belief of the officers of Government that, with the exception of the Rajah of Jushpore, who subscribes to the *Education Gazette*, no other native of Chota Nagpore takes in a newspaper. His Honor trusts that the new village education system, together with missionary teachers, will improve their knowledge. Sir George Campbell would prefer this to the suggestion of starting a Government *Moniteur* newspaper, with a monopoly of official intelligence.

It is gratifying to observe that education has already, in fact, made considerable progress among the people. The only schools in existence when Colonel Dalton took up his appointment as Commissioner, were one at each of the Sudder Stations of Lohardugga, Maunbhoom, and Singbhoom, and a few missionary institutions. In 1871-72 the number of schools had risen to 220, with 5,508 pupils. Since the introduction of the new system the number of schools has risen to 571, with 15,871 pupils. The primary schools sanctioned for this division have been opened, and are as a general rule making fair progress. Colonel Rowlatt, the Deputy Commissioner of Maunbhoom, has set about their establishment with energy and success. The missionary schools at Ranchee are maintained on a very liberal scale, and are of immense importance, as through them there is a constant flow of the children of both sexes coming in wild from their homes, and after a few years of training returning to them instructed, and, to some extent, civilized.

6. The Commissioner reports favorably of the changes of procedure effected by the new Criminal Procedure Code. The substitution of the Hindee character and language for the Hindustanee in the offices of Hazareebaugh and Lohardugga is welcomed as a boon, says Colonel Dalton, by all the natives of the districts to which it applies.

7. The Lieutenant-Governor regrets that the result of the mortuary statistics from selected areas in this division should not have been satisfactory; but His Honor has every confidence that Colonel Dalton will spare no pains in perfecting his arrangements. The Lohardugga returns seem to be very fairly accurate.

8. With regard to the Commissioner's recommendation, that the registration system should not be further extended in the Chota Nagpore division, and more particularly in the Lohardugga district, the Lieutenant-Governor observes that it is a new view of registration that it acts injuriously because the people are 'so improvident that it is undesirable to bind them down in that way. His Honor heartily shares in the feeling that in this country it is often very hard and unjust to enforce literally an engagement made between two very unequal parties, but the registration merely secures that the fact whether a document was executed or not should be attested. The effect of that document is another matter. So long as we allow such engagements and hold them binding, it can hardly be desirable to leave their genuineness in doubt.

9. Vaccination is a question of great importance in Chota Nagpore, as the practice of inoculation has been entirely disallowed. It is satisfactory to note that, as a rule, the old inoculators take readily to vaccination if the means are placed at their disposal, and they are allowed to carry it on in their own fashion with mystery and ceremony.

10. Although the country members of the different Committees are said to be indifferent to the proceedings, the Town Committees are active and intelligent, and take great interest in their duties; and, as has been observed elsewhere, this is especially the case when the supervision of the different divisions of the union is allotted to individual members.

11. The Lieutenant-Governor highly approves of the system which the Commissioner has adopted with so much success in settling with villages. The objectionable practice of calling for offers when leases fall in is abolished; the Court of Wards or Manager holds them direct till the assets are ascertained, and then they are usually leased to headmen representing the villagers; where an old village system is found existing, it is upheld; where vestiges of such an institution are discernable, it is restored. A fair rent for the land is taken, and irregular cesses are abandoned as new settlements are made. It has been found in practice that this system is highly appreciated by the people; and, as the income of the estates annually increases, it cannot be said that any action has been taken detrimental to the interests of the revenue receiver.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor notices with much pleasure the success of Mr. Forbes's administration of Palamow. It is entirely owing, writes the Deputy Commissioner, to Mr. Forbes's personal attention and untiring energy that Daltongunge has been transferred from a jungly waste into a really neat little town.

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REGISTRATION OF MAHOMEDAN MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES.

Cicular No. 137, dated Calcutta, the 10th November 1873.

From—A. MACKENZIE, Esq., Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

To—All Commissioners.

THE Lieutenant-Governor has had under consideration the subject of the registration of Mahomedan marriages and the difficulties which are found to arise (especially in the eastern districts) from the want of any functionary recognized by the State to take the place of the old Kazees in connection with the attestation of marriage and divorce. The Mahomedan law seems to require or expect that such things should be attested by an officer appointed by the ruling power; and His Honor has thought that a system of voluntary registration of marriages and divorces among Mahomedans might be set on foot, which should remove much of the present ground for complaint.

2. I am to forward a copy of a draft Bill framed with this object, and to request that you will report upon it after consulting those official and non-official gentlemen of your division who may be best able to advise upon such a subject. The Lieutenant-Governor's idea is to enable those who wish to make their domestic arrangements certain to do so, without interfering with those who prefer a looser practice. The arrangements between the registrar and his clients are also to be left entirely to private settlement.

Draft Bill.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the voluntary registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces within the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, and whereas it is expedient that Registrars of such marriages and divorces should be recognised and licensed by the local Government, it is enacted as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to issue a license to any person being a Mahomedan, either by name or as holding any office for the time being, authorising him to act as Registrar of Mahomedan marriages and divorces.

2. Such licenses may be given on the recommendation of the Magistrate of the district, or in Calcutta of the Commissioner of Police, to any member of any Mahomedan sect who can show that he is usually resorted to as a professional witness in such cases by his co-religionists, or that he has practised the duties of Kazi, and that he is well versed in Mahomedan law, provided always that satisfactory evidence is produced of his being a person of good moral character.

3. No Mahomedan marriage or divorce which would otherwise be valid shall be held to be invalid merely by reason of its not having been registered before a Registrar licensed under this Act.

4. Each licensed Registrar under this Act shall keep a Register Book in a form to be laid down by the local Government in which he shall enter all marriages and divorces,—the parties to which shall desire to have them so registered. He shall also, if requested at the time, give an extract of any entry affecting them to either of the parties to such entry.

5. The entry of any marriage or divorce in the Register Book shall be signed by the Registrar, and signed, sealed, or marked by the persons married or divorced, and shall be attested by at least two credible witnesses who were present at the ceremony, and every such entry shall be made in order from the beginning to the end of the book, and any extract of any entry given to the parties shall be numbered to correspond with the number of the entry in the Register Book, and shall be authenticated by signature of the Registrar.

6. The Registrar shall keep safely the said Register Book until the same shall be filled, and shall then, or if he shall leave the district, make over the same to the District Registrar of Assurances for safe custody.

7. Any Registrar who shall discover any error to have been committed in the form or substance of any such entry may, within one month next after the discovery of such error in the presence of the parties married or divorced, or in case of their death or absence in the presence of two other credible witnesses who shall respectively attest the same, correct the erroneous entry according to the truth of the case by entry in the margin without any alteration of the original entry and sha llsign the marginal entry, and add thereunto the day of the month and year when such correction shall be made, and shall if possible give or cause to be delivered a corrected copy of the extract to the parties to the original entry.

8. Every Registrar shall at all reasonable times, and on the payment of such fees as may be agreed upon, search or permit search to be made in any such Register Books and shall give a copy under his hand of any entry or entries in the same.

9. Every certified extract of any entry in any Register Book purporting to be signed by the licensed Registrar, shall be received as evidence of the marriage or divorce purporting to be so entered or of the facts purporting to be so certified therein, without further proof of such Register Book or extract, unless and until the genuineness of such entry or extract or the truth of the facts set out in it be disproved.

10. Whoever shall wilfully destroy or injure or cause to be destroyed or injured any such Register Book or any part thereof, or any such authenticated extract as aforesaid, or shall wilfully insert or cause to be inserted any false entry in any such Register Book or authenticated extract, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to seven years, and shall also be liable to fine.

11. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to draw up rules and prescribe forms for giving effect to the provisions of this Act, and to charge a fee not exceeding Rs. 2 for each license granted under the Act, provided always that no rule shall be laid down to interfere with the taking by any licensed Registrar from the parties to any marriage or divorce of any fee, which custom or his position may entitle him to demand.

PROPOSED WORKS AT GOALUNDO, THE TERMINUS OF THE EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Nos. 1831-37 G.—R.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.

SIMLA, OCTOBER 28, 1873.

Proposed works at Goalundo, the Terminus of the Eastern Bengal Railway.

Read again—

Public Works Department Proceedings $\left(\frac{\text{G. R.}}{\text{E. I. \& E. B.}}\right)$, June 1872, B. No. 28.
" " " October 1872, A. Nos. 47 and 48.
" " " January 1873, A. Nos. 1 to 29, and Nos. 29 to 45, and B. No. 45.
" " " February 1873, A. Nos. 35 to 37.
" " " June 1873, A. Nos. 10 to 19, and Nos. 33 to 37, and B. Nos. 15 and 16.
" " " July 1873, A. Nos. 140 to 144.
" " " (Guaranteed Railway), August 1873, B. No. 206.
" " " Telegram from Consulting Engineer for the Guaranteed Railways at Calcutta, dated 19th August 1873.
Public Works Department Proceedings (Guaranteed Railway), September 1873, B. Nos. 153 to 156, and A. Nos. 169 to 174.
Nos. 2402, dated 22nd September 1873, and No. 2406, dated 23rd September 1873, from the Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways at Calcutta.
Extract para. 5 of No. 3303, dated 12th September 1873, from the Government of Bengal.

OBSERVATION.—The promontory of Goalundo was selected as the terminus of the Eastern Bengal Railway Extension from Kooshtea, because it possessed a deep-water frontage, and was near to the junction of the River Ganges and Brahmaputra, but soon after the Railway was open, doubts arose as to the permanence of this valuable property. During the flood season of 1871 the encroachments of the River Ganges at, and above Goalundo, caused much anxiety to the Engineers, and after a consultation on the spot between the Agent of the Railway and the Consulting Engineer for Guaranteed Railways, Calcutta, the Government of India were in May 1872, requested to sanction the expenditure of Rs. 7,500 from the capital funds of the Railway in the construction of a loose stone groin extending from the margin into the river. The main line of railway was to be prolonged into deep water, and the bank itself was to be formed of puddled clay, while its extremity and slopes were to be protected by loose stone pitching. It was hoped that the encroachments of the river would be effectually stopped if this groin could be permanently maintained in the position assigned to it, that the main stream of the Ganges would be diverted by means of this groin, and that the rest of the promontory on the down-stream side, on which it was intended to build a railway town, would be rendered secure. In acording, sanction to this small outlay, the Government of India, expressed their opinion that the maintenance of the proposed groin would be difficult, and doubted that the money could be advantageously spent in contending against the forces of such large rivers as the Ganges and Brahmaputra at their confluence in alluvial soil.

2. A larger sum than was anticipated was expended on these works, which, however, failed during the floods of 1872. In the following December the Agent asked for permission to expend Rs. 1,71,405, on further protective works, and proposed to obtain the advice of Mr. Bradford Leslie, formerly Chief Engineer of the Eastern Bengal Railway. On this application the Governor General in Council expressed continued doubts as to the successful result of the proposed works, but considering the importance of the Goalundo trade, and the advantages attending the possession of a sheltered deep-water frontage, His Excellency in Council agreed that another effort might be made to secure the site of the terminus on which buildings worth £50,000 had been erected.

3. The Agent in India consulted Mr. Leslie, and after the Board of Directors had obtained the opinion of their Consulting Engineer in England, further operations were put in hand, which, with those already executed, were estimated to cost up to 30th September 1873, £52,791, including some unexpended material which was valued at £5,300. The state of the work in a report by the Consulting Engineer, dated 16th September 1873, is described as "causing great anxiety," although "the efforts of the Company's officers had not been thrown away, for the spur has so far withstood the floods and the main stream of the Ganges is effectually deflected to the north as desired." The spur had by means of this large expenditure been maintained, but the erosion above the spur had not been checked, and the embankment was reported as presenting twice as much surface to the current as it did at the commencement of the season, and as being in consiquence proportionally weaker.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has watched with interest the efforts which have been made by the Engineers of the Eastern Bengal Railway, because His Honor hopes

that, in the not distant future, a railway may be constructed through the country east of the Brahmaputra joining Assam to the Eastern Bengal Railway at Goalundo. Sir George Campbell believes that to the stem the rivers where the two great streams meet is an imperial work, and considers that Goalundo is the only place where, if art be superadded to a natural foundation, a fixed point may be obtained. His Honor wishes to have a wharf or pier on the Goalundo clay as a fixed and permanent point of departure for all the Eastern districts and countries, and suggests that the Government of India should help the Eastern Bengal Railway Company in completing a work, which he fears may be beyond the means of a comparatively small Company.

5. The Governor General in Council is thus urged on the one hand to sanction the expenditure of guranteed capital by the Railway Company, and on the other to permit the outlay of unknown, but large amount from the imperial treasury, and before proceeding further, His Excellency in Council desires to review the position, and the endeavour to determine what is the right course for the Government of India to pursue. The Railway Company have already spent £50,000 in trying the protect the site of their partially formed terminus at Goalundo, of their efforts to arrest the erosion, if effectual, would encourage the process of silting. The Lieutenant-Governor desires to maintain a fairly rapid current in front of the proposed jetties, in order to keep the channel clear for the approach of steamers, at all seasons, without endangering the stability of the artificial works, or of the natural bank behind them. In either case the work is one of great difficulty in a net-work of large rivers, such as those which meet at Goalundo, and are, in addition, affected by the tides of the sea; and considering also what large advances the rivers have made in past times in the same direction as the present erosion.

6. Before deciding whether new works of any kind shall be undertaken at Goalundo, His Excellency in Council desires that the subject shall be thoroughly investigated by a Committee of experienced Engineers unconnected with the Eastern Bengal Railway works, whose opinions will, in any case, be valuable to the Railway Company and to the Government of Bengal, in showing what measures are desirable to meet the acknowledged difficulties. The following remarks will direct the general scope of the deliberations of this committee:—

1st.—The opinion of the Committee is desired as to the possibility, at reasonable expense, of preserving the existing Railway terminus at Goalundo.

2nd.—If the Committee think that such preservation is possible, they should state whether the advantage to be gained by incurring the necessary expense is sufficient to justify that expense, and what measures they recommend for adoption.

3rd.—If the preservation is considered to be impossible, or if corresponding advantage is probably not to be gained, the Committee should say what, if any, action they recommended under all the circumstances of the case.

7. The Governor General in Council believes that the under-mentioned officers will form a Committee, whose opinions will be entitled to full respect:—

COLONEL F. H. RUNDALL, R.E, *President*.
MR. GEORGE SIBLEY, M.I.C.E.
,, G. L. MOLESWORTH, M.I.C.E.
,, H. LEONARD, M.I.C.E.
LIEUTENANT-COLONEL H. W. GULLIVER, R.E.

His Excellency in Council trusts that Mr. Sibley will be willing to serve on the Committee, and that the Agency of the East Indian Railway will consent to his doing so. The Committee should meet at an early date, and should take and record the evidence of the local Engineers, whether in the employment of the Guaranteed Company, or of the Government, and also of such officers as the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal may depute. The report by the Committee should be in every way full and complete for the information of the Government of India.

ORDER.—Ordered, that copy of this Resolution, with copies of the papers read, be forwarded to the Government of Bengal, in reply to the concluding paragraph of Mr. Cotton's letter No. 3303, dated 12th September 1873, and with the request that the services of Colonel Gulliver may be made available to serve on the Committee, and that all officers required by the Committee, and able to give valuable information, may be directed to attend.

That copy be forwarded to the Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways at Calcutta for information, and communication to the Agent of the Eastern Bengal Railway, with the request that the officers of that Railway may be desired to afford all facilities and information required by the Committee; also to the President and to the three official Members of the proposed Committee for information and guidance; also to the Agent of the East Indian Railway, with the request that the Government of India may be favoured with the assistance of Mr. G Sibley, the Chief Engineer, with whom the President of the Committee will communicate.

Ordered also, that the proceedings be reported to the Secretary of State.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.*,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT.—No. 387.—*The 10th November* 1873.

Statement showing heights over mean sea level and low water on Rivers Ganges, Bhagirutty, and Brahmaputra during the month of October 1873.

Date.	River Ganges.														River Bhagirutty.				Brahmapootra.	
	Benares.		Buxar.		Dinapore.		Monghyr.		Sahibgunge.		Rampore Beauleah.		Goalundo.		Berhampore.		Kishnaghur.		Gowhatty.	
Miles.			90.		177.	87.	287.	110.	381.	94.	471.	90.	591.	120.			70.			
Distance.			From Benares.		From Benares.	From Buxar.	From Benares.	From Dinapore.	From Benares.	From Monghyr.	From Benares.	From Sahibgunge.	From Benares.	From Rampore Beauleah.			From Berhampore.			
	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.	Height over low water.	Height over mean sea level.
1st	19'6"	216'00	20'10"	183'82	14'4"	154'34	15'0"	116'85	19'1"	87'08	19'1"	61'68	17'8"	26'60	20'9½"	58'19	20'3½"	29'49	19'5"	162'16
2nd	19'0"	215'50	20'7"	185'57	13'8"	153'66	14'3"	116'35	18'3"	86'25	17'10"	59'33	17'4"	26'27	19'10"	52'23	19'11"	28'70	19'0"	167'73
3rd	18'0"	214'50	19'2"	185'14	12'11½"	152'95	13'10"	115'68	17'5"	85'41	17'2"	59'16	17'0"	25'94	13'8"	50'90	19'2"	27'95	18'7½"	167'33
4th	17'6"	214'00	18'4"	184'32	12'7½"	152'60	13'4"	115'18	16'7"	84'58	16'6"	58'50	16'9"	25'69	13'6"	49'90	18'4"	27'12	18'1½"	166'86
5th	O	.....	17'10"	183'82	12'1"	152'06	13'0"	114'85	15'10"	83'83	15'11"	57'91	16'5"	25'35	13'4½"	49'00	17'4"	26'12	17'11"	165'86
6th	16'8"	213'00	17'2"	183'15	11'9"	151'76	12'5"	114'26	15'1"	83'08	15'6"	57'50	16'0"	24'94	13'10"	48'23	16'3"	25'94	16'2½	164'96
6th	16'2"	212'66	16'11"	183'23	11'6½"	151'33	12'0"	113'95	14'3"	82'41	14'8½"	56'70	15'10"	24'77	13'9"	47'56	15'8"	24'04	13'5"	164'16
7th	16'0"	212'50	16'9"	182'73	11'9"	150'74	11'8"	113'51	13'9"	81'75	14'2"	56'16	15'7"	24'52	13'6"	46'90	14'3"	23'04	14'7½"	163'86
8th	15'6"	212'00	16'7"	182'57	10'7½"	150'60	11'3"	113'10	13'2"	81'16	14'2"	55'16	15'3"	24'19	13'11"	46'31	13'3"	22'04	13'11"	162'86
9th	15'2"	211'66	16'4"	182'32	10'4½"	150'46	10'10"	112'68	12'7"	80'58	13'10"	55'83	15'0"	23'94	13'4"	45'75	12'3"	21'04	12'9½"	161'56
10th	14'10"	211'33	16'2"	182'15	10'0½"	150'04	10'6"	112'35	12'1"	80'08	13'5"	55'41	14'8"	23'60	12'10"	45'23	11'5½"	20'24	12'1"	160'86
11th	O	.....	15'10"	181'82	9'10½"	149'86	10'2"	112'01	11'7"	79'58	13'1"	55'08	14'3"	23'19	12'4"	44'75	10'8"	19'45	11'3½"	160'03
12th	14'0"	210'50	15'5"	181'40	9'8"	149'65	9'11"	111'76	11'2"	79'19	12'10"	54'83	13'9"	22'69	11'11"	44'31	9'10"	18'62	10'11"	159'66
13th	13'6"	210'00	15'1"	181'07	9'2½"	149'20	9'6"	111'35	10'10"	78'83	12'6"	54'50	13'6"	22'44	11'5"	43'85	9'2"	17'95	10'1½	158'86
14th	13'1"	209'58	14'10"	180'82	9'0"	149'00	9'3"	111'10	10'6"	78'50	12'2"	54'16	13'0"	21'94	10'4½"	43'40	8'7"	17'37	9'11"	158'66
15th	12'9"	209'25	14'8"	180'65	8'9"	148'75	9'0"	110'85	10'1"	78'08	11'11"	53'91	12'6"	21'44	10'1½"	42'96	7'11"	16'70	9'1½"	157'86
16th	12'6"	208'90	14'4"	180'32	8'4"	148'33	8'8"	110'51	9'9"	77'75	11'8"	53'66	12'0"	20'94	9'8"	42'52	7'7"	16'37	8'11"	157'36
17th	12'3"	208'75	14'1"	180'07	8'1½"	148'10	8'5"	110'26	9'5"	77'41	11'4"	53'33	11'9"	20'69	9'3"	42'06	7'0"	15'87	8'3½"	157'06
18th	.....	.....	13'10"	179'82	7'10"	147'85	8'2"	110'01	9'2"	77'16	11'2"	53'16	11'6"	20'44	8'10"	41'65	6'10½"	15'66	8'0"	156'76
19th	.....	.....	13'8"	179'65	7'8"	147'66	7'11"	109'76	8'10"	76'83	10'10"	52'83	11'3"	20'19	8'6"	41'23	6'6"	15'29	7'9½"	156'66
20th	.....	.....	13'6"	179'48	7'5½"	147'48	7'8"	109'51	8'7"	76'58	10'8"	52'66	11'0"	19'94	8'3"	40'90	6'2"	14'95	7'1½"	155'86
21st	.....	.....	13'4"	179'32	7'0½"	147'04	7'5"	109'26	8'4"	76'33	10'5"	52'50	10'8"	19'60	7'11½"	40'65	5'10½"	14'66	7'0"	155'76
22nd	.....	.....	13'1"	179'07	6'10½"	146'86	7'3"	109'10	8'0"	76'00	10'5"	52'41	10'5"	19'35	7'7½"	40'35	5'6½"	14'33	6'11"	155'66
23rd	.....	.....	12'11"	178'90	6'7½"	146'64	7'1"	108'93	7'10"	75'83	10'0"	52'0	10'3"	19'19	7'3½"	40'02	5'3½"	14'16	6'9½"	155'66
24th	.....	.....	12'8"	178'65	6'7½"	146'60	6'11"	108'76	7'8"	75'66	9'10"	51'83	10'0"	18'94	7'1½"	39'69	4'11½"	13'73	6'8½"	155'46
25th	.....	.....	12'5"	178'48	6'6½"	146'55	6'8"	108'51	7'5"	75'41	9'8"	51'66	9'9"	18'69	6'11½"	39'37	4'8"	13'45	.....	.....
26th	.....	.....	12'3"	178'23	6'2½"	146'20	6'6"	108'35	7'3"	75'25	9'7"	51'58	9'7"	18'52	6'9"	39'15	4'7"	13'37	6'2½"	154'96
27th	.....	.....	12'0"	177'98	5'9½"	146'18	6'3"	108'18	7'2"	75'16	9'5"	51'41	9'5"	18'35	6'6"	38'90	4'2"	13'12	5'11"	154'66
28th	.....	.....	11'10"	177'82	5'2"	146'15	6'1"	107'95	7'0"	75'00	9'3"	51'25	9'3"	18'19	6'3"	38'65	4'2"	12'95	5'8½"	154'46
29th	.....	.....	11'9"	177'73	6'0½"	146'2	6'0"	107'85	6'10"	74'83	9'1"	51'08	9'0"	17'94	6'0½"	38'42	3'11½"	12'73	5'3½"	154'06
30th	.....	.....	11'7"	177'57	5'10½"	145'85	5'9"	107'50	6'7"	74'58	9'0"	51'00	8'9"	17'69	5'10"	37'23	3'10"	12'62	5'0"	153'76
31st ...	.....	.....																		

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Colonel*, R.E.,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Department.

PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS AND SALT IN THE UNDER

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, best sort. Present return.	Rice, best sort. Next preceding return.	Rice, best sort. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Bulgush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Present return.	Bulgush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Next preceding return.	Bulgush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Corresponding return of last year.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	BENGAL.															
	Western Districts.															
1	Burdwan	11 0	12 0	12 4	...	24 0	21 0	14 4	16 0	19 0	15 0	17 8	22 8	...	...	...
2	Bancoorah	11 14	12 4	14 8	22 0	22 0	20 0	12 8	13 4	15 0	15 0	16 0	16 4	25 0	25 0	24 0
3	Beerbhoom	12 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 8	15 0	16 8	15 0	16 8	19 8	...	...	...
4	Midnapore	10 4	11 0	10 8	...	...	...	15 8	18 0	16 8	20 0	24 0	22 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly	12 0	12 0	12 8	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	13 0	13 8	18 0	18 0	...	...	...
	Howrah	12 0	12 0	13 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	12 8	15 8	16 0	18 0	19 0	18 0	...	...	...
	Central Districts.															
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	11 8	12 8	14 8	23 12	23 12	24 8	8 4	8 0	8 0	17 12	20 0	16 12	...	...	...
7	Nuddea	11 14	12 12½	14 8	...	26 10½	32 0	10 10½	14 8½	16 0	12 5	16 7	17 12	...	...	...
8	Jessore	13 0	13 0	13 5	...	...	...	13 5	17 8	18 0	16 0	26 8	26 10	...	...	...
9	Moorshedabad ...	12 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	11 0	13 0	15 0	13 8	15 0	19 0	...	...	...
10	Dinagepore	12 0	13 0	13 8	17 0	18 0	21 0	11 0	13 0	20 0	14 0	19 0	28 0	...	...	...
11	Maldah	12 0	14 0	15 0	20 0	32 0	35 0	8 8	15 0	21 0	11 0	16 0	22 0	20 0	30 0	28 0
12	Rajshahye	10 8	12 0	15 0	30 0	30 0	33 12	12 0	13 8	15 0	16 0	15 0	21 9	...	...	...
13	Rungpore	11 4	14 0	14 1	...	...	...	10 2	11 13	15 10	11 4	15 10	25 14	...	...	...
14	Bograh	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 8	13 0	16 0	12 12	18 0	30 0	...	...	...
15	Pubna	15 8	15 0	18 12	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	14 8	18 12	27 8	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling	6 0	6 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	10 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree	9 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...
	Cooch Behar.*															
	Eastern Districts.															
18	Dacca	10 8	12 8	15 0	20 0	32 0	28 8	15 0	21 0	21 0	22 0	25 0	32 0	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	16 0	24 0	25 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	13 0	19 0	20 0	25 0	27 0	...	...	...
21	Mymensing ...	11 4	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	27 0	...	...	...
22	Sylhet	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 8	11 8	...	18 4	19 0	23 0	27 0	32 0	38 8	...	...	...
23	Cachar	9 2	9 6	9 2	...	...	...	26 10	24 10	26 10	29 1	29 1	32 0	...	...	...
24	Chittagong ...	8 0	10 0	15 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	24 0	21 0	...	...	...
25	Noakhally	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	...	...	...
26	Tipperah	9 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	16 0	19 0	20 0	17 0	25 0	32 8	...	...	...
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 13	13 13	13 13	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah ...	8 8	9 9	10 6	...	...	...	16 0	17 7	26 6	20 0	24 6	40 0	...	...	...
	BEHAR.															
28	Patna	11 0	12 0	24 0	18 0	18 8	31 4	11 0	13 8	...	12 0	14 8	21 0	...	...	...
29	Gya	9 8	10 0	15 0	14 0	15 0	30 0	[illegible] 8	9 0	12 0	10 0	11 0	18 0	...	...	...
30	Shahabad ...	11 8	13 0	15 0	17 8	19 0	25 0	13 0	13 8	11 0	14 8	14 8	15 0	...	...	...
31	Tirhoot	11 0	10 0	14 0	19 0	20 0	20 0	10 0	13 8	14 0	15 8	15 8	15 0	...	...	...
32	Sarun	11 8	12 0	14 0	19 0	18 0	28 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	13 0	14 8	18 0	...	...	...
33	Chumparun ...	12 0	13 0	18 0	21 0	24 0	27 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	15 10†	20 0	19 0	...	...	...
34	Monghyr	13 6	13 6	13 2	23 1	28 3	32 5	9 4	11 5	13 6	11 5	13 6	16 8	...	...	...
35	Bhaugulpore ...	12 10	12 10	15 7	20 3	22 7	24 0	10 11	12 10	15 12	13 14	17 0	17 11	...	...	...
36	Purneah	10 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	30 0	11 0	13 0	18 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	8 0	8 0	...
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs	10 0	10 0	15 0	...	...	...	10 0	16 0	16 0	12 0	18 0	19 0	24 0	30 0	30 0
	ORISSA.															
38	Cuttack	14 7	15 12	18 6	...	...	...	23 10	22 5	21 0	31 8	31 8	33 1	...	...	...
39	Pooree	14 7	14 7	14 7	...	...	...	23 10	24 14	26 4	32 13	34 6	34 2	...	...	...
40	Balasore	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	32 0	32 0	30 0	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.															
	South-West Frontier Agency.															
41	Hazareebaugh ...	9 8	11 12	14 8	...	16 0	19 8	9 0	10 0	12 8	11 0	13 4	18 0	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	11 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	19 0	10 0	12 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...
43	Singhbhoom	16 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	22 0	12 0	15 0	24 0	16 0	20 0	30 0	...	...	...
44	Maunbhoom ...	12 8	13 0	15 0	...	...	24 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...
	ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.															
45	Goalpara	10 0	20 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	15 0	11 0	16 0	27 0	13 0	...	...	...
46	Kamroop	13 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	12 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	...	...	...
47	Durrung*															
48	Nowgong ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...
49	Seebsaugor ...	...	13 0	13 0	...	...	16 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	...
50	Lukhimpore ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...
51	Naga Hills.*															
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...
53	Garo Hills.*															

* Return not received. † Sathe rice.

CALCUTTA,

The 11th November 1873.

MENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL ON THE 31st OCTOBER 1873.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa, and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Fire-wood.			Salt.			Remarks.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
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20 0	32 8	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	18 0	22 8	200 0	200 0	...	8 12	8 12	8 8	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	15 0	17 12	180 0	320 0	200 0	8 4	8 0	8 8	
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Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 8th November 1873.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
BENGAL.		1873.				
	Western Districts.					
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan ...	Nov. 11th*	0·9	Weather in the district very hot for the time of the year. Slight showers at Raneegunge and Boodbood on the 3rd instant; slighter still at Cutwa.	Prospects of crops same as before, *e.g.*, bad, except in the low lands; irrigation is being carried on wherever possible. Prospects of sugarcane, cotton, and teel—oil-seed—in Raneegunge pretty good. Prices rather higher.	Fever same as before.
2	Bancoorah ...	„ 8th	0·44	Nearly half an inch of rain fell. Mid-day unseasonably hot.	The slight rain that fell was too late to do good, except in the way of aiding the sowing of the cold weather crops. The rice on the low lands is fair, and perhaps may give a 6 or even 8-anna crop.	
3	Beerbhoom ...	„ 8th	0·08	Hot and sultry. Slight rain on the 3rd instant.	The harvest of the early rice crop is progressing; putting in of cold weather crops on patches on the banks of tanks commenced; position otherwise unchanged. The rain of the 3rd instant too light to do any appreciable good to the crops. A brisk exportation going on, chiefly to the Bhauguipore and Patna Divisions. Prices stationary.	
4	Midnapore ...	„ 8th	0·03	Light showers in many parts of the district during the week, but only in a few places and very partially sufficiently heavy to do any tangible good.	A little rain having fallen the prospects of the crops cannot be said to have deteriorated, but they have improved but slightly. Leasing for irrigation has quite ceased, partly because it is too late to irrigate any longer, partly because about ¼th of the area lately leased still remains to be irrigated, and the water is very low. Prices are rising steadily, rice being exported largely to Bancoorah and Calcutta.	
5	Hooghly ...	„ 8th	0·22	Clear, at times cloudy; wind from north-east. Slight rain on the 4th instant.	The slight rain of the 4th instant was of no use to the rice, but will assist the sowing of the cold weather crops. About three-fourths of the crop on highlands and half on lowlands are already destroyed, but more will be destroyed if no rain falls. Water for irrigation is failing in many places.	
	Howrah ...	„ 8th	Nil	Heavy clouds at the beginning of the week, and the wind shifted to the south. There was much appearance of rain coming, but never came, and all sights of it have gone.	The crops have had another dry week. The rice on the highlands is gone beyond hope. The rice on all lands not open to artificial irrigation is in imminent danger, and can only be saved by rain. The rice within reach of irrigation is safe, and none else; fortunately much land is capable of being irrigated. Taken all round, an outturn of one-third of an average crop may be counted on.	

* Telegram of the 11th November received on the same day. Shows the rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

	No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	Remarks.
		ENGAL.—(*Contd.*)					
		Central Districts.	1873.				
Presidency Division.	6	24-Pergunnahs ...	Nov. 11th*	Nil.	Still warm during the days, but cool at nights; the first three or four days of the week were cloudy. There was rather a heavy fall of rain in parts of Barripore and some rain in parts of Diamond Harbour sub-division. There were also light drizzling showers in parts of Satkhira, Basirhat, Baraset, and Dum-Dum sub-divisions.	It is feared, however, that the crops have not materially improved by the rains; those on the high lands are for the most part injured beyond redemption, while on the low lying lands there is still some water. The rain which has fallen will so far do good that it will enable the people to sow their cold weather crops within the area over which it fell.	Fever continues in Barripore, Basirhat, and Satkhira.
	7	Nuddea ...	„ 8th	0·03	Dry and hot; there was rain all over the district on the 3rd instant; it was very slight in most places, but in portions of Meherpore one and a half inches fell, and the shower is reported to have done some good in parts of the Koosteah sub-division.	The prospects of the crops have not materially altered since last report; the rain which fell on the 3rd instant was too partial to influence general prospects. The cold weather crops have been sown in some parts of the district, (viz. portions of the Koosteah and Chooadangah sub-divisions), but elsewhere sowing is still deferred owing to want of rain. Prices have risen considerably in the sudder sub-division; the highest quotation is Rs. 3 a maund at Nakassiparah; but it is reported that the mahajuns of the place have large stores in hand, but refuse to sell in hopes of a further rise. The lowest quotation is Rs. 1-12 on portions of the Meherpore and Chooadangah sub-divisions.	
	8	Jessore ...	„ 8th	0·04	Clear and warm. On the 3rd and 4th instant thunder showers fell at a few places, but they were of very limited extent and short duration.	The condition and prospects are not materially altered since last week. Thunder showers fell at Jessore and Gudkhally in the sudder; Narrial and Koomarpore in Narrial; and in some parts of the Magoorah sub-divisions, and the hundredth part of an inch fell at Khoolnah. None fell at Jenidah sub-division, where it is most wanted, nor in Bagirhant. The showers have been very local, and their aggregate effect is not such as to produce any material change in the out-look. Prices throughout the district continue to rise. At head-quarters the large rise of last week has been followed by a fall this week. Rice, which was sold at 13 and 16 seers to the rupee, being now procurable at 16 and 21 seers.	
Rajshahye Division.	9	Moorshedabad ...	„ 8th	0·05	Some rain fell on the 3rd instant in various parts of the district. Bhadrihat, Bharutpore, and Rughoonathgunge have benefited most. The fall in other thannahs was scarcely more than a drizzling. Sky cloudy on the 8th instant.	The rain is reported to have done some good to the late rice crop in the low lands of Bhadrihat, Bharutpore, and Rughoonathgunge, and to have been everywhere of some benefit to the cold weather crops. There was not, however, sufficient to be of any advantage to the rice already withering. The cultivators are irrigating extensively wherever water is procurable, and thus preserved the crops in several places. No general improvement is, however, observed. Price of rice still rising.	

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No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)						
	Central Districts.—(Contd.)	1873.				
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)						
10	Dinagepore ...	Nov. 8th	Nil	No appearance of rain; strong, dry west winds blowing daily, and no sign of a change.	Very bad. The hot west winds never known here before at this time of year will spoil the little rice there is alive, while the want of rain will make the cold weather crops a failure also. Price of rice 11 to 12 seers of 96 tollahs weight per rupee	
11	Maldah ...	„ 8th	Nil	Weather dry, nights cold, wind north-easterly, clouds collected, and a few drops of rain fell in several parts of the district on the night of the 3rd instant.	There is no improvement in the state of the crops this week. No rain has fallen, and the winter rice crop will be almost an entire failure, that is to say, one anna or at most a two-anna crop is all that can be now hoped for. The prospect of the cold weather crops also continues bad; there is no moisture in the soil, and what cold weather crop has been sown has been much damaged by insects, which are doubtless the result of the unseasonable weather. Prices of rice and paddy have somewhat improved in the last few days as compared with last week, owing to imports from the eastern districts *viâ* the Mohanuddee. There is no sign of actual distress at present, and if the imports continue steady, these, with the store of rice in the district, ought to meet the demand for the present at any rate.	
12	Rajshahye ...	„ 8th	0·27	There was a slight fall of rain in some parts of the district in the beginning of the week. Weather has been warm, and the dew which is generally heavy at this season, has been unusually light.	The prospects of the late rice crop have not improved since last week. The cold weather crops are being sown, but unless it rains soon they will suffer considerably and sowings will be suspended. The prices of rice are in most places much the same as they were last week. In Nattore, Charghat, and Bandaikhara there has been a a rise in prices of some importance, due probably to increase of exportation.	A few cases of cholera have been reported from Nattore and Charghat stations.
13	Rungpore ...	„ 8th	Nil	Fine and cool; no prospect of rain at present.	The prospects of the rice crop worse than ever; a 4-anna crop is the most that can be expected. Mustard is being sown extensively and tobacco is being planted out, but rain is needed. Prices seem to be rising all over the district.	
14	Bograh ...	„ 8th	Nil	Dry, and unusually hot for the time of the year.	The greater part of the late rice crop is quite hopeless. Sugarcane in some parts is flourishing; several cold weather crops have been sown. The people are endeavouring to help themselves by irrigation from tanks, &c., which has done some good.	
15	Pubna ...	„ 8th	Nil	Clouds kept coming up at the beginning of the week, and slight showers of rain fell during the afternoon of the 4th instant; since then it has become clear, and increased heat has set in again.	The crops are suffering as before from drought. On the Mothoora police station side the mashkalie pulse is being damaged by insects. A heavy shower of rain would still do much for the late rice now standing. It is being gradually reaped.	

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ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
46	Kamroop ..	„ 10th*	Nil	Days clear, nights cold with heavy dews.	Late rice and tea crops yet backward; cotton, sugar-ca[illegible] [illegible]ust rd, [illegible]d pulse thriving.	Public health good.
47	Durrung ...	„ 1st	Nil	Bright days and cool nights. Easterly wind prevailing.	No improvement [illegible] of the paddy crop [illegible] much wanted for all [illegible]	
48	Nowgong ..	„ 1st	Nil	Heavy rain on Tuesday for a couple of hours in the centre, south, and west of the district, but none in the sudder or to the north of the Kollungs.	The rice crop is n[illegible] so bad or backward as mig[illegible] be expected in consequence of the late drought. The recent heavy rain will have done much good. The *Bhao* paddy crop is doing very well. Sugarcane good. Weather favorable for tea operations.	[illegible]t.
49	Seebsaugor ..	„ 1st	Nil	Weather cool, mornings foggy and cold. No indication of rain.	In Golaghat the state of the rice crop is satisfactory on the whole. In Jorehaut no change has taken place since last week. In the sudder sub-division the crop looks fair, but owing to want of rain it must be below the average.	
50	Luckimpore ...	„ 1st	Nil	The whole week was remarkably fine; on two evenings it looked very little approaching rain, but the heavy clouds passed away. There were heavy fogs at night.	The state of the crops is not very satisfactory; probably from all accounts there will not be to the south of the Berhampooter more than a half crop: still there is apparently no anxiety; and the reports from North Luckimpore sub-division are that the crops ars doing well. The cold weather crops promise well to the present time.	Public health has improved. Fever disappearing.
51	Naga Hills ...	Oct. 25th	0·71	There has been a change in the weather in this week. Mornings foggy and days cool and cloudy, indication of approaching winter.	The gathering of the joom paddy crop is coming to a close, and the outturn is larger than last year. Terai paddy looking well and the gram promises to be superior in quality. The growth of cotton has been somewhat retarded on account of the late showers of rain.	
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills	Nov. 1st	Nil	The weather has been clear and dry.	The bali, or present crop of rice has nearly all been harvested and the outturn is more plentiful than last year. All other cereals as well as potatoes and cotton are doing well.	
53	Garo Hills ..	„ 1st	Nil	There has been no appearance of rain; the weather has been very hot during the daytime; nights cool.	There is nothing much to remark about the crops of the Garo Hills. The cotton looks well in most places, and is being gathered. Some rain would do good. The late rice crops at the foot of the hills near Mankar Chur are suffering much from the long drought; and rain, if it come down now would not benefit mucl those on the higher lands Prices of rice are rising, and the accounts of the adjacent districts of Mymensing and Rungpore are bad.	Fever is prevalent at the station. The health of the people generally throughout the district is good, so far as is known.

* Telegram of the 10th November received on the 11th. Shows rainfall during the seven days including the 10th instant.

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The 11th November 1873.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Division	District.	Station.	Rain from 19th to 25th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 26th Oct. to 1st Nov. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL.							
	WESTERN		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
BURDWAN.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	Nil	Nil	57·44	1st Nov.	
		Cutwa ...	0·26	Nil	39·30	ditto.	
		Calna ...	Nil	Nil	46·18	ditto.	
		Bood-Bood ...	0·10	Nil	48·13	ditto.	
		Raneegunge ...	Nil	Nil	44·53	ditto.	
		Jehanabad ...	0·05	Nil	43·72	ditto.	
	Bancoorah ...	Bancoorah ...	Nil	Nil	46·83	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom ...	Sooree ...	Nil	Nil	53·37	ditto.	
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore ...	Nil	Nil	44·77	ditto.	
		Tumlook ...	Nil	Nil	47·49	ditto.	
		Gurbetta ...	Nil	Nil	46·28	ditto.	
		Contai ... Dy. Collr.'s Office ...	1·03	Nil	45·87	ditto.	
		Contai ... Exe. Engr.'s Office ...	1·22	Nil	51·02	ditto.	
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly ...	Nil	Nil	38·79	ditto.	
		Serampore ...	Nil	Nil	43·13	ditto.	
	Howrah ...	Howrah ...	Nil	Nil	46·56	ditto.	
	CENTRAL DISTRICTS.						
PRESIDENCY.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island ...	1·80	Nil	47·73	ditto.	
		Calcutta ...	Nil	Nil	44·31	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	Nil	Nil	45·36	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	Nil	Nil	44·31	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut ...	Nil	Nil	43·39	ditto.	
		Baraset ...	Nil	Nil	40·28	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour ...	Nil	Nil	50·84	ditto.	
		Barripore ...	Nil	Nil	50·08	ditto.	
		Satkherah ...	Nil	Nil	47·63	ditto.	
		Barrackpore ...	Nil	Nil	45·97	ditto.	
		Dum-Dum ...	Nil	Nil	48·74	ditto.	
	Nuddea ...	Kishnaghur ...	0·06	Nil	46·77	ditto.	
		Bongong ...	Nil	Nil	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore ...	0·15	Not rec.	52·21	25th Oct.	
		Chooadangah ...	0·10	Nil	45·92	1st Nov.	
		Kooshteah ...	0·03	Nil	38·66	ditto.	
		Ranaghat ...	Nil	Nil	34·51	ditto.	
	Jessore ...	Jessore ...	Nil	Nil	44·45	ditto.	
		Nurrail ...	Nil	Nil	66·71	ditto.	
		Khoolnea ...	Nil	Nil	59·25	ditto.	
		Jenadah ...	Nil	Nil	43·15	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut ...	Nil	Nil	55·19	ditto.	
		Magoorah ...	Nil	Nil	47·25	ditto.	
RAJSHAHYE.	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore ...	0·12	Nil	31·59	ditto.	
		Ramporehaut ...	Nil	Nil	28·71	ditto.	
		City Moorshedabad ...	0·24	Nil	27·04	ditto.	
		Jungipore ...	Nil	Nil	36·14	ditto.	
		Azimgunge ...	Nil	Nil	34·78	ditto.	
		Lalgolla ...	Nil	Nil	40·41	ditto ...	From 1st Feb.
	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore ...	Nil	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah ...	Maldah ...	Nil	Nil	27·02	ditto.	
	Rajshahye ...	Beauleah ...	Nil	Nil	31·86	ditto.	
		Nattore ...	Nil	Nil	43·63	ditto.	
	Rungpore ...	Rungpore ...	Nil	Nil	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowniguunge ...	0·16	Nil	47·28	ditto.	
		Titalya ...	Nil	Nil	82·72	ditto.	
	Bograh ...	Bograh ...	Nil	Nil	36·74	ditto.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna ...	0·05	Nil	43·18	ditto.	
		Serajgunge ...	Nil	Not rec.	35·26	25th Oct. ...	Not. rec. 12th to 18th Oct.
COOCH BEHAR.	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling ... Telegraph Office ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	93·66	30th Sept.	
		Darjeeling ... Hospital ...	Nil	Nil	77·74	1st Nov.	
	Julpigoree ...	Julpigoree ...	Nil	Nil	88·20	ditto.	
		Fallacotta ...	Nil	Nil	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah ...	Nil	Nil	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar ...	Nil	Nil	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars ...	Buxa ...	Nil	Nil	175·64	ditto.	

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 19th to 25th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 26th Oct. to 1st Nov. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL—(Continued.)			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
	Eastern Districts.						
Dacca	Dacca	Dacca — Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	60·64	1st Nov.	
		Dacca — Hospital	Nil	Nil	58·38	ditto.	
		Moonshegunge	Nil	Nil	63·47	ditto.	
		Manickgunge	Nil	Nil	48·86	ditto.	
	Furreedpore	Furreedpore	Nil	Nil	50·55	ditto.	
		Goalundo	Nil	Nil	42·03	ditto.	
	Backergunge	Burrisaul	Nil	Nil	60·61	ditto.	
		Perozepore	Nil	Nil	55·99	ditto.	
		Madaripore	Nil	Nil	60·33	ditto.	
		Patcoakhally	Nil	Nil	89·84	ditto.	
		Dowlat Khan	0·05	Nil	99·66	ditto.	
	Mymensing	Mymensing	Nil	Nil	61·39	ditto.	
		Jamalpore	Nil	Nil	48·56	ditto.	
		Atteah	Nil	Nil	44·06	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge	Nil	Nil	67·43	ditto.	
	Sylhet	Sylhet	0·16	Nil	126·34	ditto.	
	Cachar	Cachar	1·15	Nil	102·10	ditto.	
		Hylakandy	2·88	Not rec.	88·25	25th Oct.	
		Koyah	2·61	Nil	83·65	1st Nov.	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
Chittagong	Chittagong	Chittagong — Telegraph Office	0·30	Nil	84·60	ditto.	
		Chittagong — Jail	0·16	Nil	85·44	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar	0·31	0·15	152·13	ditto.	
	Noakhally	Noakhally	0·36	Nil	115·81	ditto.	
	Tipperah	Comillah	Nil	Nil	72·20	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah	Nil	Nil	58·32	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill	1·42	Nil	72·95	ditto.	
	Hill Tipperah	Hill Tipperah	Nil	Nil	57·47	ditto.	
BEHAR.							
Patna	Patna	Patna	Nil	Nil	30·43	ditto.	
		Behar	Nil	Nil	38·09	ditto.	
		Barh	Nil	Nil	33·18	ditto.	
		Dinapore — Jail	Nil	Nil	34·16	ditto.	
		Dinapore — Cantonment	Nil	Nil	34·75	ditto.	
	Gya	Gya	Nil	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah	Nil	Nil	40·90	ditto.	
		Arungabad	Nil	Nil	33·04	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Nil	Nil	38·73	ditto.	
	Shahabad	Arrah	Nil	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhubooah	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozufferpore	Nil	Not rec.	29·03	25th Oct.	
		Durbhangah	Nil	Not rec.	31·46	ditto.	
		Hajeepore	Nil	Not rec.	35·36	ditto.	
		Mudhubani	Nil	Not rec.	27·61	ditto.	
		Seetamaree	Nil	Not rec.	37·10	ditto.	
		Tajpore	Nil	Nil	31·11	1st Nov.	
	Sarun	Chuprah	Nil	Nil	33·88	ditto.	
		Sewan	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Chumparun	Motechari	Nil	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
Bhagulpore	Monghyr	Monghyr	Nil	Nil	38·20	ditto.	
		Begoosorai	Nil	Nil	35·85	ditto.	
		Jamooie	Not rec.	Nil	43·09	ditto.	Not rec. 12th to 25th Oct.
	Bhaugulpore	Bhaugulpore	Nil	Nil	28·32	ditto.	
		Soopool	Nil	Nil	26·73	ditto.	Not rec. 5th to 11th Oct.
		Mudheypoorah	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka	Nil	Nil	38·12	ditto.	
		Sanborsa	Nil	Nil	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah	Nil	Nil	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge	Nil	Nil	37·69	ditto.	
		Arrareah	Nil	Nil	35·00	ditto.	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Deoghur	Nil	Nil	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto.	Not recorded 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal	Nil	Nil	23·00	ditto.	
		Moheshpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	25·24	20th Sept.	From 15th June.
		Nya-Doomka	Nil	Nil	52·94	1st Nov.	
		Godda	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto.	

Division	District.	Station.	Rain from 12th to 25th Oct. 1873.	Rain from 26th Oct. to 1st Nov. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
Orissa	Cuttack ...	Cuttack { Telegraph Office ...	Nil	Nil	33·50	1st Nov.	
		Cuttack { Hospital ...	0·07	0·01	37·90	ditto.	
		Jajipore	1·70	Nil	35·31	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	Nil	0·30	57·50	ditto.	
		Jugntsingpore	1·19	0·57	41·38	ditto.	
		False Point	1·45	0·35	56·85	ditto.	
	Pooree	Pooree	1·19	0·52	54·79	ditto.	
		Khurdah	0·69	0·06	48·92	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	Nil	Nil	47·17	ditto.	
		Bhuddruck	0·14	Nil	34·84	ditto ...	Not received 21st to 27th September.
		Jellasore	Nil	Nil	48·05	ditto ...	From 1st April.
		Sorah	0·36	Nil	36·55	ditto ...	Ditto.
		Chandbally	Nil	Nil	35·25	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sambalpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	51·25	18th Oct.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY						
	Hazareebaugh ...	Hazareebaugh ... { Jail ...	Nil	Nil	59·04	1st Nov.	
		Hazareebaugh ... { Dispensary ...	Nil	Nil	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba	Nil	Nil	51·55	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah ...	Ranchee	Nil	Nil	49·95	ditto.	
		Palamow	Nil	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	Nil	Nil	38·54	ditto.	
	Maunbhoom ...	Purulia	Nil	Nil	40·70	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Goalparah ...	Goalparah	Nil	Nil	68·21	1st Nov.	
		Dhoobree	Nil	Nil	91·42	ditto.	
	Kamroop ...	Gowhatty	0·32	Nil	49·11	ditto.	
		Burpettah	Nil	Nil	70·78	ditto.	
	Durrung ...	Tezpore	Nil	Not rec.	65·89	25th Oct.	
		Mungledye	Nil	Not rec.	53·90	ditto.	
	Nowgong ...	Nowgong	0·03	Nil	70·61	1st Nov.	
	Seebsaugor ...	Seebsaugor	0·65	Not rec.	72·71	25th Oct.	
		Golaghat	1·13	Not rec.	66·75	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	0·11	Not rec.	59·52	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	0·38	Not rec.	75·12	ditto.	
	Luckimpore ...	Debrooghur	0·81	Not rec.	90·87	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	0·94	Not rec.	101·51	ditto.	
		Suddya	0·16	Not rec.	82·54	ditto.	
	Naga Hills ...	Samoogoodting	Not rec.	Not rec.	43·34	18th Oct.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills ...	Shillong	Nil	Not rec.	53·37	25th Oct.	
		Jaowai	Nil	Not rec	73·40	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	0·04	Not rec	293·57	ditto.	
	Garo Hills ...	Tura	Nil	Nil	85·22	1st Nov.	
		Benares	Nil	Not rec.	35·83	25th Oct.	
		Akyab	Nil	0·30	202·69	1st Nov.	

CALCUTTA,
The 8th November 1873.

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Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 2nd to 8th Nov. 1873.

Station.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather remarks.
Calcutta.	Nov. 2nd	10	29·948	29·966	79·5	70·0	60	N N E	...	...	C, CS	
		16	29·828	29·846	86·2	75·2	57	N E	...	...	C	
	3rd	10	29·982	30·000	78·3	72·6	74	N E	...	...	.....	c
		16	29·897	29·915	82·0	77·7	81	E by S	...	0·01	.....	c
	4th	10	30·077	30·095	84·8	77·8	71	E by S	...		CK	
		16	29·945	29·963	84·2	79·2	79	S S W	...	...	S, K	
	5th	10	30·088	30·106	84·5	78·0	73	S S W	...	...	CS	
		16	29·948	29·966	88·7	79·5	65	N N W	...	...	K	
	6th	10	30·086	30·104	85·5	76·0	62	E N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·956	29·973	89·0	78·4	60	N	...	...	.....	b
	7th	10	30·069	30·087	86·0	77·0	61	E N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·957	29·975	88·6	76·5	55	S S E	...	...	CS	
	8th	10	30·056	30·074	83·0	76·1	71	S W	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·928	29·946	87·0	77·6	63	W by S	...	...	K	b
Saugor Island.	Nov. 2nd	10	30·019	30·025	79	69	58	N	12·5	...	CS	b, m
		16	29·918	29·924	83	74	63	N N W	11·8	...	N	b, m
	3rd	10	30·058	30·064	75	74	95	N E	7·2	0·10	N	o, r
		16	30·011	30·017	74	74	100	S S W	5·2	0·30	N	o, r
	4th	10	30·144	30·150	84	79	79	E	2·5	0·46	N	b, v
		16	30·044	30·050	81	79	79	S W	6·0	...	N	b, v
	5th	10	30·179	30·185	82	78	82	N W	2·9	...	K	b, v
		16	30·050	30·056	87	80	72	S W	4·8	...	K	b, v
	6th	10	30·170	30·176	83	78	68	E	4·2	...	C	b
		16	30·050	30·056	86	76	61	N N E	7·8	...	CS	b
	7th	10	30·164	30·170	84	77	71	E N E	4·7	...	.....	b, m
		16	30·047	30·053	87	80	72	S W	5·9	...	K	b, v
	8th	10	30·156	30·162	83	79	83	N N W	2·6	...	K	b, m
		16	30·039	30·045	84	79	79	S W	5·7	...	CK	b, v
Chittagong.	Nov. 2nd	10	29·874	29·966	84	77	71	N N W	8·9	...	C	b, v
		16	29·782	29·874	85	79	75	N	3·5	...	C, KS	v
	3rd	10	29·929	30·021	86	80	75	N	2·1	...	C	b, v
		16	29·824	29·926	86	80	75	W N W	3·9	...	CK, C, KS	v
	4th	10	30·004	30·096	83	79	83	S W	1·9	...	CK, K, KS	v
		16	29·876	29·968	86	78	68	N W	5·4	...	.....	b, v
	5th	10	30·007	30·100	82	75	70	N N W	3·0	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·881	29·973	86	79	72	W	6·1	...	.....	b, v
	6th	10	30·012	30·104	83	79	83	N W	2·4	...	K	b, v
		16	29·904	29·996	85	78	71	W S W	5·6	...	.....	b, v
	7th	10	29·994	30·087	80	73	70	N W	5·5	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·899	29·991	84	73	56	N	7·2	...	.....	b, v
	8th	10	30·002	30·095	81	71	59	N	6·1	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·902	29·994	84	72	53	N N W	4·8	...	.....	b, v
Madras.	Nov. 1st	10	29·977	30·007	85	71	47	N W by W	6	...	.....	c
		16	29·858	29·888	86	65	27	N	13	...	.....	b
	2nd	10	29·959	29·989	83	70	42	W	6	...	.....	c
		16	29·848	29·878	84	63	25	N by W	11	...	.....	c
	3rd	10	29·953	29·983	83	69	46	W N W	8	...	.....	c
		16	29·845	29·875	85	65	29	N N W	6	...	.....	cloudy.
	4th	10	29·971	30·001	84	72	53	S W by W	5	0·05	.....	c
		16	29·875	29·905	84	71	50	W S W	2	...	.....	cloudy.
	5th	10	30·035	30·065	81	73	66	S by E	6	...	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·943	29·973	81	75	74	E	6	...	.....	cloudy.
	6th	10	30·052	30·082	85	75	60	N E by E	8	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·939	29·969	82	73	63	N N E	11	...	.....	c
	7th	10	30·045	30·075	81	76	78	N W by N	7	0·12	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·927	29·957	84	76	67	N E	19	...	.....	c
Cuttack.	Nov. 2nd	10	29·869	29·952	77	63	41	N	0·8	...	C, CK	b
		16	29·768	29·851	82	66	38	N	5·3	...	CK, N, C	
	3rd	10	29·891	29·975	75	67	63	N N E	0·6	...	N, C	
		16	29·816	29·899	77	71	73	N N E	7·6	...	N, C	
	4th	10	29·993	30·075	83	76	71	N N E	3·0	...	CK	b
		16	29·875	29·957	85	76	64	E N E	3·5	...	K	b
	5th	10	30·018	30·101	82	76	74	W N W	0·3	...	CK, C	
		16	29·890	29·972	88	75	52	E N E	1·2	...	.....	b
	6th	10	30·005	30·087	85	77	68	N W	0·5	...	C	b
		16	29·870	29·952	86	77	64	E	3·8	...	K	b
	7th	10	29·993	30·075	86	77	64	N N E	0·2	...	C	b
		16	29·875	29·957	89	75	49	E S E	3·6	...	K	b
	8th	10	29·985	30·067	83	76	71	N N E	0·4	...	K	b
		16	29·865	29·947	86	76	61	S	1·5	...	S, K	b
Akyab.	Nov. 2nd	10	29·924	29·945	85	79	75	E	2·7	...	.....	b
		16	29·806	29·827	86	79	72	S S W	3·1	...	.....	b
	3rd	10	29·964	29·985	85	80	79	E	1·1	...	.....	b
		16	29·888	29·909	85	79	75	S W	3·5	...	.....	b
	4th	10	30·044	30·065	84	80	83	E	1·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·908	29·929	85	80	79	N W	5·6	...	.....	b
	5th	10	30·069	30·091	81	79	91	S E	2·3	...	.....	b, g
		16	29·964	29·985	84	79	79	S S W	2·6	...	.....	b
	6th	10	30·066	30·087	85	80	79	E	1·6	...	.....	b
		16	29·946	29·967	86	79	72	W	3·5	...	.....	b
	7th	10	30·044	30·065	85	79	75	E	1·2	...	.....	b
		16	29·932	29·954	80	76	82	S S W	3·8	...	.....	g r b
	8th	10	30·034	30·056	81	76	78	N E	1·6	...	.....	b
		16	29·921	29·942	85	77	68	N N E	4·5	...	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 8th November 1873.

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Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 1st to 7th November 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer. Highest reading.	Thermometer. Lowest reading.	Thermometer. Mid-action.	Mean dry bulb.	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew-point.	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Max. pressure.	Wind. Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Remarks.
		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	°			Lb.	Miles	In.		
Nov. ...	1st	29·870	86·2	68·5	135·0	76·2	64·1	55·6	0·51	N by W & N N E	0·5	232·3	...	...	Cirri.
	2nd	·885	88·2	70·0	139·5	78·2	69·4	63·2	·62	N & N E	...	132·9	...	...	Chiefly Cirri.
	3rd	·931	82·0	74·0	103·0	78·1	73·6	70·4	·78	N E & E by S	...	139·8	0·01	...	Cirrostrati, Overcast and Cirrocumuli. Drizzled at 8½, 10½, 12 A.M. 1 P.M., and 8 P.M.
	4th	·998	87·5	76·5	141·0	80·8	76·5	73·5	·79	E by S & S S W	...	61·8	...	☽	Cirrocumuli, cumuli and clear. Thunder at 3½ P.M.
	5th	·013	89·5	76·0	185·0	82·0	77·2	73·8	·77	S S W & N by W.	...	54·8	...	...	Clear and cumuli.
	6th	·012	99·7	75·0	140·0	82·5	76·0	71·4	·70	N by W & N E	1·2	95·2	...	...	Clear.
	7th	·011	90·5	73·4	136·5	82·6	76·1	71·5	·70	N E & S	...	77·2	...	...	Clear and cirri. Slightly foggy at 4 & 5 A.M.

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means, are derived from the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represent the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of the lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of the ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noon.

The extreme variation of temperature during the past seven days	...	° 22·2
The maximum temperature during the past seven days	...	90·7
The maximum temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	...	88·0
The mean humidity during the past ten days	...	0·70
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·75
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 1st to 7th ... by lower rain gauge	...	0·01
The total fall of rain from 1st to 7th ... by anemometer gauge	...	Nil
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	0·34
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 7th November	...	44·32
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	68·72

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
In charge of the Observatory.

The 10th November 1873.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th October 1873, on 158½ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	29,117	19,757 14 6	1,811 2 10	134,123 4	48,893 0 9	4,482 6 5	6,293 8 3
Or per mile of railway	184	124 12 8	11 8 10	829 0	308 15 11	28 8 6	39 15 4
For previous 16 weeks of half-year...	471,001½	2,95,582 12 0	27,095 9 2	2,040,094 21	6,92,999 0 3	63,525 0 0	90,620 9 2
Total for 17 weeks	500,118½	3,15,340 10 6	28,906 12 9	2,174,821 25	7,41,897 1 0	68,007 6 5	96,913 12 5
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	25,886½	17,717 5 3	1,624 2 1	149,292 4	49,090 5 0	4,499 18 11	6,124 1 0
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	165	113 3 4	10 7 7	954 0	313 10 10	28 15 1	39 2 8
Total to corresponding date of previous year	950,821	2,73,824 8 8	25,100 11 7	2,612,831 10	6,05,057 11 1	63,713 12 5	88,814 4 0

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st November 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	7,252	1,930 0 0	193 0 0	25,943 0	818 0 0	81 16 0	184 16 0
Or per mile of railway	259	37 0 0	3 14 0	855 0	29 0 0	2 18 0	5 12 0
For previous 17 weeks of half-year	74,824	12,698 0 0	1,269 16 0	293,261 0	9,695 0 0	969 10 0	2,830 6 0
Total for 18 weeks	82,076	13,728 0 0	1,372 0 0	317,206 0	10,513 0 0	1,051 6 0	2,624 2 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,096	1,053 10 10	193 7 4	10,653 25	341 0 9	34 2 0	137 0 2
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	275	36 14 8	3 13 10	380 10	12 2 10	1 4 4	4 18 2
Total to corresponding date of previous year	84,080	13,769 13 10	1,376 15 9	215,650 6	6,605 2 3	660 10 4	2,037 10 1

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st November 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	1,486	1083 0 0	108 6 0	6,822 0	401 0 0	40 2 0	154 8 0
Or per mile of railway	55	40 0 0	4 0 0	250 0	17 0 0	1 14 0	5 14 0
For previous 17 weeks of half-year...	21,381	16,759 0 0	1,675 18 0	56,789 0	5,599 0 0	552 18 0	2,228 10 0
Total for 18 weeks ...	22,867	17,842 0 0	1,784 4 0	63,611 0	5,999 0 0	599 0 0	2,383 4 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,239	916 14 8	91 13 10	1,862 10	244 2 9	24 8 4	116 1 14
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	45	33 10 4	3 7 4	68 14	8 15 4	0 17 11	4 5 8
Total to corresponding date of previous year	22,324	16,587 5 9	1,658 14 9	73,717 21	6,634 14 3	663 9 10	2,392 4 7

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st November 1873, on 223½ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	4,412	13,267 6 9	1,316 8 7	59,693 0	18,460 1 0	1,696 18 6	3,007 12 1
Or per mile of railway	.....	59 5 6	5 8 10	.....	82 5 3	7 10 11	13 10 9
For previous 17 weeks of half-year...	62,491	1,51,935 2 0	14,202 7 9	674,801 10	2,09,193 10 6	19,176 1 8	33,378 9 6
Total for 18 weeks... ...	66,903	1,68,202 8 9	15,518 11 4	734,494 10	2,27,653 11 6	20,872 15 2	36,381 6 6
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,165	17,495 11 0	1,603 15 5	43,272 30	14,833 4 0	1,350 14 4	2,237 9 2
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	79 4 6	7 3 6	.....	66 5 11	6 1 8	13 5 3
Total to corresponding date of previous year	75,853	1,89,788 8 8	16,572 4 7	688,590 20	1,78,451 5 5	16,3[illegible] 10	32,090 6 6

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st November 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	127,244	1,93,176 13 3	17,797 17 6	778,508 30	3,49,418 11 0	32,030 0 11	49,737 18 0
On branch lines of railway	.....	150 14 8	13 16 8	.....	272 15 0	25 0 6	38 17 2
For previous 17 weeks of half-year	1,746,197	22,17,273 7 3	203,259 4 8	10,180,346 0	44,82,481 10 0	410,894 3 0	614,153 7 8
Total for 18 weeks	1,873,441	24,10,559 4 6	220,967 2 2	10,952,854 30	48,51,906 5 0	442,924 3 11	663,891 6 1
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	888,27	1,57,331 14 3	14,422 1 9	513,101 30	2,81,974 0 7	25,847 7 11	40,269 9 8
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	122 14 8	11 5 4	.....	220 4 8	20 3 11	31 9 8
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,723,024	22,13,770 8 10	202,928 19 4	8,077,015 10	42,49,469 10 11	389,534 14 5	592,463 18 6

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

No. 285.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 17th November 1873.

THE Lieutenant-Governor appoints Saturday, the 29th November 1873, at 11 A.M., as the time, and the Bengal Council Chamber at Calcutta as the place, for a Meeting of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations, and hereby summons the several Members of the said Council to attend the said Meeting at the time and place appointed.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Judicial and Legislative Departments.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1806.

GENERAL.—*The 12th November* 1873.—Mr. Alfred Wallis Paul, Assistant Commissioner, is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge, and with those of a Small Cause Court Judge, in Darjeeling.

Mr. James Duff Ward is re-appointed to officiate as District and Sessions Judge of Purneah with effect from the 5th November 1873.

The 13th November 1873.—Moulvi Abdul Lutcef, Khan Bahadoor, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code, from the date on which he may take it.

Moulvi Fida Ali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sarun, is allowed six months' leave of absence without pay, in extension of the leave granted to him under orders of the 14th April last.

Mr. Charles Archibald Samuells, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Second Grade, in charge of Bettiah, is vested with powers under Section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Mr. Charles Fortescue Worsley is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade, *vice* Mr. J. S. Carstairs, deceased.

Mr. Alfred Wallis Paul, Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Deputy Commissioner's Office, Darjeeling, is vested with powers, under Section 266 of the Criminal Procedure Code, to hear appeals from Third or Second Class Magistrates.

Mr. H. L. Dampier resumed charge of the office of Secretary to the Government of Bengal from Mr. A. Mackenzie on the forenoon of this date.

Mr. A. Mackenzie resumed charge of the office of Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal from Mr. H. J. S. Cotton on the forenoon of this date.

Mr. Thomas Alfred Donough, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Jamalpore, in Mymensing, is vested with powers under Section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

The following persons are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the districts and places specified, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

IN THE DISTRICT OF MYMENSING.

In the Atteah Sub-Division.

Baboo Debidass Neogee	.. Zemindar.
,, Anundo Mohun Ghose	.. Ditto.
Moulvi Abdool Jubber Chowdry	.. Ditto.
Baboo Mohesh Chunder Bhuttacharjee	.. Talookdar.
,, Jodoonath Chowdry	.. Zemindar and Trader.
,, Sharbdagobind Mozoomdar	.. Talookdar.

IN THE DISTRICT OF FURREEDPORE.

For the Furreedpore Bench.

Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Bhomic	.. Landholder.
,, Bamondas Mozoomdar	.. Ditto.
,, Mothooranath Shaha	.. Ditto.
Tomeez Bhooia	.. Ryot.
Samoo Mundle	.. Ditto.

For the Goalundo Bench.

Surgeon F. C. Nicholson	.. Civil Surgeon.
Mr. J. P. Motley	.. Landing and Shipping Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway.
,, H. F. Stevens	.. Assistant Telegraph Superintendent.
Baboo Gyan Chunder Roy	.. Head Clerk, Small Cause Court.
,, Mohim Chunder Ghose	.. Talookdar.
,, Taruck Chunder Patuck	.. Agent of Bird & Co., Cooly Contractors.
,, Hura Nundo Dutt	.. Talookdar.

The 14th November 1873.—Captain William Hopkinson is re-appointed to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate of Dum-Dum and Judge of the Small Cause Court of that Cantonment from the date on which he may be relieved of the charge of the Cantonment Magistracy of Barrackpore by Captain W. L. Samuells.

The 15th November 1873.—Mr. Joseph Posford, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Second Grade, Sylhet, is vested with the powers under Sections 142, 157, 222, 417, and 521 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Mr. Roger Henry Pawsey is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, with effect from the 16th October last, the date on which Mr. J. O'Kinealy was promoted to the First Grade. Mr. Pawsey will continue to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Mymensing.

Mr. Frederick William Joseph Rees, B.A., is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, with effect from the date on which Mr. D. R. Lyall was promoted to the First Grade. Mr. Rees will continue to officiate as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade.

Mr. Ebenezer Johnstone Barton, M.A., is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, with effect from the 13th November, the date on which Mr. C. F. Worsley was promoted to the First Grade.

Mr. Charles Dickenson Field, M.A., LL.D., having returned from leave on the afternoon of the 25th October, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 8th July last is cancelled.

The 17th November 1873.—Mr. Frank Robert Stanley Collier is appointed to be an Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs.

The 18th November 1873.—Moulvi Syed Hossain Ali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Shahabad, on leave, is allowed three months' leave of absence without pay under Section 9, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him in orders of the 31st December 1872.

Mr. Ebenezer Johnstone Barton, M.A., is appointed on special duty to assist the Commissioner of the Rajshahye Division, with effect from the 14th November, the date on which he took charge of his duties. This cancels the orders of the 21st October, appointing Mr. Barton to officiate temporarily as Magistrate and Collector of Rungpore. Mr. Barton having arrived at Calcutta on the 4th November on his return from furlough, the unexpired portion of his furlough is cancelled, and he is allowed the usual subsidiary leave to join his appointment.

Mr. John Henry Ravenshaw, Judge of Dinagepore, is allowed furlough for five months and one day on medical certificate, under Section 7 (*a*), Clause 1 of the Civil Leave Code, and also for six months and twenty-nine days without pay, in extension. The privilege leave which was granted to Mr. Ravenshaw under orders of the 27th October is commuted to subsidiary leave.

Mr. Henry Howe Metcalfe, Extra Assistant Commissioner, in charge of Hylakandy Division, is transferred to the Sudder Station of Cachar.

Mr. W. Charles Loraine, Extra Assistant Commissioner, is appointed to have charge of the Hylakandy division, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class.

Mr. John George Charles, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, is transferred to Patna.

Mr. Frank Hunter Barrow, Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred to Bhaugulpore.

POLICE.—*The 12th November* 1873.—The services of Mr. Frederic Angelo Dawson, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on special duty at Kooshtea, are placed at the disposal of the Commissioner of Rajshahye for relief work.

The 17th November 1873.—Mr. Arthur Hutton James, District Superintendent of Police and Assistant Political Agent, Naga Hills, is allowed two years' leave of absence on medical certificate, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, together with the usual subsidiary leave, from the afternoon of the 20th October 1873, the date on which he made over charge of the current duties of the district to Captain Butler.

The 18th November 1873.—Captain William Leycester Nathornal Knyvett, returned from furlough, is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Purneah.

The services of the following Police Officers are placed at the disposal of the Commissioner of Patna for relief work, viz.—

Mr. Sandford James Kilby, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Hazareebaugh.
" Charles Emile Fabre-Tonnerre, Assistant Superintendent of Police, 24-Pergunnahs.

The services of the following Police Officers are placed at the disposal of the Commissioner of Rajshahye for relief work, viz.—

Mr. Alexander Douglas Larymore, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling.
" Arthur Bedford, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Dacca.

EDUCATION.—*The 12th November* 1873.—Baboo Boikant Nath Sen is appointed to be a Member of the District School Committee of Moorshedabad.

The 13th November 1873.—Dr. George Watt, lately arrived from England, is appointed to the Third Class of the Bengal Educational Service, and is posted to the Presidency College until further orders.

Baboo Nilmoni Mookerjee, M.A., Assistant Professor of Sanscrit, Presidency College, is allowed one month's leave on medical certificate from the 1st September 1873, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Umes Chundra Batabyal, B.A., officiated as Assistant Professor of Sanscrit in the Presidency College during Baboo Nilmoni Mookerjee's absence on leave.

The 15th November 1873.—Mr. W. McLaren Smith, M.A., of the Bengal Educational Service, reported his departure from India on furlough on the 23rd October 1873.

Mr. James Sutcliffe, M.A., Principal of the Presidency College, having returned to duty on the morning of the 20th October, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 4th April last is cancelled.

Mr. M. H. L. Beehee, Professor, Presidency College, having returned to duty on the morning of the 20th October last, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 20th December 1872 is cancelled.

MEDICAL.—*The 15th November* 1873.—The following Surgeons, who have recently arrived from England, are posted temporarily to the Presidency General Hospital:—

Surgeon F. W. Wright, M.B. Surgeon Henry Malins, M.B.

Surgeon Fakeer Chunder Ghose, Officiating Civil Surgeon of Dinagepore, is allowed subsidiary leave for a period not exceeding thirty days, to enable him to appear before the Standing Medical Committee at the Presidency.

The services of Surgeon T. Robinson, late an Inspecting Medical Officer in the Burdwan district, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department with effect from the 31st January last, the date on which he returned to Military duty.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Behar:—

Moulvie Abdul Aziz	..	Zemindar.
Baboo Sheodyal Singh	..	Ditto.
,, Baej Nath Sing	..	Ditto.
Shah Nurul Hossein	..	Ditto.
Shah Fazl Saj-jad	..	Ditto.
Soban Singh.		
Baboo Lal Gopal Sen	..	Head Master, Behar School.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Barh:—

Moonshee Ameer Ali Khan Bahadoor	..	Zemindar.
Qazi Mahomed Ajmal	..	Ditto.
Sheikh Bahadoor Ali Khan	..	Ditto.
Moulvi Abdullah	..	Ditto.
Baboo Ghascram	..	Mohajun.
,, Sant Das	..	Ditto.
Shah Mehdi Hossein	..	Zemindar.
Baboo Subram Chand	..	Mohajun.

LOCAL FUNDS.—*The 12th November* 1873.—Baboo Dwarkanath Chatterjee, Civil Medical Officer, is appointed to be a Member of the District Road Committee in the Maldah district.

The 17th November 1873.—Mr. R. J. Boyle is appointed to be a Member of the Branch Road Committee of Golaghat in the district of Seebsaugor.

ROAD CESS.—*The 17th November* 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following Members of the Branch Road Cess Committees at the divisions noted in the Nuddea district under Section 76, Act X (B.C.) of 1871:—

Kooshtea.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Mr. D. Macdonald, Planter and Zemindar, Doorgapore...	Vice-Chairman.
Baboo Obhoy Churn Chatterjee, Zemindar, ditto ...	Members.
,, Dinonath Misser, Pleader, Kooshtea ...	
Mr. Charles Meares, Planter and Zemindar ...	
Dadali Khan, Zemindar, Samgunge	
Baboo Nilkomul Chuckerbutty, Pleader, Kooshtea ...	
Mir Mahasan Ali, Jotedar	

Meherpore.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Mr. P. Smith, Planter and Zemindar, Katooly ...	Vice-Chairman.
,, A. Landale, ditto, Shikarpore ...	Members.
,, J. Jones, ditto, Ruttonpore ...	
Baboo Nufur Chunder Pal Chowdry, Zemindar, Natoodoho	
,, Dinonath Mookerjee, Zemindar, Meherpore ...	
,, Ram Lal Roy, Sonadoh ...	
,, Jodunath Mozumdar, Pleader, Meherpore ...	
,, Kala Chand Roy, Soulmary ...	
,, Sam Sunder Roy, Taerpore ...	
,, Chinibash Biswas, Jr., Ryot, Bhobanipore ...	
Moonshee Ziarutoollah, ditto, Karuigachy ...	

Chooadangah.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Mr. A. Hills, Planter and Zemindar, Nischindpore ...	Vice-Chairman.
,, J. O. B. Scales, ditto, Katchikatta ...	Members.
,, W. Sheriff, ditto, Sinduria ...	
Baboo Doorgadass Chuckerbutty, Zemindar, Sumirda ...	
,, Srikunto Bagchy, ditto, ditto ...	
,, Nilcunto Bagchy, ditto, ditto ...	
Purmeshur Sircar, Cultivator, Buzruk Guaguria ...	
Chand Biswas, ditto, ditto ...	
Aul Lushkur, ditto, ditto ...	
Nocorry Mundul, ditto, Belgachy ...	
Baboo Tacoordass Moulik, Zemindar, Joyrampore ...	
Rai Umes Chunder Sen, ditto, Doshumi ...	
Baboo Hurinath Mookerjee, ditto, Kasipore ...	
,, Prosonno Chunder Roy, ditto, Chundipore ...	

Ranaghat.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Prosonno Gopal Pal Chowdry, Zemindar, Ranaghat	Vice-Chairman.
,, Ram Gopal Goshamy, ditto, Santipore	Members.
,, Cally Prosonno Pal Chowdry, ditto, Boyrah...	
Sriram Indra, Cultivator, Sutragurh	
Madhub Chunder Mitter, Cultivator, Eruli	
Borodacant Mundul, ditto, Kamalpore ...	
Baboo Bani Madhub Mookerjee, Zemindar and Mooktear, Gangsara	
Judunath Gangooly, Cultivator, Narainpore ...	
Hakim Mundul, Cultivator and Trader, Ishuripore ...	
Baboo Sibkristo Roy, Zemindar, Futtehpore ...	
Jamiruddi Mundul, Mohajun, Katdanga	
Baboo Ramdass Banerjee, Mohajun and Cultivator, Sonakhally	

Bongong.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	Chairman.
Baboo Suranath Chowdhury, Echapore	Vice-Chairman.
,, Kanai Lall Mookerjee, Munsif of Bongong ...	Members.
,, Shibdass Mookerjee, ditto ...	
,, Hem Chunder Biswas, Supervisor, Public Works Department, Bongong	
Moonshee Ameer Biswas, Zemindar	
Baboo Rusick Lall Mitter, Zemindar, Suddolpore ..	
,, Poorno Chunder Roy Chowdry, Zemindar, Kotta	
,, Kasibur Mookerjee, Zemindar and Mooktear, Bongong	
Allum Khan, Ryot, Dehi	

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

THE following rules, which have been drawn up by the Port Commissioners in communication with the Officiating Commissioner of Police, and approved by Government, are published for general information :—

RULES FOR THE GUIDANCE OF THE PORT POLICE.

1. The force will form part of the regular police of the town of Calcutta enrolled under Act IV (B C.) of 1866, and will be employed under a special Superintendent, to be called Superintendent of Port Police.

2. The general administration of the force as regards appointment, discharge, promotion, transfer, discipline, and the like, over which matters the Port Commissioners shall have no control, shall be vested in the Commissioner of Police.

3. The Superintendent of Port Police will be responsible for the prevention of crime, the detection of criminals, and the general preservation of peace within his division. He is further bound to see that all Inspectors, native officers, and constables under his control, discharge their respective duties with zeal and efficiency.

4. On the commission of an offence punishable by the general laws of the country, the Port Police will act under their Commissioner without reference to the Port Commissioners, and will send the offender with the usual charge sheet before the Commissioner or Deputy

Commissioner of Police. The Superintendent will be responsible for the prosecut offenders arrested for such offences and for the conduct of such cases, and will see tha necessary witnesses are duly sent before the Magistrate.

5. The Port Police will clearly understand that though they form part of the Calcu Police force, they are also placed at the disposal of the Port Commissioners for the due pros ecution of offences against Act XXII of 1855 (the Conservators' Act) and Act V of 1870 (t Port Improvement Act), and all other Acts to be taken with and read as parts of these Acts

6. The Superintendent will, in addition to reports he may be directed to make to t Commissioner of Police, at once report to the Port Commissioners all offences (punishable un the Acts specified in rule 5 committed on the river or Strand Bank,) and the action taken the Police thereon, and will from time to time furnish the Commissioners with reports such offences in such form as may be directed.

7. In offences against the Conservators' or Port Improvement Acts, the Superintende of Port Police will proceed in accordance with such instructions as he may from time to tim receive from the Port Commissioners, who are responsible to Government for the due pros cution of their servants and others guilty of offences against the several Acts. In such cas the Police shall only prosecute when a charge is made and duly signed by the Vice-Chairma A charge once made, the case will be in the hands of the Police, but the Commissioner servants will afford every assistance in the shape of providing evidence, witnesses, &c., a required.

8. The Superintendent of Port Police shall, subject to the approval of the Commissione of Police, hold his office in such place as may be appointed by the Port Commissioners. H shall be in regular and frequent communication with the Commissioners, and shall satisf himself by personal inspection that the orders issued are duly carried out.

9. No change shall be made in the fixed allocation of the force, or any part thereof without the knowledge of the Port Commissioners.

10. Every policeman shall be furnished with a vernacular copy of the bye-laws of th Port Commissioners, and of the rules drawn up showing the duties of the Port Police.

The 13th November 1873.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th November 1873.—Under Section 85 of Act IV (B.C.) of 1864 the Lieutenant Governor is pleased to approve of, and confirm the following amended bye-law for th Santipore Municipality, submitted by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division :—

"No person shall, without previously obtaining the written permission of the Commis sioners, build or cause to be built, or keep any tattee, privy, or urinal within fifteen feet of any public road or street."

The rule will have prospective effect as far as existing buildings are concerned.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 11th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, for the site of the Post Office in the village of Pakoreah, Pergunnah Tarragooniah, Zillah Pubna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ten cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the jote of Ishwar Chunder Shah; on the south by the land of Brojo Lall Koondoo; on the east by the house of Jeebun Patnee; and on the west by the public road, is required within the aforesaid village of Pakoreah.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th November 1873.—A plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 51,098, inclusive of cost of land, for the construction of a wharf between Golabaree Ghât and Cossy Mitter's Ghât, and of a Boat Jetty at Golabaree Ghât abreast of the premises occupied by Messrs. Findlay, Muir & Co., for the accommodation of cargo and country boats, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta, with their Vice-Chairman's letter No. 4192, dated 29th October 1873, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the execution of the works under Section 35, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th November 1873.—Under the provisions of Clause 3, Rule XV, of the "Rules for the conduct of business at meetings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal," the following Bills, with Statements of Objects and Reasons, are published by order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

A Bill to amend Act XXI of 1856 *of the Council of the Governor-General, and Act II of* 1866 *of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.*

WHEREAS by Section 90 of Act XXI of 1856 of the Governor-General in Council (An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to the Abkari revenue in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal) the word "Magistrate" as used in that Act is defined to include a Joint-Magistrate or other person lawfully exercising the powers of a Magistrate, and any Assistant or Deputy Magistrate with special powers stationed at a place other than the sudder station of the Magistrate, and empowered to try cases without reference from the Magistrate; and whereas the cases mentioned in different sections of Act II of 1866 of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council can under, Section 49 of that Act, only be tried by a Magistrate of less than full powers, when they are referred to him by the District Magistrate; and whereas further by Act X of 1872 (the Code of Criminal Procedure) new rules have been enacted assigning and regulating the powers of Magistrates of the first, second, and third classes;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. Section 90 of Act XXI of 1856 of the Governor-General in Council so far as it defines the meaning of the word "Magistrate," and Section 49, Act II of 1866, of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, are hereby repealed.

2. In the said Act XXI of 1856, and in all Acts which are to be read as part of that Act, and also in the said Act II of 1866, the word "Magistrate" shall be deemed to include Magistrates of the first class and Magistrates of the second class, as defined in the Code of Criminal Procedure, and subject to the provisions of that Code in respect of powers and jurisdiction.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

As the law now stands, no Magistrate who does not exercise first-class powers can try even the pettiest cases of breach of the Abkari laws, such as smuggling, illicit sale of spirits, or infraction of conditions of license, unless he be stationed at a place other than the sudder station of the Magistrate, and empowered to try cases without reference from the Magistrate.

At the present time when officers exercising first-class powers are much occupied with more important district work, the restriction has been found particularly inconvenient; and the object of this Bill is to enable any Magistrate having first or second-class powers to dispose of such cases. Subordinate Magistrates will still only be able to take up cases of this description which are specially made over to them for trial, unless they are authorized to receive complaints generally, or complaints of this particular class, or when they are duly empowered to act without complaint.

The opportunity is taken for the same reasons to remove the restrictions which Section 49, Act II of 1866 (B.C.) imposes as to the classes of Magistrates who may try offences under that Act, and to assimilate the powers of each class in respect to such offences to those which they exercise, or with which they may be specially invested, with regard to offences in general under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

H. L. DAMPIER.

A Bill to provide for the Voluntary Registration of Mahomedan Marriages and Divorces.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the voluntary registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces within the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; and whereas it is expedient that Registrars of such marriages and divorces should be recognised and licensed by the Local Government, it is enacted as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to issue a license to any person being a Mahomedan, either by name or as holding any office for the time being, authorising him to act as Registrar of Mahomedan marriages and divorces.

2. Such licenses may be given on the recommendation of the Magistrate of the district, or in Calcutta, of the Commissioner of Police, to any member of any Mahomedan sect who can show that he is usually resorted to as a professional witness in such cases by his co-religionists, or that he has practised the duties of Kazi, and that he is well versed in Mahomedan law, provided always that satisfactory evidence is produced of his being a person of good moral character.

3. No Mahomedan marriage or divorce which would otherwise be valid shall be to be invalid merely by reason of its not having been registered before a Registrar licen under this Act.

4. Each licensed Registrar under this Act shall keep a Register Book in a form to be down by the Local Government in which he shall enter all marriages and divorces,—the par to which shall desire to have them so registered. He shall also, if requested at the ti give an extract of any entry affecting them to either of the parties to such entry.

5. The entry of any marriage or divorce in the Register Book shall be signed by Registrar, and signed, sealed, or marked by the persons married or divorced, and shall attested by at least two credible witnesses who were present at the ceremony, and such entry shall be made in order from the beginning to the end of the book, an extract of any entry given to the parties shall be numbered to correspond with the nun the entry in the Register Book, and shall be authenticated by signature of the Regist

6. The Registrar shall keep safely the said Register Book until the same sh filled, and shall then, or if he shall leave the district, make over the same to the Registrar of Assurances for safe custody.

7. Any Registrar who shall discover any error to have been committed in the or substance of any such entry may, within one month next after the discovery of such in the presence of the parties married or, divorced, or in case of their death or absence, presence of two other credible witnesses, who shall respectively attest the same, correc erroneous entry according to the truth of the case by entry in the margin wit any alteration of the original entry, and shall sign the marginal entry, and add thereunto the of the month and year when such correction shall be made, and shall if possible give or c to be delivered a corrected copy of the extract to the parties to the original entry.

8. Every Registrar shall at all reasonable times, and on the payment of such fees as be agreed upon, search or permit search to be made in any such Register Books, and give a copy under his hand of any entry or entries in the same.

9. Every certified extract of any entry in any Register Book purporting to be sig by the licensed Registrar, shall be received as evidence of the marriage or divorce purpor to be so entered or of the facts purporting to be so certified therein, without further proo such Register Book or extract, unless and until the genuineness of such entry or ext or the truth of the facts set out in it be disproved.

10. Whoever shall wilfully destroy or injure or cause to be destroyed or injured a such Register Book or any part thereof, or any such authenticated extract as aforesaid, shall wilfully insert or cause to be inserted any false entry in any such Register Book authenticated extract, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description, as defined i the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to seven years, and shall also be liable to fine.

11. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to draw up rules and prescribe forms for giving effect to the provisions of this Act, and to charge a fee not exceeding Rs. 2 for each license granted under the Act, provided always that no rule shall be laid down to interfere with the taking by any licensed Registrar from the parties to any marriage or divorce of any fee, which custom or his position may entitle him to demand.

Statement of Objects and Reasons.

The attention of the Government has for some time past been drawn to the increasing number of offences against marriage shown in the criminal returns, especially in the eastern and Mahomedan districts. The remarkably small number of convictions obtained in such cases taken together with their increasing numbers, seemed to indicate the existence of a grievance which the Criminal Courts are at present unable to redress. Inquiry has proved that this is in fact the case. The loose notions regarding the marriage tie prevalent among the lower orders of Mahomedans lead to the frequent institution of criminal charges, while the absence of any authorized system of registration of marriage and divorce (since the office of Kazi ceased to be recognized by law) makes it difficult to furnish the amount of proof which the Criminal Courts require to warrant their taking action.

It appears to the Government that the legal recognition of an authorized system of registering Mahomedan marriages and divorces will go far to supply the existing want, and this Bill provides such a system. The Registrar will, as regards such registration, take the place which was filled by the old Kazis, and certified copies of extracts from his register are made *primâ facie* proof of the facts recited therein. But the registration of marriages and divorces is left optional with the parties concerned, and all questions of remuneration are left to be settled between the Registrar and the parties who avail themselves of his services.

H. L. Dampier.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction, from the 1st of January 1874, the formation of a new sub-division in the district of Rungpore, to be called the Kooreegram sub-division, of which the head-quarters will be situated at Kooreegram, on the right bank of the River Dhurla.

2. The sub-division will consist of the following tracts:—

(*a*) Thannah Nagessari, with outpost Phulkumar.

(*b*) Thannah Borabari.

(*c*) Thannah Olipore, excepting that portion of it lying west of the River Teesta forming the outpost of Sundargunge.

(*d*) All that portion of Thannah Chilmari lying to the east of the Teesta and including the small tract on the east bank of the Brahmaputra. This tract will be detached from the Gyebanda sub-division, to which it at present appertains, and will be formed into an outpost with head-quarters at Chilmari, and be attached to the Olipore Thannah and Kooreegram sub-division.

3. Outpost Sundargunge, detached from Olipore Thannah, will be attached to the Gyebanda sub-division, and together with that portion of Thannah Chilmari lying west of the Teesta will be formed into a thannah with head-quarters at Sundargunge.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 18th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a Post Office at Raipoorah, in the village of Raipoorah, Pergunnah Bhullooah, Zillah Noakhally, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 3½ chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the newly-established Government Aided School; on the south by the Raipoorah Bazar; east by the public road; and west by the Zemindary Cutchery belonging to Baboo Khetter Nath Dass, is required within the aforesaid village of Raipoorah.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information:—

No. 373.—*Simla, the 4th November* 1873.—*Ecclesiastical.*—The Rev. D. B. Morris, M.A., appointed a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment, reported his arrival on the 24th ultimo.

No. 377.—*The 6th November* 1873.—The services of the Rev. D. B. Morris, M.A., a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Govenment of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information:—

No. 2997.—*Fort William, the 14th November* 1873.—*Miscellaneous.*—RESOLUTION.—In consequence of the failure of the autumn rice-crop throughout a large part of the territories administered by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, there is reason to fear that there may be a large expenditure of money for the relief of distress and a serious loss of revenue.

2. The Viceroy and Governor-General accordingly deems it necessary to invite the attention of Local Governments and chiefs of departments to the imperative necessity that is laid upon the Government and its officers for the immediate curtailment of all expenditure that can be reduced, postponed, or dispensed with. The scarcity in Bengal may cause a considerable strain on the general resources of the State, and expenditure that would be proper under ordinary circumstances would be out of place now.

3. His Excellency desires that each officer will take immediate steps to stop any expenditure in the present year that can be prevented, and that all estimates of charge for the coming year 1874-75 may be reconsidered and reduced to the utmost possible extent.

4. No increase of expense should for the present be suggested that can by any means be avoided.

3. The Viceroy and Governor-General is confident that officers of the Government will recognise the necessity for these instructions, and he looks for their loyal co-operation in giving effect to them.

Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded for information and guidance to each Department of the Government of India, to each Local Government, and to the Heads of Departments under the Government of India in this Department.

Copy is also to be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 3007.—*The* 14*th November* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be added as Rule 6 under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code:—

6. A Commissioned Military Officer in civil employ on privilege leave may draw presidency house-rent, provided that the Government is not thereby put to any extra expense.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

No. 3006.—*The* 14*th November* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be added as Rules 1 and 2 under Section 24 of the Civil Pension Code:—

1. The service of process-servers, before the Court Fees Act, 1870, was passed, qualifies in the following cases:—

In Bengal—

Service paid from the fund formed under Act V of 1863, Bengal Council.

In the North-Western Provinces—

(*a*) Service under the civil courts after 31st December 1863.
(*b*) Service under the revenue courts after 31st December 1865.

In the Punjab—

Service rendered after 14th March 1859.

In Oudh, the Central Provinces, and British Burmah—

All service.

In Bombay—

Service paid from the Ameen's fee fund.

[NOTE.—In Madras the service of process-servers previous to their appointment under the Court Fees Act, 1870, did not qualify.]

2. Rule 1 applies also to naib nazirs, who were on the same footing in respect to the source of their pay as process-servers.

SEPARATE REVENUE.—POST OFFICE.

No. 2982.—*The* 14*th November* 1873.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 27 of the Indian Post Office Act, 1866, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to revoke all rules and regulations heretofore prescribed for the re-delivery of letters and articles delivered into any Post Office to the sender thereof, and to prescribe the following rules in that behalf:—

(1) No letters or other article delivered into any Post Office shall be re-delivered except under the orders of—

(*a*) The chief postal authority in a province;
(*b*) The Director-General of the Post Office;
(*c*) The Local Government or Administration; or
(*d*) The Governor-General in Council.

(2) A fee of one rupee shall be paid with any application for such re-delivery.

(3) An application for the re-delivery of any such letter or article may be presented in writing to the said officers, Governments or Administrations, directly or through any officer in charge of a Post Office.

(4) Such application shall be received only from the writer of the letter or the sender of the article, or from some person duly authorised in this behalf by such writer or sender.

(5) The application shall be accompanied by a statement (which may be enclosed in a sealed cover) of the reasons why re-delivery of the letter or article is sought. Such sealed cover shall be opened only by the officer or by a Secretary to the Government or Administration to whom or to which the application is presented.

(6) Upon receipt of such application and statement, together with a fee of one rupee as aforesaid, by a Post-Master or other officer in charge of a Post Office, he shall immediately send the application and statement to the nearest office, or authority having power under Rule (1) to dispose of such application.

(7) If the letter or article of which re-delivery is sought is in his possession, the said Post-Master or other officer, instead of forwarding it to its address, shall send it with the application to the said officer or authority.

(8) If the letter or article is not in the possession of the said Post-Master or other officer, he shall require any other officer of the Post Office in whose possession it may be to abstain from sending it to its address, and to send it instead to the authority or officer to which or to whom the application will be or has been sent. The requisition to such other officer may be sent by telegraph, but all expenses attending its transmission must be borne by the applicant.

(9) When the application reaches the officer or authority named in Rule (1) to whom it is thus sent, he or it may order re-delivery of the letter or article upon being satisfied that the applicant is the writer or sender, and that sufficient reasons have been given for the re-delivery, otherwise he shall send it at once to its address.

(10) No letter delivered into the post shall be re-delivered in any case to any one but the writer or to some person authorized by the writer in writing to receive it, and no article not being a letter delivered into the post shall be re-delivered to any one but the sender or to some person authorized by the sender in writing to receive it.

(11) In the foregoing rules the word "writer" does not include a person who writes a letter which another dictates or directs to be written, or who copies a letter which has been written by another; but in each of such cases the author of the letter shall, for the purposes of these rules, be held to be the "writer."

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 1153.—*Simla, the* 10*th November* 1873.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from England :—

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Captain W. L. N. Knyvett, of the Madras Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 2nd Grade, Bengal,—date of arrival at Bombay, 30th October 1873.

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C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8*th November* 1873.—Thannah Gournuddee, now forming part of the Madaripore sub-division of the Backergunge district, is hereby transferred to the head-quarters sub-division of Backergunge.

The Madaripore sub-division, which will now consist of the three thannahs, Kotalipara, Madaripore, and Moolfutgunge, is hereby transferred from the district of Backergunge to the district of Furreedpore.

The following villages in Gopalgunge Thannah, of Zillah Furreedpore, are transferred to Zillah Backergunge, and annexed to the Suroopkatee Thannah :—

No.	Names of Villages.	Names of Pergunnahs.	Thakbust number.
	Boulia	Sooltanpoor Khururea ...	1858
	Hijli	Ditto	1857
	Pirerabad	Hubeebpoor	1856
	Pangasia	Ditto	1855
	Chursaeldaha	Sooltanpoor Khururea ...	1854
	Puranabaree	Hubeebpoor	1853
	Hijli Chuk Kalatala	Sooltanpoor Khururea ...	1852
	Arazee Kalatala	Ditto	1851
	Saeldaha	Ditto	1850
	Gangacharna	Ditto	1849
	Chingaria	Ditto	1848
	Machandpoor	Mokimpoor	1847

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th November 1873.—The following villages in Zillah Mymensing are transferred to Zillah Dacca, and annexed to Thannah Kapaseea :—

No.	Names of Villages.	Pergunnahs.	Thakbust number.
	Choorbuhur	Runbhowal	53
	Gheelashoer	Ditto	52
	Shohadeea	Ditto	51
	Burnul	Ditto	48
	Burmee	Ditto	54
	Kaetpara	Ditto	56
	Kendooa	Bhowal	55
	Burma	Runbhowal	57
	Singsree	Ditto	59
	Barokaeka	Bhowal	61
	Panasaree	Ditto	60
	Hurceadee	Ditto	58
	Purmanund Khalee	Ditto	59½
	Patantek	Runbhowal	50
	Koohadeea	Bhowal	49

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th November 1873.—The following villages in Zillah Mymensing are transferred to Zillah Dacca, and annexed to Thannah Roypoora :—

No.	Names of Villages.	Pergunnahs.	Thakbust number.
	Oojan Kalikapershad	Tuppeh Koorukhaee	270
	Dukhin Kalikapershad	Ditto	271
	Shororabad	Ditto	272
	Ibrahimpoor...	Ditto	273
	Mamdabad	Ditto	274
	Moosapoor	Ditto	275
	Hureepoor	Ditto	276
	Paharkharkandee	Ditto	277
	Ramnuggur	Ditto	278

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

The 25th October 1873.—The Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta hereby give notice that the following scale of charges will be levied on certain classes of goods landed or shipped at the Jetties on and after this date in supersession of the scale of landing charges published in the *Gazette* of the 9th and 16th October 1872, item No. 21, and in supersession of the scale of shipping charges published in the *Gazette* of 13th September 1871, items Nos. 51, 52, and 111 :—

SCHEDULE OF LANDING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

Revised scale of charges and rent to be paid by owners, importers, or consignees, in respect of the undermentioned goods landed at the Jetties and for their removal when not cleared within forty-eight hours.

ITEMS.	Landing charges at the jetties.	For removal of goods not claimed within 48 hours to the Custom House or import warehouse.	Rent per month to be charged at the import warehouse, at wharf, and at jetty sheds, on all goods not claimed within 48 hours.
21. Bottles empty, per dozen	0 0 6	0 0 3	0 3 0

SCHEDULE OF SHIPPING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

Revised scale of charges and rent to be paid by owners, importers, or consignees, in respect of the undermentioned goods shipped at the Jetties and for their removal when not shipped within forty-eight hours.

ITEMS.	Shipping charges.	Removal charges.	Wharf rent.
51. Machinery in pieces or cases, over 2 tons	See charges by weight.		
52. " " " under 2 tons			
Charges by Weight.			
111. On all goods not enumerated, chargeable by weight, and not exceeding 2 tons, per cwt.	0 1 6	0 0 9	0 8 0
112. On all goods exceeding 2 tons, and not exceeding 4 tons, per cwt.	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 8 0
113. Exceeding 4 and not exceeding 8 tons, per cwt.	0 4 0	0 2 0	0 8 0
On all weights over 8 tons, per cwt.	0 7 0	0 4 0	0 8 0

By order of the Commissioners,

W. D. BRUCE,
Vice-Chirman.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

It is notified for general information that a Horse Show will be held in Calcutta during the week commencing Monday, the 12th January next, at which the prizes detailed below will be given by the Government of India.

Patron:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE LORD NORTHBROOK, G.M.S.I.,
Viceroy and Governor-General.

Vice Patron:

HON'BLE SIR G. CAMPBELL, D.C.L., K.C.S.I., *Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.*

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

President:

MAJOR-GENERAL C. T. CHAMBERLAIN, C.S.I.

Stewards:

Honorary Secretary—MR. J. A. CRAWFORD, B.C.S.,
HON'BLE LORD ULICK BROWNE, B.C.S.,
J. J. J. KESWICK, ESQ.,
Honorary Secretary—COLONEL M. TURNBULL,
Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon—J. H. B. HALLEN,
KHWAJEH AHSANOOLLAH,
MR. ESAU BIN CURTAS,

with power to add to their number.

A detailed notice regarding the arrangements for the Show, the entrance fees, reception of horses, &c., will be published hereafter by the Committee of Management.

Applications for information on the above points should be made to the Honorary Secretaries.

	Rs.
1st Prize.	
For the best six (6) brood mares, suitable for Army purposes, *bonâ fide* the property of one importer	3,000
2nd Prize.	
For the second best six (6) brood mares, suitable for Army purposes, *bonâ fide* the property of one importer	2,000
3rd Prize.	
For the third best six (6) brood mares, suitable for Army purposes, *bonâ fide* the property of one importer	1,000
4th Prize.	
For the best thorough-bred stallion for Stud purposes	3,000
2nd best do. do.	2,000
3rd best do. do.	1,000

The Government of India will retain a right of pre-emption of any horses exhibited, at a price to be fixed by the exhibitor before exhibition. No prizes will be given unless the horses exhibited come up to a high standard of excellence.

Importers and competitors are informed that the judges will be considerably guided by good measurement of girth and leg, and blood combined with power.

Animals wanting in such essential points will have no chance of gaining a prize.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th November 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 5, Act VI (B.C.) of 1868, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the boundaries of the Town of Cuttack for municipal purposes will hereafter be as follows:—

On the north the Mahanuddy River; on the west the boundary follows the western boundary of Mansingh Patna from the Katjoree River to Stoney's Road, and thence is formed by that road to the banks of the Mahanuddy; on the south the Katjoree River; on the east the Cuttack trunk road from the Katjoree to Race Course Road, then down Race Course Road to No. 2 bridge, on the Taldunda Canal, and thence the canal itself to its junction with the Mahanuddy.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th October 1873.—A plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 24,439, for the construction of the Strand Bank Road in front of the Eastern Bengal Railway Station at Chitpore, having been submitted by the Vice-Chairman to the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with his letter No. 4067, dated the 11th of October 1873, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the construction under Section 35, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1307.

JUDICIAL.—*The 15th November* 1873.—Baboo Doorga Prosad Ghose is appointed to be Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Hooghly, Serampore, and Howrah.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Coomarkhali in the District of Nuddea, and to appoint Baboo Tarini Churn Roy to be Additional Sub-Registrar of Kooshtea, with Head-Quarters at Coomarkhali.

This notification will take effect on and from the 15th November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th November 1873.—With reference to the Notification of the 6th May last, published at page 663 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, it is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has accepted the resignation by the persons named below of their appointments as Honorary Magistrates in the District of Hooghly:—

Baboo Chunder Kant Mookerjee.
" Satya Dayal Banerjee.
" Govind Chunder Mookerjee.
" Hurry Hur Mookerjee.
" Peary Mohun Mookerjee.
Mooushee Naziroodeen.
Baboo Opendra Narain Nundy.
" Purendra Deb Roy.
" Rajendra Narain Nundy.
" Shib Chunder Deb.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 13th November 1873.

No. 388.—*Leave of Absence.*—Baboo Jogendro Chunder Chatterjee, Overseer, First Grade, attached to the Assam Circle, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st October 1873.

No. 389.—Baboo Brindabun Chunder Ghose, Overseer, Third Grade, attached to the Assam Circle, is allowed privilege leave for three months under the above rules.

No. 390.—*Transfers.*—Baboo Mohendro Nath Bhuttacharjee, Accountant, Fourth Grade, from the Fourth Calcutta to the Buxar Division of the Irrigation Branch.

No. 391.—Mr. E. H. Phillips, Accountant, Fourth Grade, from the Central Office of Accounts, Bengal, to the Fourth Calcutta Division.

No. 392.—Baboo Jodonath Paul, Accountant, Fourth Grade, from the Central Office of Accounts, Bengal, to the Burral Division of the Northern Bengal State Railway.

No. 393.—*Leave of Absence.*—Baboo Boydonath Chunder, Overseer, Third Grade, attached to the Durrung and Nowgong Districts, for three months, on medical certificate, under Supplement F, Section 3, of the Civil Leave Code, in addition to that already granted* to him.

* Bengal Government, Public Works Department Notification No. 323, dated the 3rd September 1873.

The 15th November 1873.

No. 394.—*Notification.*—Mr. J. A. Campbell, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, attached to the Purneah District, passed in Colloquial Hindustanee on the 10th October 1873.

The 17th November 1873.

No. 395.—*Transfers.*—Mr. W. Fernie, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, from the Bhaugulpore to the Purneah District.

No. 396.—Mr. J. A. Campbell, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, from the Purneah to the Bhaugulpore District.

No. 397.—The following order, issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for general information:—

No. 691 *of the 5th November* 1873.—Mr. E. Phillips, Apprentice Accountant, is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation, and placed under the orders of the Controller, Public Works Accounts, Bengal.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 13th November 1873.

No. 494.—*Notification.*—Mr. F. Taylor, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, to officiate as Executive Engineer, Hidgellee Division, during the absence of Mr. J. C. Vertannes, or until further orders.

No. 495.—*Transfer.*—Mr. H. Baldwin, Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, from the South Western to the Soane Circle.

No. 496.—*Notification.*—Baboo Hurrish Chunder Mookerjee, Sub-Overseer, First Grade Dehree Division, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 1st November 1873.

The 15th November 1873.

No. 497.—The following Notification of the Government of India is republished for information:—

"*No.* 693, *dated the 5th November* 1873.—Mr. H. Baldwin, Temporary Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, Bengal, Irrigation Branch, is confirmed in that grade."

No. 498.—*Leave.*—Baboo Bissala Churn Mullick, Overseer, First Grade, Hidgellee Division, is granted privilege leave for one month, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd November 1873, the date on which he availed himself of it.

No. 499.—Mr. J. C. Cole, Supervisor, Second Grade, Byturnee Division, is granted sick leave for 17 days, under Supplement F, Section 3, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from 4th October 1873.

No. 500.—*Notification.*—Mr. E. A. Parsick, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Pooree Survey Division, returned from privilege leave on the 6th November 1873.

The 17th November 1873.

No. 501.—*Notification.*—Mr. J. H. Toogood, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, Arrah Division, passed in the Departmental Standard on the 7th November 1873.

No. 502.—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

"*No.* 708, *dated* 11*th November* 1873.—Mr. W. G. L. Cotton, Executive Engineer, Fouth Grade, Punjab Irrigation Branch, is transferred to Bengal, Irrigation Branch, with effect from 6th November current."

IRRIGATION.

The 17*th November* 1873.

No. 503.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required to be taken up for a public purpose, viz., for the Brahmini Weir and subsidiary works in the village of Janapore, Pergunnah Chowsapara, Zillah Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land, measuring acres 54-0-4, more or less, bounded on the north by the River Brahmini; on the south by the High Level Canal, Section 1; and on the east and west by lands of Janapore, are likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Janapore.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 4 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. W. GULLIVER, LIEUT.-COL., *R. E.*,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

The 23*rd September* 1873.—The unexpired portion of the leave of absence for three months, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, granted by the Court's order No. 1793, dated 2nd July last, to Moulvee Dubeerooddeen Ahmed, Additional Moonsiff of Baraset, District 24-Pergunnahs, is hereby cancelled at his own request, the Moonsiff having resumed charge on the 11th idem.

The 1*st November* 1873.—The additional leave for eighteen days, under Section 18, Chapter VI, of the Civil Leave Code, granted by the Court's order No. 2410, dated the 3rd September last, to Baboo Shibodess Mookerjee, Moonsiff of Bongong, District Nuddea, is hereby cancelled at his own request.

The 6*th November* 1873.—Baboo Poorno Chunder Shome, Moonsiff of Ramporehaut, District Moorshedabad, for ten days, from 3rd to 12th September last, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

The 13*th November* 1873.—Baboo Burmah Dutt, Moonsiff of Mozufferpore, District Tirhoot, for three months from 24th October last, under Section 18, Chapter VI, of the Civil Leave Code.

The 14*th November* 1873.—Baboo Rajrajessur Bhuttacharjee, Moonsiff of Culna, District East Burdwan, for one month, from the 24th October last, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

The 16*th November* 1873.—The unexpired portion of the leave for the Dusserah Vacation granted by the Court's order No. 2686, dated 20th September last, to Baboo Judoonath Dass, Moonsiff of Balasore, District Cuttack, is hereby cancelled at his own request.

TRANSFERS OF MOONSIFFS.

The 29*th October* 1873.—Baboo Soshee Bhooshun Banerjee, Moonsiff of Sassaram, District Shahabad, to the Sudder Moonsiffee of Jessore.

By order of the High Court,

W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT, the 18th November 1873.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABOO BIJOY KISSEN BOSE, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Midnapore Treasury, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries with retrospective effect from the 8th November 1873.

BURDWAN, COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 15th November 1873. C. T. BUCKLAND, *Commissioner.*

List of Candidates who Passed the Preliminary Junior Scholarship Examination in the Rajshahye Division, 1873.

1	Jogendra Nath Ghosh	L. M. S. School, Berhampore.
2	Jagadish Chandra Roy	Ditto, ditto.
	Srinarayan Munsi	Beauleah High School.
4	Khiroda Chundra Roy	L. M. S. School, Berhampore.
5	Annada Govinda Choudhari	Beauleah High School.
6	Prasanna Kumar Ghosh	Ditto, ditto.
7	Hari Churn Basu	Berhampore Collegiate School.
8	Dharanath Ray	L. M. S. School, Berhampore.
9	Jogendra Lal Ghosh	Beauleah High School.
10	Sukhomoy Sarkar	L. M. S. School, Berhampore.
11	Durga Prasanna Lahiri	Rungpore Zillah School
12	Dwarka Nath Buxy	L. M. S. School. Berhampore.
13	Nafar Das Ray	Berhampore Collegiate School.
14	Rajani Kanta Mukhoopadhyoy	Dighapatia School.
15	Sarat Chandra Sannyal	Beauleah High School.
16	Sosi Kumar Chakravarti	Maldah Zillah School.
17	Sris Chandra Das Gupta	Rungpore Zillah School.
	Jadav Chandra Choudhari	Beauleah High School.
19	Chandra Kanta Basak	Pubnah School.
	Durga Das Mookerjee	Berhampore Collegiate School.
21	Mahesvar Bhuttacharjee	Maldah Zillah School.
22	Abhoy Charan Ray	Tushbhander School, Rungpore.
23	Sital Chandra Ghosh	L. M. S. School, Berhampore.
24	Bijoy Kanta Sen	Beauleah High School.
	Hriday Nath Ghosh	Ditto.
	Hari Das Basu	Dinagepore School.

T. H. WICKES, S. M. SHIRCORE, } *Examiners.*

Sheriff's Office, the 28th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Criminal Sessions of the year 1873, of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Thursday, the twentyseventh day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Session be then and there to prosecute.

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস সন ১৮৭৩ সাল ২৮ অকটোবর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ২৭ নবেম্বর বৃহস্পতিবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যেপর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের নবম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারায় প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 909B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1874, will consist of 26,244 chests of Behar, and 18,756 chests of Benares Opium, being of the two seasons 1871-72 and 1872-73 in the proportions marginally noted. The sales will be held on or about the dates specified below. The Member in charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

	Chests.	Chests.
BEHAR.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	8	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	26,236	
		26,244
BENARES.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	16	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	18,740	
		18,756
Total ...		45,000

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 5th Jan. 1874	...	2,209	1,541	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	...	26,244	18,756	45,000

The following are the conditions of Sale :—

1. The Opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The Opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by Clause 12 of these Conditions of Sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M.; but if at that hour any of the lots advertized for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Member in charge, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday) at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or, if the whole quantity advertized shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Member in charge may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room, and before the lot is registered in the sale book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this Office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale: or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts, or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Member in charge shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and

DEPOSIT.
When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

6. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the last-mentioned condition, if remaining unredeemed at 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

7. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of Opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted.

8. The Opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 4 o'clock of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, and in case any lots of such Opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth Condition or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Member in charge shall think fit, and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the Opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale.

9. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of Opium after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots, or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests originally required to be included in each certificate or order.

10. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present Conditions will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale book or his authorized Agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

11. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall, on demand, tender at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal Receipts, or Government Securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these Conditions.

12. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually until a bid is obtained, and the first *bona fide* bidder for a lot after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these Conditions.

13. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same agency Opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the Opium to complete the said twenty-five.

14. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the Opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Juditure at Fort William in Bengal.

15. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. No. 1, certificate of the Opium advertized for sale; No. 2, report of the examination of such Opium.

16. The public are hereby informed that, in providing the investment of the Behar and Banares Opium for the year 1872-73, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

17. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the Opium advertized for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Member in charge entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of Opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the Opium for shipment.

18. It is hereby further notified that under the 6th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March, 1815, quoted below, the Agents in India of the French Government, or persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that out of the quantities of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for sale at the twelve sales of the year 1874, there shall be delivered to them, at the average of the particular sale or sales to which the Opium so applied for may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make requisition specifying the quantity of Opium required by them at any particular sale, within thirty days from the advertisement of such intended sale, provided however that the Agents of the French Government may make such requisition for the whole quantity within thirty days from the publication of this notification. If the Agent of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time above mentioned, the entire quantity of about 45,000 chests of Behar and Benares, as above estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner; and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertized for sale at each or any of the twelve sales above mentioned, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

	Chests.
Behar	26,244
Benares	18,756
Total	45,000

Article of the convention above referred to.

Article VI.—"With regard to the trade in Opium, it is agreed between the high contracting parties that at each of the periodical sales of that article, there shall be reserved for the French Government, and delivered upon requisition duly made by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty, or by the persons duly appointed by them, the number of chests so supplied for provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken on account of the French Government by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred chests hereinbefore mentioned. The requisitions for Opium, as aforesaid, are to be addressed to the Governor-General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended sales shall have been published in the *Government Gazette*."—By order of the Member in charge.

T. B. LANE,
Secretary.

BOARD OF REVENUE,
Fort William, the 8th November 1873.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 869B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth or last Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 4th December 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 Chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares "	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertized will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 19th December respectively; that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 9th December 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 19th December 1873.

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 28th October 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

Statement showing the importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on the River Hooghly, subject to Customs Duty, on the 31st October 1873.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	5,88,599	.....	4,05,050	9,93,649
French Kurkutch...	22,070	.....	1,277	23,347
Italian ,, ...	41,716	.....	.....	41,716
Bombay ,, ...	134,186	.....	2,575	1,36,761
Madras ,, ...	79,547	.....	5,713	85,260
Arabian and Persian Gulfs' Kurkutch and Muscat Rock	2,64,129	.....	2,99,662	5,63,791
Total ...	11,30,247	.....	7,14,277	18,44,524

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 15th November 1873.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1873.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situated in the District of Burdwan, from 1873-74 to 1900 will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on Friday, the 5th December 1873, corresponding with 21st Aughran 1280, B.S.:—

The purchasers of the estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1*st*.—The estate will be sold subject to a [light] jumma of Rs. 4 per annum to the highest bidder.

2*nd*.—The sale will be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers will be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

5*th*.—In addition to the ordinary Government revenue assessed upon the estates the purchaser shall be bound to pay for the construction of roads and improvement of communications, 1 per cent. on the Government revenue assessed from the date of entry upon the purchase. This sum will be leviable in the same manner as other arrear's of revenue.

6*th*.—The purchasers will be bound to perform the Patwary's duties.

No. in statement of Government estate.	No. on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government Revenue.			Upset price.	Remarks.
				Revenue assessed.	Road cess.	Total.		
				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		
64	4519	Kashipore, Pergunnah Raneehatty.	0 3 3	4 0 0	.....	4 0 0	.....	Proprietary right of Government to the estate from 1873-74 to 1900 to be sold.

E. H. Winfield, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned land, situate in the District of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Moorshedabad Collectorate on the 19th December 1873, corresponding with 5th Poos 1280.

2. The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plot will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders above the upset price.

Number of statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	77	A plot in Bajarpara, Mouzah Gopjan, Pergunnah Mahalandi, bounded on the east by a road in Chainpara; on the north by the land of Baboo Sheikh, a ryot of Chainpara; on the west by the lands of Mati Chain and Gopal Chain; and on the south by the land of Shiban Chain. Zemindar, Jogut Chunder Roy Chowdhoori. Ryots, Moti Chain and Gopal Chain and Shiban Chain ...	1 3 39	150 0 0	

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

জিলা মুরশিদাবাদ।

ইস্তাহারনামা কাছারি কালেক্টরী জেলা মুরশিদাবাদ এই যে,

ইহার দ্বারা সম্বাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে অত্র জেলার মধ্যস্থিত নিম্নলিখিত ভূমিখণ্ডে গবর্ণমেন্টের যে মালিকি স্বত্ব আছে তাহা অত্র জেলার কালেক্টরি কাছারিতে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ১৯ ডিসেম্বর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সালের ৫ পৌষ শুক্রবারে বিক্রয় হইবেক।

এই ভূমি যাঁহারা ক্রয় করিবেন তাঁহারদিগের নিম্নলিখিত নিয়মের অধীনে থাকিতে হইবে।

১। এক শত টাকার অনধিক পণ হইলে সেই সমুদয় টাকা তৎক্ষণাৎ দিতে হইবে।

২। একশত টাকার অধিক পণ হইলে ডাকপণের চতুর্থাংশের একাংশ তৎক্ষণাৎ দাখিল করিতে হইবে বিক্রয়ের দিবস এক দিন ধরিয়া গণনা করিলে বিক্রয়ান্তর পঞ্চদশ দিবসের মধ্যাহ্নকালে কিম্বা সেই দিন বন্দের দিন হইলে তৎপরে প্রথম যে দিন কাছারি খোলা যাইবে সেই দিনের মধ্যাহ্ন কালে যদি অবশিষ্ট টাকা দাখিল না হয় তবে বিক্রয় রহিত ও গচ্ছিত টাকা গবর্ণমেন্টে জব্দ হইবে ও প্রথম স্থলীয় বিক্রয়ের ন্যায় পুনর্ব্বার বিজ্ঞাপন প্রকাশ পূর্ব্বক ঐ ত্রুটিকারি ক্রেতার ঝুঁকিতে এই খণ্ড ভূমি পুনরায় বিক্রয় হইবে।

৩। নিম্নলিখিত ভূমি যে কেহ নিলামের প্রথম ডাক হইতে সর্ব্বাপেক্ষা অধিক ডাকিবেন তাঁহার নিকট ঐ ভূমি লাখেরাজরূপে বিক্রয় করা যাইবে ইতি। সন ১৮৭৩ সাল তারিখ ১৭ অক্টোবর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সাল তারিখ ২ কার্ত্তিক।

রাজকীয় মাহালের নম্বর।	জেলার বহিতে কৈফিয়তের নম্বর।	মাহাল এবং পরগনা।	পরিমাণ যত একর।	ধার্য্য করা রাজস্ব।	নীলামের প্রথম ডাক।	মন্তব্য।
০	৭৭	পরগনে মহনন্দীর অন্তঃপাতি মৌজে গোপজানের সামিল বাজার পাড়ার মধ্যে চাক্রী পাড়ার রাস্তার পশ্চিম, চাক্রী পাড়ার প্রজা বাবু সেখের জমীর দক্ষিণ, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রীর জমীর পূর্ব্ব, শিবন চাক্রীর জমীর উত্তর জমীদার জগচ্চন্দ্র রায় চৌধুরির প্রজা শিবন চাক্রী, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রী	১।৩।৩৯	০	১৫০৲	

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 1st day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1873.

Number on the rent roll.	Class.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	REMARKS.
57	1st class	Kismut Pergunnah Kurgram, Pergunnah Kurgram.	Puckeer Chunder, Dolegovind, Ramessur Karfurma, Brojo Koomar, Dhurum Dutt, Sharoda Soondery, Modhoo Soodun, Kanguee Nath, Horeelall Roy, Mohamaya Debbia, Tarini Proshad Roy Chowdry, Horish Chunder Karfurma, and Ramessuree Debee.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 2,397-13-10. That exclusive of the share of 11 gundas and 2 kowrees of Tarinee Proshad Roy Chowdry, viz. Rs. 85-13-4, is Rs. 2,312-0-6.	The separate share of Tarini Proshad Chowdry only will be sold.
109	Ditto ...	Kismut Pergunnah Choonakhalee, Pergunnah Choonakhalee.	Rajkissore, Chunderchoor, Ramcoomar, Horeproshad, Kassissur, Moharanee Surnomoye, Joynarain Bose, Radhakristo, Bissonath, Mrittonjoy Roy, Brojosoonderee Dassia, Jeebunkristo Pramanic, Haradhonee Dassia, Shama Soondery Dassia, Shosodhur Chowdhoory, Peari Soondery Dassia, Assootosh Bose, Charoo Chunder Bose, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, Kamini Soondery, Torunginee, *alias* Lootoomony Dassia, Poolin Behuree Sen, Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany, Saroda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad, Roy Chowdhoory, Shama Churun Bose, Kaminee Soondery Dassia, Kandarimul, Doolcochand, Khettro Nath Bundopaddhea, Jogendro Mohinee Debbia, Shosee-bhoosun Mookhopaddhia, Sarossutee Debbia.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 3,551-7-5. That exclusive of the separate shares of Moharanee Surnomoye ... ... Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor ... Charoo Chunder Bose ... Joynarain Bose ... ... Assootosh Bose ... ... Sosodhur Chowdhoori ... Shama Churn Bose ... Shama Soondery Chowdhoorany ... ... Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany. Sharoda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad Roy ... Khetter Nath Banerjea and Jogendro Mohini Debbia ... Haradhonee Dassia ... Lotoomony Dassia, *alias* Kamini Soondery Dassia ... Total ... is Rs. 1,391-5-5.	Rs. A. P. 107 11 9; 443 15 0; 83 11 1½; 167 6 0; 83 11 1½; 104 9 10; 201 11 0; 62 14 0; 262 12 0; 262 12 0; 366 14 3; 6 0 11½; 6 0 11½; 2,160 2 0	The rights and interest of all the proprietors in the estate except those of the persons mentioned in the foregoing column will be sold.
120	Ditto ...	Kismut Mouzah Chhooleepoor, Pergunnah Oozeerabad.	Ranee Aunund Moyee, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 769-12-10. That exclusive of the share of Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, viz. Rs. 384-14-5, is Rs. 384-14-5.	The share of Ranee Annund Moye only will be sold.
234	Ditto ...	Pullee Bahadoorpoor, Pergunnah Kassipore.	Prosunno Chunder Ghose ...	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 742-15-8.	The entire mehal will be sold.

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of 24-Pergunnahs, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 5th day of December 1873, corresponding with 21st Augrahon 1280, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day September 1873 :—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

No. 658, Kismut Pergunnah Baliah, Turf Sreekistopore, recorded proprietor Ramdhun Bose and others; sudder jumma, including police charges, Rs. 1,141-12-1.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Collector.*

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, 24-PERGUNNAHS, the 27th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of East Burdwan will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 3rd day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-Settled Estates.

Number in the revenue roll.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	
27	Shahapore and others, Pergunnah Jahangirabad.	Chowdhory Golam Rahoman, Nocoor Chunder Shaha, Kristoprosunno Mozoomdar, Jurifunnessa Bibee, Gooroo Dass Koondoo, Kofiluddin *alias* Doonoomea, Kangali Churn Shaha, and Shehatannessa Bibee.	8,569 1 10	Out of the total amount of Government Revenue, separate accounts have been opened on behalf of the undermentioned shareholders, and they have paid up their quotas, viz:— Jurifunnessa Bibee for Rs. 1,391-3-3; Nocoor Chunder Shaha for Rs. 904-4-6; Kofiluddin *alias* Doonoomea for Rs. 834-11-6; Gooroo Dass Koondoo for Rs. 208-10-11; Kangali Churn Shaha for Rs. 208-10-11; Shehatannessa Bibee for Rs. 904-4-6; The estate to be sold for arrears of Government Revenue only.
158	Shumoodrogouree, Pergunnah Shatshocka.	Rohimunnessa Bibee, Koylash Chundra De Chowdhory, Gobin Chand Nundy, and Nilcomul De Chowdhory.	2,710 8 11	In this estate general registry has been recorded in the names of different personages under Section 41 of Act XI of 1859, as stated below:— Kedarnath Chuckerbutty, putnidar of 8as. share of 9 mouzahs, viz: Kypookdoriah and others for Rs. 900; Beny Madhub Mullick, putnidar of 2as. share of Shumoodrogori and Hurshoona, and 1 anna 8 gundas 1 cowree share of 16 mouzahs of Shinghoojooley for Rs. 293-2-2. Bunomalee Nundy, putnidar of 8as. share of mouzah Neiz Shumoodrogori and Hurshoona &c., and three-fourths of 5 annas 13 gundas 1 cowree 1 krantee share of 15 mouzahs, Putty Thakoordara and others; in all 17 mouzahs general registry for Rs. 726-6-7. The estate to be sold for arrears of government revenue only.
171	Gowara, Pergunnah Mamdanipore.	Kristodeb Bhuttacherjee ...	727 14 7	1st Class.—Permanently settled estate. The estate to be sold for arrears of Government Revenue only.

E. H. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE, the 29th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 28th day of November 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873:—

Serial number.	Number on the Touji.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Names of Proprietors.	Amount of Government Revenue.	Amount of arrears.
				Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.
...	250	First Class permanently settled Estate, Taraf Soorjopará, Pergunnah Tegechi.	Kali Sundary Deby, Shabitri Dassy, Kaliprosad Chowdrury, Bhobodeb, Talookdar, Santoomony Deby, Gungaprosad, Debiprosad, Ramshonaton Lahiry, Essur Chandra, Gungagobind Roy, Digbashona Deby, Bepin Chandra Chowdhury, Bama Sundary Deby, Chandra Kanta, Romonikant Lahiry, Soorjo Kant Lahiry, Pran Nath Roy and Gowri Nath, Gooroo Prosunno and Foresh Nath Roy, Minors, Ram Ram Charn, Gooroo Charn, Boroda Charn, Gunga Charn, Snib Charn, Doorga Doss Khan, Hero Moni Deby, Koilash Chandra and Hurri Doss Lahiry, Minors.	1,604 14 0 Of this revenue separate accounts have been opened under Section 10, Act XI, 1859, with Ram Charn Khan and others, for Rs. 156-4, and with Hurro Moni Deby and others, for Rs. 65-6, in lots for Rs. 221-10. Deducting this the portion of revenue payable by the shares of Kali Sundary Deby and others to be sold is Rs 1,383-4.	103 7 0

RAJSHAHYE COLLECTORATE, the 15th October 1873. W. H. D'OYLY, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of Sarun, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December 1873, corresponding with 6th Poos 1281 F.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873 in lieu of 28th September 1873 :—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

Serial No.	Towjee No.	
1	1751	Mehal Telpa Boozoorg, Pergunnah Chirand; recorded proprietors, Rai Baboo Shewgholam Sah Bahadur and others; Sudder Jumma, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 1,267-8.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

2	2294	Mehal Bajraha, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ramanugreh Opadhia and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 172-0-1½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

3	2303	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raj Coomar Singh and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 640.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

4	2329	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raghoonath Sahai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 438-11-11½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

5	2411	Mehal Tarya, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Issardut and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 744-13-4¾.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

6	2433	Mehal Chhap Sudersburn, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ritbarun Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 344-11-1.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

7	2523	Mehal Saguni, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Brijraj Kuer and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 1,536.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

8	2615	Mehal Kewani, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Barumdeo Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 626-10-2¼ deducting Rs. 261-14-9 for which separate accounts have been opened, and Rs. 357-14-11¼, the share of the Ijmali proprietors for which revenue has been paid, the share of Barumdeo Rai bearing a revenue of Rs. 6-12-6 for which separate account has been opened and in respect of which balance has accrued shall be sold.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

9	2664	Mehal Mushruk, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Mussamut Mitto Bibi and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 250-10-6½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

10	2813	Mehal Amnour Madur, Pergunnah Makair; recorded proprietors, Jobraj Sing and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 2,443-15-2¼.

SARUN COLLECTORATE, the 25th October 1873. G. G. DEY, *For Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام بابت بقیہ مالگذاری سرکار

واضح ہو کہ حسب دفعہ ۶ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع کے یہہ محالات مرقومہ ذیل ضلع سارن میں بابت بقیہ مالگذاری سرکار و دیگر دعوی جو ازروے دستور رائج و قوانین مجاریہ موافق باقی مالگذاری سرکار کے بتاریخ ۸ اکتوبر بحساب سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع واجب الوصول ہی بروز چارشنبہ تاریخ ۵ دسمبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع مطابق ۶ پوس سنہ ۱۲۸۱ فصلی کچہری میں صاحب کلکٹر اوسی ضلع کے بلا عذر عام نیلام میں رکھا جائیگا :—

نمبر توزیع	نام محال	قسم اول		قسم مطالبہ
(۱۷۵۱)	محال تیلپا بزرگ پرگنہ چراند جنکی جمع صدر	۱۲۶۷ روپیہ ۸ آنہ ۰ پائی	باستثنا جمع ۹۷ روپیہ ۲ آنہ ۸ پائی	باقیماندہ مالگذاری سرکار

رول شد ۵ بمراد ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ حصہ دہندہ ان حصہ اجمالی
راے بابو شیو غلام شاہ بہادر وغیرہ دہندہ ان جمعی ۷۶۲۱ روپیہ ۸ آنہ
بعلت باقی مبلغ ۹ روپیہ ۱۳ آنہ ۶ پائی کے نیلام ہوگا ۔

۶۶۹۴ محال بیرا ها پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۲۲۶ روپیه ۱۴ با مستثنا ے ۵۳ ۰ روپیه ایضا
انه ۱۱ ½ پائي ۱۴۱ انه ۱ ۰ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ حصه د هندان کے حصه اجمالي
رام انوگره ۱ و پدهیا وغیره نا د هندان جمعي ۲۷۱ روپیه ۱ ½ انه بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۶ روپیه ۸ انه ۳ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۰۳ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۰۴۳ روپیه هي ایضا
وخانه مالگذار مین نام کمهار سنگه وغیره کالکها جاتا هي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۶ روپیه ۳ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۲۹ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۳۵ روپیه ۱۳ انه باستثنا ے جمع ۳۹ ایضا
روپیه ۱ انه ۶ پائي ۵ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه د هندان کے حصه اجمالي
رگهوناتهه سهاے وغیره نا د هندان جمعي ۸۳۴ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱۱ ½
پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۴ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۱۱ محال تریا پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۴۴۱ روپیه ۱ انه باستثنا ے جمع ۶۹۶ ایضا
۳ پائي روپیه ۳ انه ۸ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه د هندان کے حصه
اجمالي ایشردت وغیره نا د هندان جمعي ۴۴۷ روپیه ۱۳ انه
۴ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۲۳ روپیه ۲ انه ۱۰ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۳۳ محال چهاب سود رشن پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۲۸ روپیه با مستثنا ے جمع ۶۷۴ ایضا
۵ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۱۰ انه ۳ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه د هندان اجمالي رتیبرن
راے وغیره نا د هندان جمعي ۴۴۳ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۱۳ روپیه ۸ انه ۷ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۵۲۳ محال سگونے پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۳۵۱ روپیه هي ایضا
وخانه مالگذار مین نام برج راج کنور وغیره کالکها جاتا هي بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۱۰ انه ۲ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۱۵ محال کیواني پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۲۶ روپیه ۰ باستثنا ے جمع ۱۶۲ ایضا
انه ۲ ½ پائي روپیه ۱۴ انه ۹ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۵۷ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۱۱ ½ پائي
جمع اجمالي حصه دهندان کے برهمدیوراے وغیره نا د هندان جمعي ۶۲
روپیه ۱ انه ۶ پائي تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۷۵
بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۶۴ محال مسرکه پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۳۶۰۱ باستثنا ے جمع ۱۲۸ ایضا
روپیه ۷ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۱۲ انه ۹ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه د هندان کے
حصه اجمالي مسماه متو بي بي وغیره نا د هندان جمعي
۰۵۲ روپیه ۱۰ ۶ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۳ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۷ ½
پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۸۱۳ محال امنور باندر پرگنه بکیر جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۲۳۸۵ باستثنا ے جمع ۱۰۰۴۱ ایضا
روپیه ۱ انه ۳ ½ پائي روپیه ۲ انه ۱ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه د هندان کے
حصه اجمالي جوبراج سنگه وغیره نا د هندان جمعي ۲۴۳۴ روپیه ۱۵
انه ۲ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۲۹ روپیه ۱۷ انه ۴ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

دستخط في التاریخ ۲۲ اکتوبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع

G. G. DEY,
For Offg. Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6 of Act XI of 1859 and Section 3 of Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the under-mentioned estate in the district of Rungpore, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd Pous 1280 B.S., corresponding to 17th December 1873.

Class I.—Permanently settled estate.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue No. 7, Mouzah Monbhasa, &c., Chakla Futtehpore. The shares of the recorded proprietors, Tara Mohun Chaudhuree, Brojokissoree Dasya, Ishan Chunder Choudhuree, Hurro Soondaree Dabya, Choudhuranee, Mutteeulla Kutoobulla, Bhyrub Chundra Choudhuree, Amirulla minor, Shona Bibee, Maharajah Nreependra Narain Bhoop Bahadur, Dhunnessuree Dasya, Nilkant Surmah, Joyantee Dabya, Mahamed Sadatulla, for himself and Sadatullah and Komoruddeen, on behalf of Anaitullah minors, Barada Sundaree Dabya and Bama Sundary Gupta Choudhuranee, having been separated under Sections 10 and 11 of Act XI of 1859 are exempted. The shares of Hurro Chundra Gossamee, Hurish Chundra Roy, Protab Mul Rakha *alias* Nanka Rokha Abeenessa Khatoon and Jadu Nath Shah Chowdry, are to be sold, the revenue of the shares to be sold is Rs. 746-8. The revenue of the entire estate is Rs. 6,554-13-8.

RUNGPORE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 3rd November 1873. E. G. GLAZIER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the under-mentioned estates in the District of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 22nd December 1873 corresponding with 8th Pous 1280, for arrears of revenue and for other demands, which by Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, which were due on the 8th October 1873 corresponding with 23rd Assin 1280, on which day the office re-opened after the Dasahara vacation.

No. 62.—Mehal Ghop Silunda, Pergunnah Sinduri, recorded proprietors, Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan Lahiry and others. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,859-10-2 of which Rs. 409-0-1 are to be deducted on account of the share of Annapurna Dasya, Hur Sundari Devya and others, with whom a separate account has been opened under the provisions of Section 10 of Act II of 1859, and the joint share of Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan, Lahiry Chundi Prosad Mozoomdar, Mahamed Ahasan, Gopi Nath Sanyal, Ram Nath Sircar, Kali Churan Singh and others, and Syama Soonduri Dassya, and others, and Golam Abbas, Nazaruddin Chandhari, Mahamed Esrail, Fakoruddin Mahamed Assan, *alias* Azimuddin Choudhari and Anandamoni Dasya, will be sold for Rs. 295-7-4, being the balance of Rs. 1,450-10-1, their share of the revenue.

No 1120.—The recently accreted chur of Taraf Bharara, Pergunnah Bajuras Nazirpur, recorded proprietors, Mahabutnissa Sagirannessa Bibi, Tarabali Khan, Azimunnessa Bibi, Sonajan Bibi—Santamoni Devya, Mothoora Nath and Jodu Nath Mozoomdar, Saroda Soondari Devya, Hari Mohan, Har Nath, and Krishna Nath Pal, Ram Dhan Saha Umarannissa and Elahibaksh Khan. Sudder Jumma Rs. 755-14-11, will be sold for Rs. 189-6-7 being the balance of Government revenue due.

PUBNA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873. R. PORCH, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the District of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 15th day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1873.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Ali Poholla, proprietor, Tripuracharan Roy. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs. 994-0-6.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Baseer Hanif, proprietor Jafer Ali. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs. 173.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 1279.—Taraf Joyram Chowdry, proprietor, Abdool Odood Furkhond Bakt, Jahirnepa, Mobarek Bakt, Nozumnepa, Taznepa, Karinnepa and Mafiznepa. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,420-5.

C. L. CLAY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in Zillah Gya, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Gya Collector's Office of that district, on the 15th December 1873, corresponding with 11th Poos 1281 Fusli, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Act in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1873:—

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Toujee number.	Name of Mehal and Pergunnah.	Sudder Jumma.	Name of Proprietors.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.		
879	Jugdispur Arandi, Pergunnah Goh.	503 12 0	Mussamut Waidey Bagam, *alias* Waldey Bagam, Meir Kader Ally, Raja Khan Bahadoor Khan Bahadoor, Ogar Singh, Bundho Singh, Gangoo Singh, Ajeet Singh, Deodhary Singh, Chadee Singh, Kashee Singh, Doorga Singh, Kishoudhary Singh, Ahibran Singh, Ritbharan Singh, Umrit Singh, Khoob Lal Singh, Sonet Singh, Bichun Singh, Mussamut Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, Deonaraen Singh, Kashi Singh, Permashur Singh, proprietors and revenue-payers.	The share of Doorga Singh, Kishun Dhary Singh, Ahibran Singh, Ritharan Singh, Umrit Singh, and Khoob Lal Singh, alone bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 68-4, accounts of which had been separated under Act XI of 1859, and in which there was a balance of Rs. 8-2, will be sold. The revenue with respect to the remaining shares have been paid.
896	Dundowan, Pergunnah Goh.	1,226 12 0	Gokholanund Zemidar Singh, Bundhoo Singh, Pitamber Singh, Gangoo Singh, Ogar Singh, Doorga Singh, Kishindkary Singh, Ahebaran Singh, Rutharan Singh, Umrit Singh, Khoob Lal Singh, Permashur Singh, Mussamut Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, proprietors and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 981-6 had been separated under Act XI of 1859. These have been paid up, but their remains a balance of 8 annas in the Ijmalee share of Bundhoo Singh, Pitamber Singh, Gangoo Singh, Agar Singh, Musst. Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 184; and a further balance of Rs. 15-5 remains in the share of Permashur Singh, whose accounts of a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 61-6 was separated under Act XI of 1859, total balance Rs. 15-13, for the recovery of which the shares specified above will be sold.
1171	Gowhurpur, Sindbaree.	6,105 12 0	Deyanat Roy, Mussamut Jasoda Kuer, Moonshee Syed Ameer Ally, Mussamut Musseerun Roop Chand Saha, Kalee Dutt, Paran Sing, Sham Lall Singh, himself and guardian of Chotoo Singh, Causin, minor, Bhekdhary Singh, Jhuman Singh, proprietors, and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 2,693-4 were separated under Act XI of 1859, which has been paid. There now remains a balance of Rs. 325-9 in the Ijmalee share of Deyanat Roy, Moonshee Syed Ameer Ally, Mussamut Naseeran Roop Chand Saha and Kalee Dutt, and Paran Singh and Sham Lall, for themselves and as guardians for Chotoo Singh, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 3,412-8, and for the recovery of that balance the Ijmalee share above specified will be sold.
2995	Binda, &c. Pergunnah Sherghotty.	1,278 15 0	Doorga Pershad, Bolbhadur Sahoy, Ram Narain, Het Narain, Goordyal Singh, Kishoon Sahoy, Hem Chander Lal, Rutten Singh, Doarka Nath, Hurrebar Nath, Runjeet Singh, Moharaj Singh, Akbowree Moharaj Singh, Gowree Shunker, Dindyal Singh, Beehary Lall, Akhowree Bundoo Lall, Akhowree Beharee Lall Akhowree Jugdiss Sahoy, Akhowree Sheo Narain, Shunker Dyal, Ishur Dyal, Padya *alias* Raja Padhya, Akhowree Sheo Persad, Mothora Persad, Ramanoograh Lall, himself and guardian of Akhowree Ramkissen Lall, *alias* Chadee Lall, minor, Rawlashur Dyal, Goomanee Lal, Akhowree Gajadhar Persad, Gooshoe Sheo Sahoy, Geer Noonoo Padhya, Kissen Sahoy, Ram Chander Lall, Mohant Roop Narain Geer, Akbowree Rambux Lall, proprietors and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to different shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 746-1 have been separated under Act XI of 1859, and the revenue thereof paid up, this balance of Rs. 59-12 remains in the Ijmalee share of Doorga Sing, Balbadhur Sahoy, Ram Narain, Het Narain Goordyal Singh, Ruttun Sing, Doarka Nath, Runjeet Singh, Moharaj Singh, Akhowree Moharaj Singh, Gowree Shunker, Dindyal Singh, Beharee Lall, Akhowree Bundoo Lall, Akhowree Beharee Lall, Akhowree Jugdiss Sahoy, Shunker Dyal, Noonoo Padhya, and Akhowree Rambux Lall, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 532-14, and this share alone will accordingly be sold.

DHONESH C. ROY,
Deputy Collector in charge, for Collector on Tour.

GYA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of January 1874, corresponding with Monday, the 22nd Poos 1280, B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 1-0.—Allumpore, Pergunnah Allumpore; recorded proprietors, Ramini Soondiree Chowdharani, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 42,638-13-6, and Police Rs. 482-4-5. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 18,564-12-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 241-2-1½ on account of Police.

No. 17-0.—Dehi Alpha, Pergunnah Bugwan; recorded proprietors, Shantiram Rai and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 4,046-2-2½, and Police Rs. 44-14-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 159-3-1½ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 117-0.—Chandi, Pergunnah Pauznour; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,123-1-4, and Police Rs. 64-9-2. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 619-11-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 242.—Dehi Hejoolee, Pergunnah Mamjoani; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 955-13-10, and Police Rs. 12. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 373-15-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 6 on account of Police.

No. 338-0.—Turuf Majrhud, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Goluck Chandra Mookerjea and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 799-5-3¾. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Re. 1-12-10¼ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 438-0.—Turuf Ranaghat, Pergunnah Ranaghat; recorded proprietors, Issar Chandra Pal Choudhari and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 818-3-7, and Police Rs. 9-2-6. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 236-5-5 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 477-0.—Turuf Shampore, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Kala Chand Chakravarti and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 553-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 23-5-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estates.

No. 2179.—Chur Shamnuggur, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Mr. J. B. Mackintosh and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 523-9-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 43-10-9 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 2769-0.—Chur Notidanga, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Dinonath Mookerjee and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 517-3-10. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 5-13-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 3165.—Mouzah Mooralidanga, Pergunnah Ookrah; recorded proprietors, Jebonnessa Bebee and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 552-11-4. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Re. 0-10-4 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

NUDDEA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 10th November 1873. C. C. STEVENS, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Jessore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 18th December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

No. 134.—Kismat Kooshaberia, Pergunnah Onoopampur; recorded proprietors, Fakeerchand Telee Mandal and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 2,369-3-6. The first share of the estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 304-9-6, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Kishto Chandra Ghose and others, and Bushtab Charan Telee Mandal and others, Sudder Jummas Rs. 239-12-2, and Rs. 499-4-10, respectively, with whom separate accounts have ben opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 273.—Kismat Sreepoor Moujab, Pergunnah Imadpore; recorded proprietors, Ananda Chundra Chowdhuri and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 3137-3-9. The first share of the entire estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 6-2-7, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Menoka Soondari Dassia and Uma Cantha Gooha, Sudder Jumma Rs. 25 and Rs. 221-12-7, respectively, with whom separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 4575.—Talook Pergunnah Bhatla; recorded proprietor, Rajah Baroda Kant Roy Bahadur; Sudder Jumma of the estate, Rs. 5087-1-7¾. To be sold for arrears of Rs. 47-0-10½.

No. 5041.—Dehi Karora, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor, Ananda Lall Chowdhury and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 934-7-6. The estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-6-9, after deducting the second, third, fourth, and fifth shares of the proprietors Ram Narain Chowdhury and others, Mothoora Nath Acharja and others, Mathoora Nath Acharja and others, and Brommo Roop Gossami, Sudder Jumma Rs. 194-10-10, 166-267-1-5½, and 167-14-8, respectively.

JESSORE COLLECTORATE, the 8th November 1873. A. SMITH, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the District of Tirhoot, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's office of that District, on the 5th day of December 1873, corresponding with 1st Poos 1281 Fusli, for arrears of revenue due on the 8th October 1873:—

Class 1.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 652.—Mouzah Kherajat Julkur Bunkur, Pergunnah Haveli Durbhungah; recorded proprietors, Hurungee Chowdhery, Fukhurooddeen, Bujrungee Sahai, Keolaput, Shaik Hydur Ally, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 871-2. of which Jumma of Rs. 82-0-10 have been separated. The estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 789-1-11 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 21-11-3.

No. 682.—Abool Hussonpore, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Teelukdharee Singh, Doorgadutt, Dhanukdharee Singh, Runnoo Singh, Dabee Dutt, Hunooman Dutt, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 834-3-2. After deducting the revenue, Rs. 556-6-6, separated, the estate, with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 277-12-8, will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 39-7-3.

No. 692.—Mouzah Banthoo Hurbunse, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Kunchun Singh Thakoor, Karee Singh, Ghunnoo Singh, Dwarka Nath, Ajut Roy, Dhamak Roy, Indurjeet Singh, Mukrund Singh, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,931-12-2. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 1,476-12-9, separated, the estate with Sudder Jumma of Rs. 454-15-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 46-14-6.

No. 706.—Buriarpore Kandh, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Ramdayal Singh, Purbhoo Narain, Bunwareelall, Shewpursad, Mahesh Dutt, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 828-10-11. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 358-15-5, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 469-11-6 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 24-7.

No. 771.—Mouzah Russoolpore Wahid, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarah; recorded proprietors, Chatursal Singh and Mussamut Nagbunsi Koour; Sudder Jumma Rs. 2,641-10-5. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 2,067-6-2, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 574-4-3 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 48-11-10.

No. 1103.—Talooqah Narawan, Pergunnah Gudh Choowd; recorded proprietor, Surub Narain Singh; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,199-7-8. After deducting Government revenue, Rs. 1,058-9-3, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 140-14-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 16-3-2.

No. 1692.—Talooqah Saree, Pergunnah Kusmah; recorded proprietors, Doond Bahadoor Singh, Brijlall Singh, Goorpersad Singh, Joy Narain Singh, Bharosee Chowdhery, and others; Sudder Jumma, 1,382-10-4. After deducting Government Revenue, Rs. 1,152-5-11, separated the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 230-4-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 36-9-9.

No. 2114.—Rohuya Rajaram, Chukla Nyee, Pergunnah Bissarah; recorded proprietors, Durjon Roy, Bunwajit Singh, Gungaram Hurbunse Singh, Talla Singh, Dhoutal Singh, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 560-7. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 41-3.

No. 2953.—Mouzah Busuntpore Khedruk, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietor, Moonshee Ameer Ally; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 576-13-3. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 36-1-4.

No. 3004.—Mouzah Hoossenipore Pagumburpore, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietors, Puhalu Chowdhery, Jeon Chowdhery, Birjee Chowdhery, Adhum Chowdhery, Sahun Chowdhery, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 545-1-1. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 351-10, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 193-7-1 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 21-6-11.

No. 30049.—Mouzah Essahpore Asulkhunee Moktearpore, and Poorwariputty, &c., appertaining to Surmustpore, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietors, Shah Husaan Ally, Moorad Ally, Shaik Noor Ally, Shaik Kurm Ally, Ahmud Ally, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 4,449-14-8. After deducting the Government revenue, 4,228-8, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 221-6-8 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 51-9-11.

No. 3106.—Mouzah Mahtearpore Sulkhuni, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietors, Paran Rout, Dahaur Rout, Joogee Missor, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,174-6-5. After deducting Rs. 52-1, the estate will be sold with the Sudder Jumma of Rs.1,122-5-5 for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 46-15-11.

No. 4133.—Mouzah Mudhurapore, Pergunnah Jakhur; recorded preprietor, Shem Sahai Roy; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 676-2-5. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs 10-0-5.

No. 5117.—Bhugwanpore Pukri, Pergunnah Bissarah, Chukla Gurjowl; recorded proprietors, Kullain Muhton, Deena Muhton, Shewgobind Chowdhery, Gowri Lall, and Jhoonttee Gain. With the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 567-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 9-7-7.

No. 5130.—Tajpore Pooraina, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Mohsin Ally Khan, Anunt Lall, Mehdi Ally Khan, Mussamut Kumrnissah, and others. With Sudder Jumma Rs. 570-9-4, will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 32-14-8.

No. 6017.—Mouzah Pokhrawah Boozroog, Pergunnah Ahilwarrah; recorded proprietors, Jhoomuk Singh, Jugmahun Chowdhery, Toolshee Dutt Chowdhery, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 703-8-11. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 131-8-6, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 572-0-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 65-11.

No. 7447.—Mouzah Tengrahagashainpore, Pergunnah Marwahkullan; recorded proprietors, Mussamut Pabutty Koour and Ram Doolaree Koour; Sudder Jumma Rs. 992-8-10. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 17-14.

H. W. GORDON, *Covd. Dy. Collector, for Collector.*

TIRHOOT COLLECTORATE, the 1st November 1873.

اس تحریر کي روسے خاص و عام کو دفعه ۱۹ اکتوبر ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع کے مطابق اطلاع دیجاتي هي
که علاقجات موسومه ذیل موقوعه ضلع ترهت بعلت زر باقي وغیره مطالبه جنکو قوانین اوریکتوں متعلقه کے
روسے وصول کرنا جائز هي اور اس زر باقي اور مطالبه کو تا تاریخ ۱۸ اکتوبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع تاریخ
غایت ادا ے مالگذاري سرکار ادا ے کرنا واجب تها بالضرور تاریخ ۵ ۵ دسمبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع
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اقسام نمبر	نمبر توزیع	نام مالک ومالگذار وصدر جمع	کیفیت
نمبر ۱	نمبر ۶۵۲	خراجات جنکر وبنکر پرگنه حویلي دربهنگه جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام بریکي چودهري وفخرالدین وبجرنگي سهاسا وکنولا پت وشیخ حیدر علي وشیخ اکبر علي وفقیرچودهري وچهکوري لعل وسبو کشن ومکرم لعل وجونے چودهري ووسیم النسا وعد والنسا وتبول کنور مسماة بهوکنور وشیخ واعظ الدین حسین وسید لطف علي خان وبهگوان داس مدعا علیهم کا مندرج هي وجمع صدر اوسکا ۱۷۸-۶-۹ هي بعد منها ے ۶۸-۱۰ حصه شامل تفریق رول جسکے حصه کاحساب زمیندار سے بموجب دفعه ۱۰ اکتوبر ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع علیحده هوچکا هي بقیه حصه مدعا علیهم به تعداد ۱۱-۱-۹۸۹ جمع صدر بعلت باقي ۱۱-۱۶ کے نیلام هوگا۔	بعلت باقي مالگذاري سرکار
نمبر ۱	نمبر ۶۸۲	ابوالحسن پور چکله گرجول پرگنه بسارهه جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام تیلکدهاري سنگه ودرگادت ودنکدهاري سنگه وریون سنگه وپنڈت دهرماندت ومیشدت وشنکردت وهرکه نراین سنگه وکدیب نراین سنگه ورام پرشاد سنگه وسرب نراین سنگه ورام سهاے سنگه وهول سنگه وفوجدار سنگه ونهرن باندهه وکنورن باندهه ورام انوگرهه راے وکنهاے چودهري وگرپرشاد ساهي وهري راے ومسماة لاکهه مني کنورمادر والیه سرجیت نراین سنگه وسکهدیو نراین سنگه نابالغان ورام اوجها سنگه وچهکوراے ورگهوبردت وسریمورت سنگه وطوطا سنگه ورام انوگرهه سنگه وراده سنگه وشیوسهاے سنگه ورام نراین سنگه وسدا سیب پانده وایسر پانده وچکدون پانده ورام لعل پانده ولچهمي ٹها کروشمبهودت کنور وایکنا ٹهه کنور وکهدو ٹها کر ورام جیون ٹها کروجیوراے وکوري راے وکالي پرشاد سنگه نابالغ بولایت مسماة ابیل کنورمادر خود کوري ٹها کر وترتهه سنگه ومسماة جین کنورمادر والیه مهاراج کنور وجهوني رام گائین ورام کنور سنگه نابالغ بولایت مسماة هنکا کنور ولوجن سنگه ومنوتهه سنگه وچهیدي راے ودیدي راے ولوجن پانده پدروالي بهروهت نراین پانده ورام کرن راے وسورسه راے وسدیکشن راے وسنکر	شرح ایضا

رائے وسرنل رائے و برجماري سنگه و درگيال سنگه و لچهمي
نراين سنگه وشيخ واعظ الدين حسين مدعا عليهم كا مندرج
هي و جمع صدر مسلم محال ۲-۳-۸۳۴ هي اور اس محال
مين بعد منهاے حصه ديگر مالكان جاكے حصه كا حساب
زمينداري بمراد دفعه ۱۰ اكت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع به تعداد
۶-۶۰۶-۵۵ حصه سابلان تفريق رول عليحده هو چكا هي
بقيه حصه مدعا عليهم به تعداد ۸-۱۲-۲۷۷ جمع صدر بعلت
باقي ۳-۷-۳۹ كے نيلام هوگا ٭

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۶۹۲ شرح ايضا

باهنو هربنس چكله گرجول پرگنه بساره جسكے خانه مالگذار
مين نام كنچن سنگه ٹها كر وكاري سنگه و كنول سنگه و دوارکا
ناتهه واجب راے وده هماك راے واندرجيت سنگه و مكر
رند سنگه و بهيسر كا رجي و گوبند راے و رام دلاري كنور
و موا جهو كنور و مسماة كلاب كنور و مسماة بدن كنور و
بچنا تهه مهاے و ٹها كر پرشاد و مدن موهن مهاے همب
مهاے و رام نراين سنگه و رام سندر كنور و ٹها كر پرشاد
و مجلس مهاے و رگهوناتهه مهاے و رام انوگره مهاے
و راج بلبه و هردي نراين سنگه و بالچي نراين سنگه و بهوت
نراين سنگه و پروهت نراين سنگه و جيتن كنور مادر واليه
مهاراج كنور و جلدهر پرشاد و بهوانو سنگه خود والي مينا
رام سنگه و مسماة ربنال كنور مادر واليه ٹهكدهاري سنگه
نابالغ و بچنا تهه مهاے و ديدي راے و شيخ كفايت علي و
رادها مني راے و دومن راے و هنومان راے و دولت
راے و تيلكدهاري راے و نهاررراے و رام باد راے و
واملا كهه راے و لچهمن مهاے خود پدر والي شيوراج
مهاے و رام كنور سرنابالغ بولايت مسماة هنكا كنور و تلسي
سنگه خرد والي صاحب رام نابالغ و هنكي سنگه و شيخ
ولايت علي و شام نراين كا مندرج هي و جمع صدر مسلم
محال مبلغ ۲-۱۲-۱۹۳۱ هي اور اس محال مين بعد منهاے
حصه ديگر مالكان جسكے حصه كا حساب زمينداري بمراد
دفعه ۱۰ اكت ۱۱ سنه ۱۹۵۸ع به تعداد ۹-۱۲-۴۷۶ عليحده
هو چكا هي بقيه حصه مدعا عليهم به تعداد ۵-۱۵-۴۵۴ جمع
صدر بعلت باقي ۶-۱۴-۴۶ كے نيلام هوگا ٭

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۷۰۶ شرح ايضا

بريا رپور كاندهه چكله گرجول پرگنه بساره جسكے خانه
مالگذار مين نام رام ديال سنگه و پربهو نراين و بنواري لعل
و شيو پرشاد و ميشدت و مهاراج سنگه و جودها رام و
وبش گوپال و سيون لعل و شيوچرن لعل و جيسي رام و جي جي
رام و راج كنور سنگه و جمعيت لعل و هولاس تيواري و
و بسر مهاي و تلوبت راے و منا هي راے و كاليچرن سنگه
و اچل تيواري و ستهو اتيواري و دولت تيواري و رام
بخش تيواري و و ملك تيواري و پرميسر تيواري و رام
نراين تيواري و ديان نند پاتك و چوزاون سنگه و گريس
لعل و برجموهن لعل و دولم راے و اچراج مهاے و ناتهه
مهاے و هنك راے و گوركهه تيواري و رام مهاے سنگه و
و مسماة سروسن كنور و مسماة برسريچن كنور و مسماة هومان
كنور و روكمن كنور و هنون تيواري و شيخ الهي بخش و شيخ

دیدار بخش وکا لیجرن خود و سورج پرشاد وابشری پرشاد سنکسر تیواری و سوی تیواری وچهتر تیواری ورام دهاری تیواری وجمن تیواری و پربهو تیواری وکنهو تیواری ومسماة ادرے کنور زوجه لوجیه تیواری متوفی ودرسن تیواری ونهار تیواری مدعا علیهم کا مندرج هی وجمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۸۲۸-۱۰-۱۱ هی اور اس محال مین بعد منهاے حصه دیگران جنکے حصه کا حساب زمیندارے بمراد دفعه ۱۰ اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع به تعداد ۳۵۸-۱۵-۵ علیحده هوچکا هی بقیه حصه مدعا علیهم به تعداد ۴۶۹-۱۱-۶ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۲۴-۷ کے نیلام هوگا ۔

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۷۷۱ رسولپور واحد چکله گوجول پرگنه بساره جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام چترسال سنگه ومسماة ناگی بنسے کنور سائلان تفریق رول کا مندرج هی وجمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۶۶۴۱-۱۰-۵ هے اور اس محال مین بعد منهاے حصه دیگران جسکے حصه کا حساب زمیندارے بمراد دفعه ۱۰ اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع به تعداد ۲۰۶۷-۶-۲ حصه سائلان دیگر ومدعا علیهم علیحده هوچکا هی بقیه حصه شاملان رول به تعداد ۵۷۴-۴-۳ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۴۸-۱۱-۱۰ کے نیلام هوگا ۔

شرح ایضا

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۸۱۰۳ تعلقه نرالوان پرگنه گدهماوند جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام سرپ نراین سنگه مایل تقسیم کا مندرج هی وجمع مسلم محال ۱۱۹۹-۸-۷ هی اور اس محال مین بعد منهاے حصه دیگر سایلان ومدعا علیهم به تعداد ۱۰۵۸-۹-۳ جمع صدر بقیه حصه سایل تقسیم به تعداد ۱۴۰-۱۴-۵ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۱۶-۳-۲ کے نیلام هوگا ۔

شرح ایضا

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۱۶۹۲ تعلقه ساری پرگنه کسمه جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام دوند بهادر سنگه وبرج لعل سنگه وکرپرشاد سنگه وجی نراین سنگه وبهروسے چودهری مهادیو دت جها وابهی سنگه ورام راجت سنگه وجدی پرتاب سنگه وکشن پرشاد سنگه وهرهرپرشاد سنگه وبنیم لعل مهنه دهوماں دت ٹهاکر وشیوکهه ٹهاکر وشام سندر ٹهکر اینو نرسنگه ٹهاکر ولعل جیب ٹهاکر وبهول سنگه وهنومان سنگه ورامیشر دت وبچنا ته نراین عرف کوکل دت پرشاد ورام نراین سنگه وشنکر دت ٹهاکر وبرهمدت ٹهاکر وامرت ٹهاکر وتیواری جها وارجن ٹهاکر وهکو ٹهاکر وپرجا ٹهاکر وجیو کنور وجانکی کنور وشیو سهاے لعل ومسماة نرنکے ٹهکر اینو وبهولا ٹهکر اینو شیو سهاے سنگه ویابراو دیت نراین سنگه وبابو مهیب نراین سنگه وبابو کلدیب نراین سنگه وکاری جها وفقیر سنگه وبهکوان دت سنگه ومسماة دهاما کنور وکلسر جها کا مندرج هی وجمع صدر مسلم محال ۱۳۸۲-۱۰-۴ اور اس محال مین مین بعد منهاے حصه دیگران جسکے حصه کا حساب زمیندارے بمراد دفعه ۱۰ اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع به تعداد ۱۱۵۲-۵-۱۱ علیحده هوچکاهی بقیه حصه به تعداد ۲۳۰-۴-۵ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۳۶-۹-۹ کے نیلام هوگا ۔

شرح ایضا

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۲۱۱۴ شرح ایضا

رهوا رراجا رام چکله بدنی پرگنه بساره جسکے خانه مالگذار میں نام درجن راے و هوراجیت سنگه و گنگا رام و پرمیش سنگه وطالع سنگه و دهومال ٹهاکر و نچهو ٹهاکر وکوری ٹهاکر و امول ٹهاکر وجین سنگه و لچهانه سنگه و دیبی سنگه و پرشاد سنگه و هورل سنگه و توسنگه و سداسیب سنگه و اودبت سنگه و پرسه سنگه و شیون راے و انوت سنگه و سن سنگه و مال سنگه و سارسنگه و شیو ناتهه سنگه و پهوکراج راے و اودان سنگه و رام بهروسی سنگه گوپال سنگه و نق سنگه ورتو سنگه و امول تیواری و رام ادهین سنگه و رام سهاے سنگه و هنو سنگه و بودن سنگه و رام ادهین سهاے و سیتا رام و رام داری و کنچهاری سنگه و گود هاری سنگه و شیوحکم سنگه و سرجیت سنگه و کهیا سنگه و برج نراین سنگه و جهترنراین سنگه و سامان سنگه و کاسی سنگه و دیوے سنگه و لچهمی نراین سنگه و دربار سنگه و سیرسنگه و درگپال سنگه و تلسی سنگه و برهم سنگه و کلچن سنگه و سدها سنگه و سکدهاری سنگه و اودبن سنگه و بهاری سنگه و پرمیشر سنگه و کوری سنگه و ملکدهاری سنگه و مکنی سنگه و پرشاد ٹهاکر و هنومان سنگه و جیو سنگه و رام ناتهه سنگه و شاهون جها سنگه و دولت سنگه و اکلو سنگه و بهکنی سنگه و سیتل سنگه و شیوے سنگه و سوسری سنگه و سوکس سنگه و ابسری سنگه و جگدیو سنگه و مسماة ساهون کنور و مسماة کید رکنور و گوپال ٹهاکر و راجکنا رٹهاکر و گرولال چهکو لعل ولال لو لوکهن لعل کا مندرج هی و جمع صدر او سکا مبلغ ۶۵۰-۷ بعلت زر باقی ۳-۴۱ کے نیلام هوگا ●

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۲۹۵۳ شرح ایضا

سهب پور کند رکه پرگنه سرسا جسکے خانه مالگذار میں نام منشی امیر علي کا مندرج هی و جمع صدر او سکا مبلغ ۵۷۶-۱۳-۳ هی بعلت باقی ۴-۳۶۰ کے نیلام هوگا ●

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۳۰۰۴ شرح ایضا

حسنی پور معمر پور پرگنه سرسا جسکے خانه مالگذار میں نام سلو چودهری و جهلو چودهری و برج چودهري و ادهم چودهری و سوهن چودهري و سید کفایت حسین و بنسراج سنگه و جدپال سنگه و بهورن سنگه و ریو سنگه و پرجا سنگه و مسماة پیاری و امراد و بهادر سنگه و دیبی پرشاد سنگه و رام پرشاد سنگه و مسماة بنسی کنور و کمانی بے و سرمحسن و مسماة انوت کنور و ماگ منسے کنور و الیه شیو رج کنور نابالغه و مسماة جیس کنور و بهکن سنگه و لچهنور سنگه و رام چرن برار و لال هزاری لعل و رام اگره سنگه و لچهمی کنور و سنما رشنگه و برجو چودهری بهوبن چودهری و سراج سنگه و مسماة بے مذیر بخش و لال رام بهروسی و کاشی پرشاد و هربرشاد رسوهن راے سنگه و جواهر سنگه و شیو سنگه و گوبردهن سنگه و سکیاری سنگه و جگدیب سنگه و مسماة نورتن کنور و جها پرپرشاد سنگه و رام نرایں سنگه و چکرد هر سنگه و کندن سنگه و جو سهاے سنگه چهتر سنگه و هرا رسنگه و رگهوندن سنگه کا مندرج هی و جمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۵۴۵-۱-۱ هی اور اس محال میں بعد منهاے حصه دیگران جنکے حصه کا حساب زمیندار ی بموادفعه ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع بتعداد ۳۵۱-۱۰ علیحده هوچکا هی بقیه حصه مدعا علیهم بتعداد ۱۹۳-۷-۱ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۲۱-۶-۲۱ کے نیلام هوگا ●

نمبر ۱ | نمبر ۳۰۰۳۹ | شرح ایضا

منشی پور و سلکی مختار نثور و نور واری وغیرہ متعلقہ سرحت
پور پرگنہ سرسا جسکے خانہ مالک ارمین نام شاہ حسن
علی و مراد علی و شیخ نور علی و شیخ کرم علی و احمد علی
و بربھو سنگھ و اسد سنگھ و تلسی لعل و ھنکا لعل و منوھر
سنگھ و سنکر دیب و بھولا ناتھ و سیب لعل و بھروسی لعل و
بریات نراین چودھری و بے بے راندہ و اودھار جیون
و احماس کنور والیہ بسیسرد یال نابالغ و سید علی اشرف
و مسماۃ بے بے حصمن عرف امامی صاحبہ و سچن کنور و
گسام کنور و ھولسر کنور و جھوری جھا کوری جھا و مورت جھا
و شیخ اکبر علی و دولا رجھا و تلکو ھنون و چوراون منون
و جن منون و شیخ غلام محمد و وزیرن و مکرون و کالی
پرشاد والیہ مہاراج ساھی و مودن چوہ ھری و مسماۃ
زینب و چوا لعل و ستو لعل و مسماۃ بے بے پیاری و بھولا
ناتھ چودھری و میکراج چودھری و برسر چودھری و بر
جاری چودھری نابالغ بولایت مسماۃ جیلا جو نراین
چھکو سیب لعل و سیسرد یال و کشاند ت و اصلان منقسما
والیان چکدسی ساھی و برایہ مل پرشاد نابالغان و شام
لعل چودھری و سویمن چودھری و لعل باری لعل و سات
لعل چودھری عرف مورا ے چودھری لعل بنفشہ والی
مندر لعل چودھری عرف فوجدار چودھری نابالغ و
نراین جھا و ستون جھا و مال چودھری و رام لعل چودھری
و مسماۃ بے بے رسولن عرف بے بے کدیرن و مسماۃ بے بے واصلہ
و مسماۃ بے بے وزیرن و نرار چند و گوپال چند و دھرم چند
و گوسائین سورداس و اتمان چودھری و چوا لعل و ستون
جھا و دیبی جھا و رنگی جھا و اصلان بنفشہ والیان راج
بنسے جھا نابالغان و رام ساھے جھا و بوھون چودھری و
مسماۃ سرومن کنور و پری ساھو و پیاری لعل چودھری و
و لعل دار چودھری و بنسی لعل منصرو بوھر چودھری و
اصلان بنفشہ والی شام نراین چودھری نابالغ و اندر
چودھری و اکوری چودھری و سنوکے چودھری و مالک
چودھری و جیکا چودھری و مسکن چودھری و گون ھی
چودھری و سنی چودھری و طالع چودھری خفقان بھکو
چودھری و کیلو چودھری و برسمن چودھری والی ناتھہ
چودھری و جمن لعل و رام سرن لعل و سکو لعل و مدن
کشور پرشاد و سرادین لعل و رام جیون لعل و امانی
لعل و گوسائیں رام داس و مکا مہون و انی چنہ مہون و
و بے بے عشوہ و بنھداری منون و رحم علی و نیکھاری چودھری
و پردھن چودھری و گوپال لعل و اچت چودھری و
روشن چودھری و بالگوبند چودھری و مادھو رام چودھری
و کوماھی جھا و مہ لودداس و منسے ساھو و کھری چودھری
و جمن لعل و ھرپرشاد سنگھ و بولاے لعل و سرپرشاد و
رام پرشاد و ھواری پرشاد مدعا علیہم کا مندرج ھے و
جمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۴۴۴۹-۱۴-۸ ھے اور اس محال
میں بعد منہای حصہ دیگران جنکے حصہ کا حساب
زمیندار ی بمراد دعوہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع یہ تعداد

۴۲۲۸-۷ علیحدہ ہو چکا ہی بقیہ حصہ مدعا علیہم بتعداد ۵ مبلغ ۲۲۱۲۶-۸ جمع صدر بہ علت باقی ۱۱-۹-۱ کے نیلام ہوگا ۔

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۳۸۰۶ مختار پور سلکھنی پرگنہ سرسا جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام نراورادت ودھا دررادت وجوگی منصر وگوری منصر وسنکر منصر ودمن منصر ودبی منصر وظالم سنگھ وملک سرام ولچھمی نراین سنگھ ودھوری وبودھا رای سنگھ وزبن رای وجھیمن دوبہ عرف جگرن دوبہ مدعا علیہم کا مندرج ہی وجمع صدر مسلم محال ۱۱۷۴-۶-۵ ہی اور اس محال مین بعد منہای حصہ دیگران جنکی حصہ کا حساب زمیندار ی بمراد دفعہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع بتعداد مبلغ ۵۲-۱ علیحدہ ہو چکا ہی بقیہ حصہ مدعا علیہم بتعداد ۵-۵-۵-۱۱۲۲ جمع صدر بہ علت باقی ۱۱-۱۵-۴۶ کے نیلام ہوگا ۔ شرح ایضا

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۴۰۳۳ مدھورا پور پرگنہ جاتھور جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام شیوسہای رای کا مندرج ہی وجمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ ۶۷۶-۲-۵ ہی بعلت زر باقی ۵-۱۰ کے نیلام ہوگا ۔ شرح ایضا

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۵۱۱۷ بھگوان پور بکری چکلہ گرجول جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام کلیان جیون ودیشان چیون وشیوگوبند چودھری وگوری لعل وجھونی کائین کا مندرج ہی وجمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ ۵۶۷-۵ ہی بعلت زر باقی ۷-۷-۹ کے نیلام ہوگا ۔ شرح ایضا

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۵۱۳۰ ماصور پور سال چکلہ گرجول جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام معظم علی خان واسط لعل ومہدی علی خان ومسماۃ قمر النسا وامیر علی خان ومسماۃ مہر النسا ومسماۃ بے بے واجدہ وفضل حسین خان ومسماۃ مریم ومسماۃ قدیرن ومسماۃ رمین ورمن جیون وسرد اگران وجیسی رام دت کا مندرج ہی وجمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ ۵۷۰-۹-۴ ہی بعلت زر باقی ۸-۱۴-۳۲ کے نیلام ہوگا ۔ شرح ایضا

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۶۰۱۷ لوکر الوان بزرگ پرگنہ اھلوارہ جسکی خانہ مالگذار مین نام جیونک سنگھ حکمون چودھری وتلسی دت ویونس چودھری وطالع ورچودھری وسنی چودھری وشیودیال چودھری ولچھمی دت چودھری وشام لعل چودھری وشیوچودھری ومال چودھری وسمبودت چودھری ورامدرای چودھری وچکرجھا ورگھوبردت جھا وامرت لعل جھا نابالغ وسہاے لعل جھا وسرے لعل جھا وسیل جھا وسہا لعل کنور واچت جھا وامرت لعل چاماے وگودھارے چودھرے ۔ فضل چودھرے مدعا علیہم کا مندرج ہے وجمع صدر مسلم محال ۷۰۳-۸-۱۱ ہے اور اس محال مین بعد منہاے حصہ دیگران جسکے حصہ کا حساب زمیندارے بمراد دفعہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع بتعداد ۱۳۱-۸-۶ علیحدہ ہو چکا ہے بقیہ حصہ مدعا علیہم بتعداد ۵-۵۷۲ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۶۵-۱۱ کے نیلام ہوگا ۔ شرح ایضا

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۷۴۴۷ بگرا ھا کوسائین پور پرگنہ موواھا کلان جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام مسماۃ تارکنور ورام دولارے کنور کا مندرج ہے وجمع صدر اوسکا ۹۹۲-۸-۱۰ ہے بعلت زر باقی ۱۷-۱۴ کے نیلام ہوگا ۔

المرقوم ۲۷ ماہ اکٹوبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Sylhet will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of this District on Monday, the 5th January 1874, corresponding with 22nd Pous 1280 (*B.S.*), for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September, but that day having fallen within the Dussarah Vacation, the arrears became due on the 8th October following, being the first open day after the holidays.

1st Class.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 27502.—Taluk Korban, Reza Zemindar, of Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Jadab Ram Sarmah; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 645-15-7. The share of Braja Mohan Das, bearing a Jumma of Rs. 110-2, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, is excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 535-13-7. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 35-0-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31185.—Taluk Adam, Raja Zemindar, Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietors, himself and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,335-4-1. The shares of Muluk Chandra Das, Raj Kisor Das, Madan Mohan Das, Naba Kisor Das, Sivprasad Dutta, Syad Ulla, Sarap Chand Banu, Mussamat Kamida Bibi, on behalf of her minor son Sadat Ali Khan, Sekh Adai Mahomed Ali, Sekh Yaz, Mahomed Anchhar, Ayat Ulla, Radharam Mistari, Chandra Nath Mistari, Durga Ram Mistari, Tara Chand Das, Sujat Ali, Mahomed Azim, Amzad Ulla, Batir Mahomed, Ayin Ulla, Anwar Mahomed, Sukar Mahomed, Sekh Chand, Mahib Ulla, Pir Mahomed, Nazar Mahomed, Joad Ulla, Sekh Hiram, Raghu Nath Sarmah Bhatacharjea, Dina Mahi Debya, and Radha Nath Sarma, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 235-8-8, having been separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, in the name of Naba Durga Baidani, Mahessari Baidani, mother of Hara Nath Baida, and Kasi Nath Baida, to be sold for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 32. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 10-2-6 on account of the arrears of Government revenue; Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,067-11-5. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 383-1-7 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31186.—Taluk Kurban, Raja Zemindar, of Purgunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Aman Raza Zemindar; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,261-0-3. The shares of Syama Sundari Choudhurani, Dayalram Deb, Nazumun-nechha-banu, Mahomed Kalim, Sekh Arabdi, Sekh Samai, Mahomed Abdul Rahaman, Braja Kisor Saha, Mirza Hamid Ali, Tara Chand Dev, Kunja Mohan Saha, Nil Chandru Dhar, Baida Nath Dev, Kula Chandra Dutta, Tara Chand Dev, Sachuram Saha, Kalika Prasad Sarma, Mahomed Kamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Amil Choudhuri, Mahomed Chhamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Jehhahak Choudhuri, Ganga Gobind Dhar, Gupi Nath Sen, Ayn Ulla, Hiran Bibi, Pandab Ram Barai, Bhogirath Dev, Suntosh Ram Das, Ram Nath, Bharu Jugini, Nabin Chandra Sarmah, Sarna Bati Dasi, Jay Chandra Das, Pratinga Dasi, Lalita Dasi, Nihal Ram Das, Radhika Dasi, Mahes Chandra Dutta, Mirza Ibrahim Ali, Bisakha Dasi, Mufti Mahi, Jowda Ulla, Mussumut Sajina Banu, Arkan Uddin, Sekh Daim Ulla, Sekh Riaz Ulla, Pada Lochun Dutta, Manik Ram Dutta, Chandra Nath Datta, Rup Nath Dutta, Kadir Mahomed, Suruj Mia, Hamid Ulla, Sharif Mahomed, Harash Ram Nai, Hafiza Bibi, and Sekh Shamai, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 316-1-1, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Surba Nand Saha and Sada Nand Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-6. This share will be sold for the recovery of Re. 1-10 on account of the arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 942-9-2. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 154-2-8 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 40981.—Taluk Chaitanya Chand of Pergunnah Chaitan Nagar; recorded proprietor Umed Narayan Das; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 992-10-3. The shares of Gaur Prasad Aditta, Guru Prasad Aditta, Krishna Prasad Aditta, Raj Gobind Aditta, Ram Sunder Gopta, Goluk Chandra Gopta, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 144-14-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 847-12-0. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 59-9-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54726.—Hissah Syad Ahamed Raza, Pergunnah Jaraf; recorded proprietor, Purusram and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,509.

The shares of Dolgavind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Govind Palit, Ram Charan Raut, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Deb, Ram Narayan Anda, Ram Gobind Das, Lalita Dasi, Gabardi Mahi, Chhabadi Mahi, Joahid Mahi, Muzed Mahi, Ohad Mahi, Radha Charan Das, Chaitam Charan Das, Jasada Bati Dasi, Mohan Nath, Surja Nath, Shaik Kaim-uddin, Shaik Abdul Jabbar, Golak Chandra Singh, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of his minor brother Abduchhchhobhan, Abdul Kadir, Mahomed Anwar, Sayeda Dhan Bibi, wife of Syed Saha Asraf Ulla, Sarat Chundra Dutta, Bharat Chundra Banika, Kunja Kisor Banika, Ram Sunder Banika, Ram Jay Banika, Ram Narayan Banika, Rajnarayan Banika, Ramlochan Banika, Syad Muzmil

Hassan, Syada Alam Chand Banu, wife of Syad Saha Ahamed Ulla, Jugo Mohun Das, Sunatan Das, himself and on behalf of his minor brothers, Sudursan Das, Badan Ram Das, Shaik Niamat Ulla, Shaik Ayat Ulla, Syad Nimber Ali, Syad Muzmil Husain, Mussumat Bhaba Chand Bibi, wife of Kamil Baks, Ichha Mahi Choudhurani, Mahamed Khatir Tarafdar, and Arsad Ulla, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 662-1-11, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Jasa Dasi, wife of Jharu Ram Saha, and Nila Bati Dasi, wife of Nilchand Shaha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-0-10.

This share will be sold for the recovery Re. 1-3-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 844-13-3. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 142-10-0 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54727.—Hissa Syad Madan Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Ram Bullabh Dev and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,784-3-2. The shares of Jasadabati Dasi, Dolgobind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Gobind Palit, Mussumat Paran Jan Bibi, Rajkisor Dev, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Har Gobind Das, Mussumat Rabia Bibi, Sekh Abdul Aziz, Mussumat Nek Jan Bibi, Sekh Aynuddin, Mussumat Namiza Bibi, Mussumat Anchhar Bibi, Tarini Debya, wife of Kali Charan Sarmah, Parbati Nath Sarmah, Naba Chandra Sarmah, Ram Gobind Das, Achh Ali, Kali Kisor Gopta, Helim Ulla, Adil Mahamed, Chhabil Mohamed, Fazil Mohamed, Hazir Mohamed, Jasa Dasi, Nila Bati Dasi, Bhubanessari Dasi, widow of Munshi Raj Mohan Dev, Radha Mohan Dev, Jugul Kisor Das, Ram Kisor Das, Saday Gobind Nandi, Kalika Prasad Dev, Sarup Chandra Sarmah, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Choudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Mussumat Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussumat Ful Bibi, Fita Mahomed, Jasada Bati Dasi, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chandra Banika, Madhu Sudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjoy Banika, Siri Charan Banika, Ram Ruttan Banika, himself and on behalf of Bissambar Banika minor, Sekh Mahomed Hussain, Sekh Nyamat Ulla, Sekh Mohamed Arip, Gour Ram Chandra, Sumbhu Ram Chundra, Sekh Mohamed Chhami, Sekh Mulfat Ulla, Sekh Tarik Ulla, Sekh Anchhar, Sumbhoo Chandra Sarma, Jiban Krishna Das Choudhuri, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Ram Kisor Das Chouduri, Kasi Chundra Dev, Kailas Chandra Dev, Inai Nigari, Mussamat Amir Chand Banu, wife of Sekh Amzad Ulla, Kirti Chandra Sarma, Pukai Ram Pal, Pran Krishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chandra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Mazumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 443-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jamma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Brindabun Dutta, Kamal Charan Dev, Alizan Bibi, Sumbhu Nath Dutta, Kasi Nath Dev, Gopal Krishna Saha, Brindaban Saha, Dasarath Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 49-6-7.

This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 6-8-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 2,291-9-7. This Mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 181-14-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54729.—Hissa Syad Kam Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Jay Gobind Ray and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,966-14-11. The shares of Hameda Bibi, on behalf of her minor sons Mohamed Rahich, Mohamed Idrich, Mussamat Mayn Chand Bibi on behalf of her minor son Mohamed Jachkim, Mohamed Abduchhamad, Mahamed Abdul Kadir, Dul Gobind Palit, Har Gopind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Kali Suran Dutta, Syada Abchhar Nechha, Omaid Ulla, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Umatara Debya, Ram Gobind Das, Arnapurna Dasi, Mussamat Jarina Banu, wife of Shek Bachhir Mohamed, Saruf Chandra Sarma, Golak Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussamat Ful Bibi, Kasalya Dasi, Parbati Dasi, Har Kumar Dutta, Kudrat Ulla Choudhuri, Sumbhu Chandra Sarma, Hare Krishna Das, Jiban Krishna Das, Ram Kisor Das Choudhuri, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of Mohamed Munsur; Abdul Subhan, Abdul Kadir, Subhadra Dasi, wife of Ratna Bullabh Das, Uttara Dasi, wife of Baida Nath Das, Naba Narayan Das, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chundra Banika, Mudhusudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjay Banika, Siv Charan Banika, Ramrattan Banika, himself and on behalf of his minor brother Bisamber Banika, Kasi Ram Chung, Kirti Chundra Saha, Nitya Nanda Saha, Nimai Chand Saha, Dinno Nath Saha, Byda Nath Saha, Janaki Dasi, wife of Pran Krishna Gope, on behalf of her son Krishna Chandra Gope, Abdul Rasid on behalf of his minor son Abdul Maiz, Abdul Latif, Sarat Chandra Dutta, Sekh Jabulla, Sekh Sarafat Ulla, Sekh Ulfat Ulla, Sekh Mayrdi, Pran Kishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chundra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Muzumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, Pukairam Pal, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 429-2-10, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Tara Chund Kar, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 13-2-2. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 9-7-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma

of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,524-9-11. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 75-8-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 51937.—Taluk Saha Rezwan Uddin, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Syam Ram and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 722-8-2. The shares of Naba Kiser Deb, Jugal Kisor Deb, Ram Charan Pal, Abhoya Charan Deb, Amara Charan Deb, Uma Charan, Adyat Charan Deb, himself and on behalf of his brother Annada Charan Deb, minor, Ram Narayan Anda, Karuna Mayi Debya, Kalikisor Gopta, Rattana Bullath Das, Subhadra Dasi, Baidy Nath Das, and Uttama Dasi, Naba Narayan Das, Tas Mohamed, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 67-9-5, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 654-9-9. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 11-4-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 56509.—Taluk Syad Badardi Hasan, Pergunnah Gada Husain Nagar; recorded proprietor, Babrul Hasan and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 783-3-2. The shares of Ram Charan Raut, Saheb Ram Deb, Har Gobind Pal, Ram Kumar Deb, Sukha Mayi Dasi, wife of Ram Charan Raut, and Daya Mayi Choudharani, wife of Bisnu Prasad Banika, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 58-13-6, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 674-5-8. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 29-1-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

H. C. SUTHERLAND, *Officiating Collector.*

SYLHET COLLECTORATE, the 10th November 1873.

Notice.

The undermentioned estates or lots of waste lands in Chittagong will be re-sold by public auction at the Office of the Collector of that district on Tuesday, the 2nd day of December 1873 at noon, for arrears of interest money and other Government demands agreeably to Section 6 Act XI of 1859, on account, and at the risk, of the defaulters.

No. of lot.	Name of defaulting proprietors.	Thannah in which situated.	Area in acres.	Arrears of interest money.	Balance of purchase money.	Balance of survey charges.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
67a	Durga Mohun Roy ...	Potia ...	1,575	909 15 4	1,112 8 0	114 4 0	
92	Jowalager Bharati ...	Zorwargunge..	604	567 8 1	1,246 2 0	154 14 0	
98	Krishna Chandra and others.	Fatickchari ...	634	2,265 0 7	7,013 8 0	98 10 0	

(Sd.) J. C. VEASEY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
4 Cases, no mark	Hereford.
1 Portmanteau, A. F. Jeffreys, care of P. & O. Co. Agent, Calcutta	Hydaspes.
1 Cask, A L	China.
1 Cabinet-ware, no mark	Ditto.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 19th of November 1873.

4 Pillows, no marks	Hindostan.
2 Tin Boxes, no marks	Ditto.
1 Bundle Sundries, no marks	Ditto.
1 Parcel, Messrs. J. N. Fleming, and Co.	Statesman.
1 Case, D R Calcutta	Meinam.
1 Case, no mark	Chaldea.
1 Case, [J. A. & Co., H] Calcutta	Callirrhoe.
1 Case, R B [S C D]	Ditto.
1 China Couch, no mark	Hindostan.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 13th of December 1873

1 Case, [83] McC. & Co.	Callirrhoe.
1 Case, F M	Ditto.
1 Cask, K. H. H. S. K. R. & Co., Calcutta	Ditto.

N.B.—The above landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 2nd day of January 1874.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 15th November 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the undermentioned Ships have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Nov. 14th ...	8 Pieces Machinery, H. M. G. & Co.,	H. Miller & Co. ...	City of Oxford.
,, 14th ...	1 Piece Machinery, C. H. P. & Co.	B. Schiller & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Fire Bar, No mark	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	5 Cases, A & S	... ,, ...	Duke of Sutherland.
,, 14th ...	3 Cases, [A. S. & Co.]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Case, addressed	... W. McArthur ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	2 Cases, B. L. & Co.	... B. Lawrie & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	2 Cases, B C P	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	7 Cases, addressed	... Lord Ulick Brown ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Colonel Brown, Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	4 Cases, B K D	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Major A. E. Campbell ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Case, [D. & Co.] A B	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	3 Cases, D U C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	11 Cases [114] E D J	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	2 Cases, = 94 =	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Cask, [F T]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	2 Bales, [H & C]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	2 Cases, H G S	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	5 Cases, Medical Department [crows foot]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Case, Military Department [crows foot]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Case, [ ] J N	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Case, [K C S]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	9 Packages, L N P	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	100 Cases, [M. C. D. & Co.]	... G. Teil & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	3 Packages, W. K. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	4 Cases, [M K] B. L. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	2 Bales, N. M. G., S K C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	3 Packages, no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	24 Cases, O & S, C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Case, [81] P C P, E & C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	2 Cases, [P.J C]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	10 Cases, addressed	... L. C. Probyn, Esq. ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	3 Cases, [P] S. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	7 Packages, [11] R N	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Package, [W. R. S. & Co]	... F. T. Brooks & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	3 Cases, W B V	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	13 Cases, [W J M] B. L. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Case, [W J M] B. L. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	2 Casks, [H W M] or	... Major H. Waller ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	2 Cases, [X]	... Ahmuty & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Small Case, [F]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Small Parcel S S or	... Ewing & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Parcel, [H B G]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Small Truss addressed	... Huber & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Bar Iron, S	... Hurry Dass Dutt ...	Ditto.
,, 14th ...	1 Rod Iron, S	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	9 Packages, H. M. & Co.	... ,, ...	John Tennant.
,, 11th ...	1 Package Lead, no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, [138] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1873.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Nov. 11th ...	2 Cases, = 234 =	... Order	... John Tennant.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, = 348 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	27 Cases, [A. L. & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, [87] A. B. & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, = 16 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, A V P	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Cases, B M B, R I B	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, J D S, or addressed	... T. Belmer Shand	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case [C 31]	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Cases [C & M]	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	10 Cases, [114] E D J	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	3 Packages, E F T	... W. Magor & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, addressed	... U. Forbes, Ceylon	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, G G C D N	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	30 Packages, addressed	... C. E. R. Girdlestone, care of manager Delhi and London Bank	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	3 Cases, [J D S] L R C	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	19 Packages, O & S C	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Officers Mess, 1st Battalion, 4th Regiment, Fort William, care of Military Store-keeper	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Captain W. Jrappillon, 92nd Highlanders, care of G. Arbuthnot & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Packages, [R M] C	... Ralli & Mavrojani	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, S C S	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, S N G	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Captain C. Strahan, R.E.	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Case, T S & L S	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	30 Packages, [T M M G]	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	19 Cases, [T I M G]	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	5 Cases, = 2 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	12 Cases, = 3 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Cask addressed	... F. Taylor, Esq., care of Grindlay & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Cases, [W. G. W. & Co.	... F. T. Brooks & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	18 Parcels, [B] A C	... D. S. Show & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Small Parcel, addressed	... Escombe Brothers	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Parcel, addressed	... G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Cask, [H W] B & F	... F. T. Brooks & Co.	Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Casks, [B N D N]	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	2 Casks, addressed	... Officers Mess, 85th Light Infantry, G. Arbuthnot & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Cask, [88] T D P E & Co.	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 11th ...	1 Bundle pipe, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
12th ...	5 Bales, A J B, Rangoon	... ,,	... Eldamo.
12th ...	1 Case, [B. I. S. N. Co.]	... M. Mackenzie & Co.	Ditto.
12th ...	4 Cases, C W S] Z	... Order	... Ditto.
12th ...	1 Case, addressed	... C. C. Anderson, Esq., care of King, Hamilton & Co.	... Ditto.
12th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Lieutenant L. J. A. Chapman, Royal Artillery and Battery, 8th Brigade.	Ditto.
12th ...	2 Cases, [C] Rangoon	... Order	... Ditto.
12th ...	32 Cases, [7390] Mandalay	... ,,	... Ditto.

Date of Arrival to Import Warehouse	No.	Marks and Description	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.				
Nov. 12th ...	2	Cases, [D E] C & B	... G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Eldamo.
„ 12th ...	13	Cases, [114] E D J	... Order ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	20	Cases, [G D G 247] E R	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, addressed	... Mrs. Goddock, passenger ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Package, [H. W. J. & Co]	... H. W. Hailer ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	5	Cases, K. D. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, K D P	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, [85] M. C. & Co.	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, addressed	... Manager Mussori Saving's Bank Mussori ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, addressed	... Hon'ble G. Morris, care of C. Cowie & Co. ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, addressed	... H. Muspratt, B. Smyth & Co. ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, [119] M. C. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, [M S] A B	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, no mark	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	21	Bales, S N N C	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	3	Packages, no mark	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	22	Cases, addressed	... Officers, 45th Regiment, Rangoon ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, addressed	... Colonel Parkins, Officiating Commissioner, Lucknow ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	2	Cases, [18] P C P, E & C	... Order ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Case, R. D. & Co.	... Richard Dunlop & Co.	Eldarado.
„ 12th ...	6	Packages, R B & S	... Order ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	2	Cases, addressed	... Rowe & Co., Rangoon ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	3	Packages, addressed	... Lieut.-Colonel Rooke, Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	719	Spelter Cakes, no mark	... Order ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	10	Cakes Spelter, S T H	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	2	Broken Pieces, S T H	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	17	„ „ no mark	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Grindstone, [T D] C W	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	2	Cases, [W B] H	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Small Parcel, addressed	... Smellie & Co. ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	„ „	... Ewing & Co. ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	„ „	... Lyall, Rennie & Co...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	„ „	... A. Schiltizie & Co...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Small Package, addressed	... Barton & Co. ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Small Parcel, [H B G]	... Order ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	„ [C. C. & Co.]	... „ ...	Ditto.
„ 12th ...	1	Round Bar Iron, [S B C M] or no mark	... Moorkerjee Clark & Co. ...	Ditto.
„ 14th ...	316	Packages, A E B a quantity of steel	... J. N. Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
„ 14th ...	487	Kegs of Steel, O & S C	... Oakes & Sons ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 15*th November* 1873.

W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairma*

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Notification.

WANTED a Kanongoe or Surveyor of the Second Class on Rs. 25 a month for the Di of Goalparah. Candidates who passed the last Native Civil Service Examination need o apply, with a certificate from the Commissioner of the Division to which he has been pos that there is no objection to his being appointed in this district.

POORNANUND BORDOAH, *Extra Asst. Commr., in charge.*

GOALPARAH, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 9th November 1873.

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SURVEYOR-GENERAL'S OFFICE, Calcutta, 29th October 1873.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6110	L/19 35736	50	Santo Chunder Banerjee.
6114	A/83 39566	50	John Demitrius.
6118	A/91 83429	100	Shaik Ameerjaun.
	A/92 76550	50	
	L/19 04171	50	
6119	L/6 69699	10	Pte. John Bunce.
	L/8 61341	5	
6121	L/19 18921	50	Abdoolla Moosah.
6124	L/8 59023	100	Seetul Pershad Bluggut.
	,, 59025	100	
	,, 59030	100	
	,, 59031	100	
6139	L/8 61778	100	Gopalkristo Paulit.
6149	,, 80638	100	Grish Chunder Chatterjee.
6169	L/8 84664	100	Hurrish Chunder Dutt.
	,, 49178	100	
6172	A/88 37583	50	Roop Laul Ghose.
6175	A/80 44866	10	Seetul Chunder Roy.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

6112	L/8 29593	100	A. Brownlow.
6116	L/4 45510	10	Doorgadas Chatterjee.
6120	L/12 45593	20	W. Ridler.
6122	L/8 29466	100	Nanabhoy Hormusjee Hadowad.
6125	L/4 84410	10	Aubinash Chunder Chatterjee.
6127	L/13 91610	20	Preonath Roychowdhory.
	L/2 87108	5	
6129	A/87 10238	1,000	Revd. A. Marietti.
6132	L/1 60788	10	R. Williamson.
6133	L/3 02253	10	The Offg. Manager, Agra Bank, Limited.
	L/3 06436	10	
	L/3 82615	10	
6135	A/20 47347	10	Messrs. Ernest and Co.
6137	L/8 34390	100	Woodoy Chund.
6143	L/1 61165	10	Shaik Fuzzle Ahmed.
6144	A/98 32007	10	Haradhone Ghose.
	L/3 65383	10	
6145	A/94 25996	100	Dwarkanath Chuckerbutty.
6147	A/95 36658	10	L. Mendes.
6151	L/13 95615	20	Kurm Chund Dooghur.
	,, 95617	20	
6152	L/9 64440	5	Ramjeeawan Lal.
	,, 64441	5	
6153	A/99 10782	20	Grish Chunder Bose.
6154	A/89 20422	500	Nundololl Mitter.
6155	L/32 70072	10	Mrs. H. Hashman.
6156	A/99 13695	20	Greedhury Chowdhury.
6157	L/2 73535	10	Khanja Khaw.
6159	A/91 66853	100	Bhoobun Mohun Roy.
	L/19 10100	50	
6161	L/17 29364	20	Aushotosh Addy.
	,, 29366	20	
6163	L/1 14554	10	Gridhur Chowdhury.
6164	L/32 25349	10	Gopalchunder Mookerjee.
6166	L/14 04834	20	Sham Chund Bose.
	L/16 83279	20	
6167	A/96 24306	10	J. C. Reid.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6170	L/12 14173	20	Messrs. Gladstone Wyllie & Co.
	" 23007	20	
6171	L/1 78216	10	Captain G. F. Blowers.
	A/69 70504	10	
6173	L/55 09425	10	Clara Leech.
	" 13473	10	
6174	L/5 56971	100	Jadub Chunder Chuckerbutty.

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6115	L/8 27636	100	Messrs. T. F. Brown, and Co.
	" 27637		
6117	L/9 93426	5	Kallachund Das.
	" 93434		
6123	A/82 06908	20	Nundolaul Dutt.
	" 06906		
6126	A/99 97266	20	T. Nujeebooltah.
	" 97268		
6128	L/9 17294	5	Bissun Tewary.
	" 17292		
6131	A/83 91197	50	Messrs. Todd, Finlay and Co.
	" 91196		
6136	L/9 69843	5	Messrs. T. E. Thomson and Co.
	" 69913		
6138	L/5 05560	10	L. D. Torres.
	" 05559		
6140	A/10 46022	10	Kissory Laul Seal.
	" 46026		
	A/67 74245	10	
	" 76918		
	A/79 23582	10	
	A/30 02314		
	A/83 22519	20	
	" 22518		
6141	A/95 74100	20	Somboonath Kattree.
	A/74 62116		
6142	L/10 30535	5	Degambur Mookerjee.
	" 30535		
	L/9 51775	5	
	" 51777		
6146	L/10 85708	5	J. Sutcheffe.
	" 85706		
6148	A/96 17571	10	Cany Laul Seal.
	A/23 46171		
	L/7 12299	10	
	" 12297		
6150	A/94 04384	20	Ramchunder Dey.
	L/12 13538		
6158	A/21 04120	10	Sreebash Dutt.
	" 55120		
6160	L/2 79519	10	Khetter Mohun Shome.
	" 79516		
6162	A/50 67890	10	G. J. Roseboom
	" 67887		
6165	L/7 49089	20	Jogessur Day.
	" 49087		
6168	L/10 93175	5	Gunesh Das Gunga Ram.
	L/9 59695		
	L/6 43717	10	
	L/6 51851		
	L/1 23346	10	
	A/98 05586		

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 17th November 1873.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Notice.

THE Cachar Melâ will as usual be held at Silchar, commencing on Tuesday, the 30th December 1873, corresponding with 16th Pous, 1280 (B.S.), and continue for as many days as may be considered necessary.

E. Y. WALCOTT, *Asst. Commr. in charge of Dy. Commr.'s Office.*

CACHAR, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 23rd October 1873.

Notice.

THE Singhbum Annual Fair will be held as usual at Chyebassa during the last fortnight in December 1873.

C. H. GARBETT, *Captain, Offg. Dy. Commr., Singbhum.*

CHYEBASSA, the 22nd October 1873.

Matabhangah River.

Weekly Report showing the Least Depth of Water from the Entrance of the Matabhangah River to Kissengunge, the week ending on Friday, the 7th November 1873.

Name of Shoals.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance from the Ganges ...	5	0	
Tatarparah ...	3	0	
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia ...	3	6	
„ Hât Bolia to Cut No. 1 ...	12	0	
„ Cut No. 1 to Boalmaree ...	4	6	
„ Boalmaree to Alickdeah ...	3	9	
„ Alickdeah to Kissengunge ...	4	3	
Jellinghy River.			
Entrance ...	5	6	
From Entrance to Jellinghy ...	0	3	
„ Jellinghy to Teakatta ...	0	4	
„ Teakatta to Nuddea ...	2	6	

H. T. FORBES, *Major, R.A., Exe. Engineer, Nuddea District.*

KISHNAGHUR, the 12th November 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the Least Depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 14*th November* 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Chourasea ...	12	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles ...	3	6	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles ...	2	10	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles ...	2	9	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles ...	2	6	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles ...	3	3	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 17th November 1873, above zero, 3 ft. 2 inch.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Moorshedabad District.*

BERHAMPORE, the 17th November 1873.

Notice

Is hereby given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at the Judge's Kutcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale :—

A pucka two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race Course, and renting monthly for Rs. 175.

A thatched bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

A half-share of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., Purneah. (386—10)

Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that in conformity with Section XV of the Charter Act IV of 1862, a meeting of the Proprietors of the Bank of Bengal will be held on Monday, the 8th December 1873, at 10 o'clock A.M., to elect two Directors in room of Messrs. R. A. Lyall, and W. T. Berners who go out by rotation.

By order of the Directors,

CALCUTTA, 17th November 1873. (432—1) R. HARDIE, *Secy. & Treasurer.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 11th Nov. 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.		Rs. A. P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000 0 0	Government Securities		1,60,70,665 8 0
Reserve Fund		15,47,380 8 9	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		43,51,792 3 7
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,39,19,580 15 10	3,38,25,638 8 4	Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		19,14,810 3 2
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	„ 1,99,06,057 8 6		Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,00,27,781 13 8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		3,07,89,327 0 8	Dead Stock		11,40,013 2 10
Bank Post Bills, &c.		2,78,800 4 0	Stamps		13,275 14 0
Sundries		6,08,628 6 8	Balances with other Banks		3,28,787 3 2
			Sundries		87,424 6 6
			Bullion		3,05,738 12 3
					4,42,40,293 14 2
			Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,46,71,295 15 3	4,48,09,480 13 10
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	„ 3,01,38,184 14 7	
Total ...		8,96,49,774 12 0	Total ...		8,96,49,774 12 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 13th November* 1873.

F. A. GILLAM, *Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.*

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

(433—1)

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

UNCOVENANTED SERVICE FAMILY PENSION FUND.

Result of votes received on the proposed amendments in the Rules and Bye-laws of the Fund submitted in Circular No. 2, dated the 30th April 1873.

FOR PROPOSED AMENDMENTS.		AGAINST THE AMENDMENTS.	
Wholly in favor	561	Wholly against	4
Partly in favor	66	Partly against	55
Total ...	627	Total ...	59

On the questions submitted in paragraphs 5 to 7 of the Circular.

	FOR		AGAINST.
	During residence.	*Life.*	
I. Whether Mr. G. W. Kellner shall be appointed an additional Director for life or during his residence in India	579	4	96
II. If so, whether Rule 5 shall be further amended as proposed in paragraph 7	558		121

The amended Rules and Bye-laws will accordingly be brought into operation from the 1st December 1873.

By order of the Directors,

W. H. RYLAND, *Secretary,*

CALCUTTA, UNCOVENANTED SERVICE FAMILY PENSION FUND OFFICE, The 8th November 1873. (428—1)

Administrator-General's Office.

THE undermentioned Estates having come under charge of this office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said Estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned :—

William Finlay Hamilton, a Lieutenant in Her Najesty's 15th Hussars, died at Meerut on the 22nd May 1873.

Francis FoGambee Courtenay, of No 15, Saville Row, in the County of Middlesex in England, died at Malvern, in Worcester, in England, on the 19th June 1872.

Henry Macdonald, a Major in the Bengal Staff Corps, died near Fort Michuee, in Peshawur, on the 21st March 1873.

James Samuel Greer, a Captain in Her Majesty's 26th Regiment of Foot, died at Morar, in Gwalior, on the 15th August 1873.

David Walsh, a Riding-Master in Her Majesty's 10th Hussars, died at Muttra on the 3rd August 1873.

Robert Campbell, of Bucknour Indigo Factory, in the District of Shahabad, died at Shahabad on the 21st May 1873.

Robert Lyall, of Naraingunge, in the District of Dacca, died at Calcutta on the 17th May 1873.

Charles Alexander (*alias* Charles Alexander Pereira), an Overseer in the Jail Establishment of the Nicobar and Andaman Islands, died at Port Blair on the 6th July 1873.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, Calcutta, 8th November 1873. (427—1)

Administrator-General's Office.

NOTICE.

Admitted claims against the undermentioned Estates are payable on Tuesday and Friday as usual.

Estates	Claims or Dividend.	Rate of Dividend per Rupee.
Drummond W. L. P., Captain, late of the Bengal Staff Corps	1st dividend ...	at 4 as. 6¾ pie.
*Hawkins F. D., Captain, late in the Bengal Staff Corps ...	Claims in full.	
Harrison A., Captain, late in the General List of Infantry, and attached to the 42nd A Light Infantry, 1st Wing, Subaltern	*Ditto	ditto.
Kemble J. H., late Manager of the Diffloo Tea Factory in Assam	Ditto	ditto.

N. B.—Persons interested in the surplus of the estates marked * are requested to make immediate application to the Administrator-General, forwarding documentary evidence of their claims.

Persons presenting receipts for payment are requested at the same time to produce the registry certificates which have been granted to them from this Office.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, Calcutta, the 18th November 1873. (435—1)

R. Scott Thomson and Company, "Limited."

THE Twenty-first Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 15, Government Place, Thursday, the 20th November 1873, at noon, for the purpose of declaring an *ad-interim* Dividend for the Half-year ended 30th September last.

By order of the Directors.

The 23rd October 1873. (417—3) JNO. FRED. HAMER, *Secretary.*

Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-third Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will take place at the Registered Office of the Company, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Old Court House Street, on Saturday, the 29th November 1873, at 3 P.M., to receive the report of the Directors, and an *ad interim* statement of accounts for the half-year ended 31st August last, and for the transaction of such other business as may be placed before the Meeting. By order of the Directors.

CALCUTTA, the 27th October 1873. (411—5) A. DONALDSON, *Acting Secretary.*

Anuttipore Tea Company, "Limited."

An Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office, No. 7, Church Lane, on Tuesday, the 25th November 1873, at 10 A.M., for the purpose of declaring a second *ad interim* dividend, and also for altering article No. 39 of the Articles of Association defining the qualification for Directors, from "at least fifty shares in the Company" to "at least thirty shares in the Company."

CALCUTTA, the 14th November 1873. J. MACKILLICAN & Co., *Secretaries & Agents.*

(429—1)

Notice.

A Special General meeting of the Shareholders of the Dulcherra Tea Company, Limited will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 6, Mission Row, at noon, on Wednesday, the 19th instant, to pass a special resolution to wind up the Company, as the number of shareholders is now under seven.

CALCUTTA, 5th November 1873. (420—2) YOUNG, GRAY, AND Co., *Secretaries.*

Bengal Coal Company, "Limited."

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 27, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at 11 o'clock A.M., on Saturday, the 22nd November next.—By order of the Directors,

CALCUTTA, the 6th August 1873. (434—1) T. M. ROBINSON, *Managing Director.*

Lost, Stolen, or Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 153 of the 5 per cent. of 1856-57, for Rs. 1,200, originally standing in the name of Soshebhoosun Sadokha, and last endorsed to Rajkristo Doss, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favor of the proprietor.

(431—3) RAJKRISTO DOSS, 225, *Old China Bazar, Calcutta.*

Public Notice.

Will be published in all this month, in foolscap folio, 250 *pages, stiff paper cover—price, exclusive of Postage, Rs.* 16.

THE Annual Volume of Trade and Navigation for the Bengal Presidency (having a sea-borne trade) for 1872-73, with Comparative Figures for the preceding four years.

Only a very limited number of copies will be printed, and orders will be supplied strictly according to date of receipt. Early application should therefore be made to

CUSTOM HOUSE, Calcutta, the 18th November 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Bengalee Edition of the Acts of Government.

THE Acts of the Government of India, and those of the Government of Bengal, will, after publication in the *Bengalee Government Gazette*, be printed, in pamphlet form, for sale to the public, at a price which will be fixed in each instance to cover the cost of printing and paper. The first of the series will be the Criminal Procedure Act, now *ready*, the price of which is Rs. 1-4 per copy.—Postage 5 annas.

Notice.

COPIES of Act VII of 1871, the Indian Emigration Act, in Urdoo and Hindee, can be obtained on application at the Bengal Secretariat at 8 annas per copy.

Central Provinces Gazetteer.

EDITION OF 1870 in one VOL.

A LIMITED number of the above work, strongly bound in cloth, octavo size, for sale at Rs. 12 per vol., exclusive of postage charge. Apply to—

MESSRS. THACKER, VINING, *Bombay,*

MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK & Co., *Calcutta,* or

TO SUPDT., CHIEF COMMR.'S OFFICE, *Nagpur.*

Bengal Army List.—New Number.

The Official Quaterly Army list of H. M.'s Forces in Bengal, corrected to 1st October 1873. To which is added a Non-Official supplement containing the latest corrected Civil List, &c., &c. *Price Rs. 4; packing and postage 8 annas.*

Just Published.

Rules for the Qualification, Admission, and Enrolment of Pleaders and Mooktears in Mofussil Courts. *Price 4 annas; by post, 5 annas.*

Just Published.

Rules for Admission of Vakeels in the High Court. *Price 4 annas; by post 5 annas.*

IN THE PRESS.—WILL SHORTLY BE PUBLISHED.

New authorized edition of the Pension, Leave, and Acting Allowance Codes corrected to November 1873.

The Civil Pension Code, authorized edition, octavo size, with every alternate page blank for entering notes and alterations. *Price Rs. 1-4; packing and postage 4 annas extra.*

The Civil Leave Code. *Price Re. 1; packing and postage 3 annas extra.*

The Acting Allowance Code. *Price As. 8; packing and postage 2 annas extra.*

Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, 8, Hastings Street, Calcutta.

Now ready.

Revised (Indian) Army Regulations, Regulations and Orders for the Army of the Bengal Presidency. Published by authority. Royal 8vo., cloth boards. *Price, Rs. 4; packing and postage, Re. 1. Interleaved copy, Rs. 5; packing and postage, Re. 1-12; payable in advance.*

Book of Forms referred to in the above. Foolscap folio, enclosed in stiff covers. *Price, Rs. 2; packing and postage, Re. 1-8; payable in advance.*

Superintendent Government Printing, 8, Hastings' Street, Calcutta.

Just Published.

A Report on the Expedition to Western Yunan *via* Bhamo. By John Anderson, M.D., Medical Officer and Naturalist to the Expedition. *Price Rs. 8. Apply at the Office of Superintendent Government Printing Calcutta.*

Report of the Commissioners appointed by the Government of India to inquire into the Origin, Nature, &c., of Indian Cattle Plagues. With Appendices, Calcutta, 1871. Fol. pp. xxx and 999, with Maps. *Price Rs. 10. Packing 4 annas.*

Selections from Unpublished Records of Government for the years 1748 to 1767 inclusive. Relating mainly to the social condition of Bengal. With a Map of Calcutta in 1784. By the Rev. J. Long, Member of the Government Record Commission. *Price Rs. 5. Packing and postage 1 Rupee extra.*

Selections from Calcutta Gazettes of the years 1816 to 1823 inclusive, showing the political and social condition of the English in India upwards of fifty years ago. By Hugh David Sandeman, C.S., Accountant-General, Bengal, and Member of the Record Commission. Volume I, Rs. 3, and Volumes II, III, IV, and V, at Rs. 5 each; packing and postage Re. 1 extra.

The above to be had at the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, 8, Hastings Street, Calcutta.

WASTE LAND RULES,

Being Chap. XXVI of the Rules of the Board of Revenue

Price, 4 annas. Packing and postage charges, 2 annas extra.

Calcutta: Office of Supdt. of Government Printing,
No. 8, Hastings Street.

Just Published—New Edition.

Public Works Department Classified List and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 1st June 1873. *Price Rs 2; packing and postage annas 4; payable in advance.*

New Criminal Procedure Code.

OFFICERS under the Bengal Government, who wish to have copies of the New Criminal Procedure Code, *for sale*, are requested to apply to the Superintendent of Government Printing, Calcutta.

Army List—Reduced Price.

The price of the next and subsequent Numbers of the Bengal Official Quarterly Army List will be reduced from Rs. 5 to Rs. 4 per copy for town subscribers, and from Rs. 5-8 to Rs. 4-8 for copies sent by post.

Copies of the Number published on the 1st July are still available at present rates—Rs. 5 and Rs 5-8.

For sale.

AT the Meteorological Office, No. 22 Chowringhee, the following official publications:—

Meteorological Report of 1867	Rs.	0	12	per copy.
Ditto ditto 1868	,,	1	8	,,
Ditto ditto 1869	,,	2	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1870	,,	2	6	,,
Ditto ditto 1871	,,	2	8	,,
Ditto ditto 1872	,,	3	0	,,
Administration Report of 1870-71	,,	0	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1871-72	,,	0	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1872-73	,,	0	4	,,
A table of the average monthly and annual rainfall at 98 Stations in Northern India	,,	0	4	,,

The above are also to be obtained at the same prices at Messrs. Thacker Spink and Company, No. 5, Government place.

HENRY F. BLANFORD, *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

Notification.

OVERLAND MONEY ORDER.

THE charge for Overland Money Orders will, until further notice, be at the rate of 1*s.* 9½*d.* per rupee.

F. R. HOGG, *Offg. Director-General of the Post Offices of India.*

SIMLA, the 8th November 1873.

Postal Notices.

SEA OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
Madras and Ceylon ...	7 P.M. ...	19th Nov. ...	*Peshwar.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	7 ,, ...	23rd ,, ...	*Himalaya.*
Akyab ...	7 ,, ...	23rd ,, ...	*Dacca.*

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 21st November 1873.

2. Book post and pattern packets must be posted on the 20th idem.

Letters, &c., for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Natal, and Cape of Good Hope, can be sent by this opportunity.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M., or, bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, up to 8 P.M., and after 8 up to 9 P.M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

CALCUTTA, the 18th November 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.*

List of Remaining and Unclaimed Letters accumulated in the Calcutta Post Office during the week ending 15th November 1873.

Anderson, Miss L. V.
Banerjee, and Co., S. M.
Beatie, Z. M.
Berry, W.
Bianconi, A.
Bowhay, C. E.
Brown, and Co.
Castello, Mrs. P.
Creais, Mrs. J.
Cuttewaite, W. T.
Davis, Mrs. J.
Daniel, C.
Dass and Co., R. C.
Dey, R. C.
DeSouza, Mrs. C.
Dollman, C.
Edwards, J.
Elias, M. B.
Ellias, H. W. W.
Glege, A. H.
Hamerdanger, Mrs.
Hamilton, R.
Hayes, R. D.
Henriques, Mrs. R.
Houghton, H. L.
Holmes, Mrs. R.
Hony. Secy., Strangers' Friend Society.
Jowahir Sing.
Kelby, G. C.
Law, C.
Leisk, Miss A. S.
Lord, A.
Maje, Mrs. J.
Moriatz, M. D.
Manuel, J.
Manuel, Mrs. L.
Mohes Chunder Roy.
Nelson, Mrs. L.
Palmer, Mrs.
Pembroke, Miss M. M. C. P.
Philips, M.
Piercy, W.
Price and Co., G.
Rhoades, A. H.
Runciman, A.
Scully, D.
Sevestre, A. A.
Smith and Co.
St. Quinton, G. H.
Stirling, J. B.
Throner, J.
Ulmilue and Co.
Valentie, Madame.
Ward, W. E.
Watkins, C. D.
Whitefield, J.
Wright, Miss.
Wynch, Mrs.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

Arons, H.
Barnes, Mrs. E.
Cett, J.
Gartside, R.
Grant, G.
Holme, H. F.
Hudson, G. B.
H. B.
Jeffreys, A.
Leggett, Mr.
Macfarlane, J.
Scott, Mrs. E. I.
Sherwood, E.
Smits, W. H.
Stevens, Mrs.
Vincent, H. R.

E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post-Master of Calcutta.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of WILLIAM MUSGRAVE and BENJAMIN WILLIAM MUSGRAVE, Insolvents.

On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvents be discharged personally as well as to their after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvents at the time of the filing of their petition for relief.

A. St. John Carruthers, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of CHARLES WALTER PEARSON SUNDER, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 24th day of October last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 10th November 1873.

IN the matter of OMERTO LOLL DAW, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 5th day of September last, it was ordered that the hearing of the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 9th day of December next, and the said Insolvent do amend his schedule, and file an amended estate paper, and this Court doth hereby make this *ad interim* protection order (on the estate paper being filed) for the protection of the said Insolvent from arrest, to take effect from the date hereof in respect of all the debts and liabilities mentioned in the schedule of the said Insolvent filed in this Court, which protection shall continue in force until the said 9th December next.

W. F. Gillanders, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of NORIN CHUNDER BANERJEE AND BORODACAUNT BANERJEE, Insolvents.

On Monday, the 8th day of September last, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until the 9th day of September 1875, and that the said Insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. F. Pittar, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of JULIAN LAVENDIER, a Government Pensioner, of No. 1, Henderdine's Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 13th day of November instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of JULIAN LAVENDIER, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 25th day of November instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of JULIAN LAVENDIER, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 12th day of November instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the first Court day in January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of AGA MAHOMED HOSSEIN, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 25th day of November instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

M. Camell, *Attorney.*

IN the several matters SUMGUM LOLL, GEORGE FREDERICK BEHRENDS ANDREW HERVEY, ALBERT HARVEY DEMELLO, HENRY COOK, DAVID DUFF, KHEMJEE JOOTAR, AND HURRY DOSS NAUTHA, WILLIAM JAMES COCKELL, JOHN LACKERSTEEN & BROTHERS, AND JOHN MATHEW DOVE, Insolvents.

On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, it was ordered that 10 several accounts of unclaimed dividends be received and filed.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of BOICANTO NAUTH NUNDY, an Insolvent.

On Monday the 18th day of August last, it was on the petition of Chooneylaul Bhuktaburmull and Choogmull, Creditors of the said Insolvent, adjudged that the said Boicanto Nauth Nundy hath committed an act of Insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bolychund Dutt, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 18th November 1873.

APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1873.

1. Number.	2. Title (to be translated into English, when the title page is not in that language).	3. Language in which book is written.	4. Name of author, translator, or editor of the book, or any part of it.	5. Subject.	6. Place of printing and place of publication.	7. Name or firm of printer, and name or firm of publisher.
						ARABIC
1	Thabeez Nadiali, or Charm.	Arabic ...	Abdulla Khan...	Religion ...	Abadi Press, Kulia Tengra.	Abdulla Khan ...
2	Thabeez Barachand and Mohori Nabnath	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
3	Tabeez Chayaree, or Charm.	ditto ...	Abdul Jahil Sha	ditto ...	Bushuree Press ...	Printed by Mahomed Dayamulla; Published by Abdul Jahil Sha.
						BENGALI
162	Act I of 1872, being the Indian Evidence Act of 1872, with notes.	Bengali. .	Ramesh Chandra Bose, B.L.	Law ...	Sanskrit Press, No. 62, Amherst St., Calcutta.	Printed by Petambar Banerjee; Published by the Editor.
163	Majumdar's Series the Raghubangsha, a Poem by Kalidás.	ditto ...	Translation by Harishchandra Kabiratna.	Poetry ..	B. P. M.'s Press, No. 22, Jhamapukur Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Amrita Lal Chaudhuri; Published by Barada Prasád Majumdár.
164	Ratna Bedika Natak, or a Drama entitled the Jewel-Altar.	ditto ...	Prabodhchandra Chattopádhyáya.	Drama ...	G. P. Ray and Co.'s Press, No. 21, Bowbazar St., Calcutta.	G. P. Ray and Co...
165	Algebra for Beginners.	ditto ...	Rajkrishna Mukhopadhyáya, M.A., B.L.	Mathematics.	J. G. Chatterjea and Co.'s Press, No. 115, Amherst St.; Published at No. 4, Sitárám Ghose's St., Calcutta.	Printed by J. G. Chatterjea and Co. Published by Rajkrishna Mukhopadhyáya.
166	Kamalabatí ...	ditto ...	Rámratna Páthak	Fiction ..	New Indian Press, Calcutta.	Printed by Mákhalál Chakrabarti. Published by Jogendra Náth Bandyapádhyáya.
167	Kinchit Jaljogá, or a Slight Repast.	ditto ...	.....	Farce ...	Valmiki Press, Calcutta.	Káli Kinkar Chakrabarti.
168	Treatment of Asiatic Cholera.	ditto ...	Jadúnath Múkhopádháya.	Medicine ...	Chinsurah Chikitsá prakásh Press, Chinsurah.	Girishchandra Bhattáchárjya.
169	Sáhitya Prabesh, or an Introduction to Literature.	ditto ...	Prasanna Chandra Chakrabarti.	Language. .	Sulabh Press, Dacca.	Isánchandra Shíl ...
170	Surveying and Mensuration.	ditto ...	Khettranáth Bhattáchárjya.	Mathematics.	J. G. Chatterjea and Co.'s Press, Calcutta, Published at Hooghly.	Printed by J. G. Chatterjea and Co. Published by the Author.
171	Jantrakhetradipika, or a Treatise on Instrumental Music.	ditto ...	Shúrindra Mohan Thakúr.	Music ...	Prákrita Press, Mirzapore St., Calcutta.	Printed by Mothuránáth Tarkaratna; Published by Káli Prasanna Banerjee.

Quarter ending 31st March 1873.

8. Date of issue from the press, or of publication.	9. Number of sheets, leaves, or pages.	10. Size.	11. First, second, or other edition.	12. Number of copies of which the edition consists.	13. Printed or lithographed.	14. Price at which the book is sold to the public.	15. Name and residence of proprietor of copy-right, or any portion of copy-right.	16. Remarks.
PAMPHLETS.								
1872.						Rs. As. P.		
Feb. 2nd...		...	Second...	4,000	Lithographed	0 8 0 Per hundred copies.	Abdulla Khan of Kulia Tengra.	
Jan. 15th .	2 „	...	Second ...	4,000	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto.	
Nov. 24th...	1 „	...	First ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 0 3	Abdul Jahil Sha of Peragram, Dacca.	
BOOKS.								
1872.	Pages.							
Sept. 19th...	221	8vo. ...	First ..	500	Printed. .	2 8 0	Ramesh Chandra Bose, B. L., Howrah.	
Oct. 4th...	196	8vo. ...	First ...	1,000	ditto ...	1 0 0	Barada Prasád Majumdar, of Potihál.	Translated from the original Sanskrit.
„ 1st ...	153	8vo. ...	First ...	1,000	ditto ...	1 0 0	Prabodh Chandra Chattopádhyáya, of Shibpore.	[illegible] of Ins[illegible] Hin[illegible] [illegible]medan
Sept. 17th...	202	12mo. ...	First ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	Rajkrishna Mukhopádhyáya, of No. 4, Sitaram Ghose's St., Calcutta.	
„ 26th..	178	12mo. ..	First ...	...	ditto ..	0 12 0	.....	An historical tale.
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Mr. Ebenezer Johnstone Barton, M.A., took charge of his duties as Special Assistant to the Commissioner of Rajshahye on the 12th, instead of the 14th November, as notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem.

The 22nd November 1873.—In modification of the orders of the 24th October, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, Mr. Edmond Breton Godfrey, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to Serampore.

The three months' privilege leave which was granted to Mr. James Fortescue Harrison, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, under orders of the 23rd June 1873, having since been commuted to six months' leave on Medical Certificate by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, Mr. Harrison is allowed subsidiary leave from the 29th June, the date on which he availed himself of his leave, to the 15th July 1873, the date on which he left for England.

Baboo Kedar Nath Das, Officiating Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Burdwan, is allowed two months' leave on Medical Certificate from the 15th November, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Kali Pudmo Mookerjee is appointed to officiate as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division during Baboo Kedar Nath Das' absence, or until further orders.

Baboo Okhoy Coomar Bose, Sub-Deputy Collector, Second Grade, Maldah, is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade, *vice* Baboo Okhoy Coomar Chatterjee, temporarily appointed a Deputy Collector in Bograh.

Baboo Tarini Sunker Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, Second Grade, Bograh, is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade, *vice* Baboo Brojomohun Roy, temporarily appointed a Deputy Collector in Rungpore.

Baboo Juggut Chunder Roy, Canoongoe in Moorshedabad, is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, *vice* Baboo Okhoy Coomar Bose, temporarily promoted to the First Grade.

The 24th November 1873.—The following persons are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the district of Bhaugulpore, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

For the Banka Division.

Baboo Kaliprosad Sing, Zemindar.
,, Dheernath Chowdry, Zemindar.
Lukhee Prosad Mundul, Ryot and money-lender.
Mahomed Hossein, Ryot.

For the Mudheypoorah Division.

Subal Sing, Cultivator.
Balgobind Sahon, ditto.
Chooni Bhuggut, Cultivator.
Mahtal Mundul, ditto and Shop-keeper.

For the Soupoul Division.

Baboo Baboolall Chowdry, Petty Zemindar.
Baboo Boku Sing, Petty Zemindar.

Mr. Francis William Rice Cowley, M.A., Canal Revenue Superintendent, is vested with the powers of a First Class Magistrate in the districts of Shahabad, Gya, and Patna.

Baboo Juggobundho Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is allowed privilege leave for ten days, from the 17th November, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

The 25th November 1873.—The following persons are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the district of Maldah, and are vested with the powers specified against their names:—

For the Chunchul Bench.

Mr. H. R. Reily, Manager of the Chunchul Wards' Estate, with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

Anundo Gopaul Mookerjea, Ryot } with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third
Jaker Mundle, Ryot } Class.

The services of Mr. William McKinley Clay, B.A., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, just returned from furlough, are placed at the disposal of the Commissioner of Rajshahye, for special employment in connection with the Scarcity and on Relief Works.

POLICE.—*The 24th November* 1873.—Mr. J. W. H. Dalrymple Clark is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Superintendent of Police in the 24-Pergunnahs, *vice* Mr. C. E. Fabre-Tonnerre, on special duty.

Mr. Arthur Hutton James, District Superintendent of Police and Assistant Political Agent, Naga Hills, reported his departure from India on medical leave on the 21st November 1873.

The 25th November 1873.—Mr. Hector Munro, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Backergunge, on leave, is transferred to the Bhaugulpore Division.

EDUCATION.—*The 20th November* 1873.—The following persons are appointed to be members of the District School Committee of Rungpore:—

Baboo Jaga Mohun Poddar, Jotedar.
Moonshee Banwari Lal, ditto.
,, Hafezuddin Sircar, ditto.
Baboo Lakhi Kant Sirkar, Jotedar.
,, Promatha Nath Mookerjee.

Mr. Alfred Woodley Croft, M.A., is appointed to officiate as Inspector of Schools, East Bengal Circle, during the absence on duty of Mr. C. B. Clarke, or until further orders.

The 21st November 1873.—Mr. James Sutcliffe, M.A., is allowed subsidiary leave for three days, viz., from 17th to 19th October 1873, inclusive, to enable him to rejoin his appointment.

Dr. Charles Thomas Osmond Woodford is appointed to be Superintendent of the new Medical School at Sealdah in addition to his present duties as Superintendent of the Pauper Hospital.

The 24th November 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the School Committee of the amalgamated District of Hooghly and Howrah in addition to the Members previously notified:—

Baboo Shib Chunder Deb.
,, Bejoy Krishna Mookerjee.
,, Sutya Doyal Banerjee.
,, Gobind Chunder Bose.
,, Heera Lal Mookerjee.
Mr. J. E. B. Jeffery.
,, Herman Kisch.
Baboo Gour Das Bysack.
Baboo Upendra Nath Mullick.
Mr. W. F. Robinson.
,, W. Stalkartt.
Baboo Krishna Komul Bhuttacharjee.
Mr. R. N. Burgess.
Baboo Kedar Nath Bhuttacharjee.
,, Radha Gobind Das.

Baboo Umma Prosad De is appointed to be Secretary to the District School Committee of Balasore.

The 25th November 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the District School Committee of Jessore in addition to the members previously notified :—

Mr. George Abraham Grierson, Assistant Magistrate and Collector.
Baboo Bepin Behary Bose, Zemindar of Sreedhurpore.
,, Brojo Mohun Dutt, Small Cause Court Judge.
,, Uma Churn Gangooli, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.

Baboo Jugut Chunder Bundopadhya, Deputy Inspector of Schools, is appointed to be Secretary to the Committee.

MEDICAL.—*The 17th November* 1873.—Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Chunder Coomar Goopto is appointed to have charge of the Endemic Dispensary at Degelgram in Burdwan till relieved by Sub-Assistant Surgeon Batta Krishna Dutta.

The 21st November 1873.—Sub-Assistant Surgeon Gooroodoyal Das Gupta, in charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Tangail in Mymensing, is allowed three months' privilege leave under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Umesh Chunder Sen, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, is appointed to have charge of the Tangail Dispensary during Sub-Assistant Surgeon Gooroodoyal Das Gupta's absence, or until further orders.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Burdwan, viz.—

Baboo Digumber Biswas, Subordinate Judge.
,, Dwarkanath Mittra, Munsif.
,, Bogolanund Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
,, Ramlall Mookerjee, Pleader.
,, Mudun Mohun Tewaree, Zemindar.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Mitford Hospital Committee at Dacca :—

Mr. J. G. N. Pogose. Mr. M. David. Baboo Rup Lall Das.

The 24th November 1873.—The following Surgeons, who have recently arrived from England, are posted temporarily to the Presidency General Hospital :—

Surgeon David Wilkie, M.B.
,, William Edward Battersby, M.B.
,, Robert Moodie, M.B.
,, Francis Joseph Twohy, M.D.
Surgeon William Edward Bonsall Moynard, M.D.
,, Denis Peter Macdonald, M.D.
,, Oswald Baker.

The 25th November 1873.—Mr. James Bowser, Steward of the Medical College Hospital, is allowed three months' privilege leave, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 20th November* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Dacca, viz.—

Mr. David Fraser, Agent, Bank of Bengal.
Baboo Opendra Nath Mittra, M.A. and B.L., Vakeel.
,, Kally Prosonno Ghose, Vakeel.
,, Roop Lall Dass, Banker.
,, Radhica Mohun Roy, Zemindar.
K. Mahomed Ashgur.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—Under the authority of paragraph 16 of the Resolution of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, dated 7th November, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that Rule V of the Rules made by the Governor-General in Council on the 25th of April 1872, under Section 4 of the Local Public Works Loan Act XXIV of 1871, shall be temporarily relaxed as regards loans for works to be executed within the following districts :—

All districts of the Patna and Bhaugulpore Divisions.
Dinagepore,
Rungpore,
Bograh,
Rajshahye,
Maldah,
Moorshedabad,
Burdwan,
Hooghly,
Bancoorah,
Beerbhoom, and the jungle mehals of Midnapore,

by the addition to it of the following clause :—

Provided that, whenever such a course appears desirable, the Local Government may at the same time that it orders the publication of the copy of the application as required above, conditionally authorize the loan and the commencement of the work, and advance so much of the loan as may be immediately necessary for such work.

But if for any reason the loan is finally disallowed after the publication of the notice, such loan shall not be paid, and any unexpended portion in the hands of the committee shall be refunded. Any portion actually expended shall be treated as a loan repayable under these rules.

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NOTIFICATION.

RELAXATION OF LAND IMPROVEMENT ADVANCE RULES.

The 20th November 1873.—With a view to encouraging proprietors and occupants of land in the districts likely to be affected by the failure of the crops to apply for advances under Act XXVI of 1871, The Land Improvement Act, and to give employment to laborers on works undertaken out of such advances, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the authority conveyed in paragraph 17 of the resolution by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India dated 7th November 1873, to make the following temporary relaxations in the rules which have been published under section 18 of the said Act, with the sanction of the Government of India, as published in the *Gazette* of the 9th July 1873.

These relaxations will have effect in the following districts only, viz.—

All the Districts of the Patna and Bhaugulpore Divisions.	Bograh.	Hooghly.
Dinagepore.	Rajshahye.	Bancoorah.
Rungpore.	Maldah.	Beerbhoom, and the Jungle Mehal of Midnapore.
	Moorshedabad.	
	Burdwan.	

Rule 2.—Applications may be made on unstamped paper, and they may be presented to any Revenue Officer, but can be dealt with only by the Collector of the District, or by any Officer not being below the rank of a Covenanted Deputy Collector, or an Uncovenanted Deputy Collector of the 4th grade, who may be authorized by the Collector, subject to the approval of the Commissioner, to deal with such applications.

The rules laid down for the guidance of Collectors shall apply to all Officers who are authorized to deal with applications, except where the contrary intention is apparent.

Rule 3.—Applications need not necessarily be presented in open court.

Rule 4, *Clause* 5.—The numbers of fields and plots may be dispensed with in the application where there is no patwarry, but where a survey exists they should be ascertained as soon as possible.

Rule 5.—The rough plan and estimate may be dispensed with, when the amount applied for is below Rs. 2,000, but a sufficient description of the proposed work must be insisted on.

Rule 9.—The following rule is substituted :—

Any officer who is authorized under Rule 2, as modified above, to deal with applications, may direct an officer of lower rank than himself, provided that such officer be of rank not below that of a canoongoe, to hold any enquiry which is required by these Rules, and to report the result to him. All enquiries under these rules should be held with as much publicity as possible, and in the presence of as many of the respectable inhabitants of the village as can be assembled. The record of the proceedings of the enquiry shall be made in writing by the officer holding the inquiry, and shall be signed by the village headmen, the gomastah, the accountant, the chowkeedars or other local officials or respectable inhabitants in acknowledgment of its having been explained to them.

Rule 10.—No fees shall be charged for the service of any process under these rules.

Rule 12.—Under Rule 9, as modified above, it is unnecessary to give formal notice for a prescribed period previous to holding the enquiry.

Rule 13.—No charge shall be made for summoning witnesses.

Rule 15.—The officer who has made the enquiry, if not authorized to deal with the application, must forward it to the officer who ordered the enquiry to be made.

Rule 19.—The limits within which officers of different grades may grant certificates for advances, provided that sufficient sums shall have been placed at their disposal, are fixed as follows :—

	Rs.
Sub-divisional officers and officers authorized by the Collector under Rule 2 as modified above	250
Collectors of the districts	1,000
Commissioners	5,000

Certificates for advances above 5,000 require the sanction of Government.

Rule 20.—If the landlord fail to appear in person or by Agent when summoned to sign the certificate, as required by the first clause of this rule, and does not make any objection in writing within a month of the issue of the notice, he will, under section 12 of Act XXVI of 1871, be deemed "to have assented thereto and to have agreed that the land for the improvement of which the allowance is to be made, shall be pledged as security for the recovery of the advance."

Rule 32 is modified by Rule 2 above.

Rule 33.—The report in this form shall be made to the superior Officer before the certificate is granted, if the sum applied for be in excess of that which the Officer who has dealt with the application is authorized under Rule 19 above to grant. In other cases, it may be submitted after the issue of the certificate.

Reports should also be made under this rule by Collectors of Districts to Commissioners in all cases in which certificates have been granted by themselves or their subordinates.

Rule 34 is modified by Rule 19 above.

Rule 35.—No interest will be charged till after the expiration of one year on advances below Rs. 500. After that time interest will be charged as in the original Rule 35.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 21st November 1878.—Under the provisions of Section 76 of Act X (B. C.) of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to form branch committees for carrying out the purposes of the Act in the under-mentioned districts of the Dacca Division, *viz.*—

A branch committee, with its head-quarters at Moonsheegunge, for the sub-division of Moonsheegunge in the Dacca district.

A branch committee, with its head-quarters at Goalundo, for the sub-division of Goalundo in the Furreedpore district.

A branch committee, with its head-quarters at Attea, for the Attea sub-division in the Mymensing district.

A branch committee, with its head-quarters at Jamalpore, for the Jamalpore sub-division in the Mymensing district.

A branch committee, with its head-quarters at Kishoregunge, for the Kishoregunge sub-division in the Mymensing district.

The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the respective branch committees:—

Of the Moonsheegunge Branch Committee.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	*Chairman.*
Baboo Sreenath Bose, zemindar	*Vice-Chairman.*
,, Kalikishore Gooho	*Members.*
Moonshee Denu Meah *alias* Ameeruddin, talookdar	
Baboo Tara Prosad Roy, talookdar	
,, Ram Kinkar Sein, pleader and talookdar	
Tomilliji, ryot	

Of the Goalundo Branch Committee.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	*Chairman.*
Baboo Mohendro Chundro Mozoomdar, Sub-Deputy	*Vice-Chairman.*
,, Syama Sunker Mozoomdar, zemindar	*Members.*
,, Ram Chunder Sanial, zemindar	
,, Debendro Nath Mozoomdar, zemindar	
,, Gobindo Chunder Dutt, talookdar	
,, Kali Nath Chuckerbutty, talookdar	
,, Janmey Joy Dutt, merchant	
,, Isshur Chunder Shaha, merchant	
,, Mirtun Joy Sein, ryot	
,, Foezbux Chowdhoori, zemindar	

Of the Attea Branch Committee.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	*Chairman.*
Baboo Ishan Chunder Bhuttacharjea, talookdar	*Vice-Chairman.*
,, Guru Dyal Goopta, Sub-Assistant Surgeon	*Members.*
,, Isshur Chunder Chuckerbutty, mooktear and talookdar	
,, Gopi Mohun Gooho, talookdar	
,, Rohim Khan, jotedar	
Maijuddin Jemadar, jotedar	
Mahomed Ali Sikdar, jotedar	

Of the Jamalpore Branch Committee.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	*Chairman.*
Baboo Krishno Kumar Odhicari, talookdar	*Vice-Chairman.*
,, Redoy Krishna Mozoomdar, head clerk, sub-divisional office	*Members.*
,, Denobundhu Pal, trader	
,, Ram Sunker Doss, ryot and mooktear	
,, Krishna Chunder Patranavish, talookdar	
Shaha Kiyamatoollah, talookdar and ryot	
Moonshee Abdool Kadir, jotedar, ryot	

Of the Kishoregunge Branch Committee.

The Sub-Divisional Officer	*Chairman.*
Shaha Mohuddin Hossein, zemindar	*Vice-Chairman.*
Dewan Mahomed Afsar, zemindar	*Members.*
Syud Nussiruddin, pensioner	
Baboo Krishna Mongal Mozoomdar, talookdar and cultivator	
,, Gunga Gobinda Roy, zemindar	
Mohamed Isahaq, talookdar	
Zahiruddin Khan, talookdar and cultivator	

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NOTIFICATION.

The 21st November 1878.—Under the provisions of Section 70 of Act X (B. C.) of 18[illegible] the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to form branch committees for carrying out the purpo[illegible] of the Act within the limits of the Moorshedabad district, viz.—

1st.—A branch committee, with its head-quarters at Rampore Haut, for the Rampore Hau[illegible] sub-division, consisting of thannahs Rampore Haut, Nulhatee, Pulsa, and Khurgaon.

2nd.—A branch committee, with its head-quarters at Junghypore, for the Junghypore sub-division, consisting of thannahs Roghonathgunge, Sootee, Shumshergunge, Mirzapore, and Dewanserai.

3rd.—A branch committee, with head-quarters at Kandi, for the tract of country consisting of thannahs Bhurtpore and Gokurn.

4th.—A branch committee, with its head-quarters at Choa, for the tract of country consisting of thannahs Hariharparra, Jelinghi, and Nawadhah.

The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Members of the respective branch committees :—

Of the Rampore Haut Branch Committee.

The Sub-divisional Officer	*Chairman.*
Mr. C. J Hampton, zemindar	*Vice-Chairman.*
The Moonsiff of Rampore Haut	*Members.*
The District Engineer, East Indian Railway	
The Assistant ditto ditto ditto	
The Executive Engineer, Moorshedabad	
Mr. H. Rait, manager, silk factory	
Moonshee Abdoos Sobhan, zemindar	
,, Lutfut Huk, zemindar and mooktear	
Baboo Koylash Chunder Singh, zemindar and vakeel ..	
,, Anaubalal Mundul, zemindar and banker	
,, Bipin Chunder Ghosal, zemindar	
,, Tarini Churn Roy, jotedar	
,, Gopeenath Dutt, ryot and shop-keeper	
,, Mahabeer Bhuggut, shop-keeper	

Of the Junghypore Branch Committee.

The Sub-divisional Officer	*Chairman.*
Mr. A. N. Stewart, toll collector	*Vice-Chairman.*
The Moonsiff of Junghypore	*Members.*
The Executive Engineer, Moorshedabad	
Mr. W. F. Grahame, manager, indigo and silk factory ..	
,, J. J. Doyle, manager, silk factory	
,, J. W. Maseyk, zemindar	
,, J. Laruletta, ,, ...	
Ras Jogendra Narain Roy, zemindar	
Baboo Mona Mohun Singh, zemindar	
,, Jagabundhoo Roy, ,, ...	
,, Gurudas Dhar, zemindar	
,, Jodunath Mookerjea, pleader	
,, Mohanund Roy, jotedar	
,, Loharam Mundul, ryot	
,, Shabratee Biswas	

Of the Kandi Branch Committee.

The Moonsiff of Kandi	*Chairman.*
Baboo Gopeekanto Roy, rural sub-registrar	*Vice-Chairman.*
The Executive Engineer, Moorshedabad	*Members.*
Moonshee Zial Rahamun, zemindar	
Mr. J. G. Malcolm, manager, indigo and silk factory ..	
Baboo Jogendra Narain Roy, zemindar	
,, Norendra Narain Roy, ,, ...	
,, Nilmadhub Roy, zemindar	
,, Gobin Soonder Tribedi, jotedar and petty zemindar ..	
,, Ram Chunder Ghose, jotedar and merchant ..	
,, Bhoobun Mohun Singh, jotedar and petty zemindar ..	
,, Issur Chunder Ghose, jotedar and ryot	
,, Gour Chunder Roy	
Syed Talib Hossein, jotedar and ryot	
Baboo Manik Chunder Dutt, cloth merchantand jotedar ..	

Of the Cess Branch Committee.

The Moonsiff of Hariharparra ... *Chairman.*
Mr. R. Dubus, manager, silk factory ... *Vice-Chairman.*
The Executive Engineer, Moorshedabad ...
Mr. J. Perrin, manager, silk concern ...
" C. Anderson, manager, indigo factory ...
" A. Hills, planter and zemindar ...
" E. Chardon, manager, Boromasi concern ...
Baboo Joynarain Bose, zemindar ... *Members.*
" Aushootosh Bose, " ...
" Russick Lal Shaha, " ...
" Chundrakanto Mookerjea, zemindar ...
Wayces Mundul, ryot ...
Ali Bux Biswas, " ...
Mothoor Mundul, " ...
Safi Sircar, jotedar ...

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[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st November 1873.—Under the provisions of Sections 49 and 51 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following Members of the Road Cess Committee in the Moorshedabad district, in addition to those appointed in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th September, 20th November, 4th December 1872, and 26th February 1873 :—

Baboo Bhoodeb Mookerjee, Inspector of Schools.
" Dinonath Gangooly, Government Pleader.
" Ramdas Sen, Zemindar of Berhampore.
" Radhika Churn Sen, Zemindar of Berhampore.
" Prankristo Banerjee, Zemindar of Sydabad.
" Radha Churn Sen, Landholder of Cossimbazar.
Mr. J. S. Carey, Assistant Engineer.
Baboo Raghunath Sing, Jotedar and petty Zemindar.
Mr. T. A. Dixon, Manager, Furreedpore Silk Concern.

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[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by the Government, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for the line of road from Giridih to Pachumbah, Pergunnah Kurukdiha, Zillah Hazareebagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land running from Giridih to Pachumbah, about 19,920 feet in length, and about 50 in breadth, more or less, occupied by the old track, is required.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for a post office at Rajgoan, in the village of Amtoon, Pergunnah Rajshaye, Zillah Moorshedabad, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring 5 (five) cottahs, bounded on the north by the house of Gooroochurn Mundul, on the south by the shop of Ramessur Dutt, on the east by the kutcha road west of the Rajgoan railway station, and on the west by the waste land of the Zemindars.

This Declaration is made under provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 21st November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the Northern Bengal (State) Railway, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land 120 feet wide, more or less, stretching from a point two miles south-west of Nattore, and passing to the east of Sultanpore, near Hathutia, Lall Bazar, Hillee, Parbuteipore, Durwannee, and Bhojdabree to Julpigoree, is required in the districts of Rajshahye, Bograh, Dinagepore, Rungpore, and Julpigoree.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

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[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd November 1873.—Referring to the Notification dated 23rd June 1871,* the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to direct that the distribution of departments between the two Members of the Board of Revenue shall for the present be so far modified that the "partition of estates" and the "acquisition of land for public purposes" shall be transferred to Mr. Money, the Junior Member.

* Published in the *Gazette* of 28th June 1871.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

Names of passed candidates for enrolment as Revenue Agents, examined in August 1873.

Balasore	1. Shib Charan Dass. 2. Antarjami Mohapatra.
Bogra	Karuna Kantha Bhattacharjya.
Bancoorah	Pratap Chundra Mukherjea.
Rajshahye	Huri Gopal Moitra.
Moorshedabad	Pran Madhub Banerjee.
Backergunge	Chundrakumar Sein.
Shahabad	1. Ram Raj. 2. Rampergarh Lall. 3. Kishoon Chand.
Maunbhoom	Gudadhur Biswas.
Pubna	Gagun Chundra Sarkar.
Monghyr	1. Ekant Prosad. 2. Rowshun Lall.
Gya	1. Ajudea Persad. 2. Isree Persad Sing.
Sylhet	1. Goluck Chundra Kur. 2. Saratchundra Gupta.
Patna	1. Dhanookdharee Lol. 2. Mahomed Jumal. 3. Oudit Pershad. 4. Goorsahoy. 5. Lala Gobind Sahoy. 6. Lala Doorga Sahoy.
Tirhoot	1. Ishri Pershad. 2. Sham Loll. 3. Matukdhari Lall. 4. Buldeo Narayan. 5. Nazir Hussain. 6. Jamal Bux.

The 24th November 1873.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 3173.—*Fort William, the* 20*th November* 1873.—*Notification.*—*Account.*—The following Resolution is published for general information :—

Read again Financial Notification No. 959, dated 31st May 1869, declaring (among other things) that copper coin is to be issued freely from all Government Treasuries and Sub-treasuries (Sub-divisional, tehsil, or others) to all applicants to the amount of the value of not less than 5 Rupees at the rate prescribed by Sections 2 and 9 of Act XIII of 1862 and at no other.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to remove the limit of 5 Rupees prescribed in the above Notification.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

THE following rules, which have been drawn up by the Port Commissioners in communi-
on with the Officiating Commissioner of Police, and approved by Government, are
blished for general information :—

RULES FOR THE GUIDANCE OF THE PORT POLICE.

1. The force will form part of the regular police of the town of Calcutta enrolled under
IV (B C.) of 1866, and will be employed under a special Superintendent, to be called
perintendent of Port Police.

2. The general administration of the force as regards appointment, discharge, promo-
on, transfer, discipline, and the like, over which matters the Port Commissioners shall
ve no control, shall be vested in the Commissioner of Police.

3. The Superintendent of Port Police will be responsible for the prevention of crime, the
tion of criminals, and the general preservation of peace within his division. He is
er bound to see that all Inspectors, native officers, and constables under his control,
arge their respective duties with zeal and efficiency.

4. On the commission of an offence punishable by the general laws of the country, the
Police will act under their Commissioner without reference to the Port Commissioners,
will send the offender with the usual charge sheet before the Commissioner or Deputy
mmissioner of Police. The Superintendent will be responsible for the prosecution of
enders arrested for such offences and for the conduct of such cases, and will see that the
cessary witnesses are duly sent before the Magistrate.

5. The Port Police will clearly understand that though they form part of the Calcutta
olice force, they are also placed at the disposal of the Port Commissioners for the due prose-
ution of offences against Act XXII of 1855 (the Conservators' Act) and Act V of 1870 (the
Port Improvement Act), and all other Acts to be taken with and read as parts of these Acts.

6. The Superintendent will, in addition to reports he may be directed to make to the
Commissioner of Police, at once report to the Port Commissioners all offences (punishable under
the Acts specified in rule 5 committed on the river or Strand Bank,) and the action taken by
the Police thereon, and will from time to time furnish the Commissioners with reports of
such offences in such form as may be directed.

7. In offences against the Conservators' or Port Improvement Acts, the Superintendent
of Port Police will proceed in accordance with such instructions as he may from time to time
receive from the Port Commissioners, who are responsible to Government for the due prose-
cution of their servants and others guilty of offences against the several Acts. In such cases
the Police shall only prosecute when a charge is made and duly signed by the Vice-Chairman.
A charge once made, the case will be in the hands of the Police, but the Commissioners,
servants will afford every assistance in the shape of providing evidence, witnesses, &c., as
required.

8. The Superintendent of Port Police shall, subject to the approval of the Commissioner
of Police, hold his office in such place as may be appointed by the Port Commissioners. He
shall be in regular and frequent communication with the Commissioners, and shall satisfy
himself by personal inspection that the orders issued are duly carried out.

9. No change shall be made in the fixed allocation of the force, or any part thereof,
without the knowledge of the Port Commissioners.

10. Every policeman shall be furnished with a vernacular copy of the bye-laws of the
Port Commissioners, and of the rules drawn up showing the duties of the Port Police.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction, from
the 1st of January 1874, the formation of a new sub-division in the district of Rungpore,
to be called the Kooreegram sub-division, of which the head-quarters will be situated at
Kooreegram, on the right bank of the River Dhurla.

2. The sub-division will consist of the following tracts :—

(*a*) Thannah Nagessari, with outpost Phulkumar.

(*b*) Thannah Borabari.

(*c*) Thannah Olipore, excepting that portion of it lying west of the River Teesta forming the outpost of Sundargunge.

(*d*) All that portion of Thannah Chilmari lying to the east of the Teesta and including the small tract on the east bank of the Brahmaputra. This tract will be detached from the Gyebanda sub-division, to which it at present appertains, and will be formed into an outpost with head-quarters at Chilmari, and be attached to the Olipore Thannah and Kooreegram sub-division.

3. Outpost Sundargunge, detached from Olipore Thannah, will be attached to the Gyebanda sub-division, and together with that portion of Thannah Chilmari lying west of the Teesta will be formed into a thannah with head-quarters at Sundargunge.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th November 1873.—Under Section 85 of Act IV (B.C.) of 1864 the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve of, and confirm the following amended bye-law for Santipore Municipality, submitted by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division:—

"No person shall, without previously obtaining the written permission of the Commissioners, build or cause to be built, or keep any tattee, privy, or urinal within fifteen feet of any public road or street."

The rule will have prospective effect as far as existing buildings are concerned.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 11th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, for the site of the Post Office in the village of Pakoreah, Pergunnah Tarragooe, Zillah Pubna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ten cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land of Ishwar Chunder Shah; on the south by the land of Brojo Lall Koondoo; on the east by the house of Jeebun Patnee; and on the west by the public road, is required within the aforesaid village of Pakoreah.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th November 1873.—A plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 51,098, inclusive of cost of land, for the construction of a wharf between Golabaree Ghât and Cossy Mitter's Ghât, and of a Boat Jetty at Golabaree Ghât abreast of the premises occupied by Messrs. Findlay, Muir & Co., for the accommodation of cargo and country boats, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta, with their Vice-Chairman's letter No. 4192, dated 29th October 1873, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the execution of the works under Section 35, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 18th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a Post Office at Raipoorah, in the village of Raipoorah, Pergunnah Bhullooah, Zillah Noakhally, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 3½ chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the newly-established Government Aided School; on the south by the Raipoorah Bazar; east by the public road; and west by the Zemindary Cutcherry belonging to Baboo Khetter Nath Dass, is required within the aforesaid village of Raipoorah.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th November 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 5, Act VI (B.C.) of 1868, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the boundaries of the Town of Cuttack for municipal purposes will hereafter be as follows:—

On the north the Mahanuddy River; on the west the boundary follows the western boundary of Mansingh Patna from the Katjoree River to Stoney's Road, and thence is formed by that road to the banks of the Mahanuddy; on the south the Katjoree River; on the east the Cuttack trunk road from the Katjoree to Race Course Road, then down Race Course Road to No. 2 bridge, on the Taldunda Canal, and thence the canal itself to its junction with the Mahanuddy.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th November 1873.—Thannah Gournuddee, now forming part of the Madaripore division of the Backergunge district, is hereby transferred to the head-quarters division of Backergunge.

The Madaripore sub-division, which will now consist of the three thannahs, Kotalipara, Madaripore, and Moolfutgunge, is hereby transferred from the district of Backergunge to the district of Furreedpore.

The following villages in Gopalgunge Thannah, of Zillah Furreedpore, are transferred to Zillah Backergunge, and annexed to the Suroopkatee Thannah :—

No.	Names of Villages.	Names of Pergunnahs.	Thakbust number.
	Boulia	Sooltanpoor Khururea	1858
	Hijli	Ditto	1857
	Pirerabad	Hubeebpoor	1856
	Pangasia	Ditto	1855
	Chursaeldaha	Sooltanpoor Khururea	1854
	Puranabaree	Hubeebpoor	1853
	Hijli Chuk Kalatala	Sooltanpoor Khururea	1852
	Arazee Kalatala	Ditto	1851
	Saeldaha	Ditto	1850
	Gangacharna	Ditto	1849
	Chingaria	Ditto	1848
	Machandpoor	Mokimpoor	1847

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th November 1873.—The following villages in Zillah Mymensing are transferred to Zillah Dacca, and annexed to Thannah Kapaseea :—

No.	Names of Villages.	Pergunnahs.	Thakbust number.
	Choorbuhur	Runbhowal	53
	Gheelashoer	Ditto	52
	Shohadeea	Ditto	51
	Burnul	Ditto	48
	Burmee	Ditto	54
	Kaetpara	Ditto	56
	Kendooa	Bhowal	55
	Burma	Runbhowal	57
	Singsree	Ditto	59
	Barokaeka	Bhowal	61
	Panasaree	Ditto	60
	Hurceadee	Ditto	58
	Purmanund Khalee	Ditto	59½
	Patantek	Runbhowal	50
	Koohadeea	Bhowal	49

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th November 1873.—The following villages in Zillah Mymensing are transferred to Zillah Dacca, and annexed to Thannah Roypoora :—

No.	Names of Villages.	Pergunnahs.	Thakbust number.
	Oojan Kalikapershad	Tuppeh Koorukhaee	270
	Dukhin Kalikapershad	Ditto	271
	Shororabad	Ditto	272
	Ibrahimpoor	Ditto	273
	Mamdabad	Ditto	274
	Moosapoor	Ditto	275
	Hureepoor	Ditto	276
	Paharkharkandee	Ditto	277
	Ramnuggur	Ditto	278

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

It is notified for general information that a Horse Show will be held in C[illegible] during the week commencing Monday, the 12th January next, at which the prizes de[illegible] below will be given by the Government of India.

Patron:

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Lord Northbrook, G.M.S.I.,

Viceroy and Governor-General.

Vice Patron:

Hon'ble Sir G. Campbell, D.C.L., K.C.S.I., *Lieutenant-Governor of Beng[illegible]*

Committee of Management.

President

Major-General C. T. Chamberlain, C.S.I.

Stewards:

Honorary Secretary—Mr. J. A. Crawford, B.C.S.,
Hon'ble Lord Ulick Browne, B.C.S.,
J. J. J. Keswick, Esq.,
Honorary Secretary—Colonel M. Turnbull,
Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon—J. H. B. Hallen,
Khwajeh Ahsanoollah,
Mr. Esau Bin Curtas,

with power to add to their number.

A detailed notice regarding the arrangements for the Show, the entrance fees, reception of horses, &c., will be published hereafter by the Committee of Management.

Applications for information on the above points should be made to the Honorary Secretaries.

	Rs.
1st Prize.	
For the best six (6) brood mares, suitable for Army purposes, *bonâ fide* the property of one importer	3,000
2nd Prize.	
For the second best six (6) brood mares, suitable for Army purposes, *bonâ fide* the property of one importer	2,000
3rd Prize.	
For the third best six (6) brood mares, suitable for Army purposes, *bonâ fide* the property of one importer	1,000
4th Prize.	
For the best thorough-bred stallion for Stud purposes	3,000
2nd best do. do.	2,000
3rd best do. do.	1,000

The Government of India will retain a *right of pre-emption of any horses* exhibited, at a price to be fixed by the exhibitor before exhibition. No prizes will be given unless the horses exhibited come up to a high standard of excellence.

Importers and competitors are informed that the judges will be considerably guided by good measurement of girth and leg; and blood combined with power.

Animals wanting in such essential points will have no chance of gaining a prize.

H. K. Burne, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

C. Bernard,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

The Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta hereby give notice that the following scale of charges will be levied on certain classes of goods landed or shipped at the Jetties on and after this date in supersession of the scale of landing charges published in the *Gazette* of the 9th and 16th October 1872, item No. 21, and in supersession of the

shipping charges published in the *Gazette* of 13th September 1871, items 52, and 111 :—

SCHEDULE OF LANDING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

cale of charges and rent to be paid by Owners, Importers, or Consignees, in respect of undermentioned goods landed at the Jetties and for their removal when not cleared in forty-eight hours.

ITEMS.	Landing charges at the jetties.	For removal of goods not claimed within 48 hours to the Custom House or import warehouse.	Rent per month to be charged at the import warehouse, at wharf, and at jetty sheds, on all goods not claimed within 48 hours.
Bottles, empty; per dozen	0 0 6	0 0 3	0 3 0

SCHEDULE OF SHIPPING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

vised scale of charges and rent to be paid by Owners, Importers, or Consignees, in respect of the undermentioned goods shipped at the Jetties and for their removal when not shipped within forty-eight hours.

ITEMS.	Shipping charges.	Removal charges.	Wharf rent.
51. Machinery in pieces or cases, over 2 tons	See charges by weight.		
52. " " under 2 tons			
Charges by Weight.			
111. On all goods not enumerated, chargeable by weight, and not exceeding 2 tons, per cwt.	0 1 6	0 0 9	0 8 0
112. On all goods exceeding 2 tons, and not exceeding 4 tons, per cwt.	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 8 0
113. Exceeding 4 and not exceeding 8 tons, per cwt.	0 4 0	0 2 0	0 8 0
On all weights over 8 tons, per cwt.	0 7 0	0 4 0	0 8 0

By order of the Commissioners,

W. D. BRUCE,
Vice-Chairman.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1874.

JUDICIAL.—*The 20th November* 1873.—Baboo Jadub Chunder Dey, B.L., Officiating Subordinate Judge of Sylhet, is vested, under Section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts' Act VI of 1871, with the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such Courts up to the amount of Rs. 50, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment; the local limits of such jurisdiction being the same as those of the jurisdiction of the Moonsiff of Parcool.

The 25th November 1873.—Baboo Doorga Prosad Ghose, Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Hooghly, Serampore, and Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge, with effect from the 15th November, the date of his appointment.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new sub-district to be attached to the District of Howrah, and to be conterminous with Thannahs Ooloberia, Shampore, Bagnan and Ampta, in the District of Howrah, and Thannah Khanakul, in the Registration Sub-district of Jehanabad, in the District of Burdwan, with Head-quarters at Moheshrekha.

The Sub-divisional officer at Moheshrekha will be *ex-officio* Sub-Registrar, and receive the usual commission of 25 per cent.

This notification will take effect on and after 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 20th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Be[illegible] land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purp[illegible] for a police station in the village of Golachipa, Pergunnah Chundra Dipa, Zillah [illegible] gunge, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measurin[illegible] [illegible]es 4 beegahs, 14 cottahs, 10½ chittacks, bounded on the north by waste lands o[illegible] Pogose and Golachipa Khall, on the west by waste lands and paddy fields, on the [illegible] paddy fields, and on the east by paddy fields and Golachipa market, is required wi[illegible] aforesaid village of Golachipa.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to al[illegible] it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Benga[illegible]

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has b[illegible] pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office in the District [illegible] Chittagong, with Head-Quarters at Raujan. The new Sub-Registrar will exercise, in and [illegible] Thannah Raujan and Outpost Ranganiya only, concurrent jurisdiction with the Sudd[illegible] Sub-Registrar of Chittagong. Moonshi Mehr-ullah Chaudhuri is appointed to be Su[illegible] Registrar of Raujan.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Patiya, in the District of Chittagong. The Sub-Registrar of Patiya will exercise in and for Thannah Patiya concurrent jurisdiction with the Sudder Sub-Registrar of Chittagong.

Munshi Muinuddin Ahmed is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Patiya.

This Notification will take effect on and from the 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of Section 2 of Act V (B. C.) of 1873, *the following plan for the future lighting of that area of the town of Howrah which is at present lighted with gas is hereby published for general information by order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.*

PLAN.

1. The portion of the Town which is lighted is bounded as follows:—

On the North by Hurrogunge Road, on the South by Ramkistopore Ghaut Road, on the East by the River Hooghly, and on the West by the Grand Trunk Road. A map of this portion is herewith submitted, on which is shown in blue lines the streets which are lighted, and in red lines those which the Commissioners propose to light on receipt of His Honor's sanction.

2. The following are the names of the streets and the number of lamps in each at present lighted, as also the names of the streets proposed to be lighted and the number of lamps in each.

Names of the streets and the number of lamps in each at present lighted.

Grand Trunk Road ...	... 52	Brought forward	... 114
Ramkistopore Ghaut Road	... 7	Ghoosery Road ..	... 4
Telkul Ghaut Road ..	. 12	Golabaree Road ..	... 8
Avenue Road ..	.. 7	Baptist Burial Ground Road	.. 9
Church Road .	.. 5	New Street ..	.. 1
Chandmarree Road ..	... 8	Ross Road ..	... 4
Tindal Garden Road ..	... 9	Seal's New Lane ..	... 2
Lall Diggee Road ..	... 4	Hurrogunge Road ..	... 12
King's Road ..	... 4	Howrah Road ..	... 44
Rosemarree Lane ..	... 8	Howrah Ghaut Road ..	... 3
Salt Gola Lane ..	... 3		
Carried over	... 114	Total	... 201

Names of the streets and the number of lamps in each proposed to be lighted.

Khetter Mitter's Lane	10	Brought forward	33
Watkins' Lane	5	Mackenzie's Lane	2
Dobson's Lane	15	Ticcaparrah and Jelleaparrah Lane	4
Strand Road	3		
Carried over	33	Total	39

3. It will be observed from the map* that when the last named streets are lighted, *all* the public roads within the portion of the Town described in para. 2 will be lighted; that is to say, all the highways which are vested in the Commissioners, and over which they have control.

* *Vide* note deposited in the Bengal Office.

4. The outlay in erecting the lamps at present lighted, numbering 201, was Rs. 10,628, and the estimated cost of erecting the 39 lamps, which are required to complete the lighted area, is Rs. 2,437-8-0.

5. The cost of erecting the existing lamps was met from general funds, and the Commissioners propose to pay for the erection of the extra lamps from the saving which will be effected in the allotment for lighting charges for the months of January, February, and March next. This of course is calculated on the principle that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be pleased to authorize the Commissioners to levy the rate from the 4th quarter of the current year 1873-74, viz. January to March 1874, the Commissioners, on their part, undertaking that the extra lamps shall be ready for lighting from 1st January.

6. The cost of lighting the 240 lamps will be Rs. 24,000 per annum. To this cost the Commissioners are bound by the existing contract with the Gas Company from which they have no escape. The contract has still 18 years to run. To this is to be added a sum of Rs. 1,200 for contingent charges of repairs to lamps, making a total of Rs. 25,200 per annum.

7. The total valuation of buildings and lands situated within the area is Rs. 8,72,867. A rate of 3 per cent. on this valuation would yield Rs. 26,186 per annum, and if from this sum a deduction is made of, say, Rs. 486 on account of collection charges, there would remain a net income of Rs. 25,700, which would cover the expenses of lighting and maintaining the lamps within the portion of the Town in which it is proposed to levy the rate for the present.

The 24th November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that under Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Beerbhoom, comprising Thannahs Kasbah and Sakulipore, and having its Head-Quarters at Soorool.

Baboo Hari Mohan Sarkar of Soorool is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Soorool.

This Notification will take effect on and from the 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that under Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-district in the district of Beerbhoom, comprising Thannahs Labhpore and Burwan, and having its Head-Quarters at Labhpore.

Munshi Ghulam Rossul is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Labhpore. This notification will take effect on and from 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that pending the appointment of the Board of Examiners for the examination of candidates for Pleadership and Mooktearships, notices from candidates for Mooktearships of their intention to appear at the next examination will be received at the office of Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Judicial Department, up to the 15th December next.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Coomarkhali in the District of Nuddea, and to appoint Baboo Tarini Churn Roy to be Additional Sub-Registrar of Kooshtea, with Head-Quarters at Coomarkhali.

This notification will take effect on and from the 15th November 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th November 1873.—With reference to the Notification of the 6th May last, published at page 663 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, it is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has accepted the resignation by the persons named below of their appointments as Honorary Magistrates in the District of Hooghly:—

Baboo Chunder Kant Mookerjee.
" Satya Dayal Banerjee.
" Govind Chunder Mookerjee.
" Hurry Hur Mookerjee.
" Peary Mohun Mookerjee.
Moonshee Nazirooddeen.
Baboo Opendra Narain Nundy.
" Purendra Deb Roy.
" Rajendra Narain Nundy.
" Shib Chunder Deb.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 19th November 1873.

No. 398.—*Posting.*—Mr. C. A. Mills, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, is posted to the First Calcutta Division.

No. 399.—Mr. R. G. Kennedy, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, is posted to the Third Calcutta Division.

No. 400.—*Appointment.*—Mr. R. A. Oldham, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, late returned from sick leave to Europe, is appointed to the special duty of investigating surveying a line for a Navigable Canal between Chuttuck and Terria Ghaut in the S[illegible] district.

2. Mr. Oldham joined his appointment on the 27th October 1873 before noon.

No. 401.—*Leave of absence.*—Mr. R. L. Locke, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, attached to the Hazareebaugh District, is allowed leave on medical certificate from the 12th August to the 3rd September 1873, under Supplement F, Section 3, of the Civil Leave Code; and also leave on private affairs without pay, from the 4th to the 29th September 1873, under Supplement F, Section 9, of the above rules.

No. 402.—*Notifications.*—Baboo Satcoury Chatterjee, Overseer, First Grade, joined the Hazareebaugh District, on the 23rd October 1873, before noon on return from sick leave.*

No. 403.—Mr. J. Bradshaw, Overseer, First Grade, joined the Moorshedabad District on the 11th November 1873 before noon, on return from privilege leave.†

* Bengal Government, Public Works Department, Notification No. 316 of the 30th August 1873.

† Bengal Government, Public Works Department, Notification No. 306 of the 27th August 1873.

No. 404.—*Transfer.*—Moonshee Golam Ahmed, Overseer, Third Grade, from the Nuddea to the Jessore District.

No. 405.—Mr. E. Lumsden, Accountant, Fourth Grade, from the Dacca to the Sylhet and Cachar Districts.

The 21st November 1873.

No. 406.—*Notifications.*—Mr. W. B. Clark, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, attached to the Second Calcutta Division, availed himself of privilege leave‡ from the 8th October 1873 before noon.

‡ Bengal Government, Public Works Department, Notification No. 368 of the 27th October 1873.

No. 407.—Baboo Brindhabun Chunder Ghose, Overseer, Third Grade, attached to the Assam Circle, availed himself of privilege leave,* with effect from the 10th September 1873.

No. 408.—Baboo Bamun Chunder Bhuttacharjee, Supervisor, Second Grade, joined the Singbhoom and Maunbhoom Districts on the 4th November 1873 before noon on return from privilege leave.†

* Bengal Government, Public Works Department. Notification No. 389, of the 13th November 1873.

† Bengal Government, Public Works Department, Notification No. 237 of the 25th June 1873.

The 24th November 1873.

No. 409.—The following orders, issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, are republished for general information :—

"*No.* 711 *of the* 12*th November* 1873.—Mr. J. Walker, temporary Accountant, Second Grade, and Officiating Assistant Controller, Bengal, having been relieved by Mr. Moore on the 11th October 1873, ceased to belong to the Public Works Department from that date."

"*No.* 716 *of the* 12*th November* 1873.—The following passed students of the Thomason Civil Engineering College have been appointed to the Public Works Department in the grades specified, and posted as follows :—

* * * *

AS OVERSEERS, THIRD GRADE.

To Bengal Provincial Establishment.

Mohima Chundra Goopta.
Brij Behari Lall."

"*No.* 718 *of the* 14*th November* 1873.—The services of the following Officers belonging to the staff of the Western Rajpootana Railway Survey are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, on Famine Relief Works :—

Mr. W. Henderson, Executive Engineer, Second Grade.
Captain R. J. Bond, Executive Engineer, Third Grade.
Mr. J. W. Buyers, Executive Engineer, Third Grade.
Mr. G. R. Clark, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade.
Mr. A. Thuey, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade.

No. 410.—*Posting.*—The following passed students of the Thomason Civil Engineering College are posted to the Divisions specified opposite to their names, which they joined on the dates mentioned :—

OVERSEERS, FIRST GRADE.

Corporal E. Hughes, Gya District	7th October 1873,	before noon.
Private J. Craig, Darjeeling and Julpigoree district ...	4th ,,	after noon.

OVERSEERS, THIRD GRADE.

Brij Behari Lall, Dinagepore and Maldah District ..	8th October 1873,	before noon.
Mohima Chundra Gupta, Lohardugga District ...	14th ,,	,,

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18*th November* 1873.

No. 504.—*Posting.*—Mr. R. W. E. Green, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, who has been transferred to this Branch from the Punjab, is posted to the Sone Circle.

No. 505.—*Notification.*—Baboo Chytun Mahanty, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, Byturnee Division, is dismissed from the Public Works Department.

The 19*th November* 1873.

No. 506.—*Appointment.*—The undermentioned Probationary Overseers of the Third Grade, attached to the Arrah Division, are permanently appointed to the Public Works Department, with effect from the dates entered against their names :—

Mr. B. Marshall, from 12th September 1873.
Baboo Charoo Churn Bose, from 24th September 1873.

No. 507.—*Notification.*—Mr. R. A. Gregory, Overseer, Second Grade, Balasore Survey Division, is dismissed from the Public Works Department.

No. 508.—*Posting.*—The undermentioned Upper Subordinates, who have been transferred to the Bengal Irrigation Branch from the Punjab, are posted to the Sone Circle :—

Conductor W. Wilson, Supervisor, First Grade.
Sergeant J. Chapman, Supervisor, Second Grade.

No. 509.—*Notifications.*—Sergeant A. Jackson, Overseer, First Grade, Eastern Sone Division, is remanded to military duty at his own request.

Sergeant Jackson left the Eastern Sone Division on the afternoon of the 4th November 1873 to join his Regiment.

No. 510.—The special leave to study native languages, granted to Baboo Heera Lall Mitter, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Dehree Division, in Notification No. 425, dated 18th October 1873, is hereby cancelled.

The 21st November 1873.

No. 511.—Mr. H. P. Wylly, Deputy Revenue Superintendent, Orissa, is appointed to take charge of the Office of Canal Revenue Superintendent, Orissa, under the control of the Collector of Cuttack, during the absence of Mr. Toynbee or until further orders.

No. 512.—*Transfer.*—Mr. C. Low, Temporary Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, from the Orissa to the Sone Field Survey.

No. 513.—*Notifications.*—The undermentioned Assistant Engineers, Second Grade, who have been transferred from the Punjab to Bengal Irrigation Branch, have been posted to the Buxar Division :—

Mr. J. P. Scotland.
,, D. McMordie.

No. 514.—Mr. J. P. Scotland, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, joined the Buxar Division on 14th November 1873.

No. 515.—Baboo Kedar Nath Dass, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, joined the Buxar Division on the forenoon of the 9th November 1873.

No. 516.—*Leave.*—Baboo Surbeshur Singh, Probationary Overseer, Third Grade, Balasore Survey Division, is granted sick leave for 18 days under Supplement F, Section 3, of the Civil Leave Code, viz., from 12th to 29th October 1873.

No. 517.—Mr. T. R. Buxton, Temporary Supervisor, Second Grade, Mahanuddy Division, is granted sick leave for three months under Supplement F, Section 3, Rule I, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from 1st October 1873.

No. 518.—*Notifications.*—Mr. E. Gibson, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Eastern Sone Division, passed in the Lower Standard on the 1st September 1873.

No. 519.—Baboo Baney Madhub Chatterjee, Probationary Sub-Overseer, First Grade, joined the Behar Survey on the forenoon of the 14th November 1873.

No. 520.—Mr. A. C. Low, Probationary Overseer, First Grade, joined the Behar Survey, on the afternoon of the 15th November 1873.

The 22nd November 1873.

No. 521.—Baboo Radha Madhub Mookerjee, Overseer, Second Grade, Brahminee Division, returned from privilege leave on the afternoon of 4th November 1873.

No. 522.—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 706, *dated* 11*th November* 1873.—The orders of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, re-appointing Mr. S. Street, to the Public Works Department, as a Supervisor of the First Grade, on probation, and posting him to the Irrigation Branch, Public Works Department, are confirmed."

No. 523.—*Posting.*—Mr. S. Street, Probationary Supervisor, First Grade, to the Arrah Division.

No. 524.—*Notification.*—Mr. G. F. Moore, Probationary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, joined the Cossye Division on the forenoon of the 15th November 1873.

The 24th November 1873.

No. 525.—*Leave.*—Baboo Byeunt Nath Sen, Overseer, First Grade, Dehree Division, is granted privilege leave for 15 days under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the afternoon of 31st October 1873, the date on which he availed himself of it.

The Overseer returned to duty on the afternoon of the 12th November 1873.

No. 526.—*Notification.*—Lieutenant A. D. McArthur, R. E., Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, assumed charge of the Buxar Division on the forenoon of the 8th November 1873.

No. 527.—Mr. G. J. R. Leeson, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Cossye Division, returned to duty on the afternoon of 18th August 1873.

No. 528.—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 724, *dated the* 15*th November* 1873.—The orders of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, appointing Mr. E. H. Macvitie to the Public Works Department as a temporary Supervisor of the Second Grade, and posting him to the Irrigation Branch, Public Works Department, are confirmed."

No. 529.—*Posting*.—Mr. E. H. Macvitie, Temporary Supervisor, Second Grade, to the Eastern Sone Survey Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 16th November 1873.

No. 530.—*Declaration*.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense, for public purposes, viz:—

1. For constructing an embankment along the right bank of the Salundee River,

2. For connecting the Agarparra road with the same, and diverting it over the Lock bridge,

3. For brick-fields and river protective works in connection with the Salundee Embankment and the 3rd Section, High Level Canal,—It is hereby declared, that for the above purposes, the following strips of land are required in Pergunnah Randia Orgurrah, Zillah Balasore:—

1. A strip of land 6 miles long and 90 feet broad, more or less, which, commencing at Mouzah Canpur, and passing through the villages of Doising, Krustonagar, Ghareia, Oolang, Sarmanga, and Khoraut, terminates at Mouzah Randia.

2. A strip of land 1,360 feet long, 120 feet broad, more or less, which, extending from the right bank of the Salundee River, and passing partly along the eastern boundary of the land acquired for the 3rd Section, High Level Canal, through Mouzahs Randia and Bagurai, terminates at the Agarparra Road, in Mouzah Bagurai aforesaid.

3. A strip of land 1,000 feet long, 100 feet broad, more or less, which, extending from the proposed Salundee Embankment, and passing through Mouzahs Randia and Khoraut, terminates at the Agarparra Road in Mouzah Khoraut aforesaid.

4. A strip of land 1,300 feet long, 222 feet broad, more or less, which, commencing from the western boundary of the land acquired before for the 3rd Section, High Level Canal, at its terminus on the Salundee River, and extending up the river along its right bank, terminates in Mouzah Randia aforesaid.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. W. GULLIVER, LIEUT.-COL., *R. E.*,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

The 15*th November* 1873.—The unexpired portion of the leave for the Dusserah vacation granted to Baboo Chunder Prosunno Dutt, Moonsiff of Jajpore, District Cuttack, by Court's Order No. 2726, of the 23rd September last, is hereby cancelled at his own request.

The 21*st November* 1873.—Baboo Juggutdoolub Mozoomdar, B.L., Moonsiff of Sooree, District Beerbhoom, for two days, in continuation of the one month's leave granted to him during the Dusserah vacation, under Section 18, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Bhoobun Mohun Roy Chowdry, Moonsiff of Nitrokonah, District Mymensing, for three months, under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, in continuation of the privilege leave granted to him for the Dusserah vacation.

The 24*th November* 1873.—Baboo Judoonath Mookerjee, Moonsiff of Raojun, District Chittagong, for two months, under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, in continuation of the privilege leave granted to him for the Dusserah vacation.

The 24*th November* 1873.—The unexpired portion of the leave for one month and twelve days, granted to Baboo Saroda Pershad Chatterjee, Sudder Moonsiff of Midnapore, under Section 18, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code, is hereby cancelled at his own request.

By order of the High Court,
W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT, CIVIL SIDE, the 25th November 1873.

NOTIFICATION.

Under section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Dacca and Moonsheegunge will, in the week commencing from the 24th of November instant, hold his sittings in the Dacca Court and not at Moonsheegunge.

H. S. THOMPSON,
Judge, Small Cause Court.

DACCA, *the* 19*th November* 1873.

NOTICE.

AGREEABLY to Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that from the next month the undersigned will hold his sittings in the Small Cause Court of Patna, on the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th working days in the beginning of every month.

GOBIND CHUNDER SANDYAL, *Judge of the Small Cause Court.*

PATNA, the 18th November 1873.

TREASURY NOTICE.

MR. J. B. SHADWELL, Extra Assistant Commissioner, has been placed in charge of the Khasi and Jynteah Hills Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

HENRY HOPKINSON, *Agent, Governor-General, N. E. F., and Commr. of Assam.*

GOWHATTY, the 15th November 1873.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that two blank Allygurh Money Order Forms Nos. 7791 and 7797 have been lost. Officers in charge of treasuries are requested to refuse payment if presented.

H. A. MANGLES, *Offg. Acct.-General, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 25th November 1873.

NOTICE.

THE following dates of the Criminal Sessions during the year 1874 are published for general information :—

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
First	Wednesday	14th January.
Second	Monday	16th February.
Third	Wednesday	18th March.
Fourth	Thursday	23rd April.
Fifth	Ditto	28th May.
Sixth	Tuesday	30th June.
Seventh	Monday	3rd August.
Eighth	Ditto	14th September.
Ninth	Ditto	30th November.

By order,

The 20th November 1873.

C. C. MACRAE, *Clerk of the Crown.*

Sheriff's Office, the 28th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Criminal Sessions of the year 1873, of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Session be then and there to prosecute.

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস সন ১৮৭৩ সাল ২৮ অকটোবর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ২৭ নবেম্বর বৃহস্পতিবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যেপর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের নবম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারায় প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 909B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1874, will consist of 26,244 chests of Behar, and 18,756 chests of Benares Opium, being of the two seasons 1871-72 and 1872-73 in the proportions marginally noted. The sales will be held on or about the dates specified below. The Member in charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

	Chests.	Chests.
BEHAR.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	8	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	26,236	
		26,244
BENARES.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	16	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	18,740	
		18,756
Total ...		45,000

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 5th Jan. 1874	...	2,209	1,541	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	...	26,244	18,756	45,000

The following are the conditions of Sale:—

1. The Opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The Opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by Clause 12 of these Conditions of Sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M.; but if at that hour any of the lots advertized for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Member in charge, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday) at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or, if the whole quantity advertized shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Member in charge may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room, and before the lot is registered in the sale book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this Office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale: or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts, or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Member in charge shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and

DEPOSIT.
When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to

Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the last-mentioned condition, if unredeemed at 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be placed hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall fit.

7. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of Opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted.

8. The Opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 4 o'clock of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, and in case any lots of such Opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth Condition or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Member in charge shall think fit, and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the Opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale.

9. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of Opium after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots, or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests originally required to be included in each certificate or order.

10. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present Conditions will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale book or his anthorized Agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

11. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall, on demand, tender at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal Receipts, or Government Securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these Conditions.

12. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually until a bid is obtained, and the first *bona fide* bidder for a lot after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these Conditions.

13. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same agency Opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the Opium to complete the said twenty-five.

14. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the Opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Juditure at Fort William in Bengal.

15. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. No. 1, certificate of the Opium advertized for sale; No. 2, report of the examination of such Opium.

16. The public are hereby informed that, in providing the investment of the Behar and Benares Opium for the year 1872-73, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

17. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the Opium advertized for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Member in charge entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of Opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the Opium for shipment.

13. It is hereby further notified that under the 8th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March, 1815, quoted below, the Agents in India of the French Government, or persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that out of the quantities of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for sale at the twelve sales of the year 1874, there shall be delivered to them, at the average of the particular sale or sales to which the Opium so applied for may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make requisition specifying the quantity of Opium required by them at any particular sale, within thirty days from the advertisement of such intended sale, provided however that the Agents of the French Government may make such requisition for the whole quantity within thirty days from the publication of this notification. If the Agent of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time above mentioned, the entire quantity of about 45,000 chests of Behar and Benares, as above estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner; and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertized for sale at each or any of the twelve sales above mentioned, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

	Chests.
Behar	26,244
Benares	18,756
Total	45,000

Article of the convention above referred to.

Article VI.—"With regard to the trade in Opium, it is agreed between the high contracting parties that at each of the periodical sales of that article, there shall be reserved for the French Government, and delivered upon requisition duly made by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty, or by the persons duly appointed by them, the number of chests so supplied for provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken on account of the French Government by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred chests hereinbefore mentioned. The requisitions for Opium, as aforesaid, are to be addressed to the Governor-General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended sales shall have been published in the *Government Gazette*."—By order of the Member in charge.

T. B. LANE,
Secretary.

BOARD OF REVENUE,
Fort William, the 8th November 1873.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 869 B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth or last Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 4th December 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 Chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares „	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertized will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 19th December respectively; that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 9th December 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 19th December 1873.

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 28th October 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situated in the District of Burdwan, from 1873-74 to 1900 will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on Friday, the 5th December 1873, corresponding with 21st Aughran 1280, B.S.:—

The purchasers of the estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The estate will be sold subject to a [light] jumma of Rs. 4 per annum to the highest bidder.

2nd.—The sale will be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers will be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

5th.—In addition to the ordinary Government revenue assessed upon the estates the purchaser shall be bound to pay for the construction of roads and improvement of communications, 1 per cent. on the Government revenue assessed from the date of entry upon the purchase. This sum will be leviable in the same manner as other arrear's of revenue.

6th.—The purchasers will be bound to perform the Patwary's duties.

No. in statement of Government estate.	No. on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government Revenue			Upset price.	Remarks.
				Revenue assessed.	Road cess.	Total.		
				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		
64	4519	Kashipore, Pergunnah Raneebatty	0 3 3	4 0 0	.....	4 0 0	.....	Proprietary right of Government to the estate from 1873-74 to 1900 to be sold.

E. H. WINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned land, situate in the District of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Moorshedabad Collectorate on the 19th December 1873, corresponding with 5th Poos 1280.

2. The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plot will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders above the upset price.

Number of statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	77	A plot in Bajarpara, Mouzah Gopjan, Pergunnah Mahalandi, bounded on the east by a road in Chainpara; on the north by the land of Baboo Sheikh, a ryot of Chainpara; on the west by the lands of Mati Chain and Gopal Chain; and on the south by the land of Shiban Chain. Zemindar, Jogut Chunder Roy Chowdhoori. Ryots, Moti Chain and Gopal Chain and Shiban Chain ...	1 3 39	150 0 0	

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

জিলা মুরশিদাবাদ।

ইস্তাহারনামা কাছারি কালেক্টরী জেলা মুরশিদাবাদ এই যে,

ইহার দ্বারা সম্বাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে অত্র জেলার মধ্যস্থিত নিম্নলিখিত ভূমিখণ্ডে গবর্ণমেণ্টের যে মালিকি স্বত্ব আছে তাহা অত্র জেলার কালেক্টরি কাছারিতে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ১৯ ডিসেম্বর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সালের ৫ পৌষ শুক্রবারে বিক্রয় হইবেক।

এই ভূমি যাঁহারা ক্রয় করিবেন তাঁহারদিগের নিম্নলিখিত নিয়মের অধীনে থাকিতে হইবে।

১। এক শত টাকার অনধিক পণ হইলে সেই সমুদয় টাকা তৎক্ষণাৎ দিতে হইবে।

২। একশত টাকার অধিক পণ হইলে ডাকপণের চতুর্থাংশের একাংশ তৎক্ষণাৎ দাখিল করিতে হইবে বিক্রয়ের দিবস এক দিন ধরিয়া গণনা করিলে বিক্রয়ান্তর পঞ্চদশ দিবসের মধ্যাহ্নকালে কিম্বা সেই দিন বন্দের দিন হইলে তৎপরে প্রথম যে দিন কাছারি খোলা যাইবে সেই দিনের মধ্যাহ্ন কালে যদি অবশিষ্ট টাকা দাখিল না হয় তবে বিক্রয় রহিত ও গচ্ছিত টাকা গবর্ণমেণ্টে জব্দ হইবে ও প্রথম স্থলীয় বিক্রয়ের ন্যায় পুনর্ব্বার বিজ্ঞাপন প্রকাশ পূর্ব্বক ঐ ত্রুটিকারি ক্রেতার ঝুঁকিতে এই খণ্ড ভূমি পুনরায় বিক্রয় হইবে।

৩। নিম্নলিখিত ভূমি যে কেহ নিলামের প্রথম ডাক হইতে সর্ব্বাপেক্ষা অধিক ডাকিবেন তাঁহার নিকট ঐ ভূমি লাখেরাজরূপে বিক্রয় করা যাইবে ইতি। সন ১৮৭৩ সাল তারিখ ১৭ অক্টোবর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সাল তরিখ ২ কার্ত্তিক।

রাজকীয় মাহালের কৈফিয়তের নম্বর।	জেলার বহিতে নম্বর।	মাহাল এবং পরগনা।	পরিমাণ যত একর।	ধার্য্য করা রাজস্ব।	নীলামের প্রথম ডাক।	মন্তব্য।
১	৭৭	পরগনে মহনন্দীর অন্তঃপাতি মৌজে গোপজানের সামিল বাজার পাড়ার মধ্যে চাক্রী পাড়ার রাস্তার পশ্চিম, চাক্রী পাড়ার প্রজা বাবু সেখের জমীর দক্ষিণ, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রীর জমীর পূর্ব্ব, শিবন চাক্রীর জমীর উত্তর জমাদার জগচ্চন্দ্র রায় চৌধুরির প্রজা শিবন চাক্রী, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রী	১।৩।৩৯	০	১৫০৲	

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of Moorshedabad, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 1st day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1873.

Number on the rent roll.	Class.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	REMARKS.
87	1st class	Kismut Pergunnah Kurgram, Pergunnah Kurgram.	Fuckeer Chunder, Dolegovind, Ramessur Karfurma, Brojo Koomar, Dhurum Dutt, Sharoda Soondery, Modhoo Soodun, Kangalee Nath, Horeelall Roy, Mohamaya Debbia, Tarini Proshad Roy Chowdry, Horish Chunder Karfurma, and Ramessuree Debee.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 2,397-13-10. That exclusive of the share of 11 gundas and 2 kowrees of Tarinee Proshad Roy Chowdry, viz. Rs. 85-13-4, is Rs. 2,312-0-6.	The separate share of Tarini Proshad Chowdry only will be sold.
100	Ditto ...	Kismut Pergunnah Choonakhallee, Pergunnah Choonakhalee.	Rajkissore, Chunderchoor, Ramcoomar, Heroproshad, Kassissur, Moharanee Surnomoye, Joynarain Bose, Radhakristo, Bissonath, Mrittonjoy Roy, Brojosoonderee Dassia, Jeebankristo Pramanic, Haradhonee Dassia, Shama Soondery Dassia, Shosodhur Chowdhoory, Peari Soondery Dassia, Assootosh Bose, Charoo Chunder Bose, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, Kamini Soondery, Terunginee, *alias* Lootoomony Dassia, Poolin Beharee Sen, Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany, Saroda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad, Roy Chowdhoory, Shama Churun Bose, Kaminee Soondery Dassia, Kandarimul, Dooleechand, Khettro Nath Bundopaddhea, Jogendro Mohinee Debbia, Shoseebhoosun Mookhopaddhia, Sarossutee Debbia.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 3,551-7-5. That exclusive of the separate shares of Moharanee Surnomoye ... ... 107 11 0 Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor ... 443 15 0 Charoo Chunder Bose ... 83 11 1½ Joynarain Bose ... ... 167 6 0 Assootosh Bose ... ... 83 11 1½ Sosodhur Chowdhoori ... 104 9 10 Shama Churn Bose ... 201 11 0 Shama Soondery Chowdhoorany ... ... 62 14 0 Gokoolmony Chowdhoorany ... 262 12 0 Sharoda Proshad, *alias* Radhika Proshad Roy ... 262 12 0 Khetter Nath Banerjea and Jogendro Mohini Debbia ... 366 14 3 Haradhonee Dassia ... 6 0 11½ Lotoomony Dassia, *alias* Kamini Soondery Dassia ... 6 0 11½ Total ... 2,160 2 0 is Rs. 1,391-5-5.	The rights and interest of all the proprietors in the estate except those of the persons mentioned in the foregoing column will be sold.
120	Ditto ...	Kismut Mouzah Chhooleepoor, Pergunnah Gozeerabad.	Ranee Aunund Moyee, Ranee Jomoona Koomaree, Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor.	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 769-12-10. That exclusive of the share of Ranee Jomoona Koomaree and Ranee Shoovuddra Koomaree, mother of Horindro Sing, minor, viz. Rs. 384-14-5, is Rs. 384-14-5.	The share of Ranee Aunund Moye only will be sold.
234	Ditto ...	Pullee Bahadoorpoor, Pergunnah Kassipore.	Prosunno Chunder Ghose ...	Sudder jumma of the entire mehal is Rs. 742-15-8.	The entire mehal will be sold.

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of 24-Pergunnahs, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 5th day of December 1873, corresponding with 21st Augrahon 1280, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day September 1873 :—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

No 658, Kismut Pergunnah Baliah, Turf Sreekistopore, recorded proprietor Ramdhun Bose and others; sudder jumma, including police charges, Rs. 1,141-12-1.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Collector.*

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, 24-PERGUNNAHS, the 27th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of East Burdwan will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 3rd day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-Settled Estates.

Number in the rent roll.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	
27	Shahapore and others, Pergunnah Jahangirabad.	Chowdhory Golam Rohoman, Nocoor Chunder Shaha, Kristoprosunno Mozoomdar, Jurifunnessa Bibee, Gooroo Dass Koondoo, Kofiluddin *alias* Doonoomea, Kangali Churn Shaha, and Shehatannessa Bibee.	8,569 1 10	Out of the total amount of Government Revenue, separate accounts have been opened on behalf of the undermentioned shareholders, and they have paid up their quotas, viz:— Jurifunnessa Bibee for Rs. 1,391-3-3; Nocoor Chunder Shaha for Rs. 904-4-6; Kofiluddin *alias* Doonoomea for Rs. 834-11-6; Gooroo Dass Koondoo for Rs. 208-10-11; Kangali Churn Shaha for Rs. 208-10-11; Shehatannessa Bibee for Rs. 904-4-6; The estate to be sold for arrears of Government Revenue only.
158	Shumoodrogouree, Pergunnah Shatshocka.	Rohimunnessa Bibee, Koylash Chundra De Chowdhory, Gobin Chand Nundy, and Nilcomul De Chowdhory.	2,710 8 11	In this estate general registry has been recorded in the names of different personages under Section 41 of Act XI of 1859, as stated below:— Kedarnath Chuckerbutty, putnidar of 8as. share of 9 mouzahs, viz: Kypookooriah and others for Rs. 900; Beny Madhub Mullick, putnidar of 2as. share of Shumoodrogori and Hurshoona, and 1 anna 8 gundas 1 cowree share of 16 mouzahs of Shinghoojooley for Rs. 293-2-2. Bunomalee Nundy, putnidar of 8as. share of mouzah Neiz Shumoodrogori and Hurshoona &c., and three-fourths of 5 annas 13 gundas 1 cowree 1 krantee share of 15 mouzahs, Putty Thakoordara and others; in all 17 mouzahs general registry for Rs. 726-6-7. The estate to be sold for arrears of government revenue only.
174	Gowara, Pergunnah Mamdanipore.	Kristodeb Bhuttacherjee ...	727 14 7	1st Class.—Permanently settled estate. The estate to be sold for arrears of Government Revenue only.

E. H. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE, the 29th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 28th day of November 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873:—

Serial number.	Number on the Touji.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Names of Proprietors.	Amount of Government Revenue.	Amount of arrears.
				Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.
...	250	First Class permanently settled Estate, Taraf Soorjopárá, Pergunnah Tegechi.	Kali Sundary Deby, Shabitri Dassy, Kaliprosad Chowdrury, Bhobodeb, Talookdar, Santoomony Deby, Gungaprosad, Debiprosad, Ramshonaton Lahiry, Essur Chandra, Gungagobind Roy, Digbashona Deby, Bepin Chaudra Chowdhury, Bama Sundary Deby, Chandra Kanta, Romonikant Lahiry, Soorjo Kant Lahiry, Pran Nath Roy and Gowri Nath, Gooroo Prosunno and Poresh Nath Roy, Minors, Ram Ram Charn, Gooroo Charn, Boroda Charn, Gunga Charn, Shib Charn, Doorga Doss Khan, Horo Moni Deby, Koilash Chandra and Hurri Dass Lahiry, Minors.	1,604 14 0 Of this revenue separate accounts have been opened under Section 10, Act XI, 1859, with Ram Charn Khan and others, for Rs. 156-4, and with Hurro Moni Deby and others, for Rs. 65-6, in lots for Rs. 221-10. Deducting this the portion of revenue payable by the shares of Kali Sundary Deby and others to be sold is Rs 1,383-4.	103 7 0

RAJSHAHYE COLLECTORATE, the 15th October 1873. W. H. D'OYLY, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of Sarun, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December 1873, corresponding with 6th Poos 1281 F.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873 in lieu of 28th September 1873:—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

Serial No.	Towjee No.	
1	1751	Mehal Telpa Boozoorg, Pergunnah Chirand; recorded proprietors, Rai Baboo Shewgholam Sah Bahadur and others; Sudder Jumma, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 1,267-8.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

2	2294	Mehal Bajraha, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ramanugreh Opadhia and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 172-0-1½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

3	2303	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raj Coomar Singh and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 640.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

4	2329	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raghoonath Sahai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 438-11-11½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

5	2411	Mehal Tarya, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Issardut and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 744-13-4¾.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

6	2433	Mehal Chhap Sudershurn, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ritharun Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 344-11-1.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

7	2523	Mehal Saguni, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Brijraj Kuer and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 1,536.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

8	2615	Mehal Kewani, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Barumdeo Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 626-10-2¼ deducting Rs. 261-14-9 for which separate accounts have been opened, and Rs. 357-14-11¼, the share of the Ijmali proprietors for which revenue has been paid, the share of Barumdeo Rai bearing a revenue of Rs. 6-12-6 for which separate account has been opened and in respect of which balance has accrued shall be sold.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

9	2664	Mehal Mushruk, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Mussamut Mitto Bibi and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 250-10-6½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

10	2813	Mehal Amnour Madur, Pergunnah Makair; recorded proprietors, Jobraj Sing and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 2,443-15-2¼.

SARUN COLLECTORATE, the 25th October 1873. G. G. DEY, *For Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام بابت بقیہ مالگذاری سرکار

واضح ہو کہ حسب دفعہ ۶ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع کے یہہ محالات مرقومہ الذیل ضلع سارن
مین بابت بقیہ مالگذاری سرکار و دیگر عوی جو از روے دستور رائج وقوانین جاریہ موافق
باقی مالگذاری سرکار کے بتاریخ ۸ اکتوبر بحساب سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع واجب الوصول ہی بروز
چارشنبہ تاریخ دہم ۵ دسمبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع مطابق ۶ پوس سنہ ۱۲۸۱ فصلی کچہری مین صاحب
کلکٹر اوسی ضلع کے بلا عذر و عام نیلام مین رکھا جائیگا:—

نمبر توزیع	نام محال	قسم اول	قسم مطالبہ
۱۷۵۱	محال تیلپا براگ پرگنہ چراند جنکی جمع صدر ۱۲۶۷ روپیہ ۸ پائی	باستثناے جمع ۹۷ روپیہ ۳ آنہ ۸ پائی	باقیمالگذاری سرکار

رول شدہ بمراد اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ حصہ دہندان حصہ اجمالی
راے بابو شیو غلام شاہ بہادر وغیرہ ۸ تا دہندان جمعی ۷۶۲۱ روپیہ ۸ آنہ
بعلت باقی مبلغ ۹ روپیہ ۳ آنہ ۶ پائی کے نیلام ہوگا۔

۲۶۹۴ محال بجوراها پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۲۲۶ روپیه ۱۳ باستثناے ۵۴ روپیه ایضا
انه ۱ ½ پائي ۱۴۱ انه ۰۱ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ حصه دهندان کے حصه اجمالي
رام انو گوه ۱ و پدهیا وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۲۷۱ روپیه ۱ ½ انه بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۶ روپیه ۸ انه ۳ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۰۳ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۰۴۳ روپیه سي ایضا
وخانه مالگذار مین نام کمهار سنگه وغیره کا لکها جاتا هي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۶ روپیه ۳ انه ۹ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۲۹ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۳۵ روپیه ۱۳ انه باستثناے جمع ۳۹ ایضا
۵ ½ پائي روپیه ۱۱ انه ۶ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے حصه اجمالي
رگهوناتهه سهاے وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۸۳۴ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱۱ ½
پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۴ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۱۱ محال تریا پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۴۴ روپیه ۱ انه باستثناے جمع ۶۹۶ ایضا
۳ پائي روپیه ۳ انه ۸ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے حصه
اجمالي ایشردت وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۴۴۷ روپیه ۱۳ انه
۴ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۲۳ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۰۱ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۳۳ محال چهاب سودرشن پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۲۸ روپیه باستثناے جمع ۶۷۴ ایضا
۵ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۰۱ انه ۳ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان اجمالي رتیبرن
راے وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۴۴۳ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۱۳ روپیه ۸ انه ۷ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۵۲۳ محال سگوني پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۳۵ روپیه هي ایضا
وخانه مالگذار مین نام برج راج گنورو وغیره کا لکها جاتا هي بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۰۱ انه ۲ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۱۵ محال کیواني پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۲۶ روپیه ۰۱ باستثناے جمع ۱۶۲ ایضا
انه ۲ ½ پائي روپیه ۱۴ انه ۹ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۵۷ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۱۱ ½ پائي
جمع اجمالي حصه دهندان کے برهمه پوراے وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۶۲
روپیه ۱ انه ۶ پائي تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۷۵
بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۶۴ محال مسرکه پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۳۶۰۱ باستثناے جمع ۱۲۸ ایضا
روپیه ۱۷ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۱۲ انه ۹ ½ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے
حصه اجمالي مسماة منو بي بي وغیره نادهندان جمعي
۰۵۲ روپیه ۰۱ ۶ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۴ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۷ ½
پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۸۱۳ محال امدوربانده پرگنه بکیو جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۲۴۸۵ باستثناے جمع ۱۰۰۴۱ ایضا
روپیه ۱ انه ۳ ½ پائي روپیه ۲ انه ۱ ½ پائي
تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے
حصه اجمالي جوبراج سنگه وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۲۴۳۴ روپیه ۱۵
انه ۲ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۲۹ روپیه ۱۷ انه ۴ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

دستخط جي ایچ ڈي ۲۲ اکتوبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع

G. G. DEY,
For Offg. Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6 of Act XI of 1859 and Section 3 of Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the under-mentioned estate in the district of Rungpore, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd Pous 1280 B.S., corresponding to 17th December 1873.

Class I.—Permanently settled estate.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue No. 7, Mouzah Monbhasa, &c., Chakla Futtehpore. The shares of the recorded proprietors, Tara Mohun Chaudhuree, Brojokissoree Dasya, Isban Chunder Choudhuree, Hurro Soondaree Dabya, Choudhuranee, Mutteenlla, Kutobulla, Bhyrub Chundra Choudhuree, Amirulla minor, Shona Bibee, Maharajah Nreependra Narain Bhoop Bahadur, Dhunnessuree Dasya, Nilkant Surmah, Joyantee Dabya, Mahamed Sadatulla, for himself and Sadatullah and Komoruddeen, on behalf of Anaitullah minors, Barada Sundaree Dabya and Bama Sundary Gupta Choudhuranee, having been separated under Sections 10 and 11 of Act XI of 1859 are exempted. The shares of Hurre Chundra Gossamee, Hurish Chundra Roy, Protab Mul Rakha *alias* Nauka Rokha Abbenessa Khatoon and Jadu Nath Shah Chowdry, are to be sold, the revenue of the shares to be sold is Rs. 746-8. The revenue of the entire estate is Rs. 6,554-13-8.

RUNGPORE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 3rd November 1873. E. G. GLAZIER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the under-mentioned estates in the District of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 22nd December 1873 corresponding with 8th Pous 1280, for arrears of revenue and for other demands, which by Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, which were due on the 8th October 1873 corresponding with 23rd Assin 1280, on which day the office re-opened after the Dasahara vacation.

No. 62.—Mehal Ghop Silanda, Pergunnah Sinduri, recorded proprietors, Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan Lahiry and others. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,859-10-2 of which Rs. 409-0-1 are to be deducted on account of the share of Annapurna Dasya, Hur Sundari Devya and others, with whom a separate account has been opened under the provisions of Section 10 of Act II of 1859, and the joint share of Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan, Lahiry Chundi Prosad Mozoomdar, Mahamed Ahasan, Gopi Nath Sanyal, Ram Nath Sircar, Kali Churan Singh and others, and Syama Soonduri Dassya, and others, and Golam Abbas, Nazaruddin Chandhari, Mahamed Esrail, Fakoruddin Mahamed Assan, *alias* Azimuddin Choudhari and Anandameni Dasya, will be sold for Rs. 295-7-4, being the balance of Rs. 1,450-10-1, their share of the revenue.

No 1120.—The recently accreted chur of Taraf Bharara, Pergunnah Bajuras Nazirpur, recorded proprietors, Mahabutnissa Sagirunnessa Bibi, Tarabali Khan, Azimunnessa Bibi, Sonajan Bibi—Santamoni Devya, Mothoora Nath and Jodu Nath Mozoomdar, Saroda Soondari Devya, Hari Mohan, Hur Nath, and Krishna Nath Pal, Ram Dhan Saha Umarannissa and Elahibaksh Khan. Sudder Jumma Rs. 755-14-11, will be sold for Rs. 189-6-7 being the balance of Government revenue due.

PUBNA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873. R. PORCH, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the District of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 15th day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1873.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Ali Pohella, proprietor, Triparacharan Roy. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs. 994-0-0.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Baseer Hanif, proprietor Jafer Ali. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs. 173.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 1279.—Taraf Jopram Chowdry, proprietor, Abdool Odood Farkhoud Bakt, Jainunepa, Mobarek Bakt, Nozaunepa, Taznepa, Karimnepa and Mafiznepa. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,420-5.

C. L. CLAY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in Zillah Gya, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Gya Collector's Office of that district, on the 15th December 1873, corresponding with 11th Poos 1281 Fusli, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Act in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1873:—

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Tonjee number.	Name of Mehal and Pergunnah.	Sudder Jumma.	Name of Proprietors.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.		
879	Jugdispur Arandi, Pergunnah Goh.	503 12 0	Mussamut Wajdey Bagam, *alias* Waldey Bagam, Meir Kader Ally, Raja Khan Bahadoor Khan Bahadoor, Ogar Singh, Bundho Singh, Gangoo Singh, Ajeet Singh, Deodhary Singh, Chadee Singh, Kashee Singh, Doorga Singh, Kishondhary Singh, Ahibran Singh, Ritbharan Singh, Umrit Singh, Khoob Lal Singh, Sonet Singh, Bichun Singh, Mussamut Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, Deonaraen Singh, Kashi Singh, Permashur Singh, proprietors and revenue-payers.	The share of Doorga Singh, Kishun Dhary Singh, Ahibran Singh, Ritbaran Singh, Umrit Singh, and Khoob Lal Singh, alone bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 68-4, accounts of which had been separated under Act XI of 1859, and in which there was a balance of Rs. 8-2, will be sold. The revenue with respect to the remaining shares have been paid.
896	Dundowan, Pergunnah Goh.	1,226 12 0	Gokholanund Zemidar Singh, Bundhoo Singh, Pitamber Singh, Gangoo Singh, Ogar Singh, Doorga Singh, Kishindhary Singh, Ahebaran Singh, Rutharan Singh, Umrit Singh, Khoob Lal Singh, Permashur Singh, Mussamut Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, proprietors and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 981-6 had been separated under Act XI of 1859. These have been paid up, but their remain a balance of 8 annas in the Ijmalee share of Bundhoo Singh, Pitamber Singh, Gangoo Singh, Agar Singh, Musst. Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 184; and a further balance of Rs. 15-5 remains in the share of Permashur Singh, whose accounts of a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 51-6 was separated under Act XI of 1859, total balance Rs. 15-13, for the recovery of which the shares specified above will be sold.
1171	Gowhurpur, Sindbaree.	6,105 12 0	Deyanat Roy, Mussamut Jasoda Kuer, Moonshee Syed Ameer Ally, Mussamut Museerrun Roop Chand Saha, Kalee Dutt, Paran Sing, Sham Lall Singh, himself and guardian of Chotoo Singh, Causin, minor, Bhekdhary Singh, Jhuman Singh, proprietors, and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 2,693-4 were separated under Act XI of 1859, which has been paid. There now remains a balance of Rs. 325-9 in the Ijmalee share of Deyanat Roy, Moonshee Syed Ameer Ally, Mussamut Naseeran Roop Chand Saha and Kalee Dutt, and Paran Singh and Sham Lall, for themselves and as guardians for Chotoo Singh, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 3,412-8, and for the recovery of that balance the Ijmalee share above specified will be sold.
2995	Binda, &c. Pergunnah Sherghotty.	1,278 15 0	Doorga Pershad, Bolbhadur Sahoy, Ram Narain, Het Narain, Goordyal Singh, Kishoon Sahoy, Hem Chander Lal, Rutten Singh, Doarka Nath, Hurrehar Nath, Runjeet Singh, Moharaj Singh, Akbowree Moharaj Singh, Gowree Shunker, Dindyal Singh, Beehary Lall, Akhowree Bundoo Lall, Akhowree Beharee Lall Akhowree Jugdiss Sahoy, Akhowree Sheo Narain, Shunker Dyal, Ishur Dyal, Pudya *alias* Raja Padhya, Akhowree Sheo Persad, Mothora Persad, Ramanoograh Lall, himself and guardian of Akhowree Ramkissen Lall, *alias* Chadee Lall, minor, Rawlashur Dyal, Goomanee Lal, Akhowree Gajadhar Persad, Gooshee Sheo Sahoy, Geer Noonoo Padhya, Kissen Sahoy, Ram Chander Lall, Mohant Roop Narain Geer, Akbowree Rambux Lall, proprietors and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to different shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 746-1 have been separated under Act XI of 1859, and the revenue thereof paid up, this balance of Rs. 59-12 remains in the Ijmalee share of Doorga Sing, Balbadhur Sahoy, Ram Narain, Het Narain Goordyal Singh, Ruttun Sing, Doarka Nath, Runjeet Singh, Moharaj Singh, Akhowree Moharaj Singh, Gowree Shunker, Dindyal Singh, Beharee Lall, Akhowree Bundoo Lall, Akhowree Beharee Lall, Akhowree Jugdiss Sahoy, Shunker Dyal, Noonoo Padhya, and Akhowree Rambux Lall, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 532-14, and this share alone will accordingly be sold.

DHONESH C. ROY,
Deputy Collector in charge, for Collector on Tour.

GYA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873.

اشتہار نیلام بحکم انچارج کلکٹر بہادر ضلع گیا

کچہری کلکٹری ضلع گیا

اشتہار نامہ نیلام مطابق دفعہ ۶ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع

واضح باد کہ محال مندرجہ ذیل بابت باقی مالگذاری سرکار و دیگر دعوی جو مطابق آئین و قانون مجاریہ کے موافق باقی مالگذاری سرکار کے بتاریخ ۸ ماہ اکتوبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع واجب الوصول ہے بتاریخ ۱۵ ماہ دسمبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع مطابق ۱۱ ماہ پوس سنہ ۱۲۸۱ فصلی روز دوشنبہ کو کچہری میں صاحب کلکٹر اس ضلع کے بلا عذر سب کے سامنے نیلام ہوگا *

نمبر توزیع	نام محال و پرگنہ	جمع صدر	نام مالکان	کیفیت
نمبر ۸۷۹	جکہ بس پورا رندی پرگنہ گیا	۵۰۳-۱۳	مسماۃ واحدہ بیگم عرف والدہ بیگم و مہرقادر علی و راجہ خان بہادر خان بہادر و راگر سنگہ و بندہو سنگہ و گنگو سنگہ رجپت سنگہ و دولہ ہاری سنگہ و چندی سنگہ و کاشی سنگہ و درگا سنگہ رکشن دہاری سنگہ و رہبرن سنگہ و رتیبرن سنگہ و امرت سنگہ و خوب لعل سنگہ و سویب سنگہ و بیکن سنگہ و مسماۃ سیتا کنور و رام لوچن سنگہ و دیو نراین سنگہ رکاشی سنگہ و پرمیشر سنگہ مالکان مالگذاران	محال ہذا میں حصہ چندی سنگہ وکاشی سنگہ بجمع صدر ۳۷-۲۲ موجب اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع و حصہ سولپ سنگہ و بیکن بجمع صدر ۴۳-۲ بموجب اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع تحصیل وصول علیحدہ ہوتا ہے وہ دونو حصہ بیباقی ہے و حصہ مسماۃ واحدہ بیگم عرف والدہ بیگم و مہرقادر علی و راجہ خان بہادر خان بہادر و راگر سنگہ و بندہو سنگہ گنگو سنگہ و رجپت سنگہ و دیو ہاری سنگہ و مسماۃ سیتا کنور و رام لوچن سنگہ و دیو نراین سنگہ و کاشی سنگہ و پرمیشر سنگہ و بجمع صدر ۳۶۳-۱۰ بصیغہ اجمال تحصیل وصول ہوتا ہے وہ بہی بے باق ہے اور یہہ باقی ۲-۰ بحصہ درگا سنگہ رکشن دہاری سنگہ و رہبرن سنگہ و رتیبرن سنگہ و امرت سنگہ و خوب لعل سنگہ کہ جسکا جمع صدر ۶۸-۴ بموجب اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع ہے جاہیئے *
نمبر ۸۶۶	دلہ اوان پرگنہ گیا	۱۲۶-۱۲	گوکہلا نند و زمیندار سنگہ و بندہو سنگہ و تیمر سنگہ و گانگو سنگہ و اگر سنگہ و درگا	محال ہذا میں حصہ گوکہلا نند بجمع صدر ۷۶۰-۹ و حصہ

سنگه رگشن دهاري سنگه و
ورهبرن سنگه و رتیبرن سنگه
و امرت سنگه وخوب لعل
سنگه و پرمیشر سنگه ومسماة
سیتا کنور و رام لوچن سنگه
مالکان و مالگذاران

ز مبلغ ۱ ر سنگه
بجمع صدر ۹۸۰۱
و حصه دوکا سنگه
و کشن دهاري سنگه
ر رهبرن سنگه و
رتیبرن سنگه و امرت
سنگه وخوب لعل سنگه
بجمع صدر ۱۲۲۰۱۲
بموجب اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع
تحصیل وصل علیحده هوتا
هے وه سب حصه بے باق
هے مگر مبلغ ۸ آنه ذمه بندهو
سنگه و تیمر سنگه و کانکو سنگه
و اگر سنگه ومسماة سیتا
کنور و رام لوچن سنگه که
بصیغه اجمال بجمع صدر
۱۸۴ کے هے باقي چاهیئے
اور علاوه اسکے مبلغ ۵-۱
حصه پرمیشر سنگه
که جمع صدر ۶۱۰۶
بموجب اکت ۱۱ سنه
۱۸۵۹ع تحصیل علیحده
هوتا هے باقي چاهیئے
محال هذا مین حصه
جهمن سنگه به نسبت
حصه بنسور ا بجمع
صدر ۴۹۰۴ و حصه
مسماة جسودا کنور
بجمع مبلغ ۲۶۴۴
بموجب اکت ۱۱ سنه
۱۸۵۹ع تحصیل وصول
علیحده هوتا هے وه
سب بیباق هے اور یهه
باقي ۹-۳۲۰ بصیغه
اجمال ذمه دیانت
راے و منشي سید امیر
علي و مسماة بصیرن
وروپ چند ساهو و
کالي دت وپران سنگه
و شام لعل خودها و
والیان جهوتو سنگه
براد رعموي حقیقي
و تیلکهه دهاري سنگه
جسکا جمع صدر مبلغ
۳۴۱۲-۸ هے چاهیئے *

نمبر ۷ ۱ گوهرپور سندواري وغیره پرگنه کاور ۱۱-۵-۶۱۰۶ دیانت راے و مسماة
جسودا کنور و منشي سید
امیر علي و مسماة بصیرن
وروپ چند ساهو و کالي
دت وپران و شام لعل
خودها و والیان جهوتو
سنگه براد رعموي حقیقي
و تیلکهه دهاري سنگه و
جهمن سنگه مالکان

۱۲۹۹۵	بندہ وغیرہ پرگنہ شہرگھاٹی	۱۲۷۸-۱۵	درگا پرشاد و بلبھدر سہائے و رام نراین وسیب نراین و گوردیال سنگھ و کشن سہائے و رام چندر لعل و رتن سنگھ و دوارکا ناتھ و ہرہرناتھ و رنجیت سنگھ و مہاراج سنگھ و اگھوری مہاراج سنگھ و دیندیال سنگھ و پیاری لعل و اگھوری بندھو لعل و اگھوری بہاری لعل و اگھوری جگدیپ سہائے و اگھوری شیو نراین و شنکر دیال وایشر دیال پدھیا عرف راجا پدھیا و اگھوری شیو پرشاد و متھورا پرشاد و رام انوگرہ لعل خود والی اگھوری رام کشن لعل عرف جندی لعل نابالغ و گوپیسر دیال و کالی لعل و اگھوری گجادھر پرشاد و گوسائین شیو سہائے کر و نونوں پدھیا و کشن سہائے و رام چندر لعل و مہنتہ روپ نراین کر و اگھوری رام بخش لعل مالکان و مالگذاران

محال مذا میں حصہ کشن سہائے و رام چندر لعل بجمع صدر ۳۸۰-۳ و حصہ اگھوری شیو نراین بجمع صدر ۷۰-۹ و حصہ اگھوری شیو پرشاد و اگھوری متھورا پرشاد و رام انوگرہ لعل خود والی اگھوری رام کشن لعل عرف جندی لعل نابالغ بجمع صدر ۷۰-۲ و حصہ اگھوری گجادھر پرشاد بجمع صدر ۳۱-۱ و حصہ اگھوری گوپیسر دیال و کالی لعل و ہرہرناتھ بجمع صدر ۹۴ و حصہ اگھوری کشن سہائے و رامچندر لعل بجمع صدر ۷۰-۲ و حصہ گوسائین شیو سہائے کر نسبت حصہ امہان بجمع صدر ۳۰-۳ و حصہ مہنتہ روپ نراین کر بجمع صدر ۱۲-۰ و حصہ ایسر دیال پدھیا عرف راجہ پدھیا نسبت حصہ گمہرا بجمع صدر ۱۲-۸ بموجب اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۸۰۹ ع تحصیل وصول علیحدہ ہوتا ہے وہ سب حصہ بیباق ہے اور بہ ۵۹-۱۲ باقی بحصہ اجمال ذمہ درگا پرشاد و بلبھدر سہائے و رام نراین و سیب نراین و گوردیال سنگھ و رتن سنگھ و دوارکا ناتھ و رنجیت سنگھ و مہاراج سنگھ و اگھوری مہاراج سنگھ و گوری شنکر و دیندیال سنگھ و بہاری لعل و اگھوری بندھو لعل و اگھوری بہاری لعل و اگھوری جگدیپ سہائے و شنکر دیال و نونوں پدھیا و اگھوری رام بخش لعل کہ جسکا جمع صدر ۱۴-۵۳۲ ہے چاہیئے ۔

تحریر تاریخ پنجم ماہ نومبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ ع

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of January 1874, corresponding with Monday, the 22nd Poos 1280, B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 1-0.—Allumpore, Pergunnah Allumpore; recorded proprietors, Ramini Soondree Chowdharani, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 42,638-13-6, and Police Rs. 482-4-5. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 18,564-12-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 241-2-1½ on account of Police.

No. 17-0.—Dehi Alpha, Pergunnah Bugwan; recorded proprietors, Shantiram Rai and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 4,046-2-2½, and Police Rs. 44-14-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 159-3-1½ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 117-0.—Chandi, Pergunnah Pauznour; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,123-1-4, and Police Rs. 64-9-2. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 619-11-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 242.—Dehi Hejoolee, Pergunnah Mamjoani; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 955-13-10, and Police Rs. 12. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 373-15-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 6 on account of Police.

No. 338-0.—Turuf Majrhud, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Goluck Chandra Mookerjea and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 799-5-3¾. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Re. 1-12-10¼ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 438-0.—Turuf Ranaghat, Pergunnah Ranaghat; recorded proprietors, Issar Chandra Pal Choudhari and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 818-3-7, and Police Rs. 9-2-6. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 236-5-5 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 477-0.—Turuf Shampore, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Kala Chand Chakravarti and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 553-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 23-5-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estates.

No. 2179.—Chur Shamnuggur, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Mr. J. B. Mackintosh and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 523-9-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 48-10-9 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 2769-0.—Chur Notidanga, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Dinonath Mookerjee and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 517-3-10. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs 5-13-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 3165.—Mouzah Mooralidanga, Pergunnah Ookrah; recorded proprietors, Jebonnessa Bebee and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 552-11-4. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 0-10-4 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

NUDDEA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 10th November 1873. C. C. STEVENS, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Jessore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 18th December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

No. 134.—Kismat Kooshaberia, Pergunnah Onoopampur; recorded proprietors, Fakeerchand Telee Mandal and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 2,369-3-6. The first share of the estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 304-9-6, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Kishto Chandra Ghose and others, and Bushtab Charan Telee Mandal and others, Sudder Jummas Rs. 239-12-2, and Rs. 499-4-10, respectively, with whom separate accounts have ben opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 273.—Kismat Sreepoor Moujab, Pergunnah Imadpore; recorded proprietors, Ananda Chundra Chowdhuri and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 3137-3-9. The first share of the entire estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 6-2-7, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Menoka Soondari Dassia and Uma Cantha Gooha, Sudder Jumma Rs. 25 and Rs. 221-12-7, respectively, with whom separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 4575.—Talook Pergunnah Bhatla; recorded proprietor, Rajah Baroda Kant Roy Bahadur; Sudder Jumma of the estate, Rs. 5087-1-7¾. To be sold for arrears of Rs. 47-0-10½.

No. 5041.—Dehi Karora, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor, Ananda Lall Chowdhury and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 934-7-6. The estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-6-9, after deducting the second, third, fourth, and fifth shares of the proprietors Ram Narain Chowdhury and others, Mothoora Nath Acharja and others, Mathoora Nath Acharja and others, and Brommo Roop Gossami, Sudder Jumma Rs. 194-10-10, 166-267-1-5½, and 167-14-8, respectively.

JESSORE COLLECTORATE, the 8th November 1873. A. SMITH, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the District of Tirhoot, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's office of that District, on the 5th day of December 1873, corresponding with 1st Poos 1281 Fusli, for arrears of revenue due on the 8th October 1873:—

Class 1.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 652.—Mouzah Kherajat Julkur Bunkur, Pergunnah Haveli Durbhungah; recorded proprietors, Hurungee Chowdhery, Fukhurooddeen, Bujrungee Sahai, Keolaput, Shaik Hydur Ally, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 871-2, of which Jumma of Rs. 82-0-10 have been separated. The estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 789-1-11 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 21-11-3.

No. 682.—Abool Hussonpore, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Teelukdharee Singh, Doorgadutt, Dhanukdharee Singh, Runnoo Singh, Dabee Dutt, Hunooman Dutt, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 834-3-2. After deducting the revenue, Rs. 556-6-6, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 277-12-8, will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 39-7-3.

No. 692.—Mouzah Banthoo Hurbunse, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Kunchun Singh Thakoor, Karee Singh, Ghunnoo Singh, Dwarka Nath, Ajut Roy, Dhamak Roy, Indurjeet Singh, Mukrund Singh, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,931-12-2. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 1,476-12-9, separated, the estate with Sudder Jumma of Rs. 454-15-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 46-14-6.

No. 706.—Burjarpore Kandh, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Ramdayal Singh, Purbhoo Narain, Bunwareelall, Shewpursad, Mahesh Dutt, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 828-10-11. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 358-15-5, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 469-11-6 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 24-7.

No. 771.—Mouzah Russoolpore Wahid, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarah; recorded proprietors, Chatursal Singh and Mussamut Nagbunsi Koour; Sudder Jumma Rs. 2,641-10-5. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 2,067-6-2, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 574-4-3 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 48-11-10.

No. 1103.—Talooqah Narawan, Pergunnah Gudh Choowd; recorded proprietor, Surub Narain Singh; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,199-7-8. After deducting Government revenue, Rs. 1,058-9-3, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 140-14-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 16-3-2.

No. 1692.—Talooqah Saree, Pergunnah Kusmah; recorded proprietors, Doond Bahadoor Singh, Brijlall Singh, Goorpersad Singh, Joy Narain Singh, Bharosee Chowdhery, and others; Sudder Jumma, 1,382-10-4. After deducting Government Revenue, Rs. 1,152-5-11, separated the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 230-4-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 36-9-9.

No. 2114.—Rohuya Rajaram, Chukla Nyee, Pergunnah Bissarah; recorded proprietors, Durjon Roy, Bunwajit Singh, Gungaram Hurbunse Singh, Talla Singh, Dhoutal Singh, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 560-7. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 41-3.

No. 2953.—Mouzah Busuntpore Khedruk, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietor, Moonshee Ameer Ally; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 576-13-3. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 36-1-4.

No. 3004.—Mouzah Hoossenipore Pagumburpore, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietors, Puhalu Chowdhery, Jeon Chowdhery, Birjee Chowdhery, Adhum Chowdhery, Sahun Chowdhery, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 545-1-1. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 351-10; the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 193-7-1 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 21-6-11.

No. 30049.—Mouzah Essahpore Asulkhunee Moktearpore, and Poorwariputty, &c., appertaining to Surmustpore, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietors, Shah Husaan Ally, Moorad Ally, Shaik Noor Ally, Shaik Kurm Ally, Ahmud Ally, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 4,449-14-8. After deducting the Government revenue, 4,228-8, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 221-6-8 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 51-9-11.

No. 3106.—Mouzah Mahtearpore Sulkhuni, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietors, Paran Rout, Dahaur Rout, Joogee Missor, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,174-6-5. After deducting Rs. 52-1, the estate will be sold with the Sudder Jumma of Rs 1,122-5-5 for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 46-15-11.

No. 4133.—Mouzah Mudhurapore, Pergunnah Jakhur; recorded preprietor, Shem Sahai Roy; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 676-2-5. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs 10-0-5.

No. 5117.—Bhugwanpore Pukri, Pergunnah Bissarah, Chukla Gurjowl; recorded proprietors, Kullain Muhton, Deena Muhton, Shewgobind Chowdhery, Gowri Lall, and Jhoonttee Gain. With the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 567-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 9-7-7.

No. 5130.—Tajpore Pooraina, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Mouzum Ally Khan, Anunt Lall, Mehdi Ally Khan, Mussamut Kumrnissah, and others. With Sudder Jumma Rs. 570-9-4, will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 32-14-8.

No. 6011.—Mouzah Bokarawah Boozroog, Pergunnah Akilwarrah; recorded proprietors, Jhoomuk Singh, Jugunuhun Chowdhery, Toolshee Dutt Chowdhery, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 703-7-11. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 131-8-6, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 572-0-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 63-11.

No. 7147.—Mouzah Tengrahagashainpore, Pergunnah Marwahkullan; recorded proprietors, Mussamut Pabutty Koour and Ram Doolaree Koour; Sudder Jumma Rs. 992-8-10. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 17-14.

H. W. GORDON, *Covd. Dy. Collector, for Collector.*

TIRHOOT COLLECTORATE, the 1st November 1873.

اس تحریر کي روسے خاص و عام کو دفعه ۶ ۱ اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع کے مطابق اطلاع دیجاتي هی
که علاقجات موسومه ذیل موقوعه ضلع ترهت بعلت زر باقي وغیره مطالبه جنکو قوانین اور یکتون متبدقه کے
روسے وصول کرنا جائز هی اور اس زر باقي اور مطالبه کو تا تاریخ ۸ ۱ اکتوبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع تاریخ
غایت ۱۵ ۱ اے مالگذاري سرکار ادا کرنا واجب تها بالضرور تاریخ ۵ ۵ دسمبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع
مطابق یکم ماه پوس سنه ۱۲۸۱ فصلي روز جمع کچهري ضلع ترهت مین نیلام هوگا*

محالات بند و بستي استمراري

اقسام نمبر	نمبر توزیع	نام مالک و مالگذار و صدر جمع	کیفیت بعلت باقي مالگذاري سرکار
نمبر ۱	نمبر ۶۵۲	خراجات جنکو و بنکر پرگنه جویلي در بهنگه جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام بریکي چودهري و فخر الدین و بیرنگي سها سا و کنولا پت و شیخ حیدر علي و شیخ اکبر علي و فقیر چودهري و چهکوري لعل و سیو کشن و مکرم لعل و جولے چودهري و وسیم النسا و عد و النسا و ئیول کاور مسماة بحور کنور و شیخ واعظ الدین حسین و سید لطف علي خان و بهگوان داس مدعا علیهم کا مندرج هی و جمع صدر او سکا ۱۷۸-۶-۹ هي بعد منها ۱۰۹۸-۱ حصه شامل تفریق رول جسکے حصه کا حساب زمیندار سے بموجب دفعه ۱۰ ۱ اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ملیده هو چکا هي بقیه حصه مدعا علیهم به تعداد ۱-۱۱-۹۸۹ جمع صدر بعلت باقي ۱۶-۱۱ کے نیلام هوگا*	
نمبر ۱	نمبر ۶۸۲	ابو الحسن پور چکله گرجول پرگنه بسارہ جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام تیلکدهاري سنگه و درگا دت و دلکدهاري سنگه و ربون سنگه و بندت دهوماندت و میشدت و شنکر دت و هرکه نراین سنگه و کلدیپ نراین سنگه و رام پرشاد سنگه و سرب نراین سنگه و رام سهاے سنگه و هول سنگه و فوجدار سنگه و نهرن باندهه و کاورن باندهه و رام انوگرهه راے و کنهاے چودهري و گوپرشاد ساهي و هري راے و مسماة لاکهه مني کنور مادر والیه سرچیت نراین سنگه و سکهدیو نراین سنگه نابالغان و رام اوجها سنگه و چهکوراے و رگهو بردت و سریهوت سنگه و طوطا سنگه و رام انوگرهه سنگه و وراده سنگه و شیوسهاے سنگه و رام نراین سنگه و سدا سیب پانده و ایسر پانده و جکدون پانده و رام لعل پانده و اچهمي ٹهاکر و شمبهو دت کنور و ایکنا نهه کنور و کهدر ٹهاکر و رام جیون ٹهاکر و جیوراے و نوري راے و کالي پرشاد سنگه نابالغ بولایت مسماة ایدل کنور مادر خود کوري ٹهاکر و ترنهه سنگه و مسماة جین کنور مادر والیه مهاراج کنور و جهوني رام گائین و رام کنور سنگه نابالغ بولایت مسماة هنکا کنور و لوجن سنگه و مونه سنگه و چهیدي راے و دیدي راے و لوچن پانده پهروواي بهروهت نراین پانده و رام کرن راے و سورسه راے و سیکشن راے و سنکر	شرح ایضا

راے وسوکل راے و برجماري سنگه و درگپال سنگه ولچهمي
نراين سنگه وشيخ واعظ الدين حسين مدعا عليهم كا مندرج
هي وجمع صدر مسلم محال ۲-۳-۸۳۴ هي اور اس محال
مين بعد منهاے حصه ديگر مالكان جنكے حصه كا حساب
زمينداري بمراد دفعه ۱۰ اكت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع به تعداد
۵۵۶-۶-۶ حصه سابلان تفريق رول عليحده هو چكا هي
بقيه حصه مدعا عليهم به تعداد ۲۷۷-۱۲-۸ جمع صدر بعلت
باقي ۳۹-۷-۳ كے نيلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ — نمبر ۶۹۲ — شرح ايضا

باهنو هربنس چكله گرجول پرگنه بساره جسكے خانه مالگذار
مين نام كنچن سنگه تهاكر وكاري سنگه و كنول سنگه ود وارگا
سنگه تهه واجب راے ودهمالك راے والد رجيت سنگه و مكر
ند سنگه و بسيسر كا رجي وگوبند راے ورام دلاري كنور
و مراجهو كنور و مسماة كلاب كنور و مسماة بدن كنور و
بخنا نه سهاے و تهاكر پرشاد و مدن موهن سهاے هيب
سهاے ورام نراين سنگه ورام سندر كور و تهاكر پرشاد
و مجلس سهاے ورگهونا تهه سهاے ورام انوگره سهاے
وراج بلبه وهردي نراين سنگه و بالچي نراين سنگه وبهوت
نراين سنگه و پروهت نراين سنگه و جيتن كنور مادر والية
مهاراج كنور و جلدهر پرشاد وبهوانه سنگه خورد والي مدنا
رام سنگه و مسماة ربنال كنور مادر والية تهكدهاري سنگه
نابالغ و بچنا نه سهاے ودبيدي راے و شيخ كفايت علي و
رادهامني راے ودومن راے و هنومان راے ودولت
راے و تيلكدهاري راے و نهارراے ورام باد راے و
املاكهه راے و لچهمن سهاے خورد پدر والي شيوراج
سهاے ورام كنور سرنابالغ بولايت مسماة هنكا كنور و تلسي
سنگه خورد والي صاحب رام نابالغ و هنكي سنگه و شيخ
ولايت علي و شام نراين كا مندرج هي وجمع صدر مسلم
محال مبلغ ۲-۱۲-۱۹۳۱ هي اور اس محال مين بعد منهاے
حصه ديگر مالكان جسكے حصه كا حساب زمينداري بمراد
دفعه ۱۰ اكت ۱۱ سنه ۹۵۸۱ع به تعداد ۹-۱۲-۱۴۷۶ عليحده
هو چكا هي بقيه حصه مدعا عليهم به تعداد ۵-۱۵-۴۵۴ جمع
صدر بعلت باقي ۶-۱۴-۴۶ كے نيلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ — نمبر ۷۰۶ — شرح ايضا

برنا نرپور كاندهه چكله گرجول پرگنه بساره جسكے خانه
مالگذار مين نام رام دياك سنگه و پربهو نراين و تنواري لعل
و شيوپرشاد و ميشدت و مهاراج سنگه و جودها رام و
وشن گوپال و سيون لعل وشيوچرن لعل وجيسي رام وجي جي
رام وراج كنور سنگه و جمعدت لعل و هولاس تيواري و
وبسر سهاي و تلوبت راے ومنا هي راے وكاليچرن سنگه
واچل تيواري و ستهو اتيواري ودولت تيواري ورام
بخش تيواري و وملك تيواري و پرميسر تيواري ورام
نراين تيواري و ديان نند پانك وچوراون منده و گريس
لعل و برجموهن لعل ودولم راے و گچراج سهاے و نا تهه
سهاے و هنت راے و گوركهه تيواري ورام سهاے سنگه و
و مسماة سروسن كنور و مسماة برسر بچن كنور و مسماة هومان
كنور و روكمن كنور و هنون تيواري و شيخ الهي بخش وشيخ

دیہ ار بخش و کالیچرن خورد و سورج پرشاد و ایشوری
پرشاد سنکسر تیواری و سری تیواری وچھتر تیواری
ورام دھاری تیواری وجمن تیواری و پربھو تیواری
و کنجو تیواری و مسماۃ آدرے کنور وجہ لوجیہ تیواری
متوفی و درسن تیواری و نھار تیواری مدعا علیہم کا
مندرج ہی وجمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۸۲۸-۱۰-۱۱ ہی
اور اس محال مین بعد منہا ے حصہ دیگران جنکے حصہ کا
حساب زمیندار ی بمراد دفعہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع بہ
تعداد ۳۵۸-۱۵-۵ علیحدہ ہوچکا ہی بقیہ حصہ مدعا علیہم
بہ تعداد ۴۶۹-۱۱-۶ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۲۴-۷ کے نیلام
ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۷۷۱ — شرح ایضا

رسولپور واحد چکلہ گرجول پرگنہ بسارہ جسکے خانہ
مالگذار مین نام چتر سال سنگھ و مسماۃ ناگ بنسے کنور
مالکان تفریق رول کا مندرج ہی وجمع صدر مسلم محال
مبلغ ۶۶۴۱-۱۰-۵ ہے اور اس محال مین بعد منہا ے حصہ
دیگران جسکے حصہ کا حساب زمیندار ے بمراد دفعہ ۱۰
اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع بہ تعداد ۲۰۶۷-۶-۲ حصہ مالکان دیگر
و مدعا علیہم علیحدہ ہوچکا ہی بقیہ حصہ شامل مالکان رول بہ
تعداد ۵۷۴-۴-۳ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۴۸-۱۱-۱۰ کے نیلام
ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۸۱۰۳ — شرح ایضا

تعلقہ نرالوان پرگنہ گدھمادند جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین
نام سرپ نراین سنگھ مایل تقسیم کا مندرج ہی وجمع
مسلم محال ۱۱۹۹-۸-۷ ہی اور اس محال مین بعد منہا ے
حصہ دیگر مایلان و مدعا علیہم بہ تعداد ۱۰۵۸-۹-۳ جمع
صدر بقیہ حصہ مایل تقسیم بہ تعداد ۱۴۰-۱۴-۵ جمع صدر
بعلت باقی ۱۶-۳-۲ کے نیلام ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۱۶۹۲ — شرح ایضا

تعلقہ ساری پرگنہ کسمہ جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام دوند
بہادر سنگھ و برج لعل سنگھ و کرپرشاد سنگھ و جی نراین
سنگھ و بھروسے چودھری مہادیو دت جھا و اپی سنگھ و
رام راجت سنگھ و جدی پرتاب سنگھ و کشن پرشاد سنگھ و
ہرہر پرشاد سنگھ و پنچم لعل مہتہ و ہومان دت ٹھاکر و شیو کہہ
ٹھاکر و شام سندر ٹھکو این و نرسنگھ ٹھاکر و لعل جیب ٹھاکر
و کہول سنگھ و ہنومان سنگھ و رامیشور دت و بچھلا تہ نراین
عرف کوتل دت پرشاد و رام نراین سنگھ و شنکر دت ٹھاکر
و برہمدت ٹھاکر و امرت ٹھاکر و تیواری جھا و ارجن ٹھاکر و
ہکو ٹھاکر و پرجا ٹھاکر و جیو کنور و جانکی کنور و شیو سہاے
لعل و مسماۃ نرنکے ٹھکر این و بھولا ٹھکر این و شیو
سہاے سنگھ و بابو اودیت نراین سنگھ و بابو مہیب نراین
سنگھ و بابو کلدیپ نراین سنگھ و کاری جھا و فقیر سنگھ و
بہکو ان دت سنگھ و مسماۃ دھاما کنور و کلسر جھا کا مندرج
ہی وجمع صدر مسلم محال ۱۳۸۲-۱۰-۴ اور اس محال مین
مین بعد منہا ے حصہ دیگران جسکے حصہ کا حساب
زمیندار ی بمراد دفعہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع بہ تعداد
۱۱۵۲-۵-۱۱ علیحدہ ہوچکا ہی بقیہ حصہ بہ تعداد ۲۳۰-۴-۵
جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۳۶-۹-۹ کے نیلام ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۲۱۱۴ شرح ایضا

رهوا رراجا رام چکله بیهی پرگنه بسارهٔ جسکے خانه
مالگذار مین نام درجن راے و هوراجیت سنگه و گنگا
رام و پرمیش سنگه وطالع سنگه و دهومال تهاکرو نیجو تهاکر
وکوري تهاکرو اصول تهاکروجین سنگه و بچناته سنگه و دیبی
سنگه و پرشاد سنگه و هورل سنگه و توسنگه و مدا سیب
سنگه و اودیت سنگه و برسه سنگه و شیون راے و انوت
سنگه و سن سنگه و مال سنگه و سارسنگه و شیوناتهه سنگه و
پهوکراج راے و اودان سنگه و رام بهروس سنگه گوپال
سنگه و نق سنگه ورتوسنگه و اصول تهواري و رام ادهین
سنگه و رام سهاے سنگه و هنو سنگه و بودن سنگه و رام
ادهین سهاے و سیتا رام و رام دهاري و کنچهاري سنگه و
گرد هاري سنگه و شیوحکم سنگه و سرجیت سنگه و کهنیا سنگه و
برج نراین سنگه و چهتر نراین سنگه و سامان سنگه و کاسي
سنگه و دیوکے سنگه و لچهمي نراین سنگه و درباري سنگه و
سیو سنگه و درگپال سنگه و تلسي سنگه و برهم سنگه و کنچن
سنگه و سدها سنگه وسکدهاري سنگه و اودین سنگه و بهاري
سنگه و پرمیشو سنگه و کوري سنگه و ملکدهاري سنگه و مکني
سنگه و پرشاد تهاکرو هنومان سنگه و جیو سنگه و رام ناتهه
سنگه و شاهون چها سنگه و دولت سنگه و اکلو سنگه و بهکني
سنگه و سیتل سنگه و شیوکے سنگه و سوسري سنگه و سوکن سنگه
و ایسري سنگه و جگدیو سنگه و مسماة ساهون کنور و مسماة
کیدر کنور و گوپال تهاکر و راجکمار تهاکر و لالهٔ چهکو لعل
ولالهٔ لوکهن لعل کا مندرج هی وجمع صدر او سکا مبلغ ۶۵۰-۷
بعلت زر باقی ۳۱-۳ کے نیلام هوگا ۔

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۲۹۵۳ شرح ایضا

سیب پور کلدرکهه پرگنه سرسا جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام
منشی امیر علي کا مندرج هی وجمع صدر او سکا مبلغ ۵۷۶-۱۳-۳
هی بعلت باقی ۳۶-۴ کے نیلام هوگا ۔

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۳۰۰۴ شرح ایضا

حسني پور معمر پور پرگنه سرسا جسکے خانه مالگذار
مین نام سلو چودهري و جهلو چودهري و برج چودهري
و ادهم چودهري و سوهن چودهري و سید کفایت حسین
و بنسراج سنگه و جدپال سنگه و بهورن سنگه و ربو سنگه و پرجا
سنگه و مسماة پیاري و امراد و بهادر سنگه و دیبي پرشاد
سنگه و رام پرشاد سنگه و مسماة بنسي کنور و کماني بے و
سرمحسن و مسماة انوت کنور و ماگ منسے کنور و الیه شیو
رج کنور نابالغه و مسماة جیس کنور و بهکن سنگه و بچنور سنگه
و رام چرن برار و لالهٔ هزاري لعل و رام انگوه سنگه و
لچهمي کنور و سسما رسنگه و برجو چودهري بهوبن چودهري
و هراج سنگه و مسماة بے مدنیر بخش و لالهٔ رام بهروسي و
کاشي پرشاد و هربرشاد رهوهن راے سنگه و جواهر
سنگه و شیو سنگه و گوبردهن سنگه و سکپاري سنگه و جگدیب
سنگه و مسماة نورتن کنور و جها پرپرشاد سنگه و رام
نراین سنگه و چکرد هر سنگه و کندن سنگه و جو سهاے سنگه
چهتر سنگه و هرا رسنگه و رگهبر دین سنگه کا مندرج هی و
جمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۵۴۵-۱-۱ هی اور اس محال
مین بعد منها سے حصه دیگران جنکے حصه کا حساب
زمیندار ی بمواد دفعه ۱۰ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع بتعداد
۳۵۱-۱۰ علیحده هوچکا هی بقیه حصه مدعا علیهم بتعداد ۱۹۳-۷-۱۵
جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۲۱-۶-۱۱ کے نیلام هوگا ۔

نمبر	نمبر	شرح
	۳۰۰۴۹	منشی پور و سلکھ مینا پور و نور واری وغیرہ متعلقہ سرست چوہو پرگنہ سرسا جسکے خانہ مالکان ارمین نام شاہ حسن علی و مراد علی و شیخ نور علی رشیخ کرم علی و احمد علی و بربھو سنگھ و اسد سنگھ و تلسی لعل و ہنکا لعل و منوہر سنگھ و سنکر دیب و بھولا ناتھ و سیب لعل و بھروسی لعل و بریات نراین چودھری و نے نے راندہ و اودھار جیون و احماس کنور والیہ بسیسرو یال نابالغ و سیہ علی اشرف و مسماۃ بے بے حصمن عرف امامی صاحبہ و سچن کنور و گسام کنور و ہولسر کنور و جھوری جھاگوری جھا و سورت جھا و شیخ اکبر علی و دولا رجھا و تلکو ہنون و چوراون منون و جن منون و شیخ غلام محمد و وزیرن و مکرون و کالی پرشاد والیہ مہاراج ساہی و مودن چودھری و مسماۃ زینب و چوالعل و سنولعل و مسماۃ بے بے پیاری و بھولا ناتھ چودھری و میکراج چودھری و برسرچودھری و بر جاری چودھری نابالغ بولایت مسماۃ جمیلا جو نراین چھکو سیب لعل و سیسرو یال و کشنت و اصلان منقسما والیان چکدمی ساہی و برایہ مل پرشاد نابالغان و شام لعل چودھری و سویمن چودھری و لعل یاری لعل و سات لعل چودھری عرف موراے چودھری لعل بنفشہ والی سندر لعل چودھری عرف فوجدار چودھری نابالغ و نراین جھا و سنون جھا و مال چودھری و رام لعل چودھری و مسماۃ بے بے رسولن عرف بے بے کدیرن و مسماۃ بے بے واصلہ و مسماۃ بے بے وزیرن و نرار چند و گوپال چند و دھرم چند و گوسائین سورداس و اتمان چودھری و چوالعل و سنون جھا و دیدی جھا و رنگی جھا و اصلان بنفشہ والیان راج بنسے جھا نابالغان و رام ساہے جھا و بوہون چودھری و مسماۃ سروسن کنور و پری ساہو و پیاری لعل چودھری و لعل دار چودھری و بنسی لعل منصرو بوہر چودھری و اصلان بنفشہ والی شام نراین چودھری نابالغ واندر چودھری و اگوری چودھری و سنوکے چودھری و مالک چودھری و جیکا چودھری و سکن چودھری و گون ہی چودھری و سنی چودھری و طالع چودھری خفقان بھکو چودھری و کیلو چودھری و برسمن چودھری والی ناتھ چودھری و جمن لعل و رام سرن لعل و سکو لعل و مدن کشور پرشاد و مراد بن لعل و رام جیون لعل و امانی لعل و گوسائیں رام داس و مکا مہون و انی چند مہون و نے نے عشوہ و بنھداری منون و رحم علی و نیکھاری چودھری و پردھن چودھری و گوپال لعل و اچت چودھری و روشن چودھری و بالکو بند چودھری و مادھو رام چودھری و کوساہی جھا و مگ لوندداس و منسے ساہو و کھری چودھری و جمن لعل و ہرپرشاد سنگھ و بولاے لعل و سرپرشاد و رام پرشاد و ہواری پرشاد مدعا علیہم کا مدد رج ہی و جمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۸-۱۴-۴۴۴۹ ہی اور اس محال مین بعد منہای حصہ دیگران جنکے حصہ کا حساب زمینداری مراد دفعہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع یہ تعداد

۴۲۲۸-۷ علیحدہ ہو چکا ہی بقیہ حصہ مدعا علیہم بتعداد ۵ مبلغ ۲۲۱۲۶-۸ جمع صدر بہ علت باقی ۱۱-۹-۱ کے نیلام ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۳۸۰۶ شرح ایضا

مختار پور سلکھنی پرگنہ سرسا جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام نراورادت وہا وررادت و چوگی منصر وگھوری منصر و سنکر منصر وہ و من منصر وہ بنی منصر وظالم سنگھ و ملک سرام و لچھمی نرائن سنگھ وہ ہوری و بودھا رای سنگھ و زین رای و چھیمن دوبہ عرف چگرو دوبہ مدعا علیہم کا مندرج ہی و جمع صدر مسلم محال ۱۱۷۴-۶-۵ ہی اور اس محال مین بعد منہای حصہ دیگران جنکی حصہ کا حساب زمیندار ی بمراد دفعہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع بتعداد مبلغ ۵۲-۱ علیحدہ ہو چکا ہی بقیہ حصہ مدعا علیہم بتعداد ۵-۵-۱۱۲۲ جمع صدر بہ علت باقی ۱۱-۱۵-۴۶ کے نیلام ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۴۱۳۳ شرح ایضا

مدھورا پور پرگنہ جاگھر جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام شیوسہای رای کا مندرج ہی و جمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ ۶۷۶-۲-۵ ہی بعلت زر باقی ۵-۱۰ کے نیلام ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۵۱۲۷ شرح ایضا

بھگوان پور بکری چکلہ گرحول جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام کلیان جیون و دیثان جیون و شیو گوبند چودھری وگوری لعل و جھونی کا ئین کا مندرج ہی و جمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ ۵۶۷-۵ ہی بعلت زر باقی ۹-۷-۷ کے نیلام ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۵۱۳۰ شرح ایضا

ماصور پور سال چکلہ گرحول جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام معظم علی خان و امت لعل و مہدی علی خان و مسماۃ قمر النسا و امیر علی خان و مسماۃ مہر النسا و مسماۃ بے بی واحدہ و فضل حسین خان و مسماۃ مریم و مسماۃ قدیرن و مسماۃ رمین و رمن جیون و سرد اگوان و جیسی رام دت کا مندرج ہی و جمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ ۵۷۰-۹-۴ ہی بعلت زر باقی ۳۲-۱۴-۸ کے نیلام ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۶۰۱۷ شرح ایضا

لوگرا لوان بزرگ پرگنہ اہلوارہ جسکی خانہ مالگذار مین نام جیونلک سنگھ حکمون چودھری و تلسی دت و یونس چودھری و طالع ور چودھری و سنی چودھری و شیو دیال چودھری و لچھمی دت چودھری و شام لعل چودھری و شیو چودھری و مال چودھری و سمبو دت چودھری و رامدرای چودھری و چترجہا و رگھوبر دت جہا و امرت لعل جہا تابالغ و سہاے لعل جہا و سرے لعل جہا و سیل جہا و سہا لعل کنور و اچت جہا و امرت لعل چاماے و گردھارے چودھرے * فضل چودھرے مدعا علیہم کا مندرج ہے و جمع صدر مسلم محال ۱۱-۸-۳-۷ ہے اور اس محال مین بعد منہاے حصہ دیگران جسکے حصہ کا حساب زمیندارے بمراد دفعہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع بتعداد ۱۳۱-۸-۶ علیحدہ ہو چکا ہے بقیہ حصہ مدعا علیہم بتعداد ۵-۵۷۲ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۱۱-۶۵ کے نیلام ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۷۴۴۷ شرح ایضا

بگرا ہا کوسا ئین پور پرگنہ موراہا کلان جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام مسماۃ تارکنور و رام دلارے کنور کا مندرج ہے و جمع صدر اوسکا ۹۹۲-۸-۱۰ ہے بعلت زر باقی ۱۷-۱۴ کے نیلام ہوگا *

المرقوم ۲۷ ماہ اکتوبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859 that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Sylhet will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of this District on Monday, the 5th January 1874, corresponding with 22nd Pous 1280 (*B.S.*), for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September, but that day having fallen within the Dussarah Vacation, the arrears became due on the 8th October following, being the first open day after the holidays.

1st Class.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 27502.—Taluk Korban, Reza Zemindar, of Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Jadab Ram Sarmah; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 645-15-7. The share of Braja Mohan Das, bearing a Jumma of Rs. 110-2, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, is excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 535-13-7. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 35-0-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31185.—Taluk Adam, Raja Zemindar, Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietors, himself and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,335-4-1. The shares of Muluk Chandra Das, Raj Kisor Das, Madan Mohan Das, Naba Kisor Das, Sivprasad Dutta, Syad Ulla, Sarap Chand Banu, Mussamat Kamida Bibi, on behalf of her minor son Sadat Ali Khan, Sekh Adai Mahomed Ali, Sekh Yaz, Mahomed Anchhar, Avat Ulla, Radharam Mistari, Chandra Nath Mistari, Durga Ram Mistari, Tara Chand Das, Sujat Ali, Mahomed Azim, Amzad Ulla, Batir Mahomed, Ayin Ulla, Anwar Mahomed, Sukar Mahomed, Sekh Chand, Mahib Ulla, Pir Mahomed, Nazar Mahomed, Joad Ulla, Sekh Biram, Raghu Nath Sarmah Bhatacharjea, Dina Mahi Debya, and Radha Nath Sarma, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 235-8-8, having been separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, in the name of Naba Darga Baidani, Mahessari Baidani, mother of Hara Nath Baida, and Kasi Nath Baida, to be sold for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 32. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 10-2-6 on account of the arrears of Government revenue; Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,067-11-5. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 383-1-7 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31186.—Taluk Kurban, Raja Zemindar, of Purgunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Aman Raza Zemindar; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,261-0-3. The shares of Syama Sundari Choudhurani, Dayalram Deb, Nazumun-nechha-banu, Mahomed Kalim, Sekh Arabdi, Sekh Samai, Mahomed Abdul Rahaman, Braja Kisor Saha, Mirza Hamid Ali, Tara Chand Dev, Kunja Mohan Saha, Nil Chandru Dhar, Baida Nath Dev, Kula Chandra Dutta, Tara Chand Dev, Sachuram Saha, Kalika Prasad Sarma, Mahomed Kamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Amil Choudhuri, Mahomed Chhamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Jehhahak Choudhuri, Ganga Gobind Dhar, Gupi Nath Sen, Ayn Ulla, Hiran Bibi, Pandab Ram Barai, Bhogirath Dev, Suntosh Ram Das, Ram Nath, Bharu Jugini, Nabin Chandra Sarmah, Sarna Bati Dasi, Jay Chandra Das, Pratiuga Dasi, Lalita Dasi, Nihal Ram Das, Radhika Dasi, Mahes Chandra Dutta, Mirza Ibrahim Ali, Bisakha Dasi, Mufti Mahi, Jowda Ulla, Mussumut Sajina Banu, Arkan Uddin, Sekh Daim Ulla, Sekh Riaz Ulla, Pada Lochun Dutta, Manik Ram Dutta, Chandra Nath Datta, Rup Nath Dutta, Kadir Mahomed, Suruj Mia, Hamid Ulla, Sharif Mahomed, Harash Ram Nai, Hafiza Bibi, and Sekh Shamai, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 316-1-1, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Sarba Nand Saha and Sada Nand Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-6. This share will be sold for the recovery of Re. 1-10 on account of the arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 942-9-2. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 154-2-8 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 40981.—Taluk Chaitanya Chand of Pergunnah Chaitan Nagar; recorded proprietor Umed Narayan Das; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 992-10-3. The shares of Gaur Prasad Aditta, Guru Prasad Aditta, Krishna Prasad Aditta, Raj Gobind Aditta, Ram Sunder Gopta, Golak Chandra Gopta, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 144-14-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 847-12-0. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 59-9-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54726.—Hissah Syad Ahamed Raza, Pergunnah Jaraf; recorded proprietor, Purusram and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,502.

The shares of Dolgavind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Govind Palit, Ram Charan Raut, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Deb, Ram Narayan Anda, Ram Gobind Das, Lalita Dasi, Gabardi Mahi, Chhabadi Mahi, Joabid Mahi, Muzed Mahi, Ohad Mahi, Radha Charan Das, Chaitam Charan Das, Jasada Bati Dasi, Mohan Nath, Surja Nath, Shaik Kaim-uddin, Shaik Abdul Jabbar, Golak Chandra Singh, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of his minor brother Abduchhchhobhan, Abdul Kadir, Mahomed Anwar, Sayeda Dhan Bibi, wife of Syed Saha Asraf Ulla, Sarat Chundra Dutta, Bharat Chundra Banika, Kunja Kisor Banika, Ram Sunder Banika, Ram Jay Banika, Ram Narayan Banika, Rajnarayan Banika, Ramlochan Banika, Syad Muzmil

Hassan, Syada Alam Chand Banu, wife of Syad Saba Ahamed Ulla, Jugo Mohun Das, Sunatan Das, himself and on behalf of his minor brothers, Sudarsan Das, Badan Ram Das, Shaik Niamat Ulla, Shaik Ayat Ulla, Syad Nimber Ali, Syad Muzmil Husain, Mussumat Bhaba Chand Bibi, wife of Kamil Baks, Ichha Mahi Choudhurani, Mahamed Khatir Tarafdar, and Arsad Ulla, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 662-1-11, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Jasa Dasi, wife of Jharu Ram Saha, and Nila Bati Dasi, wife of Nilchand Shaha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-0-10.

This share will be sold for the recovery Rs. 1-3-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 844-13-3. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 142-10-0 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54727.—Hissa Syad Madan Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Ram Bullabh Dev and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,784-3-2. The shares of Jasadabati Dasi, Dolgobind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Gobind Palit, Mussumat Paran Jan Bibi, Rajkisor Dev, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Har Gobind Das, Mussumat Rabia Bibi, Sekh Abdul Aziz, Mussumat Nek Jan Bibi, Sekh Aynuddin, Mussumat Namiza Bibi, Mussumat Anchhar Bibi, Tarini Debya, wife of Kali Charan Sarmah, Parbati Nath Sarmah, Naba Chandra Sarmah, Ram Gobind Das, Achh Ali, Kali Kisor Gopta, Helim Ulla, Adil Mahamed, Chhabil Mohamed, Fazil Mohamed, Hazir Mohamed, Jasa Dasi, Nila Bati Dasi, Bhubanessari Dasi, widow of Munshi Raj Mohan Dev, Radha Mohan Dev, Jugul Kisor Das, Ram Kisor Das, Saday Gobind Nandi, Kalika Prasad Dev, Sarup Chandra Sarmah, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Choudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Mussumat Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussumat Ful Bibi, Fita Mahomed, Jasada Bati Dasi, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chandra Banika, Madhu Sudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjoy Banika, Siri Charan Banika, Ram Ruttan Banika, himself and on behalf of Bissambar Banika minor, Sekh Mahomed Hussain, Sekh Nyamat Ulla, Sekh Mohamed Arip, Gour Ram Chandra, Sumbhu Ram Chundra, Sekh Mohamed Chhami, Sekh Mulfat Ulla, Sekh Tarik Ulla, Sekh Anchhar, Sumbhoo Chandra Sarma, Jiban Krishna Das Choudhuri, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Ram Kisor Das Chouduri, Kasi Chundra Dev, Kailas Chandra Dev, Inai Nigari, Mussamat Amir Chand Banu, wife of Sekh Amzad Ulla, Kirti Chandra Sarma, Pukai Ram Pal, Pran Krishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chandra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Mazumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 443-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jamma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Brindabun Dutta, Kamal Charan Dev, Alizan Bibi, Sumbhu Nath Dutta, Kasi Nath Dev, Gopal Krishna Saha, Brindaban Saha, Dasarath Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 49-6-7.

This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 6-8-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 2,291-9-7. This Mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 181-14-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54729.—Hissa Syad Kaim Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Jay Gobind Ray and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,966-14-11. The shares of Hameda Bibi, on behalf of her minor sons Mohamed Rabich, Mohamed Idrich, Mussamat Mayu Chand Bibi on behalf of her minor son Mohamed Jachkim, Mohamed Abduchhamad, Mahamed Abdul Kadir, Dul Gobind Palit, Har Gopind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Kali Suran Dutta, Syada Abchhar Nechha, Omaid Ulla, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Umatara Debya, Ram Gobind Das, Arnapurna Dasi, Mussamat Jarina Banu, wife of Shek Bachhir Mohamed, Saruf Chandra Sarma, Golak Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussamat Ful Bibi, Kasalya Dasi, Parbati Dasi, Har Kumar Dutta, Kudrat Ulla Choudhuri, Sumbhu Chandra Sarma, Hare Krishna Das, Jiban Krishna Das, Ram Kisor Das Choudhuri, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of Mohamed Munsur; Abdul Subhan, Abdul Kadir, Subhadra Dasi, wife of Ratna Bullabh Das, Uttara Dasi, wife of Baida Nath Das, Naba Narayan Das, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chundra Banika, Mudhusudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjay Banika, Siv Charan Banika, Ramrattan Banika, himself and on behalf of his minor brother Bisamber Banika, Kasi Ram Chung, Kirti Chundra Saha, Nitya Nanda Saba, Nimai Chand Saha, Dinno Nath Saha, Byda Nath Saha, Janaki Dasi, wife of Pran Krishna Gope, on behalf of her son Krishna Chandra Gope, Abdul Rasid on behalf of his minor son Abdul Maiz, Abdul Latif, Sarat Chandra Dutta, Sekh Jabulla, Sekh Sarafat Ulla, Sekh Ulfat Ulla, Sekh Mayrdi, Pran Kishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chundra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Muzumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, Pukairam Pal, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 429-2-10, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Tara Chunn Kar, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 13-2-2. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 9-7-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for

sale, Rs. 1,534-9-11. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 75-8-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54987.—Taluk Saba Rezvan Uddin, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Syam Ram and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 722-3-2. The shares of Naba Kiser Deb, Jugal Kisor Deb, Ram Charan Pal, Abhoya Charan Deb, Amara Charan Deb, Uma Charan, Adyat Charan Deb, himself and on behalf of his brother Annada Charan Deb, minor, Ram Narayan Anda, Karuna Mayi Debya, Kalikisor Gopta, Rattana Bullath Das, Subhadra Dasi, Baidy Nath Das, and Uttama Dasi, Naba Narayan Das, Tas Mohamed, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 67-9-5, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 654-9-9. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 11-4-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 56509.—Taluk Syad Badardi Hasan, Pergunnah Gada Husain Nagar; recorded proprietor, Babrul Hasan and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 733-3-2. The shares of Ram Charan Raut, Saheb Ram Deb, Har Gobind Pal, Ram Kumar Deb, Sukha Mayi Dasi, wife of Ram Charan Raut, and Dava Mayi Choudharani, wife of Bisnu Prasad Banika, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 58-13-6, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 674-5-8. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 29-1-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

H. C. SUTHERLAND, *Officiating Collector.*

SYLHET COLLECTORATE, the 10th November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Tuesday, the 30th day of December 1873, corresponding with B 1280, 16th Pous, Umlee 1281, 17th Pous, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873:—

Class I.—Permanently-settled estates.

Number on the Register A.	Number on the Revenue Roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of Proprietors.	Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of land revenue for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	
1836	993	Moysarah *alias* Mysarah, Pergunnah Kismut Kasijorah.	Bepraprasad Berah, Sibaprasad Berah, Gooprasad Berah, Srimatiah Doyamoi Dei, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykantnath Berah, Srimatiah Saresate Dei, mother of Bisumbhar Berah, Nobakrista Berah, Poornanund Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykantnath Berah and others, Pearimohun Berah, Natabar Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of deceased Bykantnath Berah, Poornanund Berah, Pearimohun Berah, son of deceased Bepraprasad Berah, Natubar Berah, son of Poornanund Berah, Nabakista Berah, and Srimutiah Kadambini Dassi, wife of Radhakisto Berah.	1,881 9 7	73 9 3	
2623	1465	Shridhurpur, Pergunnah Moynachour.	Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed, Srimati Rajeshari Dei and Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wives of Fakirchandra Patlaik, Soondurnarain Mytee, Mothoor Mohan Mytee, Santoseram Mytee, Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son of Nabakista Berah. Deduct separate accounts of the undermentioned parties which have been realized in full and therefore not to be sold— Rs. As. P. Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed... 82 3 0 Srimati Rajeshari Dei ... ... 84 4 11 Soondurnarain and Mothoor Mohan Mytee ... ...210 12 4 Santoseram Mytee 42 2 5	920 14 2 419 6 8		
			Balance, Rupees	510 7 6	1 0 6	
			This balance is the joint share of the undermentioned parties which will be sold for the arrears of land revenue, Rs. 1-0-6: Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wife of Fakirchandra Patlaik and Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son of Nabakista Berah.			

W. OLDHAM, *Covenanted Deputy Collector for Collector.*

MIDNAPORE COLLECTORATE, the 22nd November 1873.

Notice.

The undermentioned estates or lots of waste lands in Chittagong will be re-sold by public auction at the Office of the Collector of that district on Tuesday, the 2nd day of December 1873 at noon, for arrears of interest money and other Government demands agreeably to Section 6 Act XI of 1859, on account, and at the risk, of the defaulters.

No. of lot.	Name of defaulting proprietors.	Thannah in which situated.	Area in acres.	Arrears of interest money.	Balance of purchase money.	Balance of survey charges.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
67a	Durga Mohun Roy ...	Potia ...	1,575	909 15 4	1,112 8 0	114 4 0	
92	Jowalager Bharati ...	Zorwargunge..	604	567 3 1	1,246 2 0	154 14 0	
98	Kristna Chandra and others.	Fatickchari ...	634	2,265 0 7	7,013 8 0	98 10 0	

(Sd.) J. C. VEASEY, *Offg. Collector.*

Notification.

WANTED a Kanongoe or Surveyor of the Second Class on Rs. 25 a month for the District of Goalparah. Candidates who passed the last Native Civil Service Examination need only apply, with a certificate from the Commissioner of the Division to which he has been posted that there is no objection to his being appointed in this district.

POORNANUND BORODAH, *Extra Asst. Commr., in charge.*

GOALPARAH, DY. COMMR.'s OFFICE, the 9th November 1873.

Notice.

WANTED for six months a Surveying Master for the Monghyr Higher School, on a salary of Rs. 50 per month, in place of Babu Mathura Nath Chattopádhyay, appointed to lay out the famine relief roads, north of the Ganges. Candidates are requested to send in immediately their applications with testimonials. In the selection of the *pro tem* Surveying Master, preference will be given to a candidate who possesses a good knowledge of Surveying and knows English grammatically well, to be able to communicate his knowledge to his pupils with ease and facility.

ACHOR CHANDRA MUKHOPADHYAY, *Secretary,*
Monghyr D. C. P. Instruction.

The 24th November 1873.

Notice.

THE Cachar Melâ will as usual be held at Silchar, commencing on Tuesday, the 30th December 1873, corresponding with 16th Pous, 1280 (B.S.), and continue for as many days as may be considered necessary.

E. Y. WALCOTT, *Asst. Commr. in charge of Dy. Commr.'s Office.*

CACHAR, DY. COMMR.'s OFFICE, the 23rd October 1873.

Notice.

THE Singhbum Annual Fair will be held as usual at Chyebassa during the last fortnight in December 1873.

C. H. GARBETT, *Captain, Offg. Dy. Commr., Singbhum.*

CHYEBASSA, the 22nd October 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the Least Depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 21st November 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Chourasea	12	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles	3	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	2	10	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	2	6	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles	2	3	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles	3	3	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 24th November 1873, above zero, 2 ft. 8¾ inches.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Moorshedabad District.*

BERHAMPORE, the 24th November 1873.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the undermentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1873.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Nov. 17th ...	9 Drums, [R C] E. T.B. & Co. ...	Order ...	J. C. Stevenson.
,, 20th ...	40 Drums, [30] D. S. E. & Co. ...	,, ...	City of Cambridge.
,, 20th ...	1 Case, C A E ...	Begg, Dunlop & Co ...	S. S. Bengal.
,, 20th ...	1 Case, [C M] C ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	8 Cases; [264] A. B. & Co. ...	,, ...	Jeannie Douglas.
,, 22nd ...	9 Crates, B M M ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	6 Crates, B M C ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	7 Cases, [C71] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, [G B R] E. T. B. & Co...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	20 Packages, M N M ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	173 Cases, [R G B & S] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	45 Cases, [R G B Z S] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	5 Cases, [220] R. B. & Co. ...	Mahomed Hossein ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	2 Cases, [D] N C F M ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Keg, [G. D. & Co.] E. T. B. & Co.	Gocool Chunder Dow.	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	42 Bar Iron, III white ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Rod Iron, ditto ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	120 Rod Iron, ditto ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, J M F ...	Mackenzie, Lyall & Co.	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Cask, [285 L] ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	3 Cases, [M N] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, [N C D] J. B. H. & Co...	N. C. Dutt ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	4 Casks, [N C P] ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	7 Casks, P N B ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, [S R G R] F M ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, [T. B. F. & Co.] J. H. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, [W B] ...	G. Arbuthnot & Co ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 22nd November 1873. (443—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
4 Cases, no mark	Hereford.
1 Portmanteau, A. F. Jeffreys, care of P. & O. Co. Agent, Calcutta	Hydaspes.
1 Cask, A L	China.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 29th of November 1873.

4 Pillows, no mark	Hindostan.
2 Tin Boxes, no mark	Ditto.
1 Bundle Sundries, no mark	Ditto.
1 Parcel, J. N. Fleming and Co.	Statesman.
1 Case, D R Calcutta	Meinam.
1 Case, no mark	Chaldea.
1 Case, [J. A. & Co., H] Calcutta	Callirrhoe.
1 Case, R B [S C D]	Ditto.
1 Couch, no mark	Hindostan.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 13th of December 1873.

1 Case, [83] McC. & Co.	Callirrhoe.
1 Case, F M	Ditto.
1 Cask, K. H. H. S. K. R. & Co., Calcutta	Ditto.

N.B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 2nd day of January 1874.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 22nd November 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6110	L/19 35736	50	Santo Chunder Banerjee.
6114	A/33 39566	50	John Demitrius.
6118	A/91 83429	100	Shaik Ameerjaun.
	A/92 76550	50	
	L/10 04171	50	
6119	L/9 69699	10	Pte. John Bunec.
	L/9 61341	5	
6121	L/10 18921	50	Abdoolla Moosah.
6124	L/8 59023	100	Seetul Pershad Bhuggut.
	,, 59025	100	
	,, 59030	100	
	,, 59031	100	
6139	L/8 61778	100	Gopalkristo Paulit.
6149	,, 80638	100	Grish Chunder Chatterjee.
6169	L/8 84664	100	Hurrish Chunder Dutt.
	,, 49178	100	
6172	A/88 37583	50	Roop Laul Ghose.
6175	A/80 44866	10	Seetul Chunder Roy.
6180	L/8 89115	100	John G. Womack.
6181	A/91 30482	100	The District Superintendent of Police, 24-Pergunnahs.
6182	A/80 07073	500	Jamnadas Oomed Sing.
6183	L/12 77650	20	Prosono Chundra Bose.
6185	A/10 16928	500	Dwarkanath Dutt.
6187	A/90 33864	100	Messrs. P. S. D'Rozario and Co.
	L/8 58476	100	
6188	L/10 27710	50	Dwarkanath Dutt.
6193	A/92 34254	50	Shaik Madenah.
	,, 34255	50	
	A/80 74219	100	
	,, 74277	100	
6198	L/19 39061	50	Rajendronath Chatterjee.
	L/10 02926	20	
	L/7 67074	20	
	A/79 42967	10	
	L/6 86826	10	
	,, 62982	10	
6204	L/19 20012	50	Messrs. Binoycanto Mitter and Co.
6205	A/87 81526	1,000	Nund Coomar Auddy.
6206	L/8 84374	100	Mirza Mohamud Ally.
	,, 84375	100	
	,, 84376	100	
	,, 84377	100	
	,, 84378	100	
	,, 84379	100	
	,, 84380	100	
	,, 84381	100	
	,, 84382	100	
	,, 84383	100	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

6132	L/2 60788	10	R. Williamson.
6133	L/6 62253	10	The Offg. Manager, Agra Bank, Limited.
	L/7 06436	10	
	L/8 82615	10	
6135	A/20 47347	10	Messrs. Ernest and Co.
6137	L/8 34390	100	Woodoy Chund.
6143	L/1 61165	10	Shaik Fuzzle Ahmed.
6144	A/98 32007	10	Haradhone Ghose.
	L/8 65383	10	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6145	A/54 25996	100	Dwarkanath Chuckerbutty.
6147	A/5 36658	10	L. Mendes.
6151	L/18 95615	20	Kurm Chund Dooghur.
	,, 95617	20	
6152	L/9 64440	5	Ramjeeawan Lal.
	,, 64441	5	
6153	A/98 10782	20	Grish Chunder Bose.
6154	A/89 20422	500	Nundololl Mitter.
6155	L/32 70072	10	Mrs. H. Hashman.
6156	A/99 13695	20	Greedhury Chowdhury.
6157	L/2 73535	10	Khanja Khaw.
6159	A/91 66853	100	Bhoobun Mohun Roy.
	L/10 10100	50	
6161	L/14 29364	20	Aushotosh Addy.
	,, 29366	20	
6163	L/1 14554	10	Gridhur Chowdhury.
6164	L/32 25349	10	Gopalchunder Mookerjee.
6166	L/14 04834	20	Sham Chund Bose.
	L/3 83279	20	
6167	A/96 24306	10	J. C. Reid.
6170	L/12 14173	20	Messrs GladstoJe Wyllie & Co
	,, 23007	20	
6171	L/1 78216	10	Captain G. F. Blowers
	A/69 70504	10	
6173	L/38 09425	10	Clara Leech.
	,, 13473	10	
6174	L/5 56971	100	Jadub Chunder Chuckerbutty.
6177	L/5 43759	10	Prankisto Sadkhan.
6186	A/27 56976	20	Sarodaproshad Mookerjee.
6189	L/13 36027	20	Khetter Mohun Ghose.
6191	L/6 80130	10	Captain J. Homfray.
	,, 80128	10	
	,, 80133	10	
	L/6 80126	10	
	,, 80127	10	
	L/11 88917	5	
6192	L/5 36233	10	J. H. Herbert.
	,, 36234	10	
	,, 36235	10	
6194	A/34 07009	20	Ram Chunder Roy.
	A/41 65942	10	
	A/81 94543	10	
6196	L/13 09052	20	Dan Sing, Than Sing.
6197	L/32 22105	10	Ram Laul Ghose.
6200	L/6 80136	10	Captain G. B. Peart.
	,, 80137	10	
6201	,, 18732	10	G. Carry.
6202	L/14 16165	20	Charles Sheriffe Wiseman.
6203	L/9 16270	5	Khamanee Singh.
	,, 83947	5	
	,, 62224	5	

Wrongly joined.

6131	A/83 91197	50	Messrs. Todd, Finlay and Co.
	,, 91196		
6136	L/9 69843	5	Messrs. T. E. Thomson and Co.
	,, 69913		
6138	L/5 05560	10	L. D. Tores.
	,, 05559		
6140	A/19 46022	10	Kissory Laul Seal.
	,, 46026		
	A/67 74245	10	
	,, 76918		
	A/79 23582	10	
	A/80 02314		
	A/82 22519	20	
	,, 22518		

Wrongly joined.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Names of Claimant.
6141	A/52 74100 A/74 62116	20	Somboonath Kattree.
6142	L/10 30535 ,, 30535	5	Degambur Mookerjee.
	L/9 51775 ,, 51777	5	
6146	L/10 85708 ,, 85706	5	J. Sutcheffe.
6148	A/86 17571 A/95 46171	10	Cany Laul Seal.
	L/7 12299 ,, 12297	10	
6150	A/94 04384 L/13 13538	20	Ramchunder Dey.
6158	A/21 04120 ,, 55120	10	Sreebash Dutt.
6160	L/2 79519 ,, 79516	10	Khetter Mohun Shome.
6162	A/50 67890 ,, 67887	10	G. J. Roseboom
6165	L/7 49089 ,, 49087	20	Jogessur Day.
6168	L/10 93175 L/2 59695	5	Gunesh Das Gunga Ram.
	L/9 43717 L/6 51851	10	
	L/7 23346 A/98 05586	10	
6176	A/92 46275 ,, 46276	50	Madhub Chunder Dey.
6184	L/4 06661 ,, 06660	10	Sreenath Ghose.
6190	L/9 36975 ,, 36976	5	Messrs. F. and C Osler.
	,, 11702 ,, 11723	5	
6195	A/96 46236 A/96 17509	10	Palamapa Setty.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 24th November 1873.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th Nov. 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. A. P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up		2,20,00,000 0 0
Reserve Fund		15,47,164 8 9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office	Rs. 1,34,64,379 8 5	3,37,74,273 14 10
General Treasury Balance at Branches	,, 2,03,09,294 6 5	
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		3,00,70,895 5 0
Bank Post Bills, &c.		4,11,170 10 3
Sundries		7,55,252 2 4
Total		8,85,58,756 9 2

ASSETS.		Rs. A. P.
Government Securities		1,58,40,087 11 0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		44,45,807 7 1
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		20,80,255 8 6
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		1,92,59,743 14 4
Dead Stock		11,44,134 10 8
Stamps		14,629 6 6
Balances with other Banks		4,45,825 12 0
Sundries		72,865 8 8
Bullion		2,85,176 10 2
		4,35,88,526 8 11
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office	Rs. 1,34,80,455 4 10	4,49,70,230 0 3
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches	,, 3,14,89,774 11 5	
Total		8,85,58,756 9 2

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 20th November 1873.

F. A. GILLAM,
Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(441—1)

Bengal Civil Fund.

NOTICE.—The half-yearly General Meeting of Subscribers to the Bengal Civil Fund will be held at the Town Hall on Wednesday, the 28th January next, at 11 A.M., for the election of Managers for the ensuing year, and for the consideration of any other business which may be brought forward.

The Managers give notice of the following resolutions to be submitted by them to the Meeting :—

1st.—"That any increase of benefits which may be declared as the result of the reference now made to the Actuary, shall have effect from the 1st April 1873."

2nd.—"That the Actuary be informed of any grounds that can be stated for apprehending a future decrease in the rate of income of subscribers during their term of service, and that his advice be obtained whether it would be equitable and expedient to reserve for such a contingency part of any surplus that may be found now to exist, and how much should be so reserved."—By order of the Managers.

J. WESTLAND, *In charge of the Civil Fund Office.*

CIVIL FUND OFFICE, CALCUTTA, the 15th November 1873. (436—1)

Administrator-General's Office.

THE undermentioned Estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to, the said Estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned :—

William Finlay Hamilton, a Lieutenant in Her Majesty's 15th Hussars, died at Meerut on the 22nd May 1873.

Francis Foljambe Courtenay, of No. 15, Savile-row, in the county of Middlesex, in England, died at Malvern, in Worcester, in England, on 19th June 1872.

Henry Macdonald, a Major in the Bengal Staff Corps, died near Fort Michnee in Peshawur, on the 21st March 1873.

James Samuel Greer, a Captain in Her Majesty's 26th Regiment of Foot, died at Morar, in Gwalior, on the 15th August 1873.

David Walsh, a Riding Master in Her Majesty's 10th Hussars, died at Muttra on the 3rd August 1873.

Robert Campbell, of Bucknour Indigo Factory, in the District of Shahabad, died at Shahabad on the 21st May 1873.

Robert Lyall, of Naraingunge, in the District of Dacca, died at Calcutta on the 17th May 1873.

Charles Alexander (*alias* Charles Alexander Pereira), an Overseer in the Jail Establishment of the Nicobar and Andaman Islands, died at Port Blair on the 6th July 1873.

John George Stoddart, a Permanent-way Inspector in the Great Indian Pensinsula Railway, died at Khundwa on the 23rd February 1873.

Robert Taylor, of the "Times of India," died at or near Cochin in April 1865.

Frederick Alfred Walker, a Sub-Engineer in the Public Works Department, died at Rangoon on the 3rd of August 1872.

Thomas Chisholm Anstey, Barrister-at-Law, died at Bombay on the 13th August 1873.

Alfred Carr, late of Calcutta, died at Calcutta on the 21st December 1870.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, Calcutta, 15th November 1873. (439—1)

Notice.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the Justices of the Peace for the Town of Calcutta, will be held at the Town Hall, on Thursday, the 4th December 1873, *at* 11 *o'clock* A. M.

BUSINESS TO BE BROUGHT FORWARD.

1. Report of the Special Committee of Justices for the Town of Calcutta on the Bill to regulate the Procedure of the High Courts in the exercise of their Original Criminal Jurisdiction and for other purposes.

2. Letter from Government making over to the Justices the Hastings rent fund income.

3. Letter from Government of Bengal supplementing the donation of Rs. 2,500 voted by the Justices towards rebuilding the wards of the Leper Asylum by a grant of Rs. 5,000 for putting the buildings of the Asylum in proper order.

4. Reply from Government of Bengal accepting the entire charge of the Sealdah Pauper Hospital on the terms proposed by the Justices, and intimating the appointment of Dr. Woodford as Superintendent of the Sealdah Medical School in addition to that of the Hospital.

(445—1) R. TURNBULL, *Secy. to the Justices.*

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th November 1873.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS							6 per cent. P. W. Loan of 1854-55.	4½ PER CENT. LOANS			4½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURES FOR		Total amount.
														10 years.	15 years.	
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.		of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.		Repayable June 1877.	Repayable June 1882.	
Balance of 31st October 1873	54,100	33,173	2,346	17,02,030	34,19,700	1,35,02,700	1,14,93,300	1,19,45,400	12,500	37,57,900	3,59,000	3,11,93,500	4,37,82,500	36,26,000	30,28,000	12,79,12,199
ADD—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th November 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	1,000	49,500	7,500	1,000	...	.....	.....	19,000	4,000	.....	.....	82,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th November 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	21,500	1,000	.....	30,000	...	2,30,000	.....	7,64,500	9,15,000	.....	.....	19,62,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th November 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	81,500	1,500	69,400	...	.....	.....	2,46,500	40,800	.....	.....	3,89,700
TOTAL ...	54,100	33,173	2,346	17,02,080	34,42,200	1,35,84,700	1,15,02,300	1,20,45,800	12,500	39,87,900	3,59,000	3,22,23,500	4,47,42,300	36,26,000	30,28,000	13,03,4[illegible],899
DEDUCT—																
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	.....	18,454	4,500	39,000	2,000	97,700	...	1,15,600	.....	41,500	1,83,600	.....	.....	5,02,354
Balance on 15th November 1873	54,100	33,173	2,346	16,83,626	34,37,700	1,35,45,700	1,15,00,300	1,19,48,100	12,500	38,72,300	3,59,000	3,21,82,000	4,45,58,700	36,26,000	30,28,000	12,98,43,545

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Sept. 1873—Enfaced from India 1,766 lakhs, re-transferred from London 1,803 lakhs.
" 16th Sept. 1873 to 30th " " ditto ditto 1 " ditto ditto 8 "
" 1st Oct. " to 15th Oct. " ditto ditto 0 " ditto ditto 3 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " ditto ditto 5 " ditto ditto 5 "
" 1st Nov. " to 15th Nov. " ditto ditto 24 " ditto ditto 5 "

1,796 — 1,824
1,796

Balance against India ... 28 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 20th November 1873.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(441—1)

Albert Gustav Christian Karl Weylandt, deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the Trustees' and Mortgagees' powers, Act 1866, being Act XXVIII of 1866 of the Governor-General of India in Council, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Albert Gustav Christian Karl Weylandt late of Calcutta, Merchant, who died at New Schomberg, in the Empire of Germany, on the fifth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and letters of administration with the Will annexed of whose property and credits were duly granted to Otto Weylandt of Calcutta, Merchant, the constituted Attorney of William Krahnstover and Frederick Jarchow, two of the executors named in the last Will and Testament of the said Albert Gustav Christian Karl Weylandt, deceased, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction, on the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned Otto Weylandt at his office situate at No. 11, Radha Bazar Lane, in the town of Calcutta, on or before the twenty-eighth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four; and notice is hereby also given that at the expiration of the last mentioned day the said Otto Weylandt will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said Albert Gustav Christian Karl Weylandt or any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Otto Weylandt has then had notice, and that the said Otto Weylandt will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Otto Weylandt has not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this twenty-first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

OTTO WEYLANDT,
(442—1) *No. 11, Radha Bazar Lane, Calcutta.*

Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-third Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will take place at the Registered Office of the Company, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Old Court House Street, on Saturday, the 29th November 1873, at 3 P.M., to receive the report of the Directors, and an *ad interim* statement of accounts for the half-year ended 31st August last, and for the transaction of such other business as may be placed before the Meeting. By order of the Directors.

CALCUTTA, the 27th October 1873. (411—5) A. DONALDSON, *Acting Secretary.*

Notice

Is hereby given that a sum of Rs. 35-9-3, being balance of the estate of the late Mr. Mathew, Assistant Tea Planter in Cachar, formerly a Sergeant in the Army, who died intestate at Cherra Poonjee, in the Khasi and Jynteeah Hills, on 12th September 1873, is in deposit in this Court, and will be delivered to any person legally entitled to receive the same.

SHILLONG, the 15th November 1873. (440—3) H. S. BIVAR, *Dy. Commissioner.*

Notice.

A SPECIAL General Meeting of Shareholders of the Dulcherra Tea Company, "Limited," will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 6, Mission Row, at noon, on Tuesday, the 2nd December, to confirm the following resolutions passed at a Special General Meeting held today:—

1. That the Company be wound up voluntarily.
2. That James Young, Esq., be appointed Liquidator.

CALCUTTA, the 19th November 1873. (437—2) YOUNG, GRAY, AND CO., *Secretaries.*

Notice

Is hereby given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at the Judge's Kutcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale:—

A pucka two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race Course, and renting monthly for Rs. 175.

A thatched bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

A *half-share* of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., Purneah. (386—10)

No. 1.

The Bengal Coal Company, Limited.

REGISTERED UNDER ACT X OF 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company, to confirm the Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 22nd November 1873, will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 27, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at 11 o'clock A.M., on Saturday, the 13th December 1873.—By order of the Directors,

T. M. ROBINSON, *Managing Director.*

No. 2.

The Bengal Coal Company, Limited.

REGISTERED UNDER ACT X OF 1866.

THE Half-yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 27, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at noon, on Saturday, the 13th December 1873.

The Books and Accounts of the Company duly audited will be open for the inspection of Shareholders seven days before the Meeting.—By order of the Directors,

(446—3) T. M. ROBINSON, *Managing Director.*

Arcuttipore Tea Company, "Limited."

THE second *ad-interim* dividend on crop 1873 of 4 per cent. per annum declared at the meeting held on the 25th current is now payable at this office.

BORRADAILE, SCHILLER AND CO., *Secretaries and Agents.*

7, CHURCH LANE, the 25th November 1873. (447—1)

Lost, Stolen, or Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 153 of the 5 per cent. of 1856-57, for Rs. 1,200, originally standing in the name of Soshebhoosun Sadokha, and last endorsed to Rajkristo Doss, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favor of the proprietor.

(431—3) RAJKRISTO DOSS, 225, *Old China Bazar, Calcutta.*

TO BE SOLD

At noon on Wednesday, the 3rd December proximo,

IN THE CUSTOM HOUSE,

Under instructions from the Collector of Customs,

The Contents of the undernoted Packages taken over under Section 27 of Act VI of 1873,

VIZ.:

A A, 206-9 Four Cases Assorted Corals,

COMPRISING

Looriah, Pillar, Phar, Sera Munj and Munj,

Ex "HINDUSTAN,"

Weighing about Thirty thousand (30,000) Tolahs.

আগত ৩ ডিসেম্বর বুধবার বেলা দুই প্রহরের সময় মোং পরমিট ঘরে শ্রীলশ্রীযুক্ত কষ্টম কলেক্টর সাহেবের আদেশানুসারে হিন্দুস্থান জাহাজের আমদানী নিম্নলিখিত কয়েক গাইট দ্রব্য যাহা ১৮৬০ সালের ৬ আইনের ২৭ ধারা প্রমাণ ক্রোক হয় তাহা নীলাম হইয়া বিক্রয় হইবেক।

বিশেষতঃ এ এ ২০৬-৯ ৪ কেস নানা প্রকার প্রবাল বা পলা অর্থাৎ লুরিয়া, পিলর, ফার, সিরা মঞ্জ ও মঞ্জ। ওজন আন্দাজ ত্রিশ হাজার (৩০০০০) তোলা।

Public Notice.

Will be published in all this month, in footscap folio, 250 pages, stiff paper cover—price, exclusive of Postage, Rs. 16.

THE Annual Volume of Trade and Navigation for the Bengal Presidency (having a sea-borne trade) for 1872-73, with Comparative Figures for the preceding four years.

Only a very limited number of copies will be printed, and orders will be supplied strictly according to date of receipt. Early application should therefore be made to

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Jowahir Sing.
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No. 884.

INSOLVENCY NOTICE.

IN the event of the following Dividends remaining unclaimed for six monhts from this day, the same will be paid into Court.

In the matter of JOHN LACKERSTEEN AND BROTHERS, Insolvents.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Bill No.	£			Amount of Claim. Rs.	As.	P.	5th Dividend at 2 as. 6 pie per cent., 1st March 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
1	Nobokisto Doss	991	100	0	0	1,064	14	4	1	10	7
15	Birley, Currie and Co. ...	993	1,000	0	0	9,903	6	7	15	7	7
19	Gisborne and Co. ...	1039	500	0	0	4,899	8	9	7	10	6
26	Molloy, Mackintosh and Poo ...	1039	2,000	0	0	19,572	5	7	30	9	5
43	Potter and Co.	1107	500	0	0	5,227	14	0	8	2	8
	,, ,, ...	1108	500	0	0	5,227	14	0	8	2	8
	,, ,, ...	1138	820	0	0	8,814	13	8	13	12	4
48	Carlisle, Nephews and Co. ...	1136	497	3	5	5,381	2	6	8	6	6
	,, ,, ...	1137	2,777	0	4	30,025	9	4	46	14	9
	,, ,, ...	1138	513	7	4	5,569	0	0	8	11	3
7	Eglinton, McClure and Co. ...	959	1,190	4	3	11,533	4	0	18	0	4
	,, ,, ...	973	2,752	17	11	27,938	15	7	42	4	0
	,, ,, ...	1049	1,500	0	0	14,767	3	2	23	1	2
	L. M. Bill Endorsed ...	...	2,000	0	0	19,996	15	0	31	3	1
		1007	1,500	0	0	25,390	0	3	39	10	9
		1009	1,000	0	0						
13	Robinson, Balfour and Co. ...	987	1,000	0	0	10,391	14	4	16	3	9
		971	1,190	4	3	12,345	14	0	19	4	8
		1063	1,000	0	0	10,409	1	8	28	12	3
		985	1,500	0	0	15,580	9	9½	24	5	6
		986	1,500	0	0	15,580	9	9½	24	5	6
	India Insurance Bill ...	17-1458	243	15	0	2,527	8	8	3	15	2
100	James Castello	B-A	...			901	0	3	1	6	6
37	Gordon, Stewart and Co. ...	1065	1,000	0	0	20,818	3	0	30	3	5
		1066	1,000	0	0						
10	James Lyall	967	531	12	0	6,124	0	3	9	0	19
8	Burkinyoung and Co. ...	960	363	16	0	3,608	0	0	5	10	2
6	Kelsall and Co.	940	1,537	7	1	21,287	6	9	33	4	2
		941	462	12	11						
33	P. S. DeRozario and Co. ...	1058	200	0	0	2,127	10	8	3	5	2
		1078	200	0	0	2,145	8	6	3	5	8
51	Watson, Borrodaile and Co. Bill Curreem Sircar Endorsed.	174	1,500	0	0	15,443	13	7	24	2	1
	Ditto, Shaik Buddean ...	173	1,400	0	0	14,415	3	4	22	8	5
	Ditto, Ram Herrun Roy...	172	1,700	0	0	17,501	2	1	27	5	7
4	W. H. Abbott ...	1051	750	0	0	7,658	4	0	11	15	5
		1052	750	0	0	7,658	4	0	11	15	5
	Not in the Schedule ...	940	1,000	0	0	10,631	6	3	16	9	9
		1047	628	10	6	6,575	8	7	10	4	5
12	Frith, Sandes and Watts ...	1053	500	0	0	5,105	7	2	7	15	8
4	W. H. Abbott	921	1,500	0	0	16,326	12	0	25	8	2
		1003	88	8	1	931	0	0	1	7	4
		1003	750	0	0	7,984	15	6	12	7	7
		1001	1,400	0	0	14,519	1	6	22	7	9
35	P. and Oriental Secretary ...	1048	1,500	0	0	15,669	8	4	24	10	8
	Not in the Schedule Curries and Co.	13-A	8,533	0	2	85,330	1	4	133	5	3
12	Frith, Sandes and Watts ...	1085	2,500	0	0	26,386	14	8	41	3	8
	Not in the Schedule ...	37-38	1,000	0	0	10,988	7	3	17	2	9
	Bills drawn as Secretaries	73	8	15	0	98	4	3	0	2	5
	India Insurance Co. ...	18-1008	80	0	0	581	0	9	1	5	3
		18-1099	70	0	0	745	7	3	1	2	8
		17-1191	59	10	0	652	8	3	1	0	4
		545	25	0	0	269	10	0	0	6	9
		197	21	5	0	230	9	8	0	6	7
		5	45	0	0	480	6	9	0	12	0
		4	95	0	0	1,008	5	9	1	9	3

No.	Names of Creditors.	Bill No.	Rs.	A.	P.	Amount of Claim. Rs.	A.	P.	5th Dividend at 2 as. 6 pie per cent., 1st March 1878. Rs.	A.	P.
	Not in the Schedule ...	390	0	0	0	6,686	0	0	...		
		391	0	0	0	7,500	0	0	...		
		392	0	0	0	10,186	0	0	...		
		393	0	0	0	11,000	0	0	...		
						35,372	0	0			
	Less Securities realized ...	...		...		29,889	10	0			
	Balance ...	...		...		5,482	6	0	8	9	1
83	S. L. Behrens and Co. ...	B-A		...		2,161	0	0	3	6	0
16	Oriental Bank	1044	1,000	0	0	20,156	3	0	31	7	11
		1045	1,000	0	0						
	Bill L. M. and Co. Endorsed	17-1234	109	0	0	1,139	14	2	1	12	6
		17-1237	100	0	0	1,047	3	4	1	10	2
3	Shearwood and Co. ...	910	100	0	0	1,077	12	3	1	10	11
13	Robinson, Balfour and Co. ...	969	1,900	0	0	19,698	13	4	30	12	6
12	Frith, Sandes and Watts ...	1087	5,000	0	0	52,752	6	8	82	6	11
		1089	1,000	0	0	10,533	8	0	16	7	4
		964	2,000	0	0	20,519	3	10	32	1	0
		965	1,000	0	0	10,264	15	11	16	0	6
	Endorsements ...	0-1004	1,500	0	0	16,010	12	0	25	0	3
		A-1006	1,500	0	0	16,010	12	0	25	0	3
		1086	2,500	0	0	26,380	5	4	41	3	5
		1095	1,250	0	0	13,165	12	0	20	9	2
		1096	1,250	0	0	13,165	12	0	20	9	2
		1100	1,500	0	0	15,797	0	0	24	10	9
		1097	1,250	0	0	13,165	12	0	20	9	2
		1094	1,250	0	0	13,165	12	0	20	9	2
		1011	1,000	0	0	10,656	14	6	16	10	6
25	India Marine Insurance Co. ...	B-A	0	0	0	27,761	14	3	43	6	1
20	Colvin, Ainslie, Cowie and Co. Nursing Bill Endorsed	...	3,000	0	0	30,905	1	6	48	4	7
		1001	2,000	0	0	20,770	8	8	32	7	3
	Bill DeLuza Viera Endorsed.	104	500	0	0	5,464	10	0	8	8	8
		1028	556	5	0	5,732	9	0	8	15	4
		1064	1,000	0	0	10,200	10	5	15	14	7
		1013	1,300	0	0	13,412	3	0	20	15	4
		1092	500	0	0	5,573	6	0	8	11	4
	Not in the Schedule ...	918	1,000	0	0	10,663	13	0	16	10	6
		919	1,000	0	0	10,663	13	0	16	10	6
		920	1,500	0	0	15,990	5	4	24	15	9
		1002	726	14	5	7,669	7	9	11	15	9
		1039	1,300	0	0	13,641	1	9	21	5	0
	Bill DeLuza Veira Endorsed.	101	500	0	0	5,270	3	10	8	3	9
40	B. T. Ford and Co. ...	1090	1,000	0	0	10,724	13	2	16	12	2
	Not in the Schedule ...	18-1027	75	0	0	1,439	6	3	2	3	10
	India Insurance Bill ...	18-1028	58	15	0						
		18-1046	12	0	0	199	15	0	0	5	0
		18-1047	5	15	0						
		4-17	60	0	0	1,052	9	6	1	9	11
		4-23	37	10	0						
		...	5	15	0	67	1	3	0	1	8
44	T. Scott	1126	500	0	0	5,186	12	7	8	1	9
22	Bagshaw and Co. ...	1023	429	9	4	4,923	5	0	7	11	1
		1015	1,006	12	10	10,547	4	0	16	7	8
	Bill Ramkeeram Roy Endorsed.	...	1,700	0	0	17,770	0	0	27	12	3
	Not in the Schedule ...	...	1,500	0	0	15,429	9	7	24	1	8
27	H. Schumacher	1035	500	0	0	15,739	5	1	24	9	6
		1036	500	0	0						
28	Judge, Vrignon and Newmarch	1038	500	0	0						

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Bill No.	£			Amount of Claim.			5th Dividend at 2 as. 6 pie per cent., 1st March 1873.		
						Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
27	H. Schumacher	1037	500	0	6	5,246	7	0	8	3	2
42	Malcolm and Co. ...	B-A	421	17	6	4,821	6	10	7	8	6
36	E. D. Kilburn	1060	1,000	0	0	10,409	1	8	16	4	3
	Not in the Schedule on acceptance of Bill J. Coles and Co.	...	...			6,000	0	0	9	6	0
	Not in the Schedule 4 P. notes endorsed.	...	...			1,00,000	0	0	156	4	0
	Ditto ditto J. G. Lung ...	1046	1,000	0	0	10,175	0	0	15	14	5
93	O. A. Lackersteen ...	B-A	...			7,182	7	6	11	3	7
92	Estate W. Burrington, Deceased	Do.	...			95,616	7	11	149	6	5
94	Estate John Pinto, Deceased ..	Do.	...			9,595	12	5	14	15	10
97	Estate C. E. Pinto, Deceased...	Do.	...			5,399	4	7	8	6	9
107	Estate of E. O. Pinto, Deceased	Do.	...			51,252	15	8	80	1	4
77	Trustees of L. H. Woollaston	Do.	...			17,223	10	6	26	14	7
72	H. A. Woollaston ..	Do	...			8,097	4	0	12	10	5
	Not in the Schedule ...	874	1,000	0	0	10,479	12	7	16	6	0
12	Frith, Sandes and Watts ...	1024	2,600	0	0	28,048	1	4	43	13	2
61	P. W. Glass	B-A	...			14,774	14	3	23	1	4
66	C. Cornelius	Do.	...			2,370	0	0	3	11	3
36½	Charles Latham and Co. ...	Do.	...			4,710	0	0	7	5	9
79	Carlo Dufins	Do.	...			3,695	2	0	5	12	5
45	T. Mayer and Co. ...	1109	500	0	0						
		1111	500	0	0	16,230	0	2	25	5	9
		1135	500	0	0						
31	Mowjee Dhunjee ...	1059	250	0	0						
		1060	250	0	0						
		1061	250	0	0						
		1062	250	0	0	18,617	15	3	29	1	5
		1065	250	0	0						
		1066	250	0	0						
		1067	250	0	0						
47	John Hugh	1130	1,500	0	0						
		1131	1,500	0	0						
		1132	1,500	0	0	54,102	0	7	84	8	7
		1133	500	0	0						
58	Hughesden Brothers ...	1048	2,501	6	6	25,882	9	5	40	7	0
15	Birley, Currie and Co. ...	994	1,000	0	0	10,390	10	4	16	3	9
		995	1,000	0	0	10,390	10	4	16	3	9
		996	1,000	0	0	10,390	10	4	16	3	9
21	Husche Wattenbach and Co....	1005	500	0	0	5,253	6	2	8	3	4
		1006	500	0	0	5,253	6	2	8	3	4
		1007	500	0	0	5,253	6	2	8	3	4
22	Bagshaw and Co. ...	1014	700	0	0	7,333	6	2	11	7	4
29	Fletcher Alexander and Co. ...	1046	1,000	0	0	10,344	7	9	16	2	7
	Not in the Schedule Endorsed.	39	200	0	0	2,169	12	10	3	6	3
46	F. Osler and Co.	1110	400	0	0	4,332	1	6	6	12	4
21	Husche Wattenbach and Co....	1010	500	0	0	5,243	9	9	8	3	1
	Bill Roy Gobind Sing Endorsed	...	1,900	0	0	19,538	14	2	36	8	4
32	Nanjee Joycorn Sons and Co.	1074	300	0	0	3,172	8	0	3	11	9
		1075	200	0	0	2,115	0	0	3	4	11
	Not in the Schedule ...	B-A	...			5,714	4	6	8	14	10
	Ditto ditto India Insurance Company Bill ...	35	450	0	0	8,417	14	10	13	2	5
		36	350	0	0						
39	S. P. Griffiths	1089	501	1	6	5,368	8	9	8	6	5
30	Cockerell, Larpent and Co. ...	1054	345	15	3	3,640	4	0	5	11	0
11	R. Stewart and Co. ...	997	2,000	0	0	41,526	0	4	64	14	2
		998	2,000	0	0						
23	Colon Jennie and Co. ...	1012	1,000	0	0	10,508	5	11	16	6	9
16	S. J. D. Campbell ...	979	500	0	0	5,883	15	3	9	3	1
19	Gisborne and Co. ...	981	1,400	0	0	16,032	15	7	25	0	10
41	W. Stewart	1093	9	0	0	90	0	0	0	2	3

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Bill No.	£	Amount of Claim.	6th Dividend at 2 as. 6 pie per cent., 1st March 1873.
				Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.
	Estate Colville, Gilmore and Co.	1082	1,000 0 0	10,406 10 6	16 4 1
74	Estate Mary Fallowfield ...	B-A	...	164 7 1	0 4 1
75	Estate of Anthony Lackersteen	Do.	...	2,512 11 5	3 14 10
85	Estate L. Cooper ..	Do.	...	3,169 13 3	4 15 3
96	Trustees of J. and A. L. Muleldarff.	Do.	...	6,486 4 3	10 2 2
99	Estate Nathalia DeSouza ...	Do.	...	1,706 6 1	2 9 8
101	Domingo Mathews ...	Do.	...	633 9 5	0 15 8
102	Catherine	B-A	...	210 12 6	0 5 3
103	Roza DeRozario	Do.	...	282 2 9	0 7 1
104	Charity Account	Do.	...	128 5 3	0 3 3
98	Trustees of J. B. and E. M. Cornelius.	Do.	...	3,730 7 11	5 13 3
62	Jazed Almeida	Do.	...	1,863 4 11	2 14 7
64	Francisco, D'Asis Fernandes ...	Do.	...	180 0 0	0 4 4
73	J. D. Almeida	Do.	...	96 0 0	0 2 5
81	A. A. Demello	Do.	...	6,346 7 4	9 14 8
84	Francis A. Laforgue ...	Do.	...	5,360 14 9	8 6 1
76	S. J. Rodrigues	Do.	...	632 13 6	0 15 10
22	Bagshaw and Co. ...	1016	363 17 10	3,815 1 3	5 15 5
	A. M. Woollaston ...	1115, 1116	...	150 0 0	0 3 9
	Ditto	1146	...	150 0 0	0 3 9
6	Kelsall and Co.	1044, 1045	...	35,500 0 0	55 7 6
	D. C. Mackey and Co. ...	962, 963	100 0 0	1,030 8 2	1 9 9
		980	30 0 0	322 14 3	0 8 1
		992	...	1,000 0 0	1 9 0
		1047	...	1,500 0 0	2 5 6
	Robinson, Balfour and Co. ...	970	...	27,528 15 4	43 0 3
		1004	...	729 2 8	1 2 3
		1018	...	388 8 8	0 9 9
		1030, 1031	...	394 8 8	0 9 10
	Chapman, Griffiths and Co. ...	995	185 15 11	1,932 12 0	3 0 4
		1043	142 16 5	1,464 10 3	2 4 3
	Oswald, Seal and Co. ...	1026	...	976 8 8	1 8 5
	India Marine Insurance Co. ...	1019	97 13 1		
		1027	97 13 1		
		1043	35 12 6	2,588 4 8	4 0 7
		1049	6 15 5		
		1050	20 12 6		
	Mowjee Dhunjee... ...	1068	...	2,500 0 0	3 14 6
	Nanjee Joycurn Sons and Co.	1060	250 0 0		
		1070	250 0 0		
		1071	250 0 0		
		1072	250 0 0		
			1,000 0 0	10,000 0 0	15 10 0
	Daniel Dickson and Co. ...	1068	...	10,000 0 0	15 10 0
	Revd. M. W. Woollaston ..	1143	200 0 0	2,000 0 0	3 2 0
	Frith, Sandes and Watts ..	4006	1,500 0 0	15,000 0 0	23 7 0
	Jardine, Skinner and Co. ...	Bill	1,900 0 0	19,000 0 0	29 11 0
	Phœnix Marine Insurance Office.	1024	45 11 5	455 1 4	0 11 5
	P. J. Carew, Vicar ...	1129	28 6 0	288 0 0	0 7 2
		B-A	...	186 6 6	0 4 8
	Robinson, Balfour and Co. ...	770	2,752 17 4	27,528 15 4	43 0 3
	J. Stanford	A	...	1,269 8 0	1 15 6
	Assignee of Joseph and Scarr ...		...	2,979 15 9	4 10 6
	Miss Syers	...	...	1,052 1 3	1 10 4
	Owners of the *Agnes Sea* ...	...	...	3,793 12 10	5 14 10
	J. Gosnell and Co. ...	1032	13 7 1	149 15 0	0 3 9

In the matter of JOHN MATHEW DOVE, an Insolvent.

No.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	As.	P.	Second Dividend at 1¼ per cent., 1st March 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
42	Atkinson and Co., J. W.	20	0	0	0	4	0
5	Blanchard, J., and others	6,940	11	0	86	12	2
28	Boudet and Co.	128	0	0	1	9	7
31	Bedelio and Co.	74	15	0	0	15	0
35	Brookes, A. H.	189	0	0	3	9	10
39	Browne, and Co., F. W.	20	8	0	0	4	1
29	Cohn, Feilmann and Co.	40	0	0	0	8	0
44	"Englishman" Press Proprietor	300	0	0	3	12	0
1	Hurrischunder Bose	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
49	Heeraloll Seal and others	5,503	14	5	68	12	9
50	Heeraloll Seal and others	5,386	6	4	67	5	3
32	Lattey Brothers	70	0	0	0	14	0
25	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	130	0	0	1	10	0
51	C. K. Dove	1,863	0	0	23	4	7
	George Bryant	2,000	0	0	25	0	0
9	Officers of the 32nd Regiment, Bengal Native Infantry	368	12	6	4	9	9
3	Rajmohun Gossain	2,500	0	0	31	4	0
4	Romanauth Gossain	500	0	0	6	4	0
34	Ranken and Co.	21	0	0	0	4	2
6	Sandes and Watts	950	0	0	11	14	0
43	Samuel Smith and Co.	250	0	0	3	2	0
26	Tulloh, Seal and Co.	350	0	0	4	6	0
38	Wilson and Co., D.	100	0	0	1	4	0

Date.	Description.	Bills of Exchange Holder.	Amount.			Dividend.		
1854.								
Aug. 15th..	1 @ 3 months' date	Hugh McIntosh	400	0	0	5	0	0
,, 13th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Hurromohun Sircar	600	0	0	7	8	0
,, 28th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Sumboonauth Chatterjee	500	0	0	6	4	0
July 31st...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Sumboonauth Chatterjee	500	0	0	6	4	0
,, 12th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Moheschunder Day	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 14th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radhicachurn Mitter	500	0	0	6	4	0
Aug. 15th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Hugh McIntosh	400	0	0	5	0	0
July 12th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Hurrochunder Day	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 28th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Dwarkanath Roy	500	0	0	6	4	0
,, 27th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Punchanund Dhur	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 17th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radhabullub Dhur	300	0	0	3	12	0
Oct. 9th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Hugh McIntosh	300	0	0	3	12	0
July 13th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Moheschunder Day	500	0	0	6	4	0
,, 27th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radhicachurn Mitter	600	0	0	7	8	0
,, 29th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Hugh McIntosh	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 4th...	1 ,, 5 ,,	Tacoordoss Mullick	550	0	0	6	14	0
.....	1 ,, 2 ,,	Nobinchunder Mitter	300	0	0	3	12	0
July 21st..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Punchanun Dutt	300	0	0	3	12	0
.....	1 ,, 4 ,,	Toolseedoss Dutt	3,000	0	0	37	8	0
July 25th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ditto	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
Aug. 25th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Sumboonauth Chatterjee	600	0	0	7	8	0
,, 4th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radanauth Dhur	500	0	0	6	4	0
July 27th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radabullub Dhur	500	0	0	6	4	0
,, 26th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Chintamoney Day	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 28th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Kessubloll Chunder	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 29th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Gooroodoss Sill	800	0	0	10	0	0
Aug. 4th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	G. Bryant	300	0	0	3	12	0
July 31st...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Kistomohun Sein	400	0	0	5	0	0
,, 31st..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Denonauth Paul	300	0	0	3	12	0
Aug. 7th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Goursoonder Sett	700	0	0	8	12	0
,, 5th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radabullub Dhur	500	0	0	6	4	0
,, 2nd...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Muddoosoodun Sein	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 12th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Goursoonder Sett	800	0	0	10	0	0
,, 3rd...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ditto	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
,, 7th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	P. J. Paul	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 9th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Lokenauth Seal	600	0	0	7	8	0
,, 19th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rakhaldoss Haldar	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 19th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rakhaldoss Haldar	300	0	0	3	12	0
,, 14th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rashbeharry Auddy	500	0	0	6	4	0
,, 10th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Gopaulchund	600	0	0	7	8	0
,, 15th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Issurchunder Mitter	1,000	0	0	12	8	0

Date. 1895.	Description.	Bills of Exchange Holder.	Amount.	Dividend.
Aug. 8th...	1 @ 3 months' date	Issenchunder Chatterjee ..	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 15th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rasbeharry Auddy ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 20th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radanauth Dhur ..	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
,, 19th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radabullub Dhur ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 18th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Goursoonder Sett ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 18th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ditto ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 15th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Bhuggobutty Churn Mookerjee.	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 15th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Cossinauth Mullick ..	800 0 0	10 0 0
,, 9th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Gooroodoss Sill ..	800 0 0	10 0 0
,, 27th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Sumboonauth Chatterjee ..	800 0 0	10 0 0
,, 23rd...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Doyalchund Dutt ..	250 0 0	3 2 0
,, 19th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rajendernauth Sein ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 28th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Dwarkanauth Roy ..	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 29th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rakhaldoss Haldar ..	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
.....	1 ,, 3 ,,	Jaudubloll Mullick ..	700 0 0	8 12 0
Aug. 30th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Cossinauth Mullick ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
Sept. 4th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Heerumbochunder Doss ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 7th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Prawnkisto Dutt ..	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 2nd...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Sreenauth Paul ..	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 8th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Boystomchurn Dutt ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 20th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Dinnonauth Ghose ..	1,500 0 0	18 12 0
,, 20th...	1 ,, 6 ,,	G. R. Smith ..	7,500 0 0	93 12 0
,, 4th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ditto ..	700 0 0	8 12 0
.....	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radabullub Dhur ..	300 0 0	3 12 0
Sept. 6th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Oditchurn Sein ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 8th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Modoosoodun Dhur ..	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 15th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Huromohun Sircar ..	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 14th...	2 ,, 3 ,,	Kissurmohun Shaw ...	800 0 0	10 0 0
,, 6th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Chundercoomar Chatterjee ..	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 25th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Gooroodoss Sill ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 15th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Goursoonder Sett ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 12th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ramrutton Sein ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 5th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ramsabuck Dutt ..	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
,, 19th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Punchanund Bhuttacharjee...	400 0 0	5 0 0
,, 14th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Dwarkanauth Roy ..	2,000 0 0	25 0 0
,, 11th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Goursoonder Sett ..	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
,, 22nd...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Woomeshchunder Bannerjee..	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
.....	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radhicachurn Mitter ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
Sept. 16th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Anundmoye Dossee ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 14th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Khettermohun Mullick ..	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 22nd...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Gungadhur Chunder ...	2,000 0 0	25 0 0
,, 16th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	G. Bryant ..	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 20th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rajendernauth Sein ...	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
,, 18th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radhicachurn Mitter ..	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
,, 25th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radabullub Dhur ..	400 0 0	5 0 0
,, 22nd...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Pooroosootum Mullick ..	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
.....	1 ,, 3 ,,	Gooroodoss Sill ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
Sept. 23rd...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radanauth Dhur ..	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
.....	1 ,, 3 ,,	Jaudubloll Mullick ..	600 0 0	7 8 0
Sept. 23rd...	1 ,, 2 ,,	G. Bryant ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 25th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Ditto ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
Oct. 3rd...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Ditto ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
Sept. 25th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Issenchunder Chatterjee ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
.....	1 ,, 3 ,,	Gooroodoss Sill ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
.....	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rajchunder Dutt ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
Sept. 28th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Goursoonder Sett ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 25th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ditto ...	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
Oct. 25th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rakhaldoss Ghosal ..	400 0 0	5 0 0
Sept. 23rd...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rajendernauth Seal ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
Aug. 15th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Isserchunder Mitter ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
.....	1 ,, 3 ,,	Premnauth Mullick ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
Oct. 10th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radanauth Dhur ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 11th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Muddoosoodun Chatterjee ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 14th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Goursoonder Sett ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 20th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Goursoonder Sett ..	800 0 0	10 0 0

Date.	Description.	Bills of Exchange Holder.	Amount.	Dividend.
1854				
Oct. 16th..	1 @ 3 month's date	Cossinauth Mullick ..	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 11th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ditto ..	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
Sept.25th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Radhicachurn Mitter ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 14th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ramnauth Bose ..	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 9th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Shreenauth Mullick ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 23rd..	1 ,, 2 ,,	Luckinarain Dutt ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
Oct. 14th..	1 ,, 2 ,,	Goursoonder Sett ...	800 0 0	10 0 0
....	1 ,, 2 ,,	Ditto ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
Sept. 8th..	1 ,, 2 ,,	Lallmohun Roy ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 10th..	1 ,, 2 ,,	Susteechurn Chatterjee ...	1,500 0 0	18 12 0
....	1 ,, 2 ,,	Cossinauth Mullick ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
Sept.14th ..	1 ,, 2 ,,	Romanauth Bose ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 14th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	H. Lewis ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 14th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Muddoosoodun Chatterjee ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 11th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Rajnarain Roy ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 26th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	C. W. Jones ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
....	1 ,, 2 ,,	Gungadhur Chunder ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
Sept.27th..	1 ,, 2 ,,	Gungaram Mullick ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 20th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Moneymohun Day ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
,, 24th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Surroopchunder Ghose ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 25th...	1 ,, 2 ,,	Proosuttum Mullick ...	500 0 0	6 4 0
,, 26th..	1 ,, 2 ,,	Kartickchunder Sen ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
,, 19th..	1 ,, 2 ,,	Anundmoye Dossee ...	600 0 0	7 8 0
1854				
Jan. 7th..	1 ,, 1 ,,	Ramchurn Mullick ...	300 0 0	3 12 0
Oct. 20th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ramkisto Doss ...	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
,, 24th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ditto ...	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
....	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ditto ...	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
Sept.24th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ramlochun Dutt ...	1,600 0 0	20 0 0
Aug.15th..	1 ,, 2 ,,	G. Byrant ...	700 0 0	8 12 0
,, 18th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Ditto ...	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
,, 19th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Khettermohun Mitter ...	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
Sept.18th..	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rajchunder Dutt ...	800 0 0	10 0 0
Aug.19th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Khettermohun Mitter ...	1,000 0 0	12 8 0
Sept.18th...	1 ,, 3 ,,	Rajchunder Dutt ...	800 0 0	10 0 0

No.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.	Second Dividend at 1½ per cent., 1st March 1873.
54	Collins and Co.	196 8 0	2 7 3
57	Boystomchurn Dutt	500 0 0	6 4 0
53	Inglis, L.	300 0 0	3 12 0
55	Lumsden and Co.	9 0 0	0 1 10
56	M. Murdoch	200 0 0	2 8 0
52	Roopchund Dutt	300 0 0	3 12 0

In the matter of KENYEE JOOTA, AND HURRYDOSS NAUTHA.

Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs. As. P.	Second Dividend at 3 per cent., 1st March 1873. Rs. As. P.
Mothoor Shah...	605 13 0	18 2 9
Juggernauth Doss	310 4 6	9 14 11
Bycool	84 0 6	2 8 4
Khettermohun Doss	465 2 3	13 15 3
Bholanauth and Cossinauth Dutt	1,319 13 0	39 9 6
Denobundo Shah and Callachund Pauray ...	382 5 0	11 7 6
Ramchund Day	1,800 15 6	54 0 6
Rajkistno Holdar	473 3 6	14 13 2
Muddoosoodun Mookerjee	177 4 9	5 5 1
Muddoosoodun Mistry	62 11 9	1 14 1
Muddoosoodun Ghose	314 1 9	9 6 9
Prawn	12 6 6	0 6 0
Mahomed, Ghaut Serang	159 7 6	4 12 7
Rustomjee Cowasjee	112 0 0	3 5 9
Waljee Ruttonjee Culleanjee	3,727 5 0	111 13 2
Muddoo and Luckeenarain	195 15 3	5 14 1
Kowal Busram...	117 8 3	3 8 5
Omerchund Magjee	180 15 9	5 6 10
Bussonjee Lutchmechund	69 4 6	2 1 3
Muttychund Jootah	104 0 9	3 1 11

Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 3 per cent., 1st March 1873.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Johen Jacouriah Nacoda	45	0	0	1	5	7
Kurjee Jootah	71	6	3	2	2	3
Debcurn Debjee	72	6	3	2	2	9
Phanoos Bagram	529	8	9	15	14	1
Mooljee Jovindjee	65	0	0	1	15	2
Dewjee Omaychund	33	8	0	1	0	0
Jugzeebun Jodobjee	470	1	0	14	1	8
Heerachund Manickchund	456	13	0	13	11	3
Manickchund Hurruckchund	1,730	15	0	51	14	10
Belljee Muttychund	65	2	3	1	15	3
Heerachund Hurrydoss	357	8	9	10	11	7
Futtachund Manickchund	384	8	3	11	8	7
Prosuttum Heerachund	276	4	0	8	4	7
Pagjee Seerchund	2,594	12	6	77	13	8
Probhoodoss Jugzeeondoss	95	2	9	2	13	9
Muckenjee Nanjee	900	0	0	27	0	0
Hurjee Debjee	625	0	0	18	12	0
Herachund Manickchund	100	0	0	3	0	0
Wassenjee Verjee	525	0	0	15	12	0
Echaram Bhuggobandoss	1,900	0	0	57	0	0
Kullenjee Muddenjee	1,000	0	0	30	0	0
Vesram Mowjee	300	0	0	9	0	0
Juggebun Gadubjee	200	0	0	6	0	0
Chapsey Dewcom	450	0	0	13	8	0
Khosaul Hurry Doss	130	0	0	3	14	5
Pragjee Seerchund	8,500	0	0	255	0	0

In the matter of SUNGUMLOLL, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 6 per cent., 1st March 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
3	Gorachund Dutt	1,031	4	0	61	14	0
7	Hoare Miller and Co.	1,406	4	0	84	6	0
24	Muckhunloll Greedhareeloll	4,106	4	3	246	6	0
9	Radanauth Doss and Monohur Doss	2,700	0	0	162	0	0

In the matter of GEORGE FREDERICK BEHRENDS, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 1¾ per cent., 1st March 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
9	Agra Bank	36	8	10	0	10	3
7	Borrodaile, Schiller and Co.	525	0	8	9	3	0
6	Brice and Co., Alexander	6,000	0	0	105	0	0
5	Morgan Brothers	1,100	0	0	19	4	0
10	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	1,202	0	0	21	0	7
1	Ramchurn Bose, Rajkissen Holdar and another ...	26,166	9	4	457	14	8
4	Strange Anderson and Co.	2,150	0	0	37	10	0
3	Thomas Gray and Walker	3,162	8	0	55	5	5
11	Thomas Smith and Co.	520	0	0	9	1	7

In the matter of ANDREW HERVEY, 2nd Insolvency, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 9 per cent., 1st March 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
17	Agra Bank	1,200	0	0	108	0	0
8	Browne and Co., F. W.	84	0	0	7	9	0
2	Dykes and Co.	1,561	3	6	140	8	2
10	Greig, Mr.	37	5	5	3	5	9
6	Lattey Brothers	240	0	0	21	9	7
5	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	167	0	3	15	0	6
9	Spence and Co., J.	120	0	0	10	12	10
11	Saunders, J. B.	538	10	0	48	7	7
7	Tulloh and Co.	40	8	0	3	10	4
12	Wilson and Co., D.	40	0	0	3	9	7
13	Wright, Miss	180	0	0	16	3	2

In the matter of HENRY COOK, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd Dividend at 7½ per cent., 1st March 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
17	Bissonauth Day	183	4	0	13	11	11
6	F. R. Crump	400	0	0	30	0	0
16	Elloy and Co.	112	10	0	8	7	2
12	Gunganarain, Brazier	80	0	0	6	0	0
13	Goopee Holdar...	82	0	0	6	2	5
19	Issenchunder Paul	150	0	0	11	4	0
9	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	375	2	0	28	2	2
14	Rajchunder Ghose	66	0	0	4	15	3
5	Simpson, Mrs. Louisa	3,000	0	0	225	0	0
7	Solomons, M. B.	956	9	9	71	11	11
10	Tulloh and Co....	217	8	0	16	5	0
	Davis, John	101	9	3	7	9	11
	Wright, G. J.	318	1	2	23	13	8

In the matter of DAVID DUFF, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at ¼ per cent., 1st March 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
3	Bank of Hindoostan, Japan and China... ...	10,937	8	8	27	5	6
6	Bank of Hindoostan, Japan and China... ...	25,139	3	0	62	13	7
4	Barrow, Francis	19,000	0	0	47	8	0
5	Gould, Charles	1,500	0	0	3	12	0
7	Gentle, Robert...	8,000	0	0	20	0	0
8	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	10,000	0	0	25	0	0
9	Mackay, Robert Brown	4,015	0	0	10	0	7
1	Stewart, Alexander	12,333	5	4	30	13	4
2	Ditto	2,44,257	3	2	610	10	3
11	Watkins and Stokoe	250	0	0	0	10	0

In the matter of WILLIAM JAMES COCKELL, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 1 per cent., 1st March 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
1	Anderson and Co.	984	1	7	9	13	5
14	Armstrong, Captain	66	10	0	0	10	8
43	Administrator General (Estate Major Spencer) ...	67	10	0	0	10	10
45	Ditto ditto (Estate P. McDonald) ...	225	0	0	2	4	0
3	Bissonauth Law and Co.	4,931	1	0	49	4	11
4	Byrne, A. B.	87	11	9	0	14	0
6	Craster, Captain	10	0	0	0	1	7
7	Corbett, C. W.	8	2	0	0	1	4
8	Chesson and Woodhall, Messrs.	275	14	0	2	12	1
9	Chapman, Lieut. E. F.	86	4	0	0	13	11
12	Creaymer, J.	13	8	0	0	2	2
11	Dalziel and Co., W.	298	13	11	2	15	10
13	Edmonds, J. E.	19	14	8	0	3	2
47	Engelbert and Co.	22	0	0	0	3	6
16	Field, J.	202	8	0	2	0	5
17	Grant, Smith and Co.	6,231	10	2	62	5	1
18	Green, Dr.	1,083	13	3	10	13	5
20	Glover, Captain J. G.	108	0	0	1	1	3
21	Gordon, C. A. D.	121	13	0	1	3	6
57	Hill, Major	81	4	6	0	13	0
22	Jehangeer and Co.	131	3	6	1	5	0
50	Jones, J. W.	5,787	0	0	57	13	11
23	Kousanie Tea Company Limited	1,590	12	0	15	14	6
24	Kenmor, Major	11	8	8	0	1	10
2	Ladlam, G., and W. J. Cockell, Executors of C. H. West.	2,981	5	11	29	13	0
25	Ladlam, Mrs. M. A.	1,882	13	3	18	13	3
26	Ladlam, G., Executor of H. R. Ladlam ...	31	6	0	0	5	0
5	Mess H. M. 7th Fusiliers	137	0	0	1	5	11
27	Mess Sappers and Miners	66	6	0	0	10	7
31	McKenzie, Brigadier (Estate)	255	4	6	2	8	10
32	McDonald, Dr. J. B. (Estate)	78	0	0	0	12	6

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 1 per cent., 1st March 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
37	Moss 26th Native Infantry...	210	7	10	2	1	3
38	McLeod, D. F., C. S.	74	0	0	0	11	10
39	Marriot, Surgeon (Estate)	118	10	0	1	2	2
33	Noor Hossein and Co.	78	13	6	0	9	6
35	Nightingale, Captain	62	15	0	0	10	1
36	North-West Wine Company	255	0	0	2	8	10
56	Newman and Co., W.	131	8	0	1	5	0
28	Paddy, Lieut. A. C.	15	0	0	0	2	5
29	Pope Sing Ramsoorup	1,375	15	0	13	12	2
48	Pigon and Wilks	767	8	6	7	10	10
30	Rohim Bux and Co.	209	13	0	2	1	7
46	Rowland, C. T.	13	0	0	0	2	1
51	Ross, Colonel J.	32	5	0	0	5	2
52	Reid, Major B.	72	0	0	0	11	6
53	Rule, W.	5	11	3	0	0	11
54	Russell, Lieut. J. J.	66	14	6	0	10	8
55	Stephen, Lieut. F.	52	2	0	0	8	4
60	Staunton, R. S.	1,310	3	0	13	1	8
44	Tuttle and Charles	26	9	10	0	4	3
10	Simla Bank	2,666	12	4	26	10	8

In the matter of ALBERT HARVEY DEMELLO, an Insolvent, 1st Insolvency.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 10 per cent., 1st March 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
26	Alix and Co.	12	0	0	1	3	2
50	Braddon and Co.	25	0	0	2	8	0
40	Clarkson and Co.	100	0	0	10	0	0
15	Domingo Isaac	120	0	0	12	0	0
30	Gungagobind Sen and Co.	100	0	0	10	0	0
2	Hyder Allee, Moulvie	1,300	0	0	130	0	0
21	Khosaul Sing	28	0	0	2	12	10
4	Momer Assah	1,000	0	0	100	0	0
7	McNair, W. N.	772	0	0	77	3	2
20	Mackillop, Stewart and Co.	48	0	0	4	12	10
30	Maudhub Chunder Mullick and Co.	200	0	0	20	0	0
43	Murdoch and Co.'s Estate	75	0	0	7	8	0
49	Punchanun Dutt	45	0	0	4	8	0
1	Ronaldson, H.	109	0	0	10	14	5
44	Rajnarain Shaw	45	0	0	4	8	0
5	Shaik Budden and Co.	1,000	0	0	100	0	0
28	Shaik Durrostollah	30	0	0	3	0	0
35	Smith, George	45	0	0	4	8	0
38	Scott Thompson & Co., R....	4	0	0	0	6	5
6	Viall, T.	700	0	0	70	0	0
19	VonLintzgy and Co., C. F....	17	0	0	1	11	2
10	Walker, Ireland and Co.	204	12	9	20	7	8
18	Weaver, J.	70	0	0	7	0	0

Calcutta, 19th November 1873. (438—2) J. C. MACGREGOR, *Official Assignee.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of JULIAN LAVENDIER, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 12th day of November instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the first Court day in January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of BOICANTO NAUTH NUNDY, an Insolvent.

On Monday the 18th day of August last, it was on the petition of Chooneylaul Bhuktaburmull and Choogmull, Creditors of the said Insolvent, adjudged that the said Boicanto Nauth Nundy hath committed an act of Insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bolychund Dutt, *Attorney*.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 18th November 1873.

IN the matter of ALEXANDER WILLIAM PHIPSON, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 18th day of November instant, it was ordered that the first Court day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from the demands of W. G. Fitze and M. Clater, Liquidators of the Bank of Calcutta, "Limited" and Messrs. Trotman, Chatterjee and Watkins.

Trotman, Chatterjee and Watkins, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of EDWARD ROSTON BOLST, an Insolvent.

ON Tuesday, the 18th day of November instant, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 2nd day of December next, and that the order made in this matter for the *ad interim* protection of the said Insolvent from arrest be enlarged to the said 2nd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. Hechle, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of RUSTOMJEE BYRAINJEE, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI, Vic. Chap. 21, as to all persons named in his Schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

M. Camell, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of RAMDOSS MULLICK and KONNOYLOLL MULLICK, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 18th day of November instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvents were respectively adjudged entitled to their personal discharge under the Act XI, Vic. Chap. 21, as to all persons named in their Schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

C. F. Pittar, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of AGA MAHOMED HOSSAIN, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 17th day of November instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on the first Court day in January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

M. Camell, *Attorney*.

In the matter of JOWHURLOLL MOKEEM, an Insolvent.

ON Saturday, the 11th day of October last, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI, Vic. Chap. 21, as to all persons named in his Schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

M. Camell, *Attorney*.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 24th November 1873.

The [illegible] Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1873.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th November 1873.—Under the provisions of Clause 3, Rule XV, of the "Rules for the conduct of business at meetings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal," the following Bills, with Statements of Objects and Reasons, are published by order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

A Bill to amend Act XXI of 1856 *of the Council of the Governor-General, and Act II of* 1866 *of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.*

WHEREAS by Section 90 of Act XXI of 1856 of the Governor-General in Council (An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to the Abkari revenue in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal) the word "Magistrate" as used in that Act is defined to include a Joint-Magistrate or other person lawfully exercising the powers of a Magistrate, and any Assistant or Deputy Magistrate with special powers stationed at a place other than the sudder station of the Magistrate, and empowered to try cases without reference from the Magistrate; and whereas the cases mentioned in different sections of Act II of 1866 of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council can, under Section 49 of that Act, only be tried by a Magistrate of less than full powers, when they are referred to him by the District Magistrate; and whereas further by Act X of 1872 (the Code of Criminal Procedure) new rules have been enacted assigning and regulating the powers of Magistrates of the first, second, and third classes;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. Section 90 of Act XXI of 1856 of the Governor-General in Council so far as it defines the meaning of the word "Magistrate," and Section 49, Act II of 1866, of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, are hereby repealed.

2. In the said Act XXI of 1856, and in all Acts which are to be read as part of that Act, and also in the said Act II of 1866, the word "Magistrate" shall be deemed to include Magistrates of the first class and Magistrates of the second class, as defined in the Code of Criminal Procedure, and subject to the provisions of that Code in respect of powers and jurisdiction.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

As the law now stands, no Magistrate who does not exercise first-class powers can try even the pettiest cases of breach of the Abkari laws, such as smuggling, illicit sale of spirits, or infraction of conditions of license, unless he be stationed at a place other than the sudder station of the Magistrate, and empowered to try cases without reference from the Magistrate.

At the present time when officers exercising first-class powers are much occupied with more important district work, the restriction has been found particularly inconvenient; and the object of this Bill is to enable any Magistrate having

first or second-class powers to dispose of such cases. Subordinate Magistrates will still only be able to take up cases of this description which are specially made over to them for trial, unless they are authorized to receive complaints generally, or complaints of this particular class, or when they are duly empowered to act without complaint.

The opportunity is taken for the same reasons to remove the restrictions which Section 49, Act II of 1866 (B.C.) imposes as to the classes of Magistrates who may try offences under that Act, and to assimilate the powers of each class in respect to such offences to those which they exercise, or with which they may be specially invested, with regard to offences in general under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

H. L. DAMPIER.

The 29th November 1873.

L. A. GOODEVE,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt. of Bengal,
Judicial and Legislative Depts.

A Bill to provide for the Voluntary Registration of Mahomedan Marriages and Divorces.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the voluntary registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces within the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; and whereas it is expedient that Registrars of such marriages and divorces should be recognised and licensed by the Local Government, it is enacted as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to issue a license to any person being a Mahomedan, either by name or as holding any office for the time being, authorising him to act as Registrar of Mahomedan marriages and divorces.

2. Such licenses may be given on the recommendation of the Magistrate of the district, or in Calcutta, of the Commissioner of Police, to any member of any Mahomedan sect who can show that he is usually resorted to as a professional witness in such cases by his co-religionists, or that he has practised the duties of Kazi, and that he is well versed in Mahomedan law, provided always that satisfactory evidence is produced of his being a person of good moral character.

3. No Mahomedan marriage or divorce which would otherwise be valid shall be held to be invalid merely by reason of its not having been registered before a Registrar licensed under this Act.

4. Each licensed Registrar under this Act shall keep a Register Book in a form to be laid down by the Local Government in which he shall enter all marriages and divorces,—the parties to which shall desire to have them so registered. He shall also, if requested at the time, give an extract of any entry affecting them to either of the parties to such entry.

5. The entry of any marriage or divorce in the Register Book shall be signed by the Registrar, and signed, sealed, or marked by the persons married or divorced, and shall be attested by at least two credible witnesses who were present at the ceremony, and every such entry shall be made in order from the beginning to the end of the book, and any extract of any entry given to the parties shall be numbered to correspond with the number of the entry in the Register Book, and shall be authenticated by signature of the Registrar.

6. The Registrar shall keep safely the said Register Book until the same shall be filled, and shall then, or if he shall leave the district, make over the same to the District Registrar of Assurances for safe custody.

7. Any Registrar who shall discover any error to have been committed in the form or substance of any such entry may, within one month next after the discovery of such error, in the presence of the parties married, or divorced, or in case of their death or absence, in the presence of two other credible witnesses, who shall respectively attest the same, correct the erroneous entry according to the truth of the case by entry in the margin without any alteration of the original entry, and shall sign the marginal entry, and add thereunto the day of the month and year when such correction shall be made, and shall if possible give or cause to be delivered a corrected copy of the extract to the parties to the original entry.

8. Every Registrar shall at all reasonable times, and on the payment of such fees as may be agreed upon, search or permit search to be made in any such Register Books, and shall give a copy under his hand of any entry or entries in the same.

9. Every certified extract of any entry in any Register Book purporting to be signed by the licensed Registrar, shall be received as evidence of the marriage or divorce purporting to be so entered or of the facts purporting to be so certified therein, without further proof of such Register Book or extract, unless and until the genuineness of such entry or extract or the truth of the facts set out in it be disproved.

10. Whoever shall wilfully destroy or injure or cause to be destroyed or injured any such Register Book or any part thereof, or any such authenticated extract as aforesaid, or shall wilfully insert or cause to be inserted any false entry in any such Register Book or authenticated extract, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to seven years, and shall also be liable to fine.

11. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to draw up rules and prescribe forms for giving effect to the provisions of this Act, and to charge a fee not exceeding Rs. 2 for each license granted under the Act, provided always that no rule shall be laid down to interfere with the taking by any licensed Registrar from the parties to any marriage or divorce of any fee, which custom or his position may entitle him to demand.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The attention of the Government has for some time past been drawn to the increasing number of offences against marriage shown in the criminal returns, especially in the eastern and Mahomedan districts. The remarkably small number of convictions obtained in such cases taken together with their increasing numbers, seemed to indicate the existence of a grievance which the Criminal Courts are at present unable to redress. Inquiry has proved that this is in fact the case. The

loose notions regarding the marriage tie prevalent among the lower orders of Mahomedans lead to the frequent institution of criminal charges, while the absence of any authorized system of registration of marriage and divorce (since the office of Kazi ceased to be recognized by law) makes it difficult to furnish the amount of proof which the Criminal Courts require to warrant their taking action.

It appears to the Government that the legal recognition of an authorized system of registering Mahomedan marriages and divorces will go far to supply the existing want, and this Bill provides such a system. The Registrar will, as regards such registration, take the place which was filled by the old Kazis, and certified copies of extracts from his register are made *primâ facie* proof of the facts recited therein. But the registration of marriages and divorces is left optional with the parties concerned, and all questions of remuneration are left to be settled between the Registrar and the parties who avail themselves of his services.

H. L. DAMPIER.

The 29th November 1873.

L. A. GOODEVE,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt. of Bengal,
Judicial and Legislative Depts.

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EMIGRATION OF LABORERS FROM THE DISTRESSED DISTRICTS.

RESOLUTION.

STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT.

Calcutta, the 25th November 1873.

READ—

Letter No. 3517, dated 19th November 1873, asking on what terms tea planters would be willing to take laborers whom Government might assist in emigrating from the distressed districts.

Read also—

Letter to the Chief Commissioner of British Burmah, enquiring on what terms he would promote immigration into Burmah.

Read also—

Letter No. 7F, dated 21st November, from the Commissioner of Patna, reporting that the bands of laborers who ordinarily emigrate eastwards from Sarun and other parts of Behar at this time of year, are now returning to Sarun because they find food so dear in the eastern districts.

RESOLUTION.—The Lieutenant-Governor will be very glad, in pursuance of the policy indicated at paragraph 30 of His Excellency the Viceroy's orders of the 7th November, to promote emigration from the distressed districts to Assam and Cachar as soon as he can find employers ready to engage the immigrants on fair terms. He would hope to be able to arrange for marching emigrants from Sarun and Behar across Northern Behar and Bengal to Dhoobree, supplying them with food from the grain depôts in those districts.

2. The papers described above will be published for general information, with an invitation for offers to take laborers for a term of twelve months, as

proposed in the Government letter of the 19th November. Persons offering to take immigrants should state whether they require all able-bodied men, or whether they will take whole families.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

C. BERNARD,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 3517, dated Calcutta, the 19th November 1873.

From—The Officiating Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal in the Statistical Dept.

To—The Landholders' Associations of Calcutta and Debroogurh.

I AM directed to invite your attention to the marginal extract from the orders issued by the Government of India regarding the impending scarcity of food in Bengal.

PARA. 30. It is to be hoped that, in the populous tracts visited or threatened by distress, unemployed laborers may emigrate to places where food is in comparative plenty, where a special demand exists for their labor, where culturable waste abounds, such as the tea districts, the Doars, the provinces of Assam, and of British Burmah. If it be found possible for the Government to facilitate such emigration, directly or indirectly, the Governor-General will be glad to receive any suggestions which the Lieutenant-Governor may be able to make.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor would ask your Association to favour the Government with any suggestions as to the best mode of promoting immigration to the districts during this exceptional season, and as to the terms on which tea planters may be willing to bear part of the cost of importing immigrants and agree to receive laborers. The Lieutenant-Governor's present view is that immigrants who may be assisted by Government during the present year should not be expected to enter into an agreement for more than twelve months from the date of their arrival in the tea districts. At the end of that period they should be allowed to look about them and make up their minds whether they will stay in the tea districts either as tea coolies, or as ryots on the large surplus of culturable lands which exists in those districts.

3. The Lieutenant-Governor is unable to say at what cost Government Agents may be able to march emigrants across to Dhoobree if they come from North Behar, or to send them by railway and steamer if they come from Western Bengal. But he fears that the cost could not be under 15 to 30 or 40 rupees a head according as they go to near or distant district; and he would wish to know whether tea planters would find it worth while to pay one-half of the cost of carrying emigrants up to a limit of Rs. 10 per head, if they get one year's agreement from each Government emigrant. Further, up to what limit would the planters of each labor district care to take coolies at these terms.

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Luckimpore.	Nowgong.
Durrung.	

4. Copies of this letter will be forwarded to the Commissioners of Assam and Dacca, and to the Deputy Commissioners of the five districts above named, for expression of opinion. The Deputy Commissioners will be asked to invite a certain number of representative planters in these districts either to meet and discuss the matter, or to communicate respectively their opinions and suggestions to Government in this department. The Lieutenant-Governor does not mention Darjeeling as a tea district to be operated upon under these orders, as the Labor Act does not apply to the Darjeeling district, and that district is well within reach of voluntary emigration.

5. As any course of action that may be adopted must be decided upon by the 15th January at latest, I am to ask that replies to this letter may be furnished by the end of December next.

6. It may be well to mention that the Chief Commissioner of British Burmah has suggested that relief funds might very usefully be expended in sending down emigrants to Burmah, where labor is always much in demand, where families might be put down in agricultural settlements. The Chief Commissioner considers that perhaps twenty or thirty thousand immigrants could be readily absorbed into British Burmah in a single season.

No. 3504, dated Calcutta, the 19th November 1873.

From—The Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal in the Statistical Department.

To—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of British Burmah.

WITH reference to the Chief Commissioner's telegram of the 14th current to His Excellency the Viceroy, I am directed to forward copy of a letter which

the Lieutenant-Governor has caused to be issued to representatives of the tea planting interest on the subject of promoting emigration from Bengal and Behar during the coming season of distress.

2. I am to inquire whether employers of labor, or any of the Government departments of British Burmah, would be disposed to bear a share (up to say Rs. 10 a head) in the cost of conveying emigrants from Bengal to Burmah. I am further to inquire whether able-bodied single men (as suggested in the Hon'ble Mr. Eden's telegram), or families, would be the most acceptable immigrants to Burmah.

No. 7F, dated Bankipore, the 21st November 1873.

From—S. C. BAYLEY, ESQ., Commissioner of Patna,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Statistical Department.

I HAVE the honor to forward, for the information of Government, the accompanying copy of a letter, No. 230 of the 18th instant, from the Collector and Magistrate of Sarun, reporting that numbers of people who had lately emigrated from his district are returning owing to their inability to pay for the high price of food on the route. The matter is a serious one, but it is too late now to do much to remedy it. As the ordinary season for emigrating is passing by, I have directed that food depôts be laid in along the line of route, and be sold to emigrants at cost price. The officers in charge of the works under Mr. Stevens, Executive Engineer, Raj Durbhangah, might be expected to do this. I would urge the speedy issue of the orders contemplated in regard to facilitating emigration to Assam, &c.

No. 230, dated Chuprah, the 18th November 1873.

From—J. S. DRUMMOND, ESQ., Offg. Collector and Magistrate of Sarun,
To—The Commissioner of Patna.

I HAVE the honor to report that I have been informed that numbers of people who had lately emigrated from this district, intending to proceed to Cooch Behar and Assam, are now returning owing to their inability to pay their expenses in consequence of the high price of food prevailing on the route. I was told by a planter that 300 of such persons had so returned on his own Dehat alone.

2. As it seems very desirable that measures should be taken to facilitate emigration as much as possible, I beg to report the circumstance with a view to such action as the Government may think proper to take in the matter.

THE LATE SURGEON-MAJOR H. C. CUTCLIFFE.

Extracts (paragraphs 1 and 2) from a letter from the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, No. 853, dated 27th October 1873.

I HAVE the honor to submit memorandum No. 3760, dated the 24th instant, from the Deputy Surgeon-General, Presidency Circle, reporting the death of Surgeon-Major H. C. Cutcliffe, F.R.C.S., Officiating Professor of Surgery, Medical College, Calcutta.

2. This very sad and sudden event has deprived Government of the services of a medical officer of high character and intelligence, and superior professional attainments; the Calcutta Medical School, of a distinguished surgeon, an able lecturer, and popular and successful teacher; and the public of this city, of a most efficient, conscientious, and kind practitioner.

Extract (paragraph 1) from a letter from the Additional Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, to the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, No. 1242VS., dated 4th November 1873.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 853, dated 27th ultimo, with enclosure, and in reply to express His Honor's great regret at the untimely death of Surgeon-Major H. C. Cutcliffe, F.R.C.S., Officiating Professor of Surgery, Medical College, Calcutta, on the 24th ultimo, and his sense of the very great loss the Government and the public have sustained in being deprived of the services of a medical officer so eminent in his profession, and one so well calculated to forward the great cause of surgical science.

PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS AND SALT IN THE UNDER

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46	Kamroop†	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	16 0	16 0	13 8	20 0	20 0	...	...	...
47	Durrung†	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...
48	Nowgong	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...
49	Seebsaugor† ...	6 0	6 0	12 0	...	...	16 0	10 0	8 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...
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53	Garo Hills.*															

* Return not received.
† Return for week ending 15th November 1873 received after the publication of the last Gazette.
A Old.
B New.
C Price of common rice at the several sub-divisions ranges from 12·8 to 16 seers per rupee.
D In some sub divisions.
E Bundles.

MENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL ON THE 22nd NOVEMBER 1873.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa, and Cherna.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Grain.			Fire-wood.			Salt.			Remarks.
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Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 22nd November 1873.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the district as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	REMARKS.
BENGAL.		1873.				
	Western Districts.					
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan ...	Nov. 25th*	Nil	No rain; dew tolerably heavy.	It is becoming clear that the crops in the east and south of the district are not nearly so bad as those in west and some of the northern thannahs.	Fever prevalent.
2	Bancoorah ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Dry and cold ...	The sowing of cold weather crops has mostly been a failure. About eight annas of the late or winter paddy expected to come in during December.	
3	Beerbooom ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Cold and bright ...	Early rice harvest over. Reaping of the late rice commencing. Exportation by rail of week ending 15th instant, 7,002 maunds, chiefly to the Bhaugulpore and Patna divisions. Prices show a rising tendency.	
4	Midnapore ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Seasonable, dry and cold	Unchanged since last report. Prices are still the same, but if anything, with a tendency to rise. Rice is being imported to the north of the district from the south in large quantities.	
5	Hooghly ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Clear throughout; wind from north-east. No prospect of rain.	The state of the crops is much the same as when last reported. The early rice is being cut generally throughout the district, the outturn is about two annas. The upland rice is continuing to dry up. The cut at the head of the Kana Nuddee is progressing rapidly, and will place a large volume of water for irrigation at the disposal of the cultivators. Prices are rising generally.	
	Howrah ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Settled, fine; days unseasonably warm; nights comparatively cold; dew very heavy.	The prospects of the crops remain unaltered in all material respects. The water raised from the Damoodah through cuts in the embankments has done much good in many places in Shampore. The Ooloobariah crops are better than what was anticipated, and so are those in Amptah. But these alterations for the better are not large enough to affect the general result materially.	Fever very bad in Shibpore,—about ten deaths a day. Has now appeared in Belgatchea and its neighbourhood, situated at the other extremity of the municipality.
	Central District.					
PRESIDENCY DIVISION. 6	24-Pergunnahs ...	„ 22nd†	Nil	The sky somewhat overcast about the time of the new moon. Weather still warm for the time of the year.	In Diamond Harbour sub-division about a seven-anna crop is expected, and some distress is apprehended in the southern parts of thannahs Sultanpore and Mathoorapore, where more than a two-anna crop cannot be hoped for. From Barripore the Deputy Collector reports that the paddy cut contains very little grain, and that the outturn will be very poor. Cold weather crops have been sown here and in Baraset, wherever water was available. In the latter sub-division the rice crop on the high lands is comparatively destroyed, but some good crops will be taken from the beels and low lands. In Satkherah and Baseerhaut prospects are reported to be getting worse and worse as the drought	Fever still continues in Barripore, Buseerhaut, and Satkherah sub-divisions, and at Alipore. Small-pox has made its appearance in Buseerhaut. Elsewhere public health good.

* Telegram of the 25th November received on the same day. Shows rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.
† Report of the 22nd November received on the 25th. Shows rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

No.	District.	Date of return from each district.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather in the districts as far as known.	State and prospects of the crops at date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.—(*Contd.*) *Central Districts.*—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
					continues. Some distress is felt by the labouring classes in the latter sub-division for want of employment which is generally abundant at this season of the year. Reports from other parts much the same as before. Prices have generally an upward tendency, but as the late rice crop is cut, it is anticipated that they will become easier.	
PRESIDENCY DIVISION. 7	Nuddea ...	Nov. 22nd	Nil	Sky generally clear; nights cold; days rather hot for the time of the year.	No material change in the prospects of the crops. From the Ranaghat sub-division it is reported that there will be only a two-anna crop of the late rice; elsewhere a four-anna crop is still expected.	
8	Jessore ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Clear and sunny, with occasional light clouds.	There has been no rain during the week, and the state of the crops is consequently much the same as last week. In the Sudder Sub-division the urhur (pulse) and indigo look pretty well, but the rest of the cold weather crops suffer from want of rain. The tapping of the trees for date sugar is commencing. This is an important produce throughout a great part of the district, and cold, clear weather in December and January is what it principally wants; some fears are felt as to the effect of the want of rain on the supply of juice, but it is too early to judge. The other cold weather crops are in bad condition owing to want of rain. This is particularly the case with the mustard. Pulses and linseed are in some places better than others. The *boro* rice crop is grown somewhat largely in the south, and this is the time for sowing and transplanting. The drought is said to be interfering with the growth of the seedlings and an insect known as "majra poka" is damaging the seed beds. The general outturn of the late rice as now estimated will not be materially different from the expectations previously reported. Prices throughout the district are still comparatively low.	
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION. 9	Moorshedabad ...	„ 22nd	Nil	No rain during the week; occasionally cloudy.	Prospects much the same as last week, but from the Collector's personal observation in the western parts of the district, from which the worst reports had been received, they do not appear to be quite so gloomy as represented. A great deal of the crops has been saved by irrigation. In the north the harvest has commenced, and the sub-divisional officer states that an average outturn of seven annas is expected. The cold weather crops generally want rain, but are getting on fairly in some parts. Prices at head-quarters—best rice 11 to 12 seers, common rice average 14 seers, early rice 16 seers per rupee.	
10	Dinagepore ...	„ 22nd	Nil	No rain, dry; north wind prevailing.	No change for the better.	

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)							
		Central Districts.—(Contd.)	1875.				
RAJSHAHYE DIVN.—(*Contd.*)	11	Maldah ...	Nov. 22nd	Nil	Weather hot and dry; nights cold; clouds collect and disappear.	There has been no rain this week, and consequently no improvement in the state of the crops. The cutting of the winter rice crop will commence in a few days. The yield of the whole district is not expected to average more than a four-anna crop. In places where there is still some moisture the plant looks well, but the ears do not swell with grain as they should do. It is thus difficult to tell till the crop is reaped what the exact outturn will be. The cold weather crops may still be fairly good if rain falls before the end of November. Relief work in the shape of repairs to district roads is going on.	Health of the district good.
	12	Rajshahye ...	„ 22nd	Nil	No rain; cloudy and close the first part of the week; latterly the sky has cleared, and the nights and mornings have been cooler.	In the Bhurindro in the west of the district and in the extreme north of Singrah Thannah the late rice has failed. In Baruigaon the crop is a very fair one, in the rest of the district generally the crop will give an average yield of six annas. The cold weather crops are suffering from continued drought. The mulberry crop is a very fair one. Pulses and teel (oil-seed) are promising, but will require rain shortly. Prices of rice show little or no variation.	Small-pox at Beanleah. Cholera at Poothia. Ditto at Charghat. Ditto at Beimaria. Ditto and small-pox at Nattore. Small-pox at Bagmara.
	13	Rungpore ...	„ 22nd	Nil	The weather continues fine and tolerably cool, but there does not seem to be any prospect of a rainfall.	The state of the rice crop is extremely bad, not much more than a three-anna crop can be expected. In one or two parts of the district it is hoped that a six-anna crop may be obtained, but in other parts it is expected that it will be as low as one anna. The price of rice throughout the district ranges from Rs. 3 to 5 per maund. Tobacco, wheat, mustard, and different kinds of pulses have been extensively sown, but the continued want of rain is causing great damage. The sugar-cane and ginger crops are said to be good in some parts of the district.	
	14	Bograh ..	„ 22nd	Nil	....	As previously reported, only a small part of the late rice crop will be saved. Some cold weather crops, sesamum, oilseed, &c., are favorably reported on in parts. Sugarcane prospering. 15 seers of rice per rupee at Bograh market on the 22nd November.	
	15	Pubna ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Warm for the time of the year; chilly winds however blow from the north-west. There has been no rain at all, and there is no prospect of any at present.	The low ground late rice is still being cut. It will be about an eight-anna crop. The cold weather crops were all sown in proper time, but they are somewhat backward. Their prospects still remain good, but they will fail if the present drought continues long.	

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)							
		Central Districts.—(Contd.)	1873.				
COOCH BEHAR DIVISION.	16	Darjeeling ...	Nov. 22nd	Nil	A slight sprinkling of rain on Sunday last, not a drop since. Bright, clear sky generally.	Throughout the district (hills and plains) a ten-anna crop of paddy all round may be expected. Bhoota (maize) in the hills, which has just been gathered in, may be put down as a twelve-anna crop; it has gone up in price, but this is owing to its being bought up through the fear of the supplies of rice from the plains falling short, from the temptation to sell it at high prices beyond the district.	
	17	Julpigoree ..	" 22nd	Nil	Fine, clear weather, but sun very powerful, unusually dry, and no signs of rain.	There is little change in the prospect of the crops this week. Rice is selling cheaper generally in the district since new rice has come into the market.	
		Cooch Behar ...	" 22nd	Nil	No signs of rain ...	The late rice crop is good in the low lands, though very poor in the high lands, and altogether there will be at least a ten-anna crop. Exportation to Rungpore by carts and pack-bullocks is taking place. The cold weather crops are looking well. Rain is not wanted for a month, as at present it would injure the tobacco.	
		Eastern Districts.					
DACCA DIVISION.	18	Dacca ...	" 25th*	Nil	Weather not so cool as usual at this season.	Prospects of crop much as before. On the whole the outturn rather better than was expected. Pulses look well; oil seeds, indifferent.	Fever very bad at Manickgunge. Civil Surgeon is gone there.
	19	Furreedpore ...	" 22nd	Nil	Clear and bright throughout the week; days still hot, but cold in the morning and at night, with heavy dews.	No change in the state of the rice crops since last week. All over the district reaping continues in the low lands, and the weather is favorable for this. In the higher parts the harvest is in, and the paddy is in course of being thrashed and converted into rice. The Deputy Collector deputed to the southern side says that the rice crops in that quarter, for the most part low and marshy, promise to turn out very well, and that no distress is likely to occur there. A Sub-Deputy Collector attached to Goalundo writes from Pangsha, almost at the extreme north-western side of the district, that the harvest in these parts will be about a quarter of last year, that a great number of fields have been abandoned in despair because of the drought, and that the cattle are allowed to feed on the crops. The average price of rice in the district is 18¼ seers per rupee. The cold weather crops of pulses, oil-seeds, vegetables, &c., are still in a fair way, especially those sown early. The late sowings are unable to make any progress. Mustard stunted, when 3 or 4 inches high flowers and runs to seed too quickly. The prospects are by no means good, and they must suffer if it does not rain shortly. Sugarcane all over the district has been good.	Cholera still reported from Goalundo.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)							
		Eastern Districts.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
Dacca Divn.—(*Contd.*)	20	Backergunge ...	Nov. 22nd	Nil	Cool and pleasant ...	In the Patuakhally sub-division the crops are generally good, though in some places they have been injured by insects and by the drought. The Collector reports to have never seen finer crops than some he saw near Galachipa Thannah. A fourteen-anna crop is expected in this sub-division. In Dukhin Sabazpore the sub-divisional officer expects a ten-anna crop, but the Collector thinks more than that quantity. The crop has been injured in some places by insects, but in others it is very good, and on the road between Dhania Mania and Dowlut Khan a magnificient rice plain, many miles in extent, is seen, in the whole of which the crop was apparently at least an average one. The betel-nut cultivation, which is of great consequence in the island, has been very good this year. In the Sudder sub-division the crops round about Burisal are tolerably good, and generally a twelve-anna one is expected. In Jhalokate Thannah the crops are said to be bad. In Madareepore the crops on the high lands have suffered, but those in low lands are fair.	Not very healthy.
	21	Mymensing ...	„ 22nd	Nil	No change since last week..	The prospects of the crops are on the whole not quite so favorable as last week.	
	22	Sylhet ...	„ 15th	Nil	Cold weather fairly setting in.	Unfavorable reports from Pergunnah Baniachung in Nabigunge thannah, and pergunnahs Atwajan, Kismut Atwajan, and Shaik Sonaita in Chattack thannah, and Pergunnahs Bualjur and Lakhipore in Tajpore thannah, where a blight has set in. Although last week the price of rice fell in the Sudder Bazar, there is a steady rise in price all over the district. Exportation is going on very largely.	
	23	Cachar ...	„ 15th	Nil	Fair and cool ...	Prospects of crops much the same. Insects have disappeared. Reaping will be commenced shortly. An outturn of ten annas on the average crop or more may be expected. Inquiries regarding the stock of rice in hand are being made.	
Chittagong Division.	24	Chittagong ...	„ 15th	Nil	Bright and fine, with north-easterly winds. Nights clear and cool.	Generally favorable. Insects reported to have disappeared from Meerkaserai and Seetacoond. The prospects of the district harvest are fair, but prices are rising owing to the anticipated scarcity in Northern Bengal and Behar.	
	25	Noakhally ...	„ 15th	Nil	The cold weather has commenced.	Cox's Bazar return not received. In 106 of the 382 villages in Sudharam ten-anna of the (Rajshail and Chaplais) late paudy are said to have been destroyed, and similar loss is reported from 21 villages in Hatia. Loss of four annas of the crops is reported from Sundeep, Luckeepore, and Ameergunge, and some loss (nowhere said to exceed two annas) from the remaining thannahs of Ramgunge, Begumgunge, and Baumnie.	

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		Eastern Districts.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
CHITTAGONG DIVN.	26	Tipperah ...	Nov. 22nd	Nil	The weather is gradually growing cooler, though the heat is still greater than usual at this period. North wind blowing.	There is reason to think that the crops are not quite so bad as official reports have made them out. The fact is that the Police have not been able to distinguish between a bad crop for an average year and a good crop for a bad year. The canoongoes' reports from the south are re-assuring, and even in the centre of the district matters are believed to be better than was expected. No change reported from Bramunberiah except that the low land crop is being benefited by the heavy dews. The price of rice has fallen again below Rs. 2 which looks hopeful. Sub-divisional canoongoes' reports not yet to hand.	
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts	„ 15th	Nil	Heavy dews up to 8 A. M. in the morning and cool in the night.	The paddy crop has been reaped. The cotton is now beinggathered. The prospects of the cotton crop are good. The mustard crop is now being sown. The prospects of the crops on the whole are not bad, although the outturn has not been equal to that of last year. There is no fear of scarcity, but there is not any stock over the local requirements for export.	
		Hill Tipperah ...	„ 15th	Nil	Bright and cool. No rain.	No change to report in the prospects. Here and there paddy cutting has commenced. The joom rice crop appears from recent inquiries to have been a fairly average one. But the cotton crop is not as full as usual.	
BEHAR.							
PATNA DIVISION.	28	Patna ...	„ 24th*	Nil	Morning and evening cool, days hot. No rain.	Prospects of the district getting daily worse; the cold weather crop has generally germinated well, if it could only get rain to keep it. Insects have appeared in many places and are eating off the young plants.	Health of the district good.
	29	Gya ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Cool and fine. No rain has fallen in any part of the district.	The bulk of the paddy has perished, and the prospects of the cold weather crop continue bad. Rain is much wanted for the latter crop. In the western part of the Aurungabad sub-division, the eastern Soane Canal has been opened recently, and it is hoped that the crops on the lands bordering upon it will be much benefited by it. Prices have fallen to a slight extent since last week.	
	30	Shahabad ...	„ 22nd	Nil	West wind. Weather cold and bright.	In Sasseeram sub-division canal irrigation continues. Some good has been effected in Bhubooah by a bund on the Doorgooti. Insects reported in the cold weather crops in places. The cold weather crops in the northern portions of the head-quarters and Buxar sub-division promise well.	

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BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)						
31	Tirhoot	1873. Nov. 22nd	Nil	Cool. Cloudy at night...	In the Sittamarhee sub-division the paddy on the ground is still suffering from the long drought. In places it has been cut and stacked for the use of the cattle, and in places the ryots are making every effort to improve the paddy by irrigation. The new rice is not yet coming into the market. The mahajuns have abstained from sending their stored grains to market in order to make large profits hereafter. With the aid of irrigation from streams and tanks the general average yield of rice in the sub-division would be about four annas. The grain and rahur, kulthe pulses continue promising; caterpillars have injured the wheat in some places. Poppy coming up well where irrigation is possible. Much land will remain unsown if no rain falls during the month of Ughan (to middle of December). Should rain fall next month the cheena (millet) and moong (pulse) can be sown. In the Hajeepore sub-division a very small portion of the cold weather crop has been sown; the rest is left unsown for want of rain. In the Tajpore sub-division the cold weather crops on the Dearah lands are so far excellent. In the corner, north of the Bya, south of the Talbaryala, and west of the road west of Shawpore Barneghat, the rice will be quite six annas. There are also three or four churs south of Salimpore Murwah and north of Dembranda in which a five-anna crop may be expected. East of Dulsing serai there is the Rupowli chur which should give much the same yield. In the south-east corner of the sub-division the outturn may be yet two to three annas. There is also a little paddy between Dulsing serai and Nunanee which may yield four or five annas. Over all the rest of the sub-division the great majority of the paddy has been cut, the north being specially bare, and what yield there may be from what is on the ground is not worth taking into consideration. North of Tajpore, west of Tarbaryla, and to the east of the Dulsing serai road there is three or four annas of the cold weather crop still to be sown. In the centre and south, and south-west of the sub-division, there is less land lying fallow. All the light lands and half of the heavy lands have been sown, and ryots say that they can still sow for fifteen to twenty days the ordinary cold weather crops, and even after	Public health good. No complaints with regard to cattle.

PATNA DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)

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BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)			1873.				
PATNA DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)						that cheena (millet) with rain within next fifteen days. There is nothing to prevent a nine or ten annas crop all round. On the Dearah it may well be sixteen annas, and in the south-west, about Puhora, it may be more than ten annas. But except in the Dearah everything depends upon rain within the next fifteen days. The worse part of the sub-division is the north of Tajpore, *i.e.*, north of a line drawn from Nihi Dybycha to Samashpore. The rahur pulse is generally stunted, but the janera is better. Aus (potatoes) a very important crop, specially in the south-west, are at present poor and without rain cannot yield more than four annas. *Suthus* (a sort of bulb) have been rather better. In the Darbhangah sub-division close on fifteen annas of rice is gone. Prospects of the cold weather crop very bad. No starvation as yet, though much pressure is being felt. Prices are generally the same as last week. The prospects of the crop in the Sudder sub-division are gloomy; the prices of food-grains are rising high. The cold weather crops sown have germinated, but are withering for want of moisture. In the Madhubani sub-division prospects have by no means improved. No rain as yet; unless it falls very soon there will be no cold weather crops, and even if it does there will be very little.	
	32	Sarun ...	Nov. 22nd	Nil	West wind prevailing ...	There is nothing to add to former reports unless it be to record that with each successive week of continued drought prospects are of course becoming worse. Paddy, except on inconsiderable areas of low land, has altogether failed. Cold weather crops are being irrigated from wells wherever procurable. Many new wells have been dug, but these can hardly hold out if the drought continues. Price of rice has slightly fallen.	
	33	Chumparun ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Cool weather; west winds prevailing.	The prospects of the late rice crop is very gloomy. The outturn is estimated at 2 annas. About 6 annas of the cold weather crop lands have been sown, and the remaining ten annas left uncultivated for want of moisture in the ground.	
BHAGULPORE DIVN.	34	Monghyr ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Set fair ...	No change since last week. Much of the cold weather crop, which has sprung up, has been destroyed by insects which have multiplied enormously during the dry season. Similar unfavorable reports have been received from sub-divisions.	

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BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
BHAGULPORE DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)						
35	Bhaugulpore ...	Nov. 25th*	Nil	....	The early rice is being cut in Banka sub-division and prices falling. New rice selling at 17 seers. Northern sub-divisional officers report no change from previous week. Prospects of the cold weather crops generally good. The grain recently imported by train is now being exported. Exportations still going on from all parts of the district.	General health remarkably good.
36	Purneah ...	...	...	.....	.....	Return not received.
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Cold has now set in. Occasional clouds, but no rain or prospect of any.	From Deoghur sub-division it is reported that the Kartick paddy is nearly all reaped and was poor in yield. No variation in the prospect of the late paddy. In Rajmehal the prospects of the cold weather crops are becoming worse; where seed has germinated it is likely to perish from drought, and in some places is being destroyed by insects.	
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ORISSA DIVISION.						
38	Cuttack ...	„ 25th*	Nil	Weather cool ...	Prospects of crops good. The export of rice by merchants to different places for trade has raised slightly the market value.	Public health good.
39	Poorce ...	„ 15th	Nil	Fair and cool. No rain	The Loghu or second rice crop is being reaped with good outturn, and the harvest is nearing completion. Late rice is coming on. The present state and prospects are fair, and the produce is expected to be average. The cold weather crops are promising. Prices moderate. Advances for export of rice to Calcutta are being made in the Khoordha sub-division. Last year's stock of rice still holds out.	Public health rather bad owing to prevalence of dengue and intermittent fever.
40	Balasore ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Seasonable ...	There is no change in the state and prospects of the crops since last week, *viz.* the crop will be little less than an average one for the whole district. Rice cutting as usual at this time of the year has commenced.	
CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-West Frontier Agency.					
41	Hazareebaugh ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Cold and clear; no rain has fallen in any part of the district.	No change since last report. Complaints are received from all parts of the inability to sow the cold weather crops, owing to the dryness of the soil and water is scarce for artificial irrigation.	
42	Lohardugga ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Bright and clear, with mornings and evenings cold; no signs of rain.	Things are very much in the same state as last week. As regards the greater portion of the Sudder Sub-division, there appears no reason to doubt the correctness of the general estimate made last week that there will be full two-thirds of an average crop; the only part of the Suder Sub-division, where there is fear of actual scarcity, is the Tori Pergunnah. Owing to the want of rain the prospects of the cold weather crops are very bad. In many places sowings	

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CHOTA NAGPORE.—(*Contd.*)						
	South-West Frontier Agency.—(*Contd.*)	1873.				
					have not been made, and where they have been made the crops will be short, unless it rains very shortly. From Palamow the report states that a shorter crop even than was last reported may be expected. The paddy is not expected to be more than a four-anna. Pulse and teel (oil-seed) promise to be about seven or eight-anna crop. Not more than a four-anna of the cold weather crop has been sown. This promise well at present, but of course the outturn depends on an immediate fall of rain, without which there will not be a more than eight-anna crop.	
43	Singbhoom ...	Nov. 15th	Nil	Slight rain in the south of the Colehan about the beginning of the week. General rain very much wanted for the crops on the ground.	With regard to Dhalbhoom, Seraikeyla, and Porahat, much the same as last report. There are good hopes that all the low land crops will be saved by the active measures in course to irrigate the fields, and the outturn is expected to be eight to ten-anna. Tarof Porchali only is very bad. In the Colehan the early crops have failed to the extent of half everywhere, and up to two-thirds in some few places. The low land crops are all more or less good, and will for the most part be saved. The winter crops in the south of the Colehan are turning out very badly. The pulses are all turning yellow and drying up for want of moisture. The oil-seeds may be said to have completely failed. This part of the district in other years is generally a blaze of colour with mustard, &c., but this year a few scattered fields are all that can be seen.	
44	Maunbhoom ...	„ 22nd	Nil	Settled. Fine. Wind north-west.	The Nuan rice has been cut and a beginning has been made to cut the late rice, but it is too soon as yet to ascertain what the yield will be; it is, however, believed to be tolerably good, and that a half outturn on all round will be secured; the people are fully employed, and at present there is no distress. The hâts, 41 in number, lately established, are all well attended, and rice and all other supplies freely sold at them. They have been the means of keeping down prices very considerably and made food available to the poorer classes at reasonable rates.	
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.						
45	Goalparah ...	„ 15th	Nil	No signs of rain; weather cool; nights and mornings foggy.	Another dry week has passed and in consequence no material change to report. Some places are worse off than others, and rain could do little good now to rice crops, but is wanted for winter crops.	

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ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.—(*Contd.*)		1873.				
46	Kamroop ...	Nov. 24th*	Nil	Mornings cold, raw, and misty; days dry and clear; slight north-east wind; nights clear, heavy dews.	The late rice and tea crops backward for want of rain. Cotton, sugarcane, mustard, and pulse progressing.	Public health good.
47	Durrung ...	„ 15th	Nil	Fogs in the mornings, bright days, little breeze.	No rain. Crops drying up. No improvement since last report.	
48	Nowgong ...	„ 15th	Nil	Weather cool and seasonable, with heavy dews at nights.	The late rice crop is poorer at the western end of the district than to the east of the sudder station, but still an average crop may be expected. Pulse doing fairly. Sugarcane and mustard doing well. Tea operations rapidly slackening. Tea-making season being nearly over.	General health of the district excellent.
49	Seebsaugor ...	„ 15th	Nil	Weather cool; no indication of rain.	No rain has fallen during the week, and there has been no change in the prospect of the outturn of the rice crop. If heavy rain comes now it might do harm to the rice, but it is wanted for the mustard cultivation as also tea.	
50	Luckimpore ...	„ 15th	Nil	No rain during the week; the weather perceptibly cooler.	Nothing new to report ...	Public health fair.
51	Naga Hills ...	„ 8th	Nil	Cold weather coming on fast, although the sun is still very hot at mid-day.	The crops in the hills could scarcely be better. The joom crops both of the Nagas and Kookies have yielded one of the best outturns known for years past, whilst the terrai crop of the Angamies promises to be a bumper one. In the plain the look-out continues to be a very bad one indeed, and the pathar crops can scarcely improve very much now.	
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills	„ 15th	Rain did not fall in sufficient quantity to obtain a record.	The weather has been bleak and cloudy, and on the night of the 14th instant a smart shower of rain fell at Shillong and its neighbourhood.	The rice crop has all been harvested, and the produce is already appearing in some of the markets. There is no scarcity in the hills, but as the rice raised in the country is not sufficient to meet the wants of the inhabitants and a considerable quantity of rice has to be imported from the plains, from Sylhet, and from Assam, the price of the staple is rising in the markets owing to an expected scarcity in the plains. Though a good shower of rain has fallen in the hills, yet it is of no great consequence, as the cereals still standing are nearly ready for the sickle and do not require further moisture.	
53	Garo Hills ...	„ 15th	Nil	Hazy throughout the week, very dry, but tolerably cool. Nights cold and dew heavy. A few clouds have generally gathered about the Tura range during the afternoons, but soon dispersed again and not a drop of rain has fallen.	Vegetables, yams, and the like, besides cotton, are the only crops which remain uncollected in the hills; much less rice has been brought to Tura during past week from the Mymensingh side, and reports from that direction state that it is daily becoming more difficult to obtain supplies thence. A few of the inhabitants along the foot of the hills and traders still bring up small quantities of rice.	

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Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 2nd to 8th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 9th to 15th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
	Western Districts.						
Burdwan	Burdwan	Burdwan	0·08	Nil	57·52	15th Nov.	
		Cutwa	0·07	Nil	39·37	ditto.	
		Culna	Nil	Not rec.	46·18	8th Nov.	
		Bood-Bood	0·17	Nil	48·30	15th Nov.	
		Raneegunge	0·32	Nil	44·85	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Nil	Nil	43·72	ditto.	
	Bancoorah	Bancoorah	0·44	Nil	47·27	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	0·08	Nil	53·45	ditto.	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	Nil	Nil	44·77	ditto.	
		Tumlook	0·02	Nil	47·51	ditto.	
		Gurbetta	0·10	Nil	46·36	ditto.	
		Contai — Dy. Collr.'s Office	0·70	Nil	46·57	ditto.	
		Contai — Exe. Engr.'s Office	Not rec.	Not rec.	51·02	1st Nov.	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	Nil	Nil	38·79	15th Nov.	
		Serampore	Nil	Nil	43·13	ditto.	
	Howrah	Howrah	0·10	Nil	46·66	ditto.	
	Central Districts.						
Presidency	24-Pergunnahs	Saugor Island	0·80	Nil	48·53	ditto.	
		Calcutta	0·01	Nil	44·32	ditto	
		Alipore — Dispensary	Nil	Nil	45·36	ditto.	
		Alipore — Jail	Nil	Nil	44·31	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut	0·23	Nil	43·62	ditto.	
		Baraset	Nil	Nil	40·28	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour	Nil	Nil	50·84	ditto.	
		Barripore	1·97	Nil	52·05	ditto.	
		Satkherah	0·09	Nil	47·72	ditto.	
		Barrackpore	Nil	Nil	45·97	ditto.	
		Dum-Dum	0·03	Nil	48·77	ditto.	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	0·03	Nil	46·80	ditto.	
		Bongong	Nil	Nil	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore	0·20	Nil	52·41	ditto.	
		Chooadangah	0·07	Nil	45·99	ditto.	
		Kooshteah	Nil	Nil	38·66	ditto.	
		Ranaghat	Nil	Nil	34·51	ditto.	
	Jessore	Jessore	0·04	Nil	44·49	ditto.	
		Nurrail	Nil	Nil	68·71	ditto.	
		Khoolnea	0·01	Nil	59·26	ditto.	
		Jenadah	Nil	Nil	43·15	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut	Nil	0·23	55·42	ditto.	
		Magoorah	0·45	Nil	47·70	ditto.	
Rajshahye	Moorshedabad	Berhampore	0·02	Nil	31·61	ditto.	
		Ramporehaut	Nil	Nil	28·71	ditto.	
		City Moorshedabad	0·17	Nil	27·21	ditto.	
		Jungipore	0·28	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Azimgunge	0·60	Nil	35·38	ditto.	
		Lalgolla	1·10	Nil	41·51	ditto	From 1st Feb.
	Dinagepore	Dinagepore	Nil	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah	Maldah	Nil	Nil	27·02	ditto.	
	Rajshahye	Beauleah	0·27	Nil	32·13	ditto.	
		Nattore	0·15	Nil	43·78	ditto.	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	Nil	Nil	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge	Nil	Nil	47·23	ditto.	
		Titalya	Nil	Nil	82·72	ditto.	
	Bograh	Bograh	Nil	Nil	36·74	ditto.	
	Pubna	Pubna	Nil	Nil	43·18	ditto.	
		Serajgunge	Nil	Nil	35·26	ditto.	Not. rec 26th Oct. to 1st Nov.
Cooch Behar	Darjeeling	Darjeeling — Telegraph Office	Not rec.	Not rec	93·66	15th Oct.	
		Darjeeling — Hospital	Nil	Not rec.	77·74	8th Nov.	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	Nil	Nil	88·20	15th Nov.	
		Fallacotta	Nil	Nil	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah	Nil	Nil	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State	Cooch Behar	Nil	Nil	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars	Buxa	Nil	Nil	175·64	ditto.	

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 3rd to 9th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 9th Oct. to 16th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL—(Continued.)							
	EASTERN DISTRICTS.		Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
DACCA.	Dacca	Dacca ... Telegraph Office	0·66	Nil	61·30	15th Nov.	
		Dacca ... Hospital	0·84	Nil	59·22	ditto.	
		Moonsheegunge ...	Nil	Nil	63·47	ditto.	
		Manickgunge ...	Nil	Nil	48·86	ditto.	
	Furreedpore	Furreedpore ...	Nil	Nil	50·55	ditto.	
		Goalundo ...	0·05	Nil	42·08	ditto.	
	Backergunge	Burrisaul ...	Nil	Nil	60·61	ditto.	
		Perozepore ...	Nil	0·30	56·29	ditto.	
		Madaripore ...	0·02	Nil	60·35	ditto.	
		Patooakhally ...	Nil	0·18	90·02	ditto.	
		Dowlat Khan ...	1·10	Nil	100·96	ditto.	
	Mymensing	Mymensing ...	Nil	Nil	61·39	ditto.	
		Jamalpore ...	0·13	Nil	48·69	ditto.	
		Attoah ...	0·05	Nil	44·11	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge ...	0·51	Nil	67·94	ditto.	
	Sylhet	Sylhet ...	0·38	Nil	126·72	ditto.	
	Cachar	Cachar ...	0·75	Nil	102·85	ditto.	
		Hylakandy ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	88·25	25th Oct.	Not rec. 21st to 27th Sept.
		Koyah ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	83·65	1st Nov. ...	
CHITTAGONG.	Chittagong	Chittagong ... Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	84·60	15th Nov.	
		Chittagong ... Jail	Nil	Nil	85·44	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar ...	0·34	Nil	152·47	ditto.	
	Noakhally	Noakhally ...	0·95	Nil	116·76	ditto.	
	Tipperah	Comillah ...	Nil	Nil	72·20	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah ...	Nil	Nil	58·32	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill ...	0·40	Nil	73·35	ditto.	
	Hill Tipperah	Hill Tipperah ...	0·10	Nil	57·57	ditto.	
BEHAR.							
PATNA.	Patna	Patna ...	Nil	Not rec.	30·49	8th Nov.	
		Behar ...	0·05	Nil	38·14	15th Nov.	
		Barh ...	0·12	Not rec.	33·30	8th Nov.	
		Dinapore ... Jail	Nil	Nil	34·16	15th Nov.	
		Dinapore ... Cantonment	Nil	Not rec.	34·75	8th Nov.	
	Gya	Gya ...	Nil	Nil	35·51	15th Nov.	
		Nowadah ...	0·13	Nil	41·03	ditto.	
		Arungabad ...	Nil	Nil	33·04	ditto.	
		Jehanabad ...	Nil	Nil	38·73	ditto.	
	Shahabad	Arrah ...	Nil	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram ...	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar ...	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhuboosh ...	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozufferpore ...	Nil	Not rec.	29·03	ditto.	
		Durbhangah ...	Nil	Not rec.	34·46	ditto.	
		Hajeepore ...	Nil	Not rec.	35·30	ditto.	
		Mudhubani ...	Nil	Not rec.	27·61	ditto.	
		Seetamaree ...	Nil	Not rec	37·10	ditto.	
		Tajpore ...	Nil	Not rec.	31·11	8th Nov.	
	Sarun	Chuprah ...	Nil	Nil	33·88	15th Nov.	
		Sewan ...	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Champarun	Moteehari ...	Nil	Nil	41·40	ditto.	
		Bettiah ...	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
BHAUGULPORE.	Monghyr	Monghyr ...	0·02	Nil	38·22	ditto.	
		Begooserai ...	0·10	Nil	35·95	ditto.	
		Jamoore ...	Nil	Nil	43·09	ditto.	
	Bhaugulpore	Bhaugulpore ...	0·06	Nil	28·68	ditto.	
		Soopool ...	Nil	Nil	26·73	ditto.	
		Mudheypoorah ...	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka ...	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Sanborsa ...	Nil	Nil	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah ...	Nil	Nil	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge ...	Nil	Nil	37·69	ditto.	
		Arrareah ...	Nil	Nil	35·00	ditto.	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Deoghur ...	Nil	Nil	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara ...	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto ...	Not rec. 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal ...	Nil	Nil	23·00	ditto.	
		Moheshpore ...	Nil	Nil	25·24	ditto ...	From 15th June and not rec. 21st Sept. to 4th Oct.
		Nya-Doomka ...	0·06	Nil	53·00	ditto.	
		Godda ...	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto.	

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 2nd to 8th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 9th to 15th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
Orissa.	Cuttack	Cuttack ... Telegraph Office ...	Nil	Nil	33·50	15th Nov.	
		Cuttack ... Hospital ...	0·03	Nil	37·93	ditto.	
		Jajenore	0·02	Nil	35·33	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	Nil	Nil	57·50	ditto.	
		Jugutsingpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	41·38	1st Nov.	
		False Point	1·06	Nil	57·85	15th Nov.	
	Pooree	Pooree	0·23	Nil	55·02	ditto.	
		Khurdah	0·01	Nil	48·93	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	0·70	Nil	47·87	ditto.	
		Bhuddruck	0·10	Nil	35·48	ditto.	
		Jellasore	0·70	Nil	48·75	ditto ...	From 1st April.
		Sorah	Nil	Nil	36·55	ditto ...	Ditto.
		Chandbally	Nil	Nil	35·25	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sambalpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	51·25	25th Oct.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY						
	Hazareebaugh ...	Hazareebaugh ... Jail ...	Nil	Nil	59·04	15th Nov.	
		Hazareebaugh ... Dispensary ...	Nil	Nil	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba	0·25	Nil	51·80	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah ...	Ranchee	Nil	Nil	49·35	ditto.	
		Palamow	Nil	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	Nil	Nil	38·54	ditto.	
	Maunbhoom ...	Purulia	Nil	Nil	40·70	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Goalparah ...	Goalparah	Nil	Not rec.	68·21	8th Nov.	
		Dhoobree	Nil	Not rec.	91·42	ditto.	
	Kamroop ...	Gowhatty	Nil	Nil	49·11	15th Nov.	
		Burpettah	Nil	Nil	70·78	ditto.	
	Durrung ...	Tezpore	Nil	Not rec.	65·89	8th Nov.	
		Mungledye	Nil	Not rec.	53·90	ditto.	
	Nowgong ...	Nowgong	Nil	Nil	70·61	15th Nov.	
	Seebsaugor ...	Seebsaugor	Nil	Not rec.	72·71	8th Nov.	
		Golaghat	Nil	Not rec.	66·79	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	Nil	Not rec.	59·52	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	Nil	Not rec.	75·12	ditto.	
	Luckimpore ...	Debrooghur	0·07	Not rec.	90·94	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	0·04	Not rec.	101·55	ditto.	
		Suddya	0·56	Not rec.	83·13	ditto.	
	Naga Hills ...	Samoogoodting	Nil	Not rec.	43·74	ditto.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills ...	Shillong	Nil	Not rec.	53·37	ditto.	
		Jaowai	1·09	Not rec.	74·49	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	0·27	Not rec.	293·84	ditto.	
	Garo Hills ...	Tura	Nil	Nil	85·22	15th Nov.	
		Benares	Nil	Nil	35·83	ditto.	
		Akyab	Nil	Nil	202·60	ditto.	

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd November 1873.

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 16th to 22nd Nov. 1873.

Station	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity. Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity. *	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather notes.
Calcutta.	Nov. 16th	10	30·131	30·149	77·2	68·5	61	N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	30·029	30·038	83·0	67·9	42	N by W	...	...	.....	b
	17th	10	30·130	30·143	78·6	69·5	63	E by N	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·986	30·004	82·5	67·2	41	N by E	...	...	.....	b
	18th	10	30·107	30·125	76·0	67·0	60	N by E	...	...	C	
		16	29·957	29·985	80·8	67·3	46	N by E	...	...	C	
	19th	10	30·100	30·118	78·5	70·0	63	N by E	...	...	C	
		16	29·983	30·001	80·5	69·4	54	E N E	...	...	CK	
	20th	10	30·101	30·119	78·5	69·8	62	E N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·979	29·997	81·0	68·3	49	N by W	...	...	C, CS	
	21st	10	30·089	30·107	76·0	68·0	64	N	...	...	C	
		16	29·955	29·973	80·2	68·1	51	N E	...	...	.....	b
	22nd	10	30·096	30·114	76·0	65·7	55	N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·969	29·987	80·0	67·0	47	N E	...	...	CS	
Saugor Island.	Nov. 16th	10	30·216	30·222	80	69	54	N	7·0	...	.....	b, m
		16	30·124	30·130	83	70	49	W S W	6·9	...	.....	b, v
	17th	10	30·227	30·233	79	69	58	N N W	5·5	...	.....	b, v
		16	30·086	30·092	82	70	52	N	8·5	...	.....	b, m
	18th	10	30·187	30·193	76	70	72	N N W	4·0	...	C	b, m
		16	30·061	30·067	81	66	41	N	9·4	...	C	b, v
	19th	10	30·196	30·202	77	70	68	N N W	6·2	...	C	m
		16	30·096	30·102	80	69	54	N N W	5·5	...	CS	b
	20th	10	30·186	30·192	77	71	73	N N W	5·7	...	C	b
		16	30·071	30·077	81	68	48	N	8·1	...	C	b, v
	21st	10	30·176	30·182	77	68	60	N	7·4	...	.....	b, m
		16	30·054	30·060	79	67	50	N	9·2	...	CS	b, m
	22nd	10	30·172	30·178	77	67	56	E N E	7·6	...	C	b, m
		16	30·066	30·072	80	68	51	N	9·5	...	C	b, m
Chittagong.	Nov. 16th	10	29·996	30·090	76	70	72	N N W	4·3	...	.....	b, m
		16	29·967	30·060	79	68	54	W	4·7	...	.....	b, m
	17th	10	30·046	30·140	77	69	64	N N W	5·4	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·922	30·015	80	70	58	W N W	4·1	...	.....	b, v
	18th	10	30·013	30·106	78	70	65	N	4·7	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·914	30·007	81	69	51	W	5·1	...	.....	b, v
	19th	10	30·033	30·127	77	71	73	N N W	4·4	...	C	b, m
		16	29·940	30·033	80	74	74	W N W	4·4	...	C	b, v
	20th	10	30·018	30·111	78	72	73	N N W	4·0	...	K	b, m
		16	29·914	30·007	81	73	66	W S W	4·6	...	CK, K	b, v
	21st	10	29·988	30·081	79	70	61	N W	3·6	...	C	b, m
		16	29·882	29·975	81	70	55	W S W	5·1	...	C	b, m
	22nd	10	30·000	30·093	78	73	77	N	4·7	...	.....	b, m
		16	29·904	29·997	80	72	66	W S W	5·7	...	.....	b, v
Madras.	Nov. 16th	10	30·016	30·046	84	77	71	S W by W	6	0·08	...	cloudy.
		16	29·934	29·964	80	76	82	S E by E	5	0·02	...	cloudy.
	17th	10	30·084	30·114	85	75	60	N by W	4	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·993	30·023	81	74	70	S E by E	5	...	.....	b, c
	18th	10	30·093	30·123	84	74	60	S W by W	8	...	.....	c
		16	29·965	29·995	82	73	63	S E by E	9	...	.....	c
	19th	10	30·074	30·104	83	72	56	N by W	6	...	.....	c
		16	29·951	29·981	83	73	60	S E by E	3	...	.....	c
	20th	10	30·050	30·080	82	72	59	S E by E	6	...	.....	c
		16	29·923	29·963	82	72	59	N	18	...	.....	c
	21st	10	30·036	30·066	82	73	63	S E by E	9	...	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·921	29·951	81	73	66	S E by E	8	...	.....	cloudy.
	22nd	10	30·035	30·065	74	72	90	N N W	9	1·04	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·923	29·953	75	73	90	N by W	10	0·08	.....	cloudy.
Cuttack.	Nov. 16th	10	30·063	30·146	82	71	55	W S W	0·4	...	.....	b
		16	29·933	30·015	87	71	42	N N W	1·7	...	C, K	b
	17th	10	30·051	30·133	83	72	56	W S W	0·7	...	.....	b
		16	29·915	29·997	86	68	35	N N E	2·1	...	C	b
	18th	10	30·023	30·106	81	69	51	N N W	0·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·908	29·990	84	66	34	N N E	2·4	...	S	b
	19th	10	30·041	30·125	75	65	55	W	0·2	...	C	b
		16	29·943	30·026	80	66	44	N N E	2·0	...	CS	b
	20th	10	30·034	30·117	77	66	53	N N W	0·3	...	C	b
		16	29·913	29·996	81	67	44	N	2·7	...	C	b
	21st	10	30·024	30·107	76	66	56	W N W	0·2	...	C	b
		16	29·886	29·968	82	67	42	N N E	2·8	...	C	b
	22nd	10	30·024	30·107	77	65	49	W N W	0·2	...	C	b
		16	29·919	30·002	79	67	50	N N E	3·0	...	CS, C	b
Akyab.	Nov. 16th	10	30·105	30·1·7	78	72	73	N E	2·1	...	.....	b
		16	29·994	30·015	83	75	67	S W	4·1	...	.....	b
	17th	10	30·077	30·099	81	76	78	E	1·7	...	.....	b
		16	29·944	29·966	82	76	74	W	4·1	...	.....	b
	18th	10	30·060	30·082	80	74	74	N E	2·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·951	29·973	83	75	67	W	4·1	...	.....	b
	19th	10	30·070	30·092	79	74	77	N E	2·2	...	.....	b
		16	29·966	29·987	84	75	64	N E	4·3	...	.....	b
	20th	10	30·057	30·079	81	74	70	N E	2·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·964	29·985	83	75	67	N E	4·5	...	.....	b
	21st	10	30·024	30·046	81	76	78	E N E	1·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·926	29·948	81	76	78	N N E	8·5	...	.....	b
	22nd	10	30·037	30·059	80	75	78	N E	2·2	...	.....	b
		16	?	?	82	75	70	S	2·6	...	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd November 1873.

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Abstract of Observations as received in the Meteorological Reporter's Office, Calcutta, during the month of September 1873.

N.B.—The barometric data are reduced for temperatures, and not for height above sea level.

STATIONS.	Height above sea level.	BAROMETER. Mean.	Mean of 4 hours.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	Mean of 22 hours.	Range.	RADIATION. Solar. Mean.	Solar Max. Day.	Solar Max. ⊖	Gross Nocturnal. Mean.	Gross Nocturnal Min. Day.	Gross Nocturnal Min. ⊖
Port Blair ...	61	29·761	...	29·805	29·717	...	·088	136·6	30th	159·0	...	...	...
Madras ...	27	29·779	...	29·843	29·716	...	·127	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam ...	31	29·699	29·673	29·751	29·644	29·726	·107	116·5	12th	132·0	...	...	...
Akyab ...	21	29·742	29·719	29·791	29·684	29·772	·107	138·9	8th	156·0	75·1	27th	71·3
False Point ...	18·7	29·683	29·665	29·724	29·635	29·710	·089	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuttack ...	80	29·616	29·599	29·660	29·553	29·651	·107	145·9	24th	157·8	74·3	22nd	71·6
Saugor Island ...	6	29·681	29·660	29·727	29·627	29·710	·100	143·1	28th	156·8	78·1	30th	75·0
Chittagong ...	90	29·674	29·659	29·722	29·610	29·704	·112	149·3	11th	159·0	75·2	11th	72·3
Calcutta ...	18·11	29·668	29·645	29·719	29·611	29·699	·108	137·3	16th	147·0	...	...	...
Burdwan ...	97?	29·576	...	29·632	29·521	...	·111	...	...	..	...	...	...
Jessore ...	20	29·667	...	29·716	29·606	...	·110	148·6	9th	156·9	75·8	30th	73·2
Dacca ...	35	29·672	29·656	29·725	29·608	29·697	·117	150·4	9th	158·0	76·8	18th	73·3
Silchar ...	88·91	29·712	...	29·774	29·635	29·737	·139	139·3	10th	158·0	74·2	28th	70·0
Hazareebaugh ...	2,014	27·703	...	27·751	27·653	...	.098	145·9	11th	155·0	69·5	27th	65·0
Berhampore ...	64	29·618	29·605	29·675	29·550	29·642	·125	146·9	14th	155·0	75·7	30th	71·0
Gya ...	347	29·283	...	29·335	29·230	...	·105	139·6	12th	145·8	68·2	28th	58·9
Patna ...	179	29·490	...	29·543	29·424	...	·119	148·9	4th	157·8	72·7	30th	67·3
Monghyr ...	160·4	29·505	29·492	29·564	29·446	29·518	·118	148·3	20-21st	153·0	76·2	29th	72·2
Darjeeling ...	6,912	23·370	23·354	23·386	23·354	23·386	·032	124·8	24th	135·0	53·6	28th	48·9
Goalparah ...	386	29·314	...	29·385	29·249	...	·136	...	...	...	75·1	30th	72·4
Benares ...	262·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	151·6	12th	161·0	...	...	...
Roorkee ...	879·7	28·789	28·769	28·848	28·750	28·791	·098	139·2	5th	153·4	69·8	29th	62·2

STATIONS.	TEMPERATURE OF AIR. Mean of max.	Mean daily range.	Mean of min.	Mean.	Mean of 4 hours.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	Mean of 22 hours.	Highest Max. Day.	Highest Max. ⊖	Monthly range.	Lowest Min. Day.	Lowest Min. ⊖
Port Blair ...	86·1	9·5	76·6	80·8	...	83·7	84·0	...	30th	89·0	15·0	23rd	74·0
Madras ...	...	...	...	85·1	...	87·1	88·6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam ...	87·2	4·3	82·9	84·9	83·3	85·4	86·5	84·5	9th	90·0	10·3	6th	79·7
Akyab ...	86·6	10·0	76·6	81·4	78·8	83·0	83·7	80·1	10th	92·3	19·3	27th	73·0
False Point ...	...	...	...	84·1	81·9	85·0	86·3	83·4	..	...	...	..	...
Cuttack ...	91·8	14·5	77·3	83·3	79·0	86·2	87·1	80·8	23rd	97·2	22·3	4th	74·9
Saugor Island ...	88·7	8·1	80·6	84·6	82·1	86·4	86·9	83·1	22nd	93·2	17·2	12th	76·0
Chittagong ...	89·5	13·4	76·1	81·9	77·8	84·4	85·4	79·8	10th	94·4	19·4	27th	73·0
Calcutta ...	89·7	9·0	80·7	84·5	81·3	86·5	87·3	82·8	29th	93·6	17·1	6th	76·5
Burdwan ...	89·3	10·7	78·6	83·4	...	85·0	86·6	...	22nd	95·0	20·0	30th	75·0
Jessore ...	91·8	13·6	78·2	83·9	...	87·8	87·4	...	27th	97·4	20·8	30th	76·6
Dacca ...	90·4	11·1	79·3	84·2	80·5	86·6	87·5	82·1	11th	94·3	17·3	18th	77·0
Silchar ...	89·8	13·9	75·9	82·1	...	82·8	87·1	80·4	11th	97·0	25·0	28th	72·0
Hazareebaugh ...	86·0	14·4	71·6	77·5	...	80·7	81·7	...	27th	89·0	21·0	29th	68·0
Berhampore ...	92·4	12·9	79·5	85·2	80·0	87·5	89·6	82·9	27-28th	96·0	20·0	29th	76·0
Gya ...	92·2	22·1	70·1	84·7	...	87·2	88·6	...	11th	95·2	30·0	28th	65·2
Patna ...	92·5	13·1	79·4	85·4	...	88·6	90·2	...	27th	95·7	20·5	30th	75·2
Monghyr ...	89·3	9·0	80·3	84·6	80·8	86·1	88·5	83·0	27th	92·9	16·7	29th	76·2
Darjeeling ...	69·0	12·2	56·8	62·2	57·8	65·1	65·8	60·1	11th	73·0	20·8	29th	52·2
Goalparah ...	88·5	14·2	74·3	82·1	...	82·6	86·6	...	24th	93·6	24·7	29th	67·9
Benares ...	...	...	...	84·8	78·7	86·9	90·3	83·8	..	...	...	..	...
Roorkee ...	89·7	16·8	72·9	80·9	75·2	83·4	86·8	78·1	27th	94·2	28·0	29th	66·2

STATIONS.	HUMIDITY. Mean.	Mean of 4 hours.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	Mean of 22 hours.	RAINFALL. In inches.	No. of days.
Port Blair ...	...	...	81	81	...	17·16	23
Madras ...	...	...	56	59	...	2·80	6
Vizagapatam ...	73	76	71	69	74	3·70	5
Akyab ...	89	95	86	84	92	27·13	23
False Point ...	82	85	82	77	83	6·55	8
Cuttack ...	81	90	74	71	88	5·97	13
Saugor Island ...	83	89	79	77	86	7·33	11
Chittagong ...	85	93	79	77	91	11·87	21
Calcutta ...	85	94	79	77	90	5·82	13
Burdwan ...	...	...	87	85	...	4·39	9
Jessore ...	84	...	74	74	...	4·57	14
Dacca ...	85	94	79	74	92	4·73	15
Silchar ...	85	...	85	74	91	10·72	21
Hazareebaugh ...	79	...	73	69		12·07	18
Berhampore ...	82	94	76	68	90	4·96	12
Gya ...	78	...	71	70	...	4·03	6
Patna ...	74	...	68	62	...	0·94	5
Monghyr ...	79	89	76	68	85	3·68	7
Darjeeling ...	91	96	86	85	96	13·73	24
Goalparah ...	86	...	85	74	...	7·09	17
Benares ...	73	87	68	58	77	4·96	7
Roorkee ...	79	91	74	65	86	15·37	8

CALCUTTA—SEPTEMBER 1873.

Mean barometric pressures of 16 years ...	29·678	Mean temperature of 16 years ...	83·2	Mean humidity of 16 years ...	85
Ditto ditto of 1873 ...	29·668	Ditto ditto of 1873 ...	84·5	Ditto ditto of 1873 ...	85
Defect in 1873 ...	·010	Excess in 1873 ...	1·3	Equal in 1873 ...	0

Mean rainfall of 16 years ...	10·94
Actual fall in 1873 ...	5·82
Defect in 1873 ...	5·12

CALCUTTA,

The 25th November 1873.

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Mean Pressures and Temperatures of the preceding Table reduced to Sea-level, with Anemometric results and Observations of Sky Serenity.

Stations.	Mean barometric pressure reduced to sea-level.	Mean temperature reduced to sea-level.	Wind. North.	North-East.	East.	South-East.	South.	South-West.	West.	North-West.	Variable.	Calm.	Percentage and Resultant.	Mean velocity daily.	Mean serenity.
Port Blair ...	29·824	80·4	...	...	2	13	8	37	...	...	...	...	76 S, 10° W	288·7	5·58
Madras ...	29·807	85·1	...	...	11	8	3	16	17	5	...	...	36 S, 43 W	239·0	...
Vizagapatam ...	29·731	85·0	2	2	7	14	8	24	59	4	...	...	56 S, 65 W	92·7	5·33
Akyab ...	29·764	81·4	2	4	18	26	26	14	24	6	...	...	38 S, 1 E	84·1	2·99
False Point ...	29·702	84·1	1	5	2	15	9	38	36	10	1	3	53 S, 57 W	...	...
Cuttack ...	29·699	83·5	1	5	3	2	14	25	14	9	...	47	31 S, 53 W	46·2	6·12
Saugor Island ...	29·687	84·6	2	2	7	10	34	41	10	14	...	...	55 S, 30 W	221·5	4·21
Chittagong ...	29·767	82·1	6	5	23	30	12	14	9	3	...	18	34 S, 40 E	112·5	4·97
Calcutta ...	29·686	84·5	7	1	13	18	31	32	12	4	...	...	48 S, 11 W	139·0	...
Burdwan ...	29·676	.....	1	15	...	8	9	18	9	...	...	...	28 S, 19 W	...	4·68
Jessore ...	29·688	83·9	1	...	1	30	14	6	7	1	...	...	65 S, 15 E	93·8	4·27
Dacca ...	29·708	84·2	4	3	7	28	35	24	...	3	...	16	54 S, 9 E	110·8	4·39
Silchar ...	29·804	82·3	7	23	14	10	6	7	16	10	...	18	14 N, 37 E	52·2	2·39
Hazareebaugh ...	29·693	81·9	3	6	12	9	...	3	12	15	...	...	16 N, 13 W	199·1	4·42
Berhampore ...	29·684	85·3	4	5	17	29	15	13	10	3	...	24	33 S, 29 E	104·3	4·47
Gya ...	29·628	85·5	1	7	14	10	2	4	8	11	3	...	13 N, 76 E	83·7	5·34
Patna ...	29·668	85·8	...	2	23	2	2	6	22	1	...	2	9 S, 11 W	118·9	5·15
Monghyr ...	29·666	85·0	2	5	44	4	1	28	15	2	...	17	19 S, 40 E	72·8	4·22
Darjeeling ...	.....	.....	1	7	25	18	15	20	17	13	...	4	22 S, 5 E	...	1·68
Gowalparah ...	29·701	82·9	4	6	16	7	8	8	7	3	...	1	23 S, 52 E	98·0	2·62
Benares ...	.....	85·4	...	6	41	1	7	10	45	...	...	7	10 S, 30 W	99·5	3·16
Roorkee ...	29·671	82·9	1	1	...	26	...	18	...	3	...	71	23 S, 9 E	48·4	6·27

NOTE.

Barometric Pressure.—The pressures in column 2 of the above table for all stations below 500 feet are reduced from those given in column 3 of the table on the previous page by adding the weight of a column of air of the temperature given in column 17. For stations above 500 feet elevation the reduction is made by Dippe's tables as given in Guyot's "Meteorological and Physical Tables." The temperatures at the sea-level are taken from column 3 of the above table.

Temperature.—The temperatures in column 3 are reduced from those in column 17 on the preceding page by adding 1° Fahrenheit for every 450 feet.

Wind Resultant.—The resultant wind direction and its comparative predominance are calculated from the whole number of wind observations recorded during the month. The relative predominance in the direction of the resultant is given as a percentage of the whole number of observations. The direction is computed in the usual way by Lambert's formula.

Serenity.—This column gives the average proportion of unclouded sky; a cloudless sky being indicated by 10, and one completely overcast by 0.

The above being all comparable, afford the data for constructing a meteorological chart for the month, which shall show the isobaric and isothermal lines and the resultant wind directions, which last may be represented by arrows of varying length, proportioned to the prevalence of the wind. To these may be added the rainfall from the previous tables.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th November 1873.

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NOTE ON THE DEFICIENT RAINFALL OF SEPTEMBER.

THE rainfall during the month has been deficient at all the Bengal stations in the list except Hazareebaugh, where it was about one-half greater than the average of the month. The deficiency has been about the same at most of the stations, viz. between 3 and 6·5 inches, and greatest at Patna, where less than an inch fell, the average being nearly 7½ inches. At Benares the deficiency was about the same as in Bengal, but at Roorkee the fall was nearly four times the usual amount, and at Akyab the average was exceeded by 2 inches. The winds, which in September are generally easterly or south-easterly in the Lower Provinces, were much less so than usual, and in many places very decidedly westerly. This was especially the case at Benares, in Behar, at Cuttack, Hazareebaugh, Saugor Island, Calcutta, and Berhampore; somewhat less so in the eastern districts. At Roorkee, on the other hand, south-easterly winds were unusually prevalent, which accounts for the greater rainfall of that station. The atmospheric pressure was somewhat below the average, especially at Cuttack and Lucknow; but considerably above it at Hazareebaugh, Saugor Island, Chittagong, Silchar, and Darjeeling. This abnormal distribution of the pressure partly explains the generally westerly tendency of the winds, of which the diminished rainfall is a natural consequence; but in the absence of information from Western, Central, and Southern India, and the Punjab, no complete elucidation of these irregularities is possible. The following table gives a complete view of the wind, rainfall, and pressure at several stations :—

Stations.	Pressure.		Wind.		Rainfall.	
	Average.	Diff.	Average.	1873.	Average.	Diff.
Port Blair	29·761	·000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	776	+026	.....	.....	.....	.....
Akyab	760	—018	S by E	S	25·2	+1·0
False Point	696	—013	S W	S W by W	11·9	—5·3
Cuttack	662	—046	S S E	S W by W	9·0	—3·0
Saugor Island	666	+015	S ¼ E	S S W ½ W	16·5	—8·2
Chittagong	634	+040	S E by S	S E	13·1	—3·2
Calcutta	679	—021	S S E ½ E	S by W	10·4	—4·6
Burdwan	.....	.....	.....	.....	8·8	—4·4
Jessore	674	—007	.....	.....	9·5	—4·9
Dacca	678	—006	S S E	S by E	9·1	—4·4
Silchar	680	+032	.....	.....	16·0	—5·3
Hazareebaugh	27·677	+026	S E	N by W	8·2	+3·9
Berhampore...	29·624	—006	E by S	S S E ½ E	9·6	—4·6
Gya	.....	.....	.....	.....	7·2	—3·2
Patna	511	—021	E by S	S by W	7·4	—6·5
Monghyr	516	—011	.....	.....	7·9	—4·2
Darjeeling	23·332	+048	.....	.....	17·7	—4·0
Goalpara	29·328	—014	E S E	S E by E	13·0	—5·9
Benares	·413	.....	E N E	S W by W	8·6	—3·6
Dehra	.....	.....	.....	.....	10·0	+0·6
Bareilly	.....	.....	.....	.....	7·6	+1·9
Agra	·183	—013	N N W	N N W ½ W	3·3	+6·3
Lucknow	·326	—040	.....	.....	11·7	—0·6
Goruckpore	.....	.....	.....	.....	9·5	—7·0
Jhansi	28·837	—011	N W ½ W	N by W	4·5	+9·1
Ajmere	.....	.....	W S W	S W	0·3	+2·3
Roorkee	28·792	—003	W by N	S ½ E	4·0	+11·4

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 15th to 21st November 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer. Highest reading.	Thermometer. Lowest reading.	Thermometer. Max. solar radiation.	Mean dry bulb.	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew-point.	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Max. pressure.	Wind. Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Remarks.
		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	°			Lb.	Miles	In.		
Nov. ...	15th	30·035	85·5	68·7	131·0	76·2	68·2	62·6	0·64	S S W, & N E	...	89·8	...	...	Clear and cirri.
	16th	·063	85·0	66·3	133·4	74·5	66·7	61·2	·65	N E & N	0·4	100·3	...	...	Clear.
	17th	·056	84·0	66·2	136·5	74·3	66·9	61·7	·66	E by N & N by E	...	100·4	...	...	Clear.
	18th	·028	83·0	64·0	129·4	72·9	65·4	59·4	·64	N by E & N N W	...	101·6	...	...	Clear and cirri.
	19th	·038	82·2	66·5	129·4	74·0	67·4	62·8	·69	N by E & E N E	...	42·7	...	...	Clear and cirri. ocumuli. Slightly foggy from 9 to 11 P.M.
	20th	·035	82·7	65·5	132·0	73·5	66·5	61·6	·68	E N E & N	...	64·7	...	●	Clear and cirrostrati. Slightly foggy at Midnight & 1 A.M.
	21st	·017	83·0	66·0	130·0	73·0	66·1	60·6	·67	N N by W & N E	...	79·0	...	...	Clear and cirri.

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means, are derived from the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represent the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of the lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of the ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noon.

The extreme variation of temperature during the past seven days	...	° 21·5
The maximum temperature during the past seven days	...	85·5
The maximum temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	...	85·0
The mean humidity during the past seven days	...	0·66
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·74
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 15th to 21st ... by lower rain gauge	...	Nil
The total fall of rain from 15th to 21st ... by anemometer gauge	...	Nil
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	0·03
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 21st November	...	44·32
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	69·22

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The 25th November 1873.

Abstract of the Results of the Hourly Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, in the month of October 1873.

LATITUDE 22° 33′ 1″ North. Longitude 88° 20′ 34″ East. Height of the cistern of the standard barometer above the sea level, 18·11 feet.

MONTHLY RESULTS.

	Inches.
Mean height of the barometer for the month	29·834
Max. height of the barometer occurred at 9 A.M. on the 10th	29·963
Min. height of the barometer occurred at 4 P.M. on the 3rd	29·701
Extreme range of the barometer during the month	0·262
Mean of the daily max. pressures	29·899
Ditto ditto min. ditto	29·778
Mean daily range of the barometer during the month	0·121

	°
Mean dry bulb thermometer for the month	82·0
Max. temperature occurred at 3 P.M. on the 3rd	93·0
Min. temperature occurred at 6 & 7 A.M. on the 31st	69·3
Extreme range of the temperature during the month	23·7
Mean of the daily max. temperature	88·9
Ditto ditto min. ditto	76·4
Mean daily range of the temperature during the month	12·5

Mean wet bulb thermometer for the month	75·6
Mean dry bulb thermometer above mean wet bulb thermometer	6·4
Computed mean dew-point for the month	71·1
Mean dry bulb thermometer above computed mean dew-point	10·9

	Inches.
Mean elastic force of vapour for the month	0·753

	Troy grain.
Mean weight of vapour for the month	8·10
Additional weight of vapour required for complete saturation	3·37
Mean degree of humidity for the month, complete saturation being unity ...	0·71
Mean max. solar radiation thermometer for the month	138·5

	Inches.
Rained 6 days,—max. fall of rain during 24 hours	2·05
Total amount of rain during the month	2·40
Total amount of rain indicated by the gauge* attached to the anemometer during the month	2·17
Prevailing direction of the wind	E. & E. N. E.

* Height, 70 feet 10 inches above ground.

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The 25th November 1873.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th November 1873, on 158¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	32,976½	25,361 15 9	2,324 16 11	97,302 13	27,649 11 7	2,834 11 2	4,859 8 1
Or per mile of railway ...	247	160 4 3	14 13 10	618 0	174 11 6	16 0 4	30 14 2
For previous 18 weeks of half-year...	506,118½	3,15,340 10 6	28,906 12 0	2,174,821 25	7,41,897 1 9	68,007 6 5	96,913 18 6
Total for 19 weeks	539,195	3,40,702 9 6	31,231 8 11	2,272,623 38	7,69,546 12 7	70,541 17 7	101,773 6 6
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	70,053½	20,141 13 8	1,846 6 3	191,875 33	59,230 0 10	5,429 8 5	7,275 15 1
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	192	128 11 3	11 15 11	1,226 0	378 7 5	34 13 10	46 0 9
Total to corresponding date of previous year	16,12,537½	3,14,296 10 11	28,810 10 5	2,968,626 24	8,07,009 10 9	73,975 17 8	102,786 8 1

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th November 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	7,999	1,106 0 0	110 32 0	10,558 0	705 0 0	70 10 0	181 2 0
Or per mile of railway	286	39 8 0	3 19 0	699 0	25 0 0	2 10 0	6 9 0
For previous 19 weeks of half-year	90,279	14,864 0 0	1,486 8 0	339,860 0	11,187 0 0	1,118 14 0	2,605 2 0
Total for 20 weeks	98,278	15,970 0 0	1,597 0 0	359,418 0	11,892 0 0	1,189 4 0	2,786 4 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	8,452	1,136 11 0	113 13 5	12,694 0	396 12 0	39 13 6	183 6 11
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	302	40 9 0	4 1 2	453 0	14 3 0	1 6 4	5 3 6
Total to corresponding date of previous year	101,919	16,052 5 1	1,605 4 8	241,654 14	7,443 4 0	744 4 8	2,343 9 4

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th November 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	106,410	1,61,123 6 3	17,520 11 1	* 908,759 0	* 4,51,141 4 0	41,354 12 4	58,875 3 5
Or per mile of railway	.....	149 5 2	13 13 9	.....	352 7 3	32 8 2	45 19 11
For previous 19 weeks of half-year	2,009,551	26,08,634 4 9	239,129 7 11	11,843,624 30	51,89,451 1 0	475,699 13 7	714,829 1 6
Total for 20 weeks ...	2,122,961	27,99,817 10 0	256,649 19 0	12,752,383 30	56,40,592 5 0	517,054 5 11	773,704 4 11
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	108,546	1,86,635 2 8	17,112 16 2	629,825 20	2,74,542 10 9	34,333 1 6	51,445 17 8
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	145 13 7	13 7 5	.....	292 9 9	26 16 5	40 3 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,944,237	25,85,707 11 9	237,023 4 3	6,225,137 28	49,32,713 6 0	452,165 7 10	689,188 12 0

* Mds. 13,000 and Rs. 10,000 added on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures of previous weeks.
Rs. 30,136-13 added on account of estimated proportion of freight on food-grain due from Government in week ending 8th November 1873
Rs. 50,633-14 ditto ditto of this week.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th November 1873, on 223¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	5,843	19,789 2 0	1,814 0 0	64,729 10	* 21,580 14 0	1,978 5 9	3,792 5 0
Or per mile of railway	..	88 8 8	8 2 4	..	96 8 11	8 17 6	16 19 4
For previous 19 weeks of half-year...	71,672	1,86,477 9 3	17,093 15 7	797,346 20	2,47,647 4 0	22,700 19 11	39,794 15 6
Total for 20 weeks... ...	77,515	2,06,266 11 3	18,907 15 7	862,075 30	2,69,228 2 8	24,679 4 11	43,587 0 6
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	4,499	18,267 12 2	1,394 0 11	42,716 30	14,732 6 8	1,350 9 5	2,744 10 4
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	68 0 8	6 4 9	.....	65 14 8	6 0 10	12 5 7
Total to corresponding date of previous year	85,657	2,19,552 9 7	20,125 12 1	672,091 30	2,07,491 7 1	19,020 1 0	32,143 13 1

* Rs. 324-8 added on account of estimated proportion of freight on food grain due from Government in week ending 8th November 1873.
Rs. 20 ditto ditto ditto ditto ditto of this week.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1930.

GENERAL.—*The 27th November* 1873.—Baboo Tarini Kumar Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Beerbhoom, is allowed six months' leave on Medical Certificate under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

The following persons are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the District of Shahabad, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

Baboo Mahabirpersad, Zemindar.
,, Brij Behari Lall, ditto.
,, Byjnath Persad, Banker.
,, Bhugwan Das, Banker and Merchant.
Baboo Sant Persad, Zemindar and Vakil.
Chowdhri Liakut Hossein, Zemindar.
Baboo Harihur Singh.
,, Brijlall Singh.

Baboo Raghunath Persad Singh has resigned his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate in the District of Shahabad.

Baboo Doorgagutty Banerjee, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Patna, is allowed one month's privilege leave under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him under orders of the 23rd September last.

The 28th November 1873.—Mr. Francis Johnston Graham Campbell, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, in charge of the Jamooie Division in Monghyr, is transferred temporarily to the Sudder Station of that District.

Mr. Ernest Montagu Money, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Monghyr, is appointed to have temporary charge of the Jamooie Division.

Baboo Nobin Krishna Sircar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Jehanabad, in Burdwan, is allowed leave on Medical Certificate for one month and twenty-five days, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Gour Das Bysack, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is appointed to have charge of the Jehanabad Division during Baboo Nobin Krishna Sircar's absence, or until further orders.

Mr. R. T. Sevestre, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is appointed to have temporary charge of the Jehanabad Division from the date on which he may have relieved Baboo Nobin Krishna Sircar till the arrival of Baboo Gour Das Bysack, or until further orders.

In modification of the orders of the 8th November, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, Baboo Jogendro Nath Sen is appointed to be temporarily a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Tirhoot.

Moonshee Abdool Rezak, First Grade Canoongo of Patna, officiated as a Second Grade Sub-Deputy Collector at Sasseram from the 11th October to the 5th November 1873.

Baboo Indrobehari Sing, Sub-Deputy Collector of Barh, in Patna, is allowed three months' leave without pay under Section 9, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

Moonshee Abdool Rezak is appointed to officiate as a Second Grade Sub-Deputy Collector at Barh during Baboo Indro Behari Sing's absence, or until further orders.

Moulvi Syed Ameer Hossein, Deputy Collector, Patna, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870 for the purpose of acquiring land for widening the Patna City Road No. 2.

The 1st December 1873.—Mr. William McKinley Clay, C.S., is allowed the usual subsidiary leave from the 15th November, the day following the date of his arrival at Bombay on his return from furlough, to enable him to join his appointment.

The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to gazette Mr. Edmond Durup deDombal as Head Assistant in the Financial, Statistical, and Agricultural Departments of the Bengal Secretariat.

The 2nd December 1873.—Baboo Opendro Chunder Mozoomdar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Goalparah, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Section 3, Act X of 1870, for the purpose of acquiring lands for the part of the Assam Grand Trunk Road which falls within the Goalparah District.

Mr. H. Luttman-Johnson, C.S., Private Secretary to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, will also till further orders perform the duties of an Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Department of Scarcity and Relief.

The following promotions and postings are sanctioned with effect from the 1st November last, the date on which Mr. George Bright's resignation took effect :—

Mr. Henry Thoby Prinsep to be District and Sessions Judge of Hooghly.

Mr. Edward Drummond to be District and Sessions Judge of Dacca, but to continue to officiate as District and Sessions Judge of Sarun.

Mr. James Duff Ward to be District and Sessions Judge in Purneah in the Second Grade.

Mr. John Beames to be a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade.

Mr. Edward Dowdeswell Lockwood to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Second Grade, but to continue to officiate in the First Grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. Thomas Walton, B.A., to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Fourth Grade, but to continue to officiate as District and Sessions Judge of Burdwan.

Mr. Fleetwood Hugo Pellew to officiate in the First Grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

The following promotions and postings are sanctioned with effect from the date on which Mr. Henry Robarts Madocks' resignation takes effect :—

Mr. John Mangles Lowis to be District and Sessions Judge of Bhaugulpore.

Mr. John Henry Ravenshaw, on furlough, to be District and Sessions Judge of Bancoorah.

Mr. Anthony John Richards Bainbridge to be District and Sessions Judge of Moorshedabad.

Mr. Loftus Richard Tottenham to be Additional Judge of Backergunge and Jessore in the Second Grade, but to continue to officiate as District and Sessions Judge of Backergunge in the First Grade.

Mr. Daniel J. McNeile, on furlough, to be a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade.

Mr. Edmond Elliot Lowis to be a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade.

Mr. James Sutherland Drummond to officiate in the First Grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. Henry Leland Harrison, B.A., to officiate in the First Grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. John Berney Worgan, on furlough, to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade.

Mr. Henry Beveridge to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Fourth Grade in Backergunge, but to act in the Third Grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. Arthur Lloyd Clay to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade, but to continue to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Chittagong.

Mr. Thomas William Gribble to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade. Mr. Gribble will, however, continue to be employed under the Government of India in the Financial Department as long as his services are required by that Government.

LEGISLATIVE.—*The 1st December* 1873.—Mr. W. H. Kirkpatrick, Registrar and Reporter, Bengal Legislative Department, having returned to duty on the 29th November, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 9th October 1873 is cancelled.

POLICE.—*The 21st November* 1873.—Mr. Jack Francis Needham is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Superintendent of Police in the Naga Hills.

The 2nd December 1873.—In supersession of the orders of the 18th November, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, the services of Mr. Alexander Douglas Larymore are placed at the disposal of the Commissioner of Burdwan, for duty connected with the Famine and Relief.

OPIUM.—*The 1st December* 1873.—Mr. Horatio Blair is appointed to be an Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent in the Benares Agency subject to passing in surveying and chemistry.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 28th November* 1873.—The Hon'ble the Chief Justice has appointed Mr. Thomas Frank Bignold to be Registrar of Parsee Marriages under Act XV of 1865 within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal during the absence on leave of Mr. H. Beverley, or until further orders.

REGISTRATION.—*The 2nd December* 1873.—Mr. J. B. Pratt, Special Sub-Registrar of Soorce, Beerbhoom, is allowed privilege leave for three months under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Moonshee Syud Muhamad is appointed to officiate as Sub-Registrar of Soorce during Mr. Pratt's absence, or until further orders.

EDUCATION.—*The 2nd December* 1873.—Mr. C. A. Martin, LL.D., Officiating Inspector of Schools, Assam Circle, is promoted to the Third Class of the Bengal Educational Service.

Mr. E. Lethbridge, M.A., is appointed to officiate as Principal of the Dacca College.

MEDICAL.—*The 28th November* 1873.—Mr. H. A. Thornton to be Secretary to the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Naraingunge, in Dacca.

The 1st December 1873.—The fifteen days' privilege leave which was granted to Sub-Assistant Surgeon Rajkissen Mookerjee, in charge of the Chupra Dispensary, under orders of the 21st October last, is cancelled at his own request.

The services of Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Radhanath Roy, on special duty in Burdwan, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Nobin Chunder Ghose, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, is appointed on special duty in the Burdwan District, *vice* Sub-Assistant Surgeon Radhanath Roy.

The services of Apothecary W. B. Grassby, attached to the Presidency General Hospital, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Public Works Department.

LOCAL FUNDS.—*The 1st December* 1873.—Baboo Akhoy Coomar Chatterjee, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be a Member of the District Road Committee in the Bogra District.

ERRATUM.—*The 27th November* 1873.—In the orders of the 13th November, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, appointing certain Honorary Magistrates for the Goalundo Bench in the District of Furreedpore :—

For	*Read*
Baboo Taruck Chunder Patuck,	Baboo Kartik Chunder Patak.

The 1st December 1873.—In the orders of the 24th October, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, appointing certain Honorary Magistrates in the District of Moorshedabad :—

For	*Read*
Baboo Golap Chund Lahatee,	Baboo Golap Chund Lahata.
Mr. E. J. Hampton,	Mr. C. J. Hampton.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION

The 1st December 1873.—On the report of the Central Examination Committee, the following result of the half-yearly Examinations, held on the 13th October 1873, is published for general information :—

I.—SECOND OR HIGHER STANDARD.

(1.) The following officers have completely passed by the Second or Higher Standard of Examination :—

Civil Officers.

Mr. C. J. O'Donnell, M.A., C.S.
Baboo Futtick Chand.

(2.) The following officers, who had passed partially at previous Examinations, have now passed in the remaining subjects as mentioned against their names, viz.—

(*a*) *Civil Officers.*

Mr. R. C. Dutt, C.S., Law.
" F. F. Handley, C.S., Law and Hindustani.
" A. H. Haggard, C.S., Law and Hindustani.
" H. J. H. Fasson, C.S., Law and Hindustani.
" A. Barrooah, C.S., Law.
" M. Finucane, B.A., C.S., Hindustani.
Baboo Krishna Chunder Das, Hindustani.
Mr. H. M. Hinde, Assamese.
Baboo Raj Gopaul Roy, Hindustani.

(*b*) *Police Officers.*

Mr. C. Raban, Bengali.
" C. E. F. Tonnerre, Hindustani.

(3.) The following officers have passed partially, and are still liable to Examination in the remaining subjects as mentioned against their names :—

NAMES.	Previously passed or exempted in	Now passed in	Subject to Examination in
	(*a*) *Civil Officers.*		
Mr. C. A. Wilkins, C.S. ...	Hindustani..	Law ...	Bengali.
" A. O. Brown, C.S. ...	Law ...	Bengali ...	Hindustani.
" F. H. B. Skrine, C.S. ...	Bengali ...	Law ...	Hindustani.
" A. C. Tute, B.A., C.S. ...	Hindustani..	Law ...	Bengali.
" E. M. Money, C.S. ...	Bengali ...	Hindustani ...	Law.
" G. Stevenson, C.S. ...	Bengali ...	Hindustani ...	Law.
" H. F. Mathews, C.S. ...	.....	Hindustani ...	Law and Bengali.
" C. W. Bolton, C.S. ...	.....	Bengali and Hindustani.	Law.
" G. H. Atkinson, C.S. ...	Bengali ...	Hindustani ...	Law.
" J. K. Wight, B.A., C.S. ...	Bengali ...	Hindustani ...	Law.
" J. Nugent, C.S. ...	.....	Law and Bengali ...	Hindustani.
" J. MacCarthy, C.S. ...	.....	Law and Bengali ...	Hindustani.
" C. R. Marindin, C.S. ...	.....	Law and Bengali ...	Hindustani.
Baboo Mohendro Nath Gupta	Bengali ...	Law ...	Hindustani at option.
Moulvie Abdul Kadir ...	.....	Bengali and Hindustani.	Law.
Mr. A. C. Mackertich ...	Hindustani..	Bengali ...	Law.
Baboo Nil Chunder Chuckerbutty.	.....	Law ...	Bengali, and Hindustani at option.
" Troylukonath Sen ...	Bengali ...	Law ...	Hindustani at option.
" Nobin Kissen Banerjee	.....	Law and Bengali ...	Hindustani at option.
" Rajendronath Roy ...	.....	Law and Hindustani..	Bengali at option.
" Bepin Behary Mookerjee.	.....	Law and Bengali ...	Hindustani at option.
" Okhoy Coomar Chatterjee.	.....	Bengali ..	Law, and Hindustani at option.
" Nil Madhub Banerjee..	Law ...	Hindustani ...	Bengali.
" Karunamoi Banerjee...	Law ...	Bengali ...	Hindustani.
Mr. W. C. Loraine ...	.....	Bengali ...	Law and Hindustani.
	(*b*) *Police Officer.*		
Mr. C. E. Gouldsbury ...	.....	Law. ...	Bengali and Hindustani.

II.—FIRST OR LOWER STANDARD.

(1.) The following officers have passed completely by the Lower Standard, viz.—

Civil Officers.

Mr. C. R. Marindin, C.S.
Lieut. A. E. Gordon.
Baboo Nil Madhub Banerjee.
" Karunamoi Banerjee.
" Shurut Chunder Banerjee.

(2.) The following officers, who had passed partially at previous Examinations, have now passed in the remaining subjects as mentioned against their names :—

Civil Officers.

Captain A. L. Playfair, Law.
Syed Mohamed Israil, general paper on local laws.
Baboo Gunga Gobind Surma, Law.
" Hurrish Chunder Chaki, Bengali.
" Raj Mohun Dey, Law.

Police Officer.

Mr. A. V. Knyvett, Mughi.

(3.) The following officers have passed partially by the Lower Standard, and are still liable to examination in the remaining subjects as mentioned against their names :—

NAMES.	Previously passed or exempted in	Now passed in	Subject to examination in
Lieutenant H. St. Patrick Maxwell ...	.....	Law ...	Assamese.
Moulvie Hamid Bakht Mozoomdar ...	.....	Bengali ...	Law.
" T. E. Dempster ...	.....	Hindustani ...	Law.
Mr. J. Rowland ...	.....	Law ...	Bengali.

(4.) The following Civil Medical Officers are declared to have passed in Bengali :—

Surgeon J. M. Zorab.
Dr. W. Wilson.
" D. Picachy.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 2nd December 1873.—On the report of the Central Examination Committee the following result of the examination of Officers of the Opium Department, held at Patna on the 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th August 1873, is published for general information :—

The following Officers have passed in Surveying, Botany, and Chemistry :—

1. Mr. S. D. Jackson.
2. " A. R. Bean.
3. " H. F. Drummond.
4. " C. E. S. Innes.
5. Mr. R. W. Nicholson.
6. " J. A. Flyter.
7. " G. De C. Hobson.
8. " H. J. Lloyd.

Mr. C. Paterson, who previously passed in Surveying, has now passed in Chemistry and Botany, and Mr. A. J. Mackenzie, who passed before in Surveying and Botany, has now passed in Chemistry.

The following Officers have passed in the subjects noted against their names :—

Mr. C. L. Harrison	Surveying and Chemistry.
" A. Elliot	Ditto.
" W. Cracroft	Ditto.
" W. Blundell	Ditto.
" E. F. J. Porcelli	Ditto.
" N. T. Ryves	Botany and Surveying.
" H. E. Wintle	Chemistry.

Mr. J. D. Sayce, who passed in Botany at the examination of February 1872, has now passed in Chemistry.

The following Assistants, who passed partially at previous Examinations, have now passed in the remaining subjects to which they were liable :—

Mr. G. M. Gregory	... ...	Opium Laws.
,, J. C. Sarkies	... ...	Opium Laws, Chemistry, and Botany.
,, J. E. Hand	... ...	Botany and Chemistry.
,, J. Christian	... ...	Ditto.

The undermentioned Assistants have passed partially, and are still liable to examination in the remaining subjects mentioned against their names :—

	Names.	Previously passed or exempted in	Now passed in	Still liable to
1.	Mr. C. H. V. Hathorn	English and Arithmetic, Surveying.	Opium Laws, Hindustani, Botany.	Chemistry.
2.	,, H. Blair	English and Arithmetic, Opium Laws	Hindustani, Botany.	Surveying and Chemistry.
3.	,, A. W. Osborne	English and Arithmetic, Hindustani.	Opium Laws and Surveying.	Botany and Chemistry.
4.	,, W. B. Peade	English and Arithmetic, Opium Laws, Hindustani.	Chemistry and Botany.	Surveying.
5.	,, G. R. Carter...	Ditto ...	Botany ...	Chemistry and Surveying.
6.	,, L. L. Parrott	English and Arithmetic, Hindustani, Opium Laws, Surveying.	Ditto ...	Chemistry.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd November 1873.—Referring to the Notification dated 23rd June 1871,* the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to direct that the distribution of departments between the two Members of the Board of Revenue shall for the present be so far modified that the "partition of estates" and the "acquisition of land for public purposes" shall be transferred to Mr. Money, the Junior Member.

* Published in the *Gazette* of 28th June 1871.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—Under the authority of paragraph 16 of the Resolution of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, dated 7th November, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that Rule V of the Rules made by the Governor-General in Council on the 25th of April 1872, under Section 4 of the Local Public Works Loan Act XXIV of 1871, shall be temporarily relaxed as regards loans for works to be executed within the following districts :—

All districts of the Patna and Bhaugulpore Divisions.	Rajshahye,	Bancoorah,
Dinagepore,	Maldah,	Beerbhoom, and the Jungle Mehals of Midnapore,
Rungpore,	Moorshedabad,	
Bograh,	Burdwan,	
	Hooghly,	

by the addition to it of the following clause :—

Provided that, whenever such a course appears desirable, the Local Government may at the same time that it orders the publication of the copy of the application as required above, conditionally authorize the loan and the commencement of the work, and advance so much of the loan as may be immediately necessary for such work.

But if for any reason the loan is finally disallowed after the publication of the notice, such loan shall not be paid, and any unexpended portion in the hands of the committee shall be refunded. Any portion actually expended shall be treated as a loan repayable under these rules.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

RELAXATION OF LAND IMPROVEMENT ADVANCE RULES.

The 20th November 1873.—With a view to encouraging proprietors and occupants of land in the districts likely to be affected by the failure of the crops to apply for advances under Act XXVI of 1871, The Land Improvement Act, and to give employment to laborers on works undertaken out of such advances, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the authority conveyed in paragraph 17 of the resolution by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India dated 7th November 1873, to make the following temporary relaxations in the rules which have been published under section 18 of the said Act, with the sanction of the Government of India, as published in the *Gazette* of the 9th July 1873.

These relaxations will have effect in the following districts only, viz.—

All the Districts of the Patna and Bhaugulpore Divisions.	Bograh,	Hooghly,
Dinagepore,	Rajshahye,	Bancoorah,
Rungpore,	Maldah,	Beerbhoom, and the Jungle Mehal of Midnapore.
	Moorshedabad,	
	Burdwan,	

Rule 2.—Applications may be made on unstamped paper, and they may be presented to any Revenue Officer, but can be dealt with only by the Collector of the District, or by any Officer not being below the rank of a Covenanted Deputy Collector, or an Uncovenanted Deputy Collector of the 4th grade, who may be authorized by the Collector, subject to the approval of the Commissioner, to deal with such applications.

The rules laid down for the guidance of Collectors shall apply to all Officers who are authorized to deal with applications, except where the contrary intention is apparent.

Rule 3.—Applications need not necessarily be presented in open court.

Rule 4, *Clause* 5.—The numbers of fields and plots may be dispensed with in the application where there is no putwarry, but where a survey exists they should be ascertained as soon as possible.

Rule 5.—The rough plan and estimate may be dispensed with, when the amount applied for is below Rs. 2,000, but a sufficient description of the proposed work must be insisted on.

Rule 9.—The following rule is substituted :—

Any officer who is authorized under Rule 2, as modified above, to deal with applications, may direct an officer of lower rank than himself, provided that such officer be of rank not below that of a canoongoe, to hold any enquiry which is required by these Rules, and to report the result to him. All enquiries under these rules should be held with as much publicity as possible, and in the presence of as many of the respectable inhabitants of the village as can be assembled. The record of the proceedings of the enquiry shall be made in writing by the officer holding the inquiry, and shall be signed by the village headmen, the gomastah, the accountant, the chowkeedars or other local officials or respectable inhabitants in acknowledgment of its having been explained to them.

Rule 10.—No fees shall be charged for the service of any process under these rules.

Rule 12.—Under Rule 9, as modified above, it is unnecessary to give formal notice for a prescribed period previous to holding the enquiry.

Rule 13.—No charge shall be made for summoning witnesses.

Rule 15.—The officer who has made the enquiry, if not authorized to deal with the application, must forward it to the officer who ordered the enquiry to be made.

Rule 19.—The limits within which officers of different grades may grant certificates for advances, provided that sufficient sums shall have been placed at their disposal, are fixed as follows :—

	Rs.
Sub-divisional officers and officers authorized by the Collector under Rule 2 as modified above	250
Collectors of the districts	1,000
Commissioners	5,000

Certificates for advances above 5,000 require the sanction of Government.

Rule 20.—If the landlord fail to appear in person or by Agent when summoned to sign the certificate, as required by the first clause of this rule, and does not make any objection in writing within a month of the issue of the notice, he will, under section 12 of Act XXVI of 1871, be deemed "to have assented thereto and to have agreed that the land for the improvement of which the allowance is to be made, shall be pledged as security for the recovery of the advance."

Rule 32 is modified by Rule 2 above.

Rule 33.—The report in this form shall be made to the superior Officer before the certificate is granted, if the sum applied for be in excess of that which the Officer who has dealt with the application is authorized under Rule 19 above to grant. In other cases, it may be submitted after the issue of the certificate.

Reports should also be made under this rule by Collectors of Districts to Commissioners in all cases in which certificates have been granted by themselves or their subordinates.

Rule 34 is modified by Rule 19 above.

Rule 35.—No interest will be charged till after the expiration of one year on advances below Rs. 500. After that time interest will be charged as in the original Rule 35.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department are republished for general information:—

No. 30.—Camp Agra, the 24th November 1873.—*Notifications.—Public.*—ORDER IN COUNCIL.—The Governor-General in Council hereby declares that it is expedient that the Governor-General shall visit certain parts of India unaccompanied by his Council. In the exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Councils' Act, Section 6, the Governor-General in Council hereby nominates the Hon'ble Sir Richard Temple, K.C.S.I., to be President of the said Council during the time of such visit, and the powers of the Governor-General in assemblies of the said Council during the time of such visit shall be reposed in the said Sir Richard Temple, except that of assenting to, or withholding his assent from, or reserving for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure, any Law or Regulation as provided in the 24 and 25 Victoria, Cap. 67, and the Governor-General in Council by this order, made for that purpose, authorizes the Governor-General alone to exercise all or any of the powers which may be exercised by the said Governor-General in Council in every case in which the said Governor-General may think it expedient to exercise the same, except the power of making Laws or Regulations; and under the provisions of Section 9 of Act 24 and 25 Victoria, Cap. 67, the Governor-General in Council hereby appoints His Excellency's Council to assemble at Calcutta, in the jurisdiction of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, on Thursday, the 27th instant.

No. 3523.—*Fort William, the 26th November* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. G. Bright to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service from the 1st instant.

No. 3545.—*The 28th November* 1873.—The following List of Civil Servants on the Bengal Establishment, absent on furlough or special leave on the 30th September 1873, is published for general information:—

No.	Names.	Substantive appointment.	Date of commencement of furlough or leave.	Date of expiry of furlough or leave.
	*	*	*	*
		LOWER PROVINCES.		
		FURLOUGH.		
1	J. W. Dalrymple (c) ...	Commissioner of Bhaugulpore ...	Feb. 17, 1873 ...	Feb. 16, 1874
2	H. R. Madocks ...	Judge of Bhaugulpore ...	April 1, 1872 ...	Dec. 31, 1873
3	F. J. Cockburn ...	Judge of Sylhet ...	May 22, 1872 ...	May 21, 1874
4	A. Hope ...	Judge of Sarun ...	April 7, 1873 ...	April 6, 1875
5	G. Bright (d) ...	Judge of Hooghly ...	Nov. 4, 1871 ...	Nov. 3, 1873
6	F. R. Cockerell ...	Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs.	April 8, 1872 ...	Jan. 7, 1874
7	A. R. Thompson ...	Secretary to Government of Bengal, Judicial and Political Departments.	March 1, 1872 ...	Dec. 15, 1873
8	Sir W. J. Herschel (e) ...	Judge of Nuddea ...	Aug. 1, 1872 ...	Jan. 31, 1874
9	E. Grey ...	Judge of Moorshedabad ...	Feb. 28, 1873 ...	Feb. 27, 1874
10	R. L. Mangles ...	Additional District and Sessions Judge in all the districts of the Patna Division.	Feb. 19, 1873 ...	Feb. 18, 1874
11	S. S. Hogg ...	Chairman of the Justices and Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.	March 4, 1872 ...	Nov. 3, 1873
12	D. J. McNeile ...	Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah.	Aug. 1873 ...	Dec. 1874
13	W. Macpherson ...	Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack.	Jan. 3, 1873 ...	Nov. 19, 1874
14	H. Bell ...	Judge of Small Cause Court, Kishnaghur, &c.	Aug. 12, 1873 ...	Aug. 11, 1875
15	F. G. Millett ...	Magistrate and Collector, Bancoorah.	March 14, 1873 ...	March 13, 1874
16	J. B. Worgan ...	Magistrate and Collector, Purneah.	May 6, 1872 ...	May 5, 1874
17	J. D. Maclean ...	Deputy Collector of Customs, Calcutta.	March 18, 1872 ...	March 17, 1874
18	N. S. Alexander ...	Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1st grade, Maldah.	Jan. 18, 1872 ...	Nov. 25, 1873
19	J. Tweedie ...	Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1st grade, Nuddea.	Mar. 19, 1873 ...	Feb. 18, 1874
20	G. Graham ...	Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1st grade, 24-Pergunnahs.	Sept. 11, 1872 ...	June 10, 1874
21	J. S. Carstairs (f) ...	Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1st grade, Rajshahye.	July 30, 1873 ...	Jan. 29, 1875
22	H. Beverley ...	Inspector-General of Registration	Jan. 6, 1873 ...	Jan. 5, 1875
23	A. Weekes ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Purneah.	Feb. 12, 1872 ...	Feb. 11, 1874

(c) Has applied to resign the service.
(d) Has since been permitted to resign the service.
(e) Has been granted such extension of leave by the Secretary of State as will admit of his arriving in India by the first steamer that reaches Calcutta after 15th February 1874.
(f) Since dead.

No.	Names.	Substantive appointment.	Date of commencement of furlough or leave.	Date of expiry of furlough or leave.
		LOWER PROVINCES.—(*Continued.*)		
		FURLOUGH.—(*Continued.*)		
24	R. H. Pawsey (*g*) ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Mymensing.	Feb. 26, 1872 ...	Oct. 25, 1873
25	R. Porch (*h*) ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan.	March 15, 1872 ...	Oct 11, 1873
26	F. H. McLaughlin ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Jessore.	April 2, 1873 ...	April 1, 1874
27	W. M. Clay ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Rungpore.	Nov. 18, 1871 ..	Nov. 17, 1873
28	E. J. Barton ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, 24-Pergunnahs.	Nov. 8, 1871 ...	Nov. 7, 1873
29	R. M. Towers ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Nuddea.	April 26, 1872 ...	April 25, 1874
30	E. V. Westmacott ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Dinagepore.	Oct. 14, 1872 ...	Jan. 14, 1874
31	G. M. Currie ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack.	April 2, 1872 ...	April 1, 1874
32	F. W. V. Peterson ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Sylhet.	Oct. 1, 1872 ...	Sept. 30, 1874
33	W. H. Grimley ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Backergunge.	Jan. 22, 1872 ...	Jan. 21, 1874
34	D. W. M. Testro ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Shahabad.	Aug. 14, 1872 ...	Aug. 13, 1874
35	H. Mosley ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong.	April 10, 1873 ...	Dec. 9, 1874
36	T. E. Coxhead ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Gya.	April 8, 1872 ...	April 7, 1874
37	G. K. Webster ..	Assistant Commissioner, Lohardugga.	Feb. 24, 1872 ...	Feb. 23, 1874
38	C. C. Quinn ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Jessore.	April 22, 1872 ...	April 21, 1874
39	T. M. Kirkwood ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack.	March 1, 1872 ...	Feb. 28, 1874
40	G. J. B. T. Dalton ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Bhaugulpore.	March 30, 1872 ...	March 29, 1874
41	A. Manson ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Pooree.	Dec. 23, 1872 ...	Dec. 22, 1874
42	A. P. MacDonnell ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Tirhoot.	July 5, 1872 ...	Nov. 4, 1873
43	T. D. Beighton ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan.	April 6, 1872 ...	Dec. 5, 1873
44	J. Whitmore ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, 24-Pergunnahs.	Feb. 2, 1873 ...	May 1, 1874
45	H. G. Cooke ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong.	Oct. 26, 1872 ...	Oct. 25, 1873
46	R. H. Greaves ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Pooree.	May 7, 1873 ...	Nov. 6, 1874
47	F. H. Barrow ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Pubna.	Sept. 11, 1872 ...	Nov. 10, 1873
48	D. W. Marsden ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack.	Feb. 16, 1871 ...	Feb. 15, 1874
		SPECIAL LEAVE.		
1	J. D. Ward ...	Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong.	May 5, 1873 ...	Nov. 4, 1873

NOTE—Total absent 49
Total of Civil Servants employed in the Lower Provinces 245
Percentage of absentees 20

(*g*) Since returned.
(*h*) Since returned.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department.

No. 3548—62.—Read again the following correspondence relating to the manufacture, importation, sale, transport, &c., of arms and ammunition under the provisions of Act XXXI of 1860 as amended by Act VI of 1866 :—

Foreign Department Notification No. 1707, dated the 26th November 1869, and the rules published under it for regulating the importation of arms and ammunition into or through the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Letter from the Government of Bengal, No. 3582, dated the 29th July 1870.

To Financial Department, No. 5113, dated 23rd November 1870.

Circular to the Local Governments and Administrations, No. 5194—12, dated the 23rd November 1871, and replies to this circular.

Endorsement from the Foreign Department, No. 1959P, dated 19th November 1870, forwarding certain papers on the subject of the importation of fire-arms into Rajpootana.

Ditto, No. 1590, dated 28th July 1871.

Letter from Government of Bengal, No. 4491, dated 30th September 1870.

From the Financial Department, No 4119, dated 28th December 1870.

Circular to all Local Governments and Administrations, Nos. 2923 to 2929, dated 14th June 1871, and replies received.

Letter from Government of Bengal, No. 2192, dated 10th May 1871.

Letter to Government of Bengal, No. 2922, dated 14th June 1871.

Endorsement from the Foreign Department, No. 1274P, dated the 22nd June 1871, forwarding, for disposal, replies to a circular issued in May 1869, enquiring how far the rules sanctioned for Bengal to regulate the importation and transport of arms and ammunition would be suitable for the other provinces.

Circular to Local Governments and Administrations, Nos. 40—2630 to 2633, dated 14th August 1873, and replies received.

RESOLUTION.—In May 1869 the Government of India in the Foreign Department sanctioned certain rules for regulating importation of fire-arms and ammunition into the Lower Provinces of Bengal, and their transport from place to place within the limits of those provinces, under the provisions of Sections 17 and 22 of Act XXXI of 1860, and at the same time issued a circular to the other Local Governments and Administrations inquiring how far such rules would meet their respective requirements.

2. From the replies received it appears necessary to frame uniform regulations for placing the importation and inland transport of cannon and arms and ammunition under systematic control throughout British India.

3. And from other portions of the correspondence read, it appears desirable to prohibit the transhipment of cannon and arms and ammunition at certain British Indian ports, and to restrict the granting of passes for the exportation of cannon and arms and ammunition from British India.

4. The Governor-General in Council is therefore pleased to declare as follows:—

Firstly, as regards the importation of cannon and arms and ammunition, that licenses for import under Section 17, Act XXXI of 1860, will henceforward be granted only at places and by the officials named in the list appended to this Resolution. These orders will supersede the notifications issued from the Home Department in October 1860 and July 1866, which authorized the chief police officer in every town and frontier district to grant licenses, and so much of the Foreign Office notification of 1869 as relates to the importation of arms, &c., by sea or by land into India; also so much of the notification [dated 22nd July 1873] which appeared in the *Calcutta Gazette* of July 23rd 1873, as relates to the importation of fire-arms and ammunition into the territories under the Government of Bengal.

Secondly, as regards the transhipment of arms, &c., that a notification has issued under Section 6 of Act VI of 1873, prohibiting such transhipment at the ports to which that Act extends.

Thirdly, as regards the inland transport of arms, &c., from one part of India to another, that the rules of which a copy is appended to this Resolution are approved, and that they be published under Section 22 of Act XXXI of 1860; further that, in order to enable the Local Administrations under the Government of India to make similar rules for interior transport within their respective territories, a notification has issued delegating to the Chief Commissioners the power conferred upon a Local Government by Section 22 of Act XXXI of 1860.

Fourthly, as regards the granting of passes for exporting arms and ammunition, that no such passes shall in future be granted for exportation either by land or sea, except by the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, and such other officers as the Government of India, or the Governments of Madras and Bombay within their respective Presidencies, may have expressly authorized, or may hereafter expressly authorize, in this behalf. That all such passes shall be granted subject, as far as may be, to the rules for the transport of arms within British India, and that, whenever there is a Political Agent, Cantonment Magistrate, or other British official at the place of destination, the pass shall be delivered to him within six days of the arrival there of the articles covered by it, with a view to his satisfying himself that there is no deficiency, in the same manner as a Magistrate of a British district is required to do by the inland transport rules.

List of places of Import by sea and of the Officers authorized to grant Licenses.

Names of places.	Officer authorized to grant licenses.
Madras.	
Bimlipatam	Secretary to Government, Madras.
Coconada	
Madras	The Magistrates of the districts in which these ports are included, viz. Tanjore, Tinnevelly, Malabar, and South Canara, and the Commissioner of Police, Madras.
Tuticorin	
Calicut	
Mangalore	
Bombay.	
Bombay	Commissioner of Police, Bombay.
Kurrachee	Commissioner in Sindh.
Aden	The Resident at Aden.
Bengal.	
Calcutta	Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.
British Burma.	
Rangoon	The Chief Commissioner of British Burma.
Bassein	
Akyab	
Moulmein	
Tavoy	
Mergui	

Import by Land.

The officers authorized to grant licenses to import arms and ammunition [more than the reasonable quantity which requires by law no license] by land into any part of the territories under the Government of India, are—the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, the Secretaries to the Governments of Bengal, North-Western Provinces, and the Punjab, and such officers as the Governments of Madras and Bombay shall appoint for those Presidencies respectively.

ORDER.—Ordered, that copy of the above Resolution, with the appended rules and notifications, be forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations for information and guidance.

No. 3559.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 6 of Act VI of 1873, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the transhipment of cannon and fire-arms and parts of fire-arms, and of gunpowder and other ammunition, at all ports to which the said Act extends or may hereafter be extended, except under license from the officer charged to grant license of import into British India.

No. 3560.—Under the authority vested in him by Section 22 of Act XXXI of 1860, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, in supersession of all previous orders on the subject, to prohibit the transport of fire-arms, and parts of fire-arms and of gunpowder and other ammunition or military stores as described in Section 22 of the Act above cited, from any place in British India within the jurisdiction of one Local Government or Administration to any place in British India within the jurisdiction of another Local Government or Administration, except under the following rules and conditions.

2. Any person desirous of transporting any of the above-mentioned articles [except in reasonable quantities for his own private use] from any of the sea-port towns or frontier stations into which arms can be imported under license into the interior of British India beyond the territorial jurisdiction of the Local Government or Administration within the limits of which such sea-port or station is situated, must apply for a pass to the officer empowered by the Government of India to grant licenses under Section 17 of Act XXXI of 1860 for import to the sea-port or station.

3. When a person is desirous of transporting any such articles from any place in British India other than the sea-ports or stations referred to in the last preceding rule to any place in British India within the territories of another Local Government or Administration, he must apply for a pass to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, or to the Secretary to the Local Government of the territory out of which he desires to convey the articles, or to such other officer as the Government of India may have authorized by notification to grant such a pass.

4. The application must in either case be in writing; it must specify the town, station, or other place into which the articles are intended to be transported, and must contain full information as to the quantity, quality, and description of the articles and the purpose for which they are respectively designed. Where the articles have been imported from abroad, the license under which they have been imported must be appended.

5. It will be within the discretion of the authorized officer to grant the pass if from the information thus given and otherwise obtained he considers that such pass may be safely granted. A register shall be kept of all passes so granted, and a copy of each pass shall be sent to the Magistrate of the district within which the place to which the articles are to be transported is situated.

6. The articles covered by such pass shall be taken direct to the place of destination mentioned in the pass without being sold or made use of at any intermediate place.

7. On the articles reaching their destination, the person in charge thereof must deliver the pass to the office of the Magistrate of the district within six days. It will be the duty of that officer to satisfy himself that the articles transported correspond with the entries in the pass, and to see that any deficiency that may exist is satisfactorily accounted for. The pass shall then be endorsed and returned to the holder if he may lawfully keep in his possession the articles of which it covers the transport.

No. 1878.—*The* 28*th November* 1873.—*Judicial.*—The Hon'ble Dwarka Nath Mitter, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, has obtained privilege leave of absence for two months from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 398.—*The* 28*th November* 1873.—The Reverend A. C. Pearson, M.A., appointed a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment, reported his arrival on the 4th instant.

Mr. Pearson's services are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, is republished for general information :—

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 3291.—*The* 28*th November* 1873.—The following resolution is published for general information :—

Read endorsement of the Public Works Department, No. 1310 E.—G., dated 8th September 1873, on a letter from the Chief Commissioner, British Burmah, in the Public Works Department, on the subject of the messing and batta allowances of peons travelling on public duty and provided with a free passage on board a steamer, Government or private.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor-General is pleased to rule that Government peons, provided with a free passage on a Government vessel, shall be messed by the syrang of the vessel at a rate of charge to be fixed by the Government of India in the Marine Department, that the charge shall be paid by the Government to the syrang, and that no portion of it shall be recovered from the peons; when peons are provided with a passage in a private steamer, they shall be allowed batta at the rate of $\frac{3}{10}$ths of salary when the expense of their passage does not include the cost of messing.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 1184.—*Simla, the* 22*nd November* 1873.—The under-mentioned Warrant Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on leave on urgent private affairs :—

Second Class Assistant Apothecary Thomas Baron, of the Subordinate Medical Department, House Surgeon, Dacca Mitford Hospital,—for six months without pay.

No. 1206.—*The* 27*th November* 1873.—The services of Surgeon W. H. Gregg, M.B., of the Medical Department, in medical charge of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, Marine Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 11.—*Simla,* 25*th November* 1873.—NOTIFICATION.—The following Notices to Mariners issued by the Marine Department of the Government of Netherlands India, and received from the Consul for the Netherlands, are published for general information :—

HYDROGRAPHY.—*Notice to Mariners,* 1873.

No. 11.—Notice is hereby given that a white revolving light will be exhibited on the 1st September 1873, on Boompjes Island (Pulo Rakett) Java Sea, latitude 5° 54′ 40″ S. and Longitude 108° 22′ 50″ Fr. Gr. (position in the Dutch Charts) that henceforth will be exhibited every night from sunset to sunrise.

The light is placed on the top of an iron white-painted lighthouse; its total elevation above the level of the sea is 172 feet, and its range of visibility 23 nautical miles.

The light will show of 24 seconds-flashed preceded and followed by eclipses of 36 seconds.

By this notice are affected the following charts :—

Dutch ... { Java Sea bl. I.
Java bl. II.
Ned O. I. bl. II.

English ... { South China Sea by Wilson.
Adam, No. 941a.

The Vice-Admiral Commanding the Naval Forces in N. I.

BATAVIA, the 14th August 1873.

O. A. UHLENBECK.

HYDROGRAPHY.—*Notice to Mariners*, 1873.

No. 12.—(Voor het land).—Notice is hereby given that the Chysolite Rock (China Pilot, Vol. 1, page 149) in Longitude 106°58′ E. and Latitude 2°23′ S., and the shoal 2 miles W. ½ S. from Poeloe Tjilakka Maeclefield-Strait (See Reports, Nautical Magazine, January and February 1865, given by the Captain of the English vessels *Lucy* of *Lammermoor* and *Seahore*,) have been searched for in vain by Her Majesty's surveying vessel *Stavoren*, and are since expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.

Dutch .. { Gasper Straten.
Ned O. I. bl. II.
Java-Zee bl. I.

English .. { South China Sea by Wilson.
Adam, Nos. 941 and 2137.

The Vice-Admiral Commanding the Naval Forces in N. I.

BATAVIA, the 21st August 1873.

O. A. UHLENBECK.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—In supersession of the Notification of the 25th October 1873, published at page 1249 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th November 1873, the following revised Notification is published :—

COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

THE Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta hereby give notice, with the approval of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, that the following scale of charges will be levied on certain classes of goods landed or shipped at the Jetties on and after this date, in supersession of the scale of landing charges published in the *Gazette* of the 9th and 16th October 1872, item No. 21, and in supersession of the scale of shipping charges published in the *Gazette* of 13th September 1871, items Nos. 51, 52, and 111 :—

SCHEDULE OF LANDING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

Revised scale of charges and rent to be paid by Owners, Importers, or Consignees, in respect of the undermentioned goods landed at the Jetties, and for their removal when not cleared within forty-eight hours.

ITEMS.	Landing charges at the jetties.	For removal of goods not claimed within 48 hours to the Custom House or import warehouse.	Rent per month to be charged at the import warehouse, at wharf, and at jetty sheds, on all goods not claimed within 48 hours.
21. Bottles, empty; per dozen	0 0 6	0 0 3	0 3 0

SCHEDULE OF SHIPPING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

Revised scale of charges and rent to be paid by Owners, Importers, or Consignees, in respect of the undermentioned goods shipped at the Jetties, and for their removal when not shipped within forty-eight hours.

ITEMS.	Shipping charges.	Removal charges.	Wharf rent.
51. Machinery in pieces or cases, over 2 tons	See charges by weight.		
52. " " under 2 tons			
Charges by Weight.			
111. On all goods not enumerated, chargeable by weight, and not exceeding 2 tons, per cwt.	0 1 6	0 0 9	0 8 0
112. On all goods exceeding 2 tons, and not exceeding 4 tons, per cwt.	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 8 0
113. Exceeding 4 and not exceeding 8 tons, per cwt.	0 4 0	0 2 0	0 8 0
On all weights over 8 tons, per cwt.	0 7 0	0 4 0	0 8 0

By order of the Commissioners,

W. D. BRUCE,
Vice-Chairman.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 22nd November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, (viz.) for protection of river-banks in the village of Bunarpore, Pergunnah Chowsa, Zillah Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring 2 acres 2 roads 34 poles, bounded on the north, east, and south by the village of Bunarpore, and on the west by the River Kurmunassa, is required within the aforesaid village of Bunarpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 21st November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the Northern Bengal (State) Railway, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land 120 feet wide, more or less, stretching from a point two miles south-west of Nattore, and passing to the east of Sultanpore, near Halhutia, Lall Bazar, Hillee, Parbuttipore, Durwannee, and Bhojdabree to Julpigoree, is required in the districts of Rajshahye, Bograh, Dinagepore, Rungpore, and Julpigoree.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by the Government, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for the line of road from Giridih to Pachumbah, Pergunnah Kurukdiha, Zillah Hazareebaugh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land running from Giridih to Pachumbah, about 19,920 feet in length, and about 50 in breadth, more or less, occupied by the old track, is required.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for a post office at Rajgoan, in the village of Amtoea, Pergunnah Rajshahye, Zillah Moorshedabad, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring 5 (five) cottahs, bounded on the north by the house of Gooroochurn Mundul, on the south by the shop of Ramessur Dutt, on the east by the kutcha road west of the Rajgoan railway station, and on the west by the waste land of the Zemindars.

This Declaration is made under provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

Names of passed candidates for enrolment as Revenue Agents, examined in August 1873.

Balasore	1. Shib Charan Dass. 2. Antarjami Mohapatra.
Bogra	Karuna Kantha Bhattacharjya.
Bancoorah	Pratap Chundra Mukherjea.
Rajshahye	Huri Gopal Moitra.
Moorshedabad	Pran Madhub Banerjee.
Backergunge	Chundrakumar Sein.
Shahabad	1. Ram Raj. 2. Rampergarh Lall. 3. Kishoon Chand.
Maunbhoom	Gudadhur Biswas.
Pubna	Gagun Chundra Sarkar.
Monghyr	1. Ekant Prosad. 2. Rowshun Lall.
Gya	1. Ajudea Persad. 2. Isree Persad Sing.
Sylhet	1. Goluck Chundra Kur. 2. Saratchundra Gupta.
Patna	1. Dhanookdharee Lol. 2. Mahomed Jumal. 3. Oudit Pershad. 4. Goorsahoy. 5. Lala Gobind Sahoy. 6. Lala Doorga Sahoy.
Tirhoot	1. Ishri Pershad. 2. Sham Loll. 3. Matukdhari Lall. 4. Buldeo Narayan. 5. Nazir Hussain. 6. Jamal Bux.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 24th November 1873.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th November 1873.—Under Section 85 of Act IV (B.C.) of 1864 the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve of, and confirm the following amended bye-law for the Santipore Municipality, submitted by the Commissioner of the Presidency Division :—

"No person shall, without previously obtaining the written permission of the Commissioners, build or cause to be built, or keep any tattee, privy, or urinal within fifteen feet of any public road or street."

The rule will have prospective effect as far as existing buildings are concerned.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 11th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, for the site of the Post Office in the village of Pakoreah, Pergunnah Tarragooniah, Zillah Pubna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ten cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the jote of Ishwar Chunder Shah; on the south by the land of Brojo Lall Koondoo; on the east by the house of Jeebun Patnee; and on the west by the public road, is required within the aforesaid village of Pakoreah.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th November 1873.—A plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 51,098, inclusive of cost of land, for the construction of a wharf between Golabaree Ghât and Cossy Mitter's Ghât, and of a Boat Jetty at Golabaree Ghât abreast of the premises occupied by Messrs. Findlay, Muir & Co., for the accommodation of cargo and country boats, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta, with their Vice-Chairman's letter No. 4192, dated 29th October 1873, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the execution of the works under Section 35, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

THE following rules, which have been drawn up by the Port Commissioners in communication with the Officiating Commissioner of Police, and approved by Government, are published for general information :—

RULES FOR THE GUIDANCE OF THE PORT POLICE.

1. The force will form part of the regular police of the town of Calcutta enrolled under Act IV (B C.) of 1866, and will be employed under a special Superintendent, to be called Superintendent of Port Police.

2. The general administration of the force as regards appointment, discharge, promotion, transfer, discipline, and the like, over which matters the Port Commissioners shall have no control, shall be vested in the Commissioner of Police.

3. The Superintendent of Port Police will be responsible for the prevention of crime, the detection of criminals, and the general preservation of peace within his division. He is further bound to see that all Inspectors, native officers, and constables under his control, discharge their respective duties with zeal and efficiency.

4. On the commission of an offence punishable by the general laws of the country, the Port Police will act under their Commissioner without reference to the Port Commissioners, and will send the offender with the usual charge sheet before the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner of Police. The Superintendent will be responsible for the prosecution of offenders arrested for such offences and for the conduct of such cases, and will see that the necessary witnesses are duly sent before the Magistrate.

5. The Port Police will clearly understand that though they form part of the Calcutta Police force, they are also placed at the disposal of the Port Commissioners for the due prosecution of offences against Act XXII of 1855 (the Conservators' Act) and Act V of 1870 (the Port Improvement Act), and all other Acts to be taken with and read as parts of these Acts.

6. The Superintendent will, in addition to reports he may be directed to make to the Commissioner of Police, at once report to the Port Commissioners all offences (punishable under the Acts specified in rule 5 committed on the river or Strand Bank,) and the action taken by the Police thereon, and will from time to time furnish the Commissioners with reports of such offences in such form as may be directed.

7. In offences against the Conservators' or Port Improvement Acts, the Superintendent of Port Police will proceed in accordance with such instructions as he may from time to time receive from the Port Commissioners, who are responsible to Government for the due prosecution of their servants and others guilty of offences against the several Acts. In such cases the Police shall only prosecute when a charge is made and duly signed by the Vice-Chairman. A charge once made, the case will be in the hands of the Police, but the Commissioners' servants will afford every assistance in the shape of providing evidence, witnesses, &c., as required.

8. The Superintendent of Port Police shall, subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Police, hold his office in such place as may be appointed by the Port Commissioners. He shall be in regular and frequent communication with the Commissioners, and shall satisfy himself by personal inspection that the orders issued are duly carried out.

9. No change shall be made in the fixed allocation of the force, or any part thereof, without the knowledge of the Port Commissioners.

10. Every policeman shall be furnished with a vernacular copy of the bye-laws of the Port Commissioners, and of the rules drawn up showing the duties of the Port Police.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction, from the 1st of January 1874, the formation of a new sub-division in the district of Rungpore, to be called the Kooreegram sub-division, of which the head-quarters will be situated at Kooreegram, on the right bank of the River Dhurla.

2. The sub-division will consist of the following tracts :—

(*a*) Thannah Nagessari, with outpost Phulkumar.
(*b*) Thannah Borabari.
(*c*) Thannah Olipore, excepting that portion of it lying west of the River Teesta forming the outpost of Sundargunge.
(*d*) All that portion of Thannah Chilmari lying to the east of the Teesta and including the small tract on the east bank of the Brahmaputra. This tract will be detached from the Gyebanda sub-division, to which it at present appertains, and will be formed into an outpost with head-quarters at Chilmari, and be attached to the Olipore Thannah and Kooreegram sub-division.

3. Outpost Sundargunge, detached from Olipore Thannah, will be attached to the Gyebanda sub-division, and together with that portion of Thannah Chilmari lying west of the Teesta will be formed into a thannah with head-quarters at Sundargunge.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 18th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a Post Office at Raipoorah, in the village of Raipoorah, Pergunnah Bhullooah, Zillah Noakhally, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 3½ chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the newly-established Government Aided School; on the south by the Raipoorah Bazar; east by the public road; and west by the Zemindary Cutcherry belonging to Baboo Khetter Nath Dass, is required within the aforesaid village of Raipoorah.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1931.

JUDICIAL.—*The 1st December* 1873.—Baboo Kali Das Dutt, Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, is allowed three months' leave on Medical Certificate under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

Moulvi Khadem Hossein is appointed to officiate as Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore during Baboo Kali Das Dutt's absence, or until further orders.

Baboo Jogendro Nath Bose, B.L., is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Kandi in Moorshedabad during Moulvi Khadem Hossein's absence on duty, or until further orders.

Baboo Kedaressur Roy is appointed to officiate as Subordinate Judge of Hooghly until further orders.

Baboo Munoo Lal Chatterjee is appointed to officiate as Third Subordinate Judge of the 24-Pergunnahs vice Baboo Kedaressur Roy.

Baboo Shoshi Bhooshun Sen, B.L., is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Hooghly during Baboo Munoo Lal Chatterjee's absence on duty, or until further orders.

Baboo Nuffer Chunder Bhutto is appointed to officiate as Second Subordinate Judge of Moorshedabad until further orders.

Baboo Bipro Das Chatterjee, B.L., is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Berhampore during Baboo Nuffer Chunder Bhutto's absence on duty, or until further orders.

Baboo Chuckro Dhur Pershad is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Mozufferpore during the absence on leave of Baboo Burma Dutt, or until further orders.

The 2nd December 1873.—Baboo Shodungsho Bhushen Roy is appointed to officiate as Munsif of Kudba, in the District of Purneah, during the absence on duty of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new sub-district to be attached to the District of Howrah, and to be conterminous with Thannahs Ooloberia, Shampore, Bagnan and Ampta, in the District of Howrah, and Thannah Khanakul, in the Registration Sub-district of Jehanabad, in the District of Burdwan, with Head-quarters at Moheshrekha.

The Sub-divisional officer at Moheshrekha will be *ex-officio* Sub-Registrar, and receive the usual commission of 25 per cent.

This notification will take effect on and after 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that under Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-district in the district of Beerbhoom, comprising Thannahs Labhpore and Burwan, and having its Head-Quarters at Labhpore.

Munshi Ghulam Rossul is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Labhpore. This notification will take effect on and from 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of Section 2 of Act V (B. C.) of 1873, the following plan for the future lighting of that area of the town of Howrah which is at present lighted with gas is hereby published for general information by order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

PLAN.

1. The portion of the Town which is lighted is bounded as follows:—

On the North by Hurrogunge Road, on the South by Ramkistopore Ghaut Road, on the East by the River Hooghly, and on the West by the Grand Trunk Road. A map of this portion is herewith submitted, on which is shown in blue lines the streets which are lighted, and in red lines those which the Commissioners propose to light on receipt of His Honor's sanction.

2. The following are the names of the streets and the number of lamps in each at present lighted, as also the names of the streets proposed to be lighted and the number of lamps in each.

Names of the streets and the number of lamps in each at present lighted.

Grand Trunk Road ..	.. 52	Brought forward	.. 114
Ramkistopore Ghaut Road	.. 7	Ghoosery Road .	.. 4
Telkul Ghaut Road ..	.. 12	Golabaree Road ..	.. 8
Avenue Road ..	.. 7	Baptist Burial Ground Road	.. 9
Church Road ..	.. 5	New Street ..	.. 1
Chandmarree Road .	.. 8	Ross Road ..	.. 4
Tindal Garden Road ..	.. 9	Seal's New Lane ..	.. 2
Lall Diggee Road ..	.. 4	Hurrogunge Road ..	.. 12
King's Road ..	.. 4	Howrah Road ..	.. 44
Rosemarree Lane ..	.. 3	Howrah Ghaut Road ..	.. 3
Salt Gola Lane ..	.. 3		
Carried over	... 114	Total	... 201

Names of the streets and the number of lamps in each proposed to be lighted.

Khetter Mitter's Lane	..	..	10
Watkins' Lane	..	..	5
Dobson's Lane	..	..	15
Strand Road	..	..	3
Carried over	..	..	33

Brought forward	..	..	33
Mackenzie's Lane	..	..	2
Ticcaparrah and Jelleaparrah Lane	..	..	4
Total	..	..	39

3. It will be observed from the map* that when the last named streets are lighted, *all* the public roads within the portion of the Town described in para. 2 will be lighted; that is to say, all the highways which are vested in the Commissioners, and over which they have control.

* *Vide* note deposited in the Bengal Office.

4. The outlay in erecting the lamps at present lighted, numbering 201, was Rs. 10,628, and the estimated cost of erecting the 39 lamps, which are required to complete the lighted area, is Rs. 2,437-8.

5. The cost of erecting the existing lamps was met from general funds, and the Commissioners propose to pay for the erection of the extra lamps from the saving which will be effected in the allotment for lighting charges for the months of January, February, and March next. This of course is calculated on the principle that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be pleased to authorize the Commissioners to levy the rate from the 4th quarter of the current year 1873-74, viz. January to March 1874, the Commissioners, on their part, undertaking that the extra lamps shall be ready for lighting from 1st January.

6. The cost of lighting the 240 lamps will be Rs. 24,000 per annum. To this cost the Commissioners are bound by the existing contract with the Gas Company from which they have no escape. The contract has still 18 years to run. To this is to be added a sum of Rs. 1,200 for contingent charges of repairs to lamps, making a total of Rs. 25,200 per annum.

7. The total valuation of buildings and lands situated within the area is Rs. 8,72,867. A rate of 3 per cent. on this valuation would yield Rs. 26,186 per annum, and if from this sum a deduction is made of, say, Rs. 486 on account of collection charges, there would remain a net income of Rs. 25,700, which would cover the expenses of lighting and maintaining the lamps within the portion of the Town in which it is proposed to levy the rate for the present.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 24th November 1873.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that pending the appointment of the Board of Examiners for the examination of candidates for Pleaderships and Mooktearships, notices from candidates for Mooktearships of their intention to appear at the next examination will be received at the office of Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Judicial Department, up to the 15th December next.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that under Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Beerbhoom, comprising Thannahs Kasbah and Sakulipore, and having its Head-Quarters at Soorool.

Baboo Hari Mohan Sarkar of Soorool is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Soorool.

This Notification will take effect on and from the 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office in the District of Chittagong, with Head-Quarters at Raujan. The new Sub-Registrar will exercise, in and for Thannah Raujan and Outpost Ranganiya only, concurrent jurisdiction with the Sudder Sub-Registrar of Chittagong. Moonshi Mehr-ullah Chaudhuri is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Raujan.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Patiya, in the District of Chittagong. The Sub-Registrar of Patiya will exercise in and for Thannah Patiya concurrent jurisdiction with the Sudder Sub-Registrar of Chittagong.

Munshi Muinuddin Ahmed is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Patiya.

This Notification will take effect on and from the 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 20th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a police station in the village of Golachipa, Pergunnah Chundra Dipa, Zillah Backergunge, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring more or less 4 beegahs, 14 cottahs, 10½ chittacks, bounded on the north by waste lands of Messrs. Pogose and Golachipa Khall, on the west by waste lands and paddy fields, on the south by paddy fields, and on the east by paddy fields and Golachipa market, is required within the aforesaid village of Golachipa.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 26th November 1873.

No. 411.—*Transfer.*—Baboo Kally Sunkur Chatterjee, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, from the Third Calcutta Division to Monghyr District.

The 28th November 1873.

No. 412.—*Notifications.*—Mr. W. Fernie, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, joined the Purneah District on the 18th November 1873, before noon.

The 29th November 1873.

No. 413.—In anticipation of the sanction of the Government of India, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that all the works undertaken for relief purposes in the Bhaugulpore Division, and that part of the Patna Division lying north of the River Ganges, shall be placed under the charge of special Superintending Engineers.

No. 414.—With reference to the above Notification, the works of this character in the Bhaugulpore Division will be under the charge of Mr W. Barnfather, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, who will officiate as a Superintending Engineer of the Third Grade, and those in the Patna Division, lying north of River Ganges, will be under the charge of the Superintending Engineer of the Gunduck Embankment Circle.

Bengal Government Public Works Department Notification No. 234, dated 24th June 1873.

No. 415.—Baboo Bhuggobutty Churn Mookerjee, Overseer, First Grade, joined the Moorshedabad District on the 19th November 1873, before noon, on return from privilege leave.

No. 416.—*Transfers.*—Baboo Toylucknauth Chatterjee, Overseer, First Grade, from the Rungpore and Bogra to the Rajshahye and Patna Districts.

No. 417.—Baboo Peary Mohun Banerjee, Overseer, Third Grade, from the Hazareebaugh to the Balasore District.

No. 418.—*Leave of absence.*—Baboo Kallydhone Mookerjee, Accountant, Fourth Grade, attached to the Central Office of Accounts, Bengal, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code, in addition to that already granted to him.

Bengal Government Public Works Department Notification No. 365, dated the 23rd October 1873.

The 1st December 1873.

No. 419.—The following order issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, is re-published for general information :—

"*No.* 736 *of the* 18*th November* 1873.—Lieutenant W. H. Browne, S. C., Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Military Works Branch, is transferred to Bengal for employment on Famine Relief Works, or such other duty as the Local Government may require.

"This cancels Public Works Department Notification No. 609, dated 23rd September 1873, transferring this officer to the Sindia (State) Railway."

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 27th November 1873.

No. 531.—*Leave.*—Baboo Mutty Lall Mozoomdar, Overseer, Third Grade, Cossye Division, availed himself of the sick leave granted him in the orders marginally noted, on the afternoon of the 22nd August 1873.

No. 399, dated 24th September 1873.

No. 532.—*Notification.*—The services of Baboo Mutty Lall Mozoomdar, Overseer, Third Grade, Cossye Division, are dispensed with with effect from the 22nd October 1873.

No. 533.—*Corrigendum.*—In Notification No. 527, of 24th November 1873, read "18th November 1873" for "18th August 1873," as the date on which Mr. Leeson, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Cossye Division, returned to duty.

No. 534.—*Medical.*—*Leave.*—Baboo Aubinash Chunder Banerjee, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Third Grade, Debree Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted, on the 20th October 1873.

No. 413, dated 10th October 1873.

No. 535.—*Medical*—*Posting.*—Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Romana Krishna De, whose services have been placed at the disposal of this Department, is posted to the Debree Division.

No. 536.—*Leave.*—Moonshee Shaik Moozurwallah, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, Eastern Sone Division, is granted a further extension of leave for three months under Medical Certificate, from 1st October, under Supplement F, Section 3, of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 537.—*Notification.*—Baboo Kedar Nath Banerjee, Overseer, Third Grade, Byturnee Division, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 17th November 1873.

No. 538.—*Posting.*—Mr. H. Baldwin, Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, to the Debree Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 22nd November 1873.

Dated 28th November 1873.

No. 539.—*Notifications.*—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of an Embankment Division in the District of Chumparun, to be called the Upper Gunduck Embankment Division, subject to the approval of the Government of India.

No. 540.—Mr. J. C. Vertannes, Executive Engineer, First Grade, Executive Engineer of the Hidgellee Division, in the South-Western Circle, to be Executive Engineer of the Upper Gunduck Embankment Division.

No. 541.—*Transfer.*—Mr. E. A. Parsick, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, from the Pooree Survey Division of the Orissa Circle to the Upper Gunduck Embankment Division.

No. 542.—*Notifications.*—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of an Embankment Division in the District of Sarun, to be called the Lower Gunduck Embankment Division, subject to the approval of the Government of India.

No. 543.—Mr. W. G. L. Cotton, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, to be Executive Engineer, Lower Gunduck Embankment Division.

The 1st December 1873.

No. 544.—*Leave.*—Baboo Juggo Mohun Roy, Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is granted privilege leave for three months under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he avails himself of it.

No. 545.—*Notification.*—Baboo Subba Roydoo Naidoo, Probationary Overseer, Third Grade, joined the Eastern Sone Survey Division on the forenoon of the 22nd November 1873.

No. 546.—*Posting.*—Mr. R. W. Everett Green, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, to the Eastern Sone Survey Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 24th November 1873.

No. 547.—*Notifications.*—Mr. D. McMordie, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, joined the Buxar Division on the afternoon of the 24th November 1873.

No. 548.—Mr. R. B. Buckley, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, joined the Buxar Division, on the forenoon of the 8th November 1873.

No. 549.—*Transfers.*—Baboo Bissala Churn Mullick, Overseer, First Grade, from the Hidgellee Division of the South-Western Circle to the Upper Gunduck Embankment Division.

No. 550.—Baboo Thakur Das Ghosh, Temporary Overseer, First Grade, from the Hidgellee Division of the South-Western Circle to the Upper Gunduck Embankment Division.

No. 551.—*Notification.*—Mr. J. C. Vertannes, Executive Engineer, First Grade, assumed charge of the Upper Gunduck Embankment Division on the forenoon of the 28th November 1873.

IRRIGATION.

No. 552.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for Landing Ghats for the Midnapore Canal, in the villages of Bullubhpore and Soojagunge, Pergunnah Midnapore, Zillah Midnapore, it is hereby declared, that for the above purpose, two

pieces of land, measuring, more or less, 23 beegahs 12 cottahs 14 chittacks of standard measurement, one piece in Soojagunge, bounded on the east by Government land, west by Government road leading to the Ferry Ghat, north by Tramway belonging to Government, and south by the Cossye River; and another piece in Bullubhpore, bounded on the east by Government land, west by Government land, north by the Trunk Road, and south by the Cossye River, are required within the aforesaid villages of Soojagunge and Bullubhpore.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section VI of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. W. GULLIVER, LIEUT.-COL., *R. E.*,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

Report of leave granted to the Rural Sub-Registrar of Gulsakhali and the temporary appointment made for carrying on his work.

Name of Sub-Registrar on leave.	Name of Sub-Registrar appointed.	Nature and period of leave granted.	Date of making over charge.	REMARKS.
Munshi Mahamed Aminuddeen, Sub-Registrar of Gulsakhali.	Munshi Mahamed Ashak.	Sick leave for one and half-month.	13th Oct. 1873	The Sub-Registrar being seriously ill, made over charge, in the first instance, on 13th October, to Baboo Krishna Chandra Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Sub-Registrar of Patuakhali, who made over charge to Munshi Mahamed Ashak, the Officiating Sub-Registrar, on 31st October 1873.

CALCUTTA,
The 18th November 1873.

T. F. BIGNOLD,
Offg. Inspector-General of Registration.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

The 24th November 1873.—Baboo Chunder Kumar Roy, B.L., Officiating Moonsiff of Cox's Bazar, District Chittagong, for one month, from the 10th current, under Section 9, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

The 26th November 1873.—The unexpired portion of the leave of absence for the Dusserah Vacation granted to Moulvie Mahomed Natig, Moonsiff of Nowada, District Gya, by Court's order No. 2342 of the 26th August last, is hereby cancelled at his own request.

The 28th November 1873.—The unexpired portion (three days) of the leave of absence for two months granted to Baboo Umachurn Dutt, Moonsiff of Malda, by Court's order No. 2313, dated the 23rd August last, is hereby cancelled at his own request.

Baboo Kristo Chundra Choudree, Moonsiff of Deang, District Chittagong, for two months, from the 25th December next, under Section 18, Chapter VI, of the Civil Leave Code.

The 29th November 1873.—Baboo Roodrakant Biswas, B.L., Moonsiff of Dukhinshabazpore, District Backergunge, for nine days, from 13th to 21st October last, on private affairs, under Section 5, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

The 1st December 1873.—Baboo Raj Rajeshur Bhuttacharjee, Moonsiff of Culna, District East Burdwan, for two months on medical certificate in extension of the leave granted to him on the 14th November last, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

TRANSFERS OF MOONSIFFS.

The 26th November 1873.—Moulvie Fukheruddin Hossein, Moonsiff of Kudba, District Purneah, to Mudehpoora, District Bhaugulpore.

Moulvie Mahomed Nurul Hossein, Moonsiff of Mudehpoora, District Bhaugulpore, to Begooserai, in that district.

The Notification at page 1457 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 1st October last, transferring Baboo Hara Kishen Chatterjee, Moonsiff of Pooree, to Cuttack as Sudder Moonsiff, is cancelled, and the following substituted :—

Baboo Hara Kishen Chatterjee, Moonsiff of Pooree, in the Judgeship of Cuttack, to Cuttack, as Second Moonsiff of Cuttack and Moonsiff of Kendraparah.

By order of the High Court,
W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT, CIVIL SIDE, the 2nd December 1873.

NOTICE.

STEAMER FROM GOALUNDO TO GODAGAREE AND RAMPORE BEAULEAH.

From the first of December next, the Government Steamer *Teesta*, with Flats, will run from Goalundo to Godagaree (near the mouth of the Mahanuddee river), and will be available to the public for the transport of grain to the marginally-mentioned points on the Pudma river. She will call at Kooshtea on the up-journey to take in cargo if required, but will not receive cargo at Goalundo for Kooshtea. The charge from Goalundo or Kooshtea will be (1) one anna per maund of 80 sicca weight to all stations. Miscellaneous cargo can only be taken if there is room, and by special arrangement.

Goalundo and Kooshtea to Rampore Beauleah, New Bugwangolah, (Allaitolly) and Godagaree.

Applications to be addressed to W. M. Clay, Esq., C.S., Goalundo. Agents in charge of rice consignments will be carried with their rice free of charge; other passengers will be charged eight annas per trip. No return cargo will be taken from Rampore Beauleah or Godagaree except Jute or Seeds, and those only by special arrangement with the officer in charge of the transport business at Goalundo, Rampore Beauleah or Godagaree.

E. W. MOLONY,
Commissioner.

বিজ্ঞাপন।

গোয়ালন্দহইতে গোদাগড়ী ও রামপুর বোয়ালিয়াতে যাইবার ষ্টীমর।

আগামি ডিসেম্বর মাসের ১ তারিখ অবধি ফ্লাট লইয়া তিষ্ঠানামক গবর্ণমেণ্টের ষ্টীমর গোয়ালন্দহইতে মহানন্দী নদীর মহনার নিকট গোদাগড়ী পর্য্যন্ত যাতায়াত করিবে। এই সুযোগে পদ্মা নদীর ধারের পার্শ্বের লিখিত স্থানে২ সাধারণে শস্যাদি পাঠাইতে পারিবে। প্রয়োজন হইলে যাইবার সময়ে মাল লইবার জন্যে কুষ্ট্যায় লাগান করিতে পারিবে। কিন্তু কুষ্ট্যায় আনিবার জন্যে গোয়ালন্দে মাল লওয়া যাইবে না। গোয়ালন্দ বা কুষ্ট্যাহইতে উক্ত সকল স্থানেই চাউলাদি চালান করিতে ৮০ সিক্কা ওজনের মণ প্রতি /০ এক আনামাত্র ভাড়া লাগিবে, ষ্টীমরে স্থান থাকিলে ও বিশেষ বন্দোবস্ত করা গেলে অন্যান্য মালও লওয়া যাইতে পারিবে।

গোয়ালন্দ ও কুষ্ট্যাহইতে রামপুর বোয়ালিয়া পর্য্যন্ত নূতন ভগবান গোলা, (আল্লাইতলি) ও গোদাগড়ী।

যাঁহারা ধান্যাদি পাঠাইতে চাহেন গোয়ালন্দের শ্রীযুত ডবলিউ, এম, ক্লে সাহেবের নিকট তাঁহাদের দরখাস্ত করিতে হইবে।

চাউলের চড়নদারেরা মালের সঙ্গে গেলে বিনা ভাড়ায় যাইতে পারিবে, অন্যান্য চড়নদারদের আট আনা মাত্র ভাড়া লাগিবে। পাট বা বীচ ভিন্ন অন্য ফেরত মাল রামপুর বোয়ালিয়া বা গোদাগড়ীহইতে আনা যাইবে না, তাহাও আনিতে হইলে কেবল গোয়ালন্দ কি রামপুর বোয়ালিয়া বা গোদাগড়ীতে মাল চালান কার্য্যের অধ্যক্ষদের সঙ্গে বিশেষ বন্দোবস্ত করিয়া আনা যাইতে পারিবে।

ই, ডবলিউ, মলনি,
কমিশ্যনর।

TREASURY NOTICES.

MR. J. B. SHADWELL, Extra Assistant Commissioner, has been placed in charge of the Khasi and Jynteah Hills Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

HENRY HOPKINSON, *Agent, Governor-General, N. E. F., and Commr. of Assam.*

GOWHATTY, the 15th November 1873.

MR. A. BUROOAH, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, has been placed in charge of the Sibsagor Treasury, and is authorised to draw Bills on other Treasuries.

HENRY HOPKINSON,
Agent, Governor General, North-East Frontier, and Commissioner of Assam.

NOTICE.

THE following dates of the Criminal Sessions during the year 1874 are published for general information :—

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
First ...	Wednesday ...	14th January.
Second ...	Monday ...	16th February.
Third ...	Wednesday ...	18th March.
Fourth ...	Thursday ...	23rd April.
Fifth ...	Ditto ...	28th May.
Sixth ...	Tuesday ...	30th June.
Seventh ...	Monday ...	3rd August.
Eighth ...	Ditto ...	14th September.
Ninth ...	Ditto ...	30th November.

The 20th November 1873.

By order,
C. C. MACRAE, *Clerk of the Crown.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 909B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1874, will consist of 26,244 chests of Behar, and 18,756 chests of Benares Opium, being of the two seasons 1871-72 and 1872-73 in the proportions marginally noted. The sales will be held on or about the dates specified below. The Member in charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

	Chests.	Chests.
BEHAR.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	8	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	26,236	26,244
BENARES.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	16	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	18,740	18,756
Total ...		45,000

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 5th Jan. 1874	...	2,209	1,541	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	...	26,244	18,756	45,000

The following are the conditions of Sale :—

1. The Opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The Opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by Clause 12 of these Conditions of Sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M.; but if at that hour any of the lots advertized for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Member in charge, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday) at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or, if the whole quantity advertized shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Member in charge may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room, and before the lot is registered in the sale book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this Office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale: or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts, or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Member in charge shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.

On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.

On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.

And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

6. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the last-mentioned condition, if remaining unredeemed at 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

7. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of Opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted.

8. The Opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 4 o'clock of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, and in case any lots of such Opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth Condition or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Member in charge shall think fit, and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the Opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale.

9. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of Opium after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots, or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests originally required to be included in each certificate or order.

10. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present Conditions will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale book or his anthorized Agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

11. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall, on demand, tender at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal Receipts, or Government Securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these Conditions.

12. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually until a bid is obtained, and the first *bona fide* bidder for a lot after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these Conditions.

13. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same agency Opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the Opium to complete the said twenty-five.

14. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the Opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

15. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. No. 1, certificate of the Opium advertized for sale; No. 2, report of the examination of such Opium.

16. The public are hereby informed that, in providing the investment of the Behar and Benares Opium for the year 1872-73, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

17. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the Opium advertized for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Member in charge entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of Opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the Opium for shipment.

18. It is hereby further notified that under the 6th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March, 1815, quoted below, the Agents in India of the French Government, or persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that out of the quantities of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for sale at the twelve sales of the year 1874, there shall be delivered to them, at the average of the particular sale or sales to which the Opium so applied for may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make requisition specifying the quantity of Opium required by them at any particular sale, within thirty days from the advertisement of such intended sale, provided however that the Agents of the French Government may make such requisition for the whole quantity within thirty days from the publication of this notification. If the Agent of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time above mentioned, the entire quantity of about 45,000 chests of Behar and Benares, as above estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner; and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertized for sale at each or any of the twelve sales above mentioned, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

	Chests.
Behar	26,244
Benares	18,756
Total	45,000

Article of the convention above referred to.

Article VI.—"With regard to the trade in Opium, it is agreed between the high contracting parties that at each of the periodical sales of that article, there shall be reserved for the French Government, and delivered upon requisition duly made by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty, or by the persons duly appointed by them, the number of chests so supplied for provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken on account of the French Government by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred chests hereinbefore mentioned. The requisitions for Opium, as aforesaid, are to be addressed to the Governor-General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended sales shall have been published in the *Government Gazette*."—By order of the Member in charge.

T. B. LANE,
Secretary.

BOARD OF REVENUE,
Fort William, the 8th November 1873.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 869B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth or last Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 4th December 1873, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,500 Chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,125
Benares ,, ...	1,375
Total ...	3,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertized will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1872, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 19th December respectively; that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 9th December 1873, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 19th December 1873.

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 28th October 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 983B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, and 1872-73, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 5th January 1874, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,750 chests, viz.—

		1871-72.	1872-73.	Total.
Behar Opium	...	8	2,201	2,209
Benares ,,	...	16	1,525	1,541
Total		24	3,726	3,750

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1873, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th January respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 10th January 1874, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 20th January 1874.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the year 1874 on or about the dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. 1874	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	..	24,035	17,215	41,250

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 2nd December 1873.

STATEMENT shewing the quantity of Salt in store available for Exportation on Private Trade at each of the several Ports of Export in the undermentioned Districts.

Name of District.	Ports at which Salt is generally available for export on private trade.	Quantity remaining in store actually available for export on 1st October 1873.	REMARKS.
		Indian Mds.	
Ganjam	Bavanapadu at the Nowpadah Salt Pans	50,000	
Godavery	Cocanada	50,000	
Chingleput ..	Madras	....	
	Ennore	....	
	Covelong	....	
Tanjore ..	Negapatam	....	
	Katmavady	....	
	Total ..	1,00,000	

N.B.—Salt for export will be supplied by Government at the rates specified in the Notifications dated 21st March 1868 and 22nd April 1869, published at pages 737, *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 24th March 1868, and 673, dated 27th April 1869.

H. E. STOKES, *Acting Sub-Secretary.*

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE, *Madras, the 7th November* 1873.

PUBLISHED for general information.

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., Fort William, the 28th November 1873.

Statement showing the importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on the River Hooghly, subject to Customs Duty, on the 16th November 1873.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	687,919	.....	384,947	1,072,866
French Kurkutch...	14,660	.....	.....	14,660
Italian ,, ...	30,526	.....	.....	30,526
Bombay ,, ...	109,144	.....	2,575	111,719
Madras ,, ...	95,389	.....	19,276	114,665
Arabian and Persian Gulfs' Kurkutch and Muscat Rock	365,554	.....	194,875	560,429
Total ...	1,303,192	.....	601,673	1,904,865

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 27th November 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1873.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned estate, situated in the District of Burdwan, from 1873-74 to 1900 will be put up to sale at the Burdwan Collectorate on Friday, the 5th December 1873, corresponding with 21st Aughran 1280, B.S. :—

The purchasers of the estate will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The estate will be sold subject to a [light] jumma of Rs. 4 per annum to the highest bidder.

2nd.—The sale will be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers will be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

5th.—In addition to the ordinary Government revenue assessed upon the estates the purchaser shall be bound to pay for the construction of roads and improvement of communications, 1 per cent. on the Government revenue assessed from the date of entry upon the purchase. This sum will be leviable in the same manner as other arrear's of revenue.

6th.—The purchasers will be bound to perform the Patwary's duties.

No. in statement of Government estate.	No. on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government Revenue.			Upset price.	Remarks.
				Revenue assessed.	Road cess.	Total.		
				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		
64	4519	Kashipore, Pergunnah Raneehatty.	0 3 3	4 0 0	.....	4 0 0	.....	Proprietary right of Government to the estate from 1873-74 to 1900 to be sold.

E. H. WINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned land, situate in the District of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Moorshedabad Collectorate on the 19th December 1873, corresponding with 5th Poos 1280.

2. The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1*st.*—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2*nd.*—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3*rd.*—The plot will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders above the upset price.

Number of statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	77	A plot in Bajarpara, Mouzah Gopjan, Pergunnah Mahalandi, bounded on the east by a road in Chainpara; on the north by the land of Baboo Sheikh, a ryot of Chainpara; on the west by the lands of Mati Chain and Gopal Chain; and on the south by the land of Shiban Chain. Zemindar, Jogut Chunder Roy Chowdhoori. Ryots, Moti Chain and Gopal Chain and Shiban Chain ...	1 3 39	150 0 0	

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

জিলা মুরশিদাবাদ।

ইস্তাহারনামা কাছারি কালেক্টরী জেলা মুরশিদাবাদ এই যে,

ইহার দ্বারা সম্বাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে অত্র জেলার মধ্যস্থিত নিম্নলিখিত ভূমিখণ্ডে গবর্ণমেণ্টের যে মালিক স্বত্ব আছে তাহা অত্র জেলার কালেক্টরি কাছারিতে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ১৯ ডিসেম্বর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সালের ৫ পৌষ শুক্রবারে বিক্রয় হইবেক।

এই ভূমি যাঁহারা ক্রয় করিবেন তাঁহারদিগের নিম্নলিখিত নিয়মের অধীনে থাকিতে হইবে।

১। এক শত টাকার অনধিক পণ হইলে সেই সমুদয় টাকা তৎক্ষণাৎ দিতে হইবে।

২। একশত টাকার অধিক পণ হইলে ডাকপণের চতুর্থাংশের একাংশ তৎক্ষণাৎ দাখিল করিতে হইবে বিক্রয়ের দিবস এক দিন ধরিয়া গণনা করিলে বিক্রয়ান্তর পঞ্চদশ দিবসের মধ্যাহ্নকালে কিম্বা সেই দিন বন্দের দিন হইলে তৎপরে প্রথম যে দিন কাছারি খোলা যাইবে সেই দিনের মধ্যাহ্ন কালে যদি অবশিষ্ট টাকা দাখিল না হয় তবে বিক্রয় রহিত ও গচ্ছিত টাকা গবর্ণমেণ্টে জব্দ হইবে ও প্রথম স্থলীয় বিক্রয়ের ন্যায় পুনর্ব্বার বিজ্ঞাপন প্রকাশ পূর্ব্বক ঐ ত্রুটিকারি ক্রেতার ঝুঁকিতে এই খণ্ড ভূমি পুনরায় বিক্রয় হইবে।

৩। নিম্নলিখিত ভূমি যে কেহ নিলামের প্রথম ডাক হইতে সর্ব্বাপেক্ষা অধিক ডাকিবেন তাঁহার নিকট ঐ ভূমি লাখেরাজরূপে বিক্রয় করা যাইবে ইতি। সন ১৮৭৩ সাল তারিখ ১৭ অক্টোবর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সাল তারিখ ২ কার্ত্তিক।

রাজকীয় মাহালের কৈফিয়তের নম্বর।	জেলার বহিতে নম্বর।	মাহাল এবং পরগনা।	পরিমাণ যত একর।	ধার্য্য করা রাজস্ব।	নীলামের প্রথম ডাক।	মন্তব্য।
০	৭৭	পরগনে মহনন্দীর অন্তঃপাতি মৌজে গোপজানের সামিল বাজার পাড়ার মধ্যে চাক্রী পাড়ার রাস্তার পশ্চিম, চাক্রী পাড়ার প্রজা বাবু সেখের জমীর দক্ষিণ, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রীর জমীর পূর্ব্ব, শিবন চাক্রীর জমীর উত্তর জমাদার জগচ্চন্দ্র রায় চৌধুরির প্রজা শিবন চাক্রী, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রী	১।৩।৩৯	০	১৫০৲	

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of East Burdwan will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 3rd day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-Settled Estates.

Number in the rent roll.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government Revenue.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	
27	Shahapore and others, Pergunnah Jahangirabad.	Chowdhory Golam Rohoman, Nocoor Chunder Shaha, Kristoprosunno Mozoomdar, Jurifunnessa Bibee, Gooroo Dass Koondoo, Kofiluddin *alias* Doonoomea, Kangali Churn Shaha, and Shehatannessa Bibee.	8,569 1 10	Out of the total amount of Government Revenue, separate accounts have been opened on behalf of the undermentioned shareholders, and they have paid up their quotas, viz:— Jurifunnessa Bibee for Rs. 1,391-3-3; Nocoor Chunder Shaha for Rs. 904-4-6; Kofiluddin *alias* Doonoomea for Rs. 834-11-6; Gooroo Dass Koondoo for Rs. 208-10-11; Kangali Churn Shaha for Rs. 208-10-11; Shehatannessa Bibee for Rs. 904-4-6; The estate to be sold for arrears of Government Revenue only.
158	Shumoodrogouree, Pergunnah Shatshocka.	Rohimunnessa Bibee, Koylash Chundra De Chowdhory, Gobin Chand Nundy, and Nilcomul De Chowdhory.	2,710 8 11	In this estate general registry has been recorded in the names of different personages under Section 41 of Act XI of 1859, as stated below:— Kedarnath Chuckerbutty, putnidar of 8as. share of 9 mouzahs, viz: Kypookooriah and others for Rs. 900; Beny Madhub Mullick, putnidar of 2as. share of Shumoodrogori and Hurshoona, and 1 anna 8 gundas 1 cowree share of 16 mouzahs of Shinghoojooley for Rs. 293-2-2. Bunomalee Nundy, putnidar of 8as. share of mouzah Neiz Shumoodrogori and Hurshoona &c., and three-fourths of 5 annas 13 gundas 1 cowree 1 krantee share of 15 mouzahs, Putty Thakoordara and others; in all 17 mouzahs general registry for Rs. 726-6-7. The estate to be sold for arrears of government revenue only.
174	Gowara, Pergunnah Mamdanipore.	Kristodeb Bhuttacherjee ...	727 14 7	1st Class.—Permanently settled estate. The estate to be sold for arrears of Government Revenue only.

E. H. WHINFIELD, *Offg. Collector.*

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE, the 29th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of 24-Pergunnahs, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 5th day of December 1873, corresponding with 21st Augrahon 1280, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day September 1873:—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

No. 658, Kismut Pergunnah Baliah, Turf Sreekistopore, recorded proprietor Ramdhun Bose and others; sudder jumma, including police charges, Rs. 1,141-12-1.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Collector.*

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, 24-PERGUNNAHS, the 27th October 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 5, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of Sarun, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December 1873, corresponding with 6th Poos 1281 F.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873 in lieu of 28th September 1873:—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

Serial No.	Towjee No.	
1	1751	Mehal Telpa Boozoorg, Pergunnah Chirand; recorded proprietors, Rai Baboo Shewgholam Sah Bahadur and others; Sudder Jumma, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 1,267-8.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

2	2294	Mehal Bajraha, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ramanugreh Opadhia and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 172-0-1½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

3	2303	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raj Coomar Singh and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 640.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

4	2329	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raghoonath Sahai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 438-11-11½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

5	2411	Mehal Tarya, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Issardut and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 744-13-4¾.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

6	2433	Mehal Chhap Sudershurn, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ritbarun Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 344-11-1.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

7	2523	Mehal Saguni, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Brijraj Kuer and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 1,536.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

8	2615	Mehal Kewani, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Barumdeo Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 626-10-2¼ deducting Rs. 261-14-9 for which separate accounts have been opened, and Rs. 357-14-11¼, the share of the Ijmali proprietors for which revenue has been paid, the share of Barumdeo Rai bearing a revenue of Rs. 6-12-6 for which separate account has been opened and in respect of which balance has accrued shall be sold.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

9	2664	Mehal Mushruk, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Mussamut Mitto Bibi and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 250-10-6½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

10	2813	Mehal Amnour Madur, Pergunnah Makair; recorded proprietors, Jobraj Sing and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 2,443-15-2¼.

SARUN COLLECTORATE, the 25th October 1873. G. G. DEY, *For Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام بابت بقیہ مالگذاری سرکار

واضح ہو کہ حسب دفعہ ۶ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع کے یہہ محالات مرقومہ الذیل ضلع سارن
مین بابت بقیہ مالگذاری سرکار و دیگر دعوی جو از روے دستورات وقوانین مجاریہ موافق
باقی مالگذاری سرکار کے بتاریخ ۸ اکتوبر بیحساب سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع واجب الوصول ہی بروز
چارشنبہ تاریخ دہم ۵ دسمبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع مطابق ۶ پوس سنہ ۱۲۸۱ فصلی کچہری مین صاحب
کلکٹر اوسی ضلع کے بلا عذر و عام نیلام مین رکہا جائیگا:—

نمبر توزیع	نام محال	قسم اول	قسم مطالبہ
۱۷۵۱	محال تیلپا براگ پرگنہ چراند جنکی جمع صدر ۶۴۳۱ روپیہ ۸ آنہ ۱ پائی	باستثناے جمع ۹۷ روپیہ ۲ آنہ ۸ پائی	باقیمالگذاری سرکار

رول شدہ بمراد ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ حصہ دہندہان حصہ اجمالی
راے بابو شیو غلام شاہ بہادر وغیرہ نادہندہان جمعی ۷۶۲۱ روپیہ ۸ آنہ
بعلت باقی مبلغ ۹ روپیہ ۳ آنہ ۶ پائی کے نیلام ہوگا۔

۶۶۹۴ محال بیرا ها پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۲۲۶ روپیه ۱۴ با ستثناے ۰۵۴ روپیه ایضا
انه ۱۱ ½ پائي ۴۱ انه ۰۱ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ حصه دهندان کے حصه اجمالي
رام انو گره او پدهیا وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۲۷۱ روپیه ۱ ½ انه بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۶ روپیه ۸ انه ۳ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۰۳ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۰۴۳ روپیه هي ایضا
وخانه مالگذارمین نام کمهار سنگه وغیره کالکها جاتا هي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۶ روپیه ۳ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۲۹ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۳۵ روپیه ۱۳ انه باستثناے جمع ۳۹ ایضا
۵ ½ پائي روپیه ۱۱ انه ۶ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے حصه اجمالي
رگهوناتهه سهاے وغیره نا دهدان جمعي ۸۳۴ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱۱ ½
پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۴ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۱۱ محال تریا پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۴۴۱ روپیه ۱ انه باستثناے جمع ۶۹۶ ایضا
۳ پائي روپیه ۳ انه ۸ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے حصه
اجمالي ایشردت وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۴۴۷ روپیه ۱۳ انه
۴ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۲۳ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۰۱ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۳۳ محال چهاب سود رشن پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۲۸ روپیه باستثناے جمع ۶۷۴ ایضا
۵ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۰۱ انه ۳ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان اجمالي رتیبرن
راے وغیره نا دهدان جمعي ۴۴۳ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۱۳ روپیه ۸ انه ۷ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۵۲۳ محال سگونے پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۳۵۱ روپیه هي ایضا
وخانه مالگذارمین نام برج راج کنور وغیره کالکها جاتا هي بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۰۱ انه ۲ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۱۵ محال کیواني پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۶۲۶ روپیه ۰۱ باستثناے جمع ۱۶۲ ایضا
انه ۲ ½ پائي روپیه ۱۴ انه ۹ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۵۷ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۱۱ ½ پائي
جمع اجمالي حصه دهندان کے برهمدیوراے وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۶۲
روپیه ۱ انه ۶ پائي تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۷۵
بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱ روپیه ۴ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۶۴ محال مسرکه پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر ۳۶۰۱ باستثناے جمع ۱۲۸ ایضا
روپیه ۷ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۱۲ انه ۹ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے
حصه اجمالي مسماة متوبي بي وغیره نا دهندان جمعي
۰۵۲ روپیه ۶۰۱ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۴ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۷ ½
پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۸۱۳ محال امنور بانهر پرگنه بکیر جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۲۴۸۵ باستثناے جمع ۱۰۰۴۱ ایضا
روپیه ۱ انه ۳ ½ پائي روپیه ۲ انه ۱ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے
حصه اجمالي جوبراج سنگه وغیره نا دهندان جمعي ۲۴۳۴ روپیه ۱۵
انه ۲ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۲۹ روپیه ۷ انه ۴ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

حرر في التاریخ ۲۲ اکتوبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع

G. G. DEY,
For Offg. Collector.

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6 of Act XI of 1859 and Section 3 of Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the under-mentioned estate in the district of Rungpore, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd Pous 1280 B.S., corresponding to 17th December 1873.

Class I.—Permanently settled estate.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue No. 7, Mouzah Monbhasa, &c., Chakla Futtehpore. The shares of the recorded proprietors, Tara Mohun Chaudhuree, Brojokissoree Dasya, Ishan Chunder Choudhuree, Hurro Soondaree Dabya, Choudhuranee, Mutteeulla Kutoobulla, Bhyrub Chundra Choudhuree, Amirulla minor, Shona Bibee, Maharajah Nreependra Narain Bhoop Bahadur, Dhunnessuree Dasya, Nilkant Surmah, Joyantee Dabya, Mahamed Sadatulla, for himself and Sadatullah and Komoruddeen, on behalf of Anaitullah minors, Barada Sundaree Dabya and Bama Sundary Gupta Choudhuranee, having been separated under Sections 10 and 11 of Act XI of 1859 are exempted. The shares of Hurro Chundra Gossamee, Hurish Chundra Roy, Protab Mul Rakha *alias* Nanka Rokha Abeenessa Khatoon and Jadu Nath Shah Chowdry, are to be sold, the revenue of the shares to be sold is Rs. 746-8. The revenue of the entire estate is Rs. 6,554-13-8.

RUNGPORE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 3rd November 1373. E. G. GLAZIER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the under-mentioned estates in the District of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 22nd December 1873 corresponding with 8th Pous 1280, for arrears of revenue and for other demands, which by Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, which were due on the 8th October 1873 corresponding with 23rd Assin 1280, on which day the office re-opened after the Dasahara vacation.

No. 62.—Mehal Ghop Silunda, Pergunnah Sinduri, recorded proprietors, Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan Lahiry and others. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,859-10-2 of which Rs. 409-0-1 are to be deducted on account of the share of Annapurna Dasya, Hur Sundari Devya and others, with whom a separate account has been opened under the provisions of Section 10 of Act II of 1859, and the joint share of Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan, Lahiry Chundi Prosad Mozoomdar, Mahamed Ahasan, Gopi Nath Sanyal, Ram Nath Sircar, Kali Churan Singh and others, and Syama Soonduri Dassya, and others, and Golam Abbas, Nazaruddin Chandhari, Mahamed Esrail, Fakoruddin Mahamed Assan, *alias* Azimuddin Choudhari and Anandamoni Dasya, will be sold for Rs. 295-7-4, being the balance of Rs. 1,450-10-1, their share of the revenue.

No 1120.—The recently accreted chur of Taraf Bharara, Pergunnah Bajuras Nazirpur, recorded proprietors, Mahahutnissa Sagirannessa Bibi, Tarabali Khan, Azimunnessa Bibi, Sonajan Bibi—Santamoni Devya, Mothoora Nath and Jodu Nath Mozoomdar, Saroda Soondari Devya, Hari Mohan, Har Nath, and Krishna Nath Pal, Ram Dhan Saha Umarannissa and Elahibaksh Khan. Sudder Jumma Rs. 755-14-11, will be sold for Rs. 189-6-7 being the balance of Government revenue due.

PUBNA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873. R. PORCH, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the District of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 15th day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1873.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Ali Poholla, proprietor, Tripuracharan Roy. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs 994-0-6.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Baseer Hanif, proprietor Jafer Ali. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs. 173.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 1279.—Taraf Joyram Chowdry, proprietor, Abdool Odood Furkhond Bakt, Jahirnepa, Mobarek Bakt, Nozumnepa, Taznepa, Karinnepa and Mafiznepa. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,420-5.

C. L. CLAY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in Zillah Gya, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Gya Collector's Office of that district, on the 15th December 1873, corresponding with 11th Poos 1281 Fusli, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Act in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1873:—

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Toujee number.	Name of Mehal and Pergunnah.	Sudder Jumma.	Name of Proprietors.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.		
879	Jugdispur Arandi, Pergunnah Goh.	503 12 0	Mussamut Wajdey Bagam, *alias* Wajdey Bagam, Meir Kader Ally, Raja Khan Bahadoor Khan Bahadoor, Ogar Singh, Bundho Singh, Gangoo Singh, Ajeet Singh, Deodhary Singh, Chadee Singh, Kashee Singh, Doorga Singh, Kishondhary Singh, Ahibran Singh, Ritbharan Singh, Umrit Singh, Khoob Lal Singh, Sonet Singh, Bichun Singh, Mussamut Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, Deonaraen Singh, Kashi Singh, Permashur Singh, proprietors and revenue-payers.	The share of Doorga Singh, Kishun Dhary Singh, Ahibran Singh, Ritbaran Singh, Umrit Singh, and Khoob Lal Singh, alone bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 68-4, accounts of which had been separated under Act XI of 1859, and in which there was a balance of Rs. 8-2, will be sold. The revenue with respect to the remaining shares have been paid.
896	Dundowan, Pergunnah Goh.	1,226 12 0	Gokholanund Zemidar Singh, Bundhoo Singh, Pitamber Singh, Gangoo Singh, Ogar Singh, Doorga Singh, Kishindhary Singh, Ahebaran Singh, Rutharan Singh, Umrit Singh, Khoob Lal Singh, Permashur Singh, Mussamut Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, proprietors and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 981-6 had been separated under Act XI of 1859. These have been paid up, but their remain a balance of 8 annas in the Ijmalee share of Bundhoo Singh, Pitamber Singh, Gangoo Singh, Agar Singh, Musst. Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 184; and a further balance of Rs. 15-5 remains in the share of Permashur Singh, whose accounts of a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 61-6 was separated under Act XI of 1859, total balance Rs. 15-13, for the recovery of which the shares specified above will be sold.
1171	Gowhurpur, Sindbaree.	6,105 12 0	Deyanat Roy, Mussamut Jasoda Kuer, Moonshee Syed Ameer Ally, Mussamut Museerrun Roop Chand Saha, Kalee Dutt, Paran Sing, Sham Lall Singh, himself and guardian of Chotoo Singh, Cousin, minor, Bhekdhary Singh, Jhuman Singh, proprietors, and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 2,693-4 were separated under Act XI of 1859, which has been paid. There now remains a balance of Rs. 325-9 in the Ijmalee share of Deyanat Roy, Moonshee Syed Ameer Ally, Mussamut Naseeran Roop Chand Saha and Kalee Dutt, and Paran Singh and Sham Lall, for themselves and as guardians for Chotoo Singh the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 3,412-8, and for the recovery of that balance the Ijmalee share above specified will be sold.
2995	Binda, &c. Pergunnah Sherghotty.	1,278 15 0	Doorga Pershad, Bolbhadur Sahoy, Ram Narain, Het Narain, Goordyal Singh, Kishoon Sahoy, Hem Chander Lal, Rutten Singh, Doarka Nath, Hurrehar Nath, Runjeet Singh, Moharaj Singh, Akbowree Moharaj Singh, Gowree Shunker, Dindyal Singh, Beehary Lall, Akhowree Bundoo Lall, Akhowree Beharee Lall Akhowree Jugdiss Sahoy, Akhowree Sheo Narain, Shunker Dyal, Ishur Dyal, Pudya *alias* Raja Padhya, Akhowree Sheo Persad, Mothora Persad, Ramanoograh Lall, himself and guardian of Akhowree Ramkissen Lall, *alias* Chadee Lall, minor, Rawlashur Dyal, Goomanee Lal, Akhowree Gajadhar Persad, Gooshoe Sheo Sahoy, Geer Noonoo Padhya, Kissen Sahoy, Ram Chander Lall, Mohant Roop Narain Geer, Akbowree Rambux Lall, proprietors and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to different shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 746-1 have been separated under Act XI of 1859, and the revenue thereof paid up, this balance of Rs. 59-12 remains in the Ijmalee share of Doorga Sing, Balbadhur Sahoy, Ram Narain, Het Narain Goordyal Singh, Ruttun Sing, Doarka Nath, Runjeet Singh, Moharaj Singh, Akhowree Moharaj Singh, Gowree Shunker, Dindyal Singh, Beharee Lall, Akhowree Bundoo Lall, Akhowree Beharee Lall, Akhowree Jugdiss Sahoy, Shunker Dyal, Noonoo Padhya, and Akhowree Rambux Lall, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 532-14, and this share alone will accordingly be sold.

DHONESH C. ROY,
Deputy Collector in charge, for Collector on Tour.

GYA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873.

اشتہار نیلام بحکم انچارج کلکٹر بہادر ضلع گیا

کچہری کلکٹری ضلع گیا

اشتہار نامہ نیلام مطابق دفعہ ۶ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع

واضح باد کہ محال مندرجہ ذیل بابت باقی مالگذاری سرکار و دیگر دعوی جو مطابق آئین و قانون مجاریہ کے موافق باقی مالگذاری سرکار کے بتاریخ ۸ ماہ اکتوبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع واجب الوصول ہے بتاریخ ۱۵ ماہ ڈسمبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع مطابق ۱۱ ماہ پوس سنہ ۱۲۸۱ فصلی روز دوشنبہ کو کچہری میں صاحب کلکٹر اس ضلع کے بلا عذر سب کے سامنے نیلام ہوگا۔

نمبر توزیع	نام محال و پرگنہ	جمع صدر	نام مالکان	کیفیت
نمبر ۸۷۹	چکدیس پورا رندی پرگنہ گوہ	۵۰۳-۱۴	مسماہ واحدہ بیگم عرف والدہ بیگم ومیر قادر علی وراجہ خان بہادر خان بہادر رواگر سنگہ وبندھو سنگہ وگنگو سنگہ رجپت سنگہ ودوندھاری سنگہ وچندی سنگہ وکاشی سنگہ ودرگا سنگہ وکشن دھاری سنگہ ورہبرن سنگہ ورتیبرن سنگہ وامرت سنگہ وخوب لعل سنگہ وسوئیب سنگہ وبیکن سنگہ ومسماہ سیتا کنور ورام لوچن سنگہ ودیونراین سنگہ وکاشی سنگہ وپرمیشر سنگہ مالکان مالگذاران	محال ھذا میں حصہ چندی سنگہ وکاشی سنگہ بجمع صدر ۳۷-۱۲ موجب اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع و حصہ سونپ سنگہ و بیکن بجمع صدر ۴۳-۲ بموجب اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع تحصیل وصول علیحدہ ہوتا ہے وہ دونو حصہ بیباق ہے وحصہ مسماہ واحدہ بیگم عرف والدہ بیگم ومیر قادر علی وراجہ خان بہادر خان بہادر رواگر سنگہ وبندھو سنگہ گنگو سنگہ ورجپت سنگہ ودیودھاری سنگہ ومسماہ سیتا کنور ورام لوچن سنگہ ودیونراین سنگہ وکاشی سنگہ وپرمیشر سنگہ بجمع صدر ۳۶۳-۱۰ بصیغہ اجمال تحصیل وصول ہوتا ہے وہ بھی بیباق ہے اور یہہ باقی ۸-۲ بحصہ درگا سنگہ وکشن دھاری سنگہ ورہبرن سنگہ ورتیبرن سنگہ وامرت سنگہ وخوب لعل سنگہ کہ جسکا جمع صدر ۶۸-۴ بموجب اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع ہے جاہیئے۔
نمبر ۸۹۶	دندانوان پرگنہ گوہ	۱۲۲۶-۱۲	گوکہلا نند وزمیندار سنگہ وبندھو سنگہ وتیمور سنگہ وگانگو سنگہ وراگر سنگہ ودرگا	محال ھذا میں حصہ گوکہلا نند بجمع صدر ۷۶۰-۹ وحصہ

		سنگه وکشن دهاري سنگه و ورهبرن سنگه ورتیبرن سنگه وامرت سنگه وخوب لعل سنگه وپرمیشر سنگه ومسماة سیتا کنور ورام لوچن سنگه مالکان ومالگذاران	زمیندار سنگه بجمع صدر ۹۸-۱ وحصه درکا سنگه وکشن دهاري سنگه ورهبرن سنگه ورتیبرن سنگه وامرت سنگه وخوب لعل سنگه بجمع صدر ۱۲۲-۱۲ بموجب اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع تحصیل وصل علیحده هوتا هے وه سب حصه بے باقي هے مگر مبلغ ۸ آنه ذمه بند هو سنگه وتیمر سنگه وکانکو سنگه واگر سنگه ومسماة سیتا کنور ورام لوچن سنگه که بصیغه اجمال بجمع صدر ۱۸۴ هے باقي چاهیئے اور علاوه اسکے مبلغ ۵-۱ حصه پرمیشر سنگه که جمع صدر ۶۱-۶ بموجب اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع تحصیل علیحده هوتا هے باقي چاهیئے * محال هذا مین حصه جهمن سنگه به نسبت حصه بنسور ا بجمع صدر ۴۹-۴ وحصه مسماة جسودا کنور بجمع مبلغ ۲۶۴۴ بموجب اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع تحصیل وصول علیحده هوتا هے وه سب بیباق هے اور یهه باقي ۳۲۵-۹ بصیغه اجمال ذمه دیانت راے ومنشي سید امیر علي ومسماة بصیرن وروپ چند ساهو وکالي دت وپران سنگه وشام لعل خودها وایان چهوتو سنگه برادر عموي حقیقي وتیلکهه دهاري سنگه جسکا جمع صدر مبلغ ۳۴۱۲-۸ هے چاهیئے *
نمبر ۱۱۷	گوهرپور سندواري وغیره پرگنه کابر	۶۱۰۵-۱۱	دیانت راے ومسماة جسودا کنور ومنشي سید امیر علي ومسماة بصیرن وروپ چند ساهو وکالي دت وپران وشام لعل خودها وایان چهوتو سنگه برادر عموي حقیقي وتیلکهه دهاري سنگه وجهمن سنگه مالکان	

۲۹۹۵	بندا وغیرہ پرگنہ شہرگھاٹی	۱۲۷۸-۱۵	دگا پرشاد و بلبھدر سہاے و رام نراین وسیب نراین و گورد یال سنگھ و کشن سہاے و رام چندر لعل و رتن سنگھ و دوارکا ناتھ و ہرہرناتھ و رنجیت سنگھ و مہاراج سنگھ واگھوری مہاراج سنگھ و دیند یال سنگھ و بیاری لعل واگھوری بندہو لعل واگھوری بہاری لعل واگھوری جگدیب سہاے واگھوری شیو نراین و شنکر دیال وایشر دیال پدھیا عرف راجا پدھیا واگھوری شیو پرشاد و متھورا پرشاد و رام انوگرہ لعل خود والی اگھوری رام کشن لعل عرف چندی لعل نابالغ و کولیسر دیال وکالی لعل و اگھوری گجادھر پرشاد و گوسائین شیو سہاے کر و نونون پدھیا و کشن سہاے و رام چندر لعل و مہنتہ وپ نراین کر واگھوری رام بخش لعل مالکان و مالگذاران	محال ھذا میں حصہ کشن سہاے و رام چندر لعل بجمع صدر ۳۸۰-۳ و حصہ اگھوری شیو نراین بجمع صدر ۷۰-۹ و حصہ اگھوری شیو پرشاد واگھوری متھورا پرشاد و رام انوگرہ لعل خود والی اگھوری رام کشن لعل عرف چندی لعل نابالغ بجمع صدر ۷۰-۲ و حصہ اگھوری گجادھر پرشاد بجمع صدر ۳۱-۶ و حصہ اگھوری کولیسر دیال وکالی لعل و ہرہرناتھ بجمع صدر ۹۴ و حصہ اگھوری کشن سہاے و رامچندر لعل بجمع صدر ۷۰-۲ و حصہ گوسائین شیو سہاے کر نسبت حصہ امہان بجمع صدر ۳۰-۳ و حصہ مہنتہ روپ نراین کر بجمع صدر ۱۲-۵ و حصہ ایسر دیال پدھیا عرف راجہ پدھیا نسبت حصہ گمہرا بجمع صدر ۱۲-۸ بموجب اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۸۵۹ ع تحصیل وصول علیحدہ ہوتا ہے و ۸ سب حصہ بیباق ہے اور بہہ ۵۹-۱۲ باقی بحصہ اجمال ذمہ دگا پرشاد و بلبھدر سہاے و رام نراین و سیب نراین وگورد یال سنگھ و رتن سنگھ و دوارکا ناتھ و رنجیت سنگھ ومہاراج سنگھ واگھوری مہاراج سنگھ وگوری شنکر و دیند یال سنگھ وبہاری لعل واگھوری بندہو لعل و اگھوری بہاری لعل واگھوری جگدیب سہاے و شنکر دیال و نونون پدھیا واگھوری رام بخش لعل کہ جسکا جمع صدر ۵۳۲-۱۴ ہے چاہیئے ۔

تحریر ۱ ریخ پنجم ماہ نومبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ ع

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of January 1874, corresponding with Monday, the 22nd Poos 1280, B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 1-0.—Allumpore, Pergunnah Allumpore; recorded proprietors, Ramini Soondiree Chowdharani, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 42,638-13-6, and Police Rs. 482-4-5. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 18,564-12-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 241-2-1½ on account of Police.

No. 17-0.—Dehi Alpha, Pergunnah Bugwan; recorded proprietors, Shantiram Rai and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 4,046-2-2½, and Police Rs. 44-14-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 159-3-1½ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 117-0.—Chandi, Pergunnah Pauznour; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,123-1-4, and Police Rs. 64-9-2. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 619-11-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 242.—Dehi Hejoolee, Pergunnah Mamjooni; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 955-13-10, and Police Rs. 12. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 373-15-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 6 on account of Police.

No. 338-0.—Turuf Majrhud, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Goluck Chandra Mookerjea and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 799-5-3¾. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 1-12-10¼ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 438-0.—Turuf Ranaghat, Pergunnah Ranaghat; recorded proprietors, Issar Chandra Pal Choudhari and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 818-3-7, and Police Rs. 9-2-6. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 236-5-5 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 477-0.—Turuf Shampore, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Kala Chand Chakravarti and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 553-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 23-5-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estates.

No. 2179.—Chur Shamnuggur, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Mr. J. B. Mackintosh and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 523-9-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 43-10-9 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 2769-0.—Chur Notidanga, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Dinonath Mookerjee and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 517-3-10. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs 5-13-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 3165.—Mouzah Mooralidanga, Pergunnah Ookrah; recorded proprietors, Jebonnessa Bebee and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 552-11-4. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 0-10-4 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

NUDDEA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 10th November 1873. C. C. STEVENS, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Jessore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 18th December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

No. 134.—Kismat Kooshaberia, Pergunnah Onoopampur; recorded proprietors, Fakeerchand Telee Mandal and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 2,369-3-6. The first share of the estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 304-9-6, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Kishto Chandra Ghose and others, and Bushtab Charan Telee Mandal and others, Sudder Jummas Rs. 239-12-2, and Rs. 499-4-10, respectively, with whom separate accounts have ben opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 273.—Kismat Sreepoor Moujab, Pergunnah Imadpore; recorded proprietors, Ananda Chundra Chowdhuri and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 3137-3-9. The first share of the entire estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 6-2-7, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Menoka Soondari Dassia and Uma Cantha Gooha, Sudder Jumma Rs. 25 and Rs. 221-12-7, respectively, with whom separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 4575.—Talook Pergunnah Bhatla; recorded proprietor, Rajah Baroda Kant Roy Bahadur; Sudder Jumma of the estate, Rs. 5087-1-7¾. To be sold for arrears of Rs. 47-0-10½.

No. 5041.—Dehi Karora, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor, Ananda Lall Chowdhury and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 934-7-6. The estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-6-9, after deducting the second, third, fourth, and fifth shares of the proprietors Ram Narain Chowdhury and others, Mothoora Nath Acharja and others, Mathoora Nath Acharja and others, and Brommo Roop Gossami, Sudder Jumma Rs. 194-10-10, 166-267-1-5½, and 167-14-8, respectively.

JESSORE COLLECTORATE, the 8th November 1873. A. SMITH, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the District of Tirhoot, will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's office of that District, on the 5th day of December 1873, corresponding with 1st Poos 1281 Fusli, for arrears of revenue due on the 8th October 1873:—

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 652.—Mouzah Kherajat Julkur Bunkur, Pergunnah Haveli Durbhungah; recorded proprietors, Hurungee Chowdhery, Fukhurooddeen, Bujrungee Sahai, Keolaput, Shaik Hydur Ally, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 871-2. of which Jumma of Rs. 82-0-10 have been separated. The estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 789-1-11 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 21-11-3.

No. 682.—Abool Hussonpore, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Teelukdharee Singh, Doorgadutt, Dhanukdharee Singh, Runnoo Singh, Dabee Dutt, Hunooman Dutt, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 834-3-2. After deducting the revenue, Rs. 556-6-6, separated, the estate, with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 277-12-8, will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 39-7-3.

No. 692.—Mouzah Banthoo Hurbunse, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Kunchun Singh Thakoor, Karee Singh, Ghunnoo Singh, Dwarka Nath, Ajut Roy, Dhamak Roy, Indurjeet Singh, Mukrund Singh, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,931-12-2. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 1,476-12-9, separated, the estate with Sudder Jumma of Rs. 454-15-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 46-14-6.

No. 706.—Buriarpore Kandh, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Ramdayal Singh, Purbhoo Narain, Bunwareelall, Shewpursad, Mahesh Dutt, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 828-10-11. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 358-15-5, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 469-11-6 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 24-7.

No. 771.—Mouzah Russoolpore Wahid, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarah; recorded proprietors, Chatursal Singh and Mussamut Nagbunsi Koour; Sudder Jumma Rs. 2,641-10-5. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 2,067-6-2, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 574-4-3 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 48-11-10.

No. 1103.—Talooqah Narawan, Pergunnah Gudh Choowd; recorded proprietor, Surub Narain Singh; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,199-7-8. After deducting Government revenue, Rs. 1,058-9-3, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 140-14-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 16-3-2.

No. 1692.—Talooqah Saree, Pergunnah Kusmah; recorded proprietors, Doond Bahadoor Singh, Brijlall Singh, Goorpersad Singh, Joy Narain Singh, Bharosee Chowdhery, and others; Sudder Jumma, 1,382-10-4. After deducting Government Revenue, Rs. 1,152-5-11, separated the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 230-4-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 36-9-9.

No. 2114.—Rohuya Rajaram, Chukla Nyee, Pergunnah Bissarah; recorded proprietors, Durjon Roy, Bunwajit Singh, Gungaram Hurbunse Singh, Talla Singh, Dhoutal Singh, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 560-7. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 41-3.

No. 2953.—Mouzah Busuntpore Khedruk, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietor, Moonshee Ameer Ally; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 576-13-3. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 36-1-4.

No. 3004.—Mouzah Hoossenipore Pagumburpore, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietors, Puhalu Chowdhery, Jeon Chowdhery, Birjee Chowdhery, Adhum Chowdhery, Sahun Chowdhery, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 545-1-1. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 351-10, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 193-7-1 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 21-6-11.

No. 30049.—Mouzah Essahpore Asulkhunee Moktearpore, and Poorwariputty, &c., appertaining to Surmustpore, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietors, Shah Husaan Ally, Moorad Ally, Shaik Noor Ally, Shaik Kurm Ally, Ahmud Ally, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 4,449-14-8. After deducting the Government revenue, 4,228-8, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 221-6-8 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 51-9-11.

No. 3106.—Mouzah Mahtearpore Sulkhuni, Pergunnah Surresseh; recorded proprietors, Paran Rout, Dahaur Rout, Joogee Missor, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,174-6-5. After deducting Rs. 52-1, the estate will be sold with the Sudder Jumma of Rs.1,122-5-5 for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 46-15-11.

No. 4133.—Mouzah Mudhurapore, Pergunnah Jakhur; recorded preprietor, Shem Sahai Roy; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 676-2-5. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs 10-0-5.

No. 5117.—Bhugwanpore Pukri, Pergunnah Bissarah, Chukla Gurjowl; recorded proprietors, Kullain Muhton, Deena Muhton, Shewgobind Chowdhery, Gowri Lall, and Jhoonttee Gain. With the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 567-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 9-7-7.

No. 5130.—Tajpore Pooraina, Chukla Gurjowl, Pergunnah Bissarrah; recorded proprietors, Mouzum Ally Khan, Anunt Lall, Mehdi Ally Khan, Mussamut Kumrnissah, and others. With Sudder Jumma Rs. 570-9-4, will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 32-14-8.

No. 6017.—Mouzah Pokhrawah Boozroog, Pergunnah Ahilwarrah; recorded proprietors, Jhoomuk Singh, Jugmahun Chowdhery, Toolshee Dutt Chowdhery, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 703-8-11. After deducting the Government revenue, Rs. 131-8-6, separated, the estate with the Sudder Jumma of Rs. 572-0-5 will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 65-11.

No. 7447.—Mouzah Tengrahagashainpore, Pergunnah Marwahkullan; recorded proprietors, Mussamut Pabutty Koour and Ram Doolaree Koour; Sudder Jumma Rs. 992-8-10. Will be sold for arrears of revenue amounting to Rs. 17-14.

H. W. GORDON, *Covd. Dy. Collector, for Collector.*

TIRHOOT COLLECTORATE, the 1st November 1873.

اس تحریر کي روسے خاص وعام کو دفعه ۶ اکٹ ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع کے مطابق اطلاع دیجاتي هی
که علاقجات موسومه ذیل موقوعه ضلعترهت بعلت زر باقي وغیره مطالبه جنکو قوانین اور یکتون متمبنه کے
روسے وصول کرنا جائز هی اور اس زر باقي اور مطالبه کو تا تاریخ ۸ اکتوبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع تاریخ
غایت ادائے مالگذاری سرکار ادا کرنا واجب تها بالضرور تاریخ ۵ دسمبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع
مطابق یکم ماه پوس سنه ۱۲۸۱ فصلي روز جمع کچهری ضلع ترهت مین نیلام هوگا*

محالات بند وبستي استمراري

اقسام نمبر	نمبر توزیع	نام مالک ومالگذار وصدر جمع	کیفیت
نمبر ۱	نمبر ۶۵۲	خراجات جنکر وبنکر پرگنه حویلي در بهنگه جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام بریکي چودهري وفخرالدین وبجرنگي سها سا وکنولایت وشیخ حیدر علي وشیخ اکبر علي وفقیرچودهري وچهکوري لعل وسیو کشن ومکرم لعل وجوني چودهري ووسیم النسا وعدوالنسا وڈیول کنور مسماة نحو کنور وشیخ واعظ الدین حسین وسید لطف علي خان وبهگوان داس مدعا علیهم کا مندرج هی وجمع صدر اوسکا ۹-۶-۱۷۸ مي بعد منها ے ۰-۱-۶۸ حصه نا مل تفریق رول جسکے حصه کاحساب زمیندارے بمراد دفعه ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع علیهده هوچکا هي بقیه حصه مدعا علیهم به تعداد ۱-۱۱-۹۸۹ جمع صدر بعلت باقي ۱۶-۱۱ کے نیلام هوگا*	بعلت باقي مالگذاري سرکار
نمبر ۱	نمبر ۶۸۲	ابوالحسن پور چکله گرجول پرگنه بساره جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام تیلکدهاري سنگه ودرگادت ودنکدهاري سنگه وریون سنگه وپنڈت دهوماندت ومیشدت وشنکردت وهرکه نراین سنگه وکلدیب نراین سنگه ورام پرشاد سنگه وسرب نراین سنگه ورام سهاے سنگه وهول سنگه وفوجدار سنگه ونهرن باندهه وکنورن باندهه ورام انوگرهه راے وکنهاے چودهري وگرپرشاد ساهي وهري راے ومسماة لاکهه مني کنور مادر والیه سرچیت نراین سنگه وسگهدیو نراین سنگه نابالغان ورام اوجها سنگه وچهکوراے ورگهو بردت وسویموت سنگه وطوطا سنگه ورام انوگرهه سنگه وراد هه سنگه وشیوسهاے سنگه ورام نواین سنگه وسدا سیب پانده وایسو پانده وجکدون پانده ورام لعل پانده ولچهمي تها کروشمبهودت کنور وایکنا نهه کنور وکهد وتها کر ورام جیون تها کروجیوراے وکوري راے وکالي پرشاد سنگه نابالغ بولایت مسماة ایل کنور مادر خود کوري کر وتوتهه سنگه ومسماة جین کنور مادر والیه مهاراج روجهوني رام گائین ورام کنور سنگه نابالغ بولایت مسماة هنکا کنور ولوجن سنگه ومنونته سنگه وچهیدي راے ودیدي راے ولوچن پانده پدر وواليه بهروهت نراین پانده ورام کرن راے وسورسه راے وسه یکشن راے وسذکر	شرح ایضا

راے وسوکل راے و برجماري سنگه و دركپال سنگه ولچهمي
نراين سنگه وشيخ واعظ الدين حسين مدعا عليهم كا مندرج
هي وجمع صدر مسلم محال ۲-۳-۸۳۴ هي اور اس محال
مين بعد منهاے حصه ديگر مالكان جسكے حصه كا حساب
زمينداري بمراد ۵ فعه ۱۰ اكت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع به تعداد
۶-۶-۵۵۶ حصه سايلان تفريق رول عليحده هو چكا هي
بقيه حصه مدعا عليهم به تعداد ۸-۱۲-۲۷۷ جمع صدر بعلت
باقي ۳-۷-۳۹ كے نيلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۶۹۲ شرح ايضا

باهنوهربنس چكله گرجول پرگنه بساره جسكے خانه مالگذار
مين نام كنچن سنگه تهاكر وكاري سنگه وكنول سنگه ودهارکا
ناتهه واجب راے ودهماك راے واندرجيت سنگه ومكر
رند سنگه وبهيسركا رجي وگوبند راے ورام دلاري كنور
ومراجهو كنور ومسماة كلاب كنور ومسماة بدن كنور و
بجناته سهاے وتهاكر پرشاد ومدن موهن سهاے همب
سهاے ورام نراين سنگه ورام سندر كنور وتهاكر پرشاد
ومچلس سهاے ورگهوناتهه سهاے ورام انوگره سهاے
وراج بلبه وهردي نرايو سنگه وبالچي نراين سنگه وبهوت
نراين سنگه وپروهت نراين سنگه وجيتن كنور مادر واليه
مهاراج كنور وجلدهر پرشاد وبهوندو سنگه خود والي سيتا
رام سنگه ومسماة ربنال كنور مادر واليه تهكده هاري سنگه
نابالغ وبچناته سهاے ودييي راے وشيخ كفايت علي و
رادهامني راے ودومن راے وهنومان راے ودولت
راے وتيلكدهاري راے ونهارراے ورام بادراے و
واملاكهه راے ولچهمن سهاے خود پدروالي شيوراج
سهاے ورام كنور سرنابالغ بولايت مسماة هتكا كنور وتلسي
سنگه خود والي صاحب رام نابالغ وهنكي سنگه وشيخ
ولايت علي وشام نراين كا مندرج هي وجمع صدر مسلم
محال مبلغ ۲-۱۲-۱۹۳۱ هي اور اس محال مين بعد منهاے
حصه ديگر مالكان جسكے حصه كا حساب زمينداري بمراد
۵ فعه ۱۰ اكت ۱۱ سنه ۹۵۸۱ع به تعداد ۹-۱۲-۱۴۷۶ عليحده
هو چكا هي بقيه حصه مدعا عليهم به تعداد ۵-۱۵-۴۵۴ جمع
صدر بعلت باقي ۶-۱۴-۴۶ كے نيلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۷۰۶ شرح ايضا

بريارپور كانده چكله گرجول پرگنه بساره جسكے خانه
مالگذار مين نام رام ديال سنگه وپربهو نراين وبنواري لعل
وشيوپرشاد ومهيشدت ومهاراج سنگه وجودها رام و
وپش گوپال وسيون لعل وشيوچرن لعل وجيسي رام وجيجي
رام وراج كنور سنگه وجمعيت لعل وهولاس تيواري و
وبسسر سهاي وتلوبت راے ومناهي راے وكاليچرن سنگه
واچل تيواري وستهو اتيواري ودولت تيواري ورام
بخش تيواري وملك تيوازي وپرميسر تيواري ورام
نراين تيواري ودينان نند پاتك وچوزاون سنگه وگريس
لعل وبرجموهن لعل ودولم راے وگجراج سهاے وناتهه
سهاے وهنك راے وگوركهه تيواري ورام سهاے سنگه و
ومسماة سروسن كنور ومسماة برسربچن كنور ومسماة هومان
كنور وروكمن كنور وهنون تيواري وشيخ الهي بخش وشيخ

دیدار بخش وکا لیچرن خود و سورج پرشاد وابشري
پرشاد سنکسر تیواري و سرتي تیواري وچهتر تیواري
ورام دهاري تیواري وجمن تیواري و پربهو تیواري
وکنچو تیواري ومسماة ادرے کنور زوجه لوجیه تیواري
متوفی وذرسن تیواري ونهار تیواري مدعا علیهم کا
مندرج هي وجمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۸۲۸-۱۰-۱۱ هي
اوراس محال مین بعد منهاے حصه دیگران جنکے حصه کا
حساب زمیندارن بمراد دفعه ۱۰ اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع به
تعداد ۳۵۸-۱۵-۵ علیحده هوچکا هی بقیه حصه مدعا علیهم
به تعداد ۴۶۹-۱۱-۶ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۲۴-۷ کے نیلام
هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۷۷۱ شرح ایضا

رسولپور واحد چکله گرجول پرگنه بسارة جسکے خانه
مالگذار مین نام چتر سال سنگه ومسماة ناگ بنسے کنور
سائلان تفریق رول کا مندرج هي وجمع صدر مسلم محال
مبلغ ۶۶۴۱-۱۰-۵ هے اوراس محال مین بعد منهاے حصه
دیگران جسکے حصه کا حساب زمیندارے بمراد دفعه ۱۰
اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع به تعداد ۲۰۶۷-۶-۲ حصه سائلان دیگر
ومدعا علیهم علیحده هوچکا هی بقیه حصه شاملان رول به
تعداد ۵۷۴-۴-۳ جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۴۸-۲۱-۱۰ کے نیلام
هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۸۱۰۳ شرح ایضا

تعلقه نرالوان پرگنه گدهماوند جسکے خانه مالگذار مین
نام سرپ نراین سنگه سایل تقسیم کا مندرج هی وجمع
مسلم محال ۱۱۹۹-۸-۷ هی اوراس محال مین بعد منهاے
حصه دیگر سایلان ومدعا علیهم به تعداد ۱۰۵۸-۹-۳ جمع
صدر بقیه حصه سایل تقسیم به تعداد ۱۴۰-۱۴-۵ جمع صدر
بعلت باقی ۱۶-۳-۲ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۱۶۹۲ شرح ایضا

تعلقه ساری پرگنه کسمه جسکے خانه مالگذار مین نام دوند
بهادر سنگه وبرج لعل سنگه وکرپرشاد سنگه وجي نراین
سنگه وبهروسے چودهری مهادیو دت جها واپي سنگه و
رام راجت سنگه وجدی پرتاب سنگه وکشن پرشاد سنگه و
هرهوتپرشاد سنگه وپنچم لعل مهتهه دهوماں دت ٹهاکر وشیوکهه
ٹهاکر وشام سندر ٹهکواین ونرسنگه ٹهاکر ولعل جیب ٹهاکر
وکهول سنگه وهنوماں سنگه وراميشر دت وبچنا ته نراین
عرف کوکل دت پرشاد ورام نراین سنگه وشنکر دت ٹهاکر
وبرهمدت ٹهاکر وامرت ٹهاکر وتیواری جها وارجن ٹهاکر و
هکو ٹهاکر وپرجا ٹهاکر وجیو کنور وجانکي کنور وشیو مهاے
لعل ومسماة نرنکے ٹهکراین وبهولا ٹهکراین وشیو
مهاے سنگه وبابو اودیت نراین سنگه وبابو مهیب نراین
سنگه وبابو کلدیب نراین سنگه وکاري جها وفقیر سنگه و
بهگوان دت سنگه ومسماة دهاما کنور وکلسر جها کا مندرج
هي وجمع صدر مسلم محال ۱۳۸۲-۱۰-۴ اوراس محال مین
مین بعد منهاے حصه دیگران جسکے حصه کا حساب
زمینداري بمراد دفعه ۱۰ اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع به تعداد
۱۱۵۲-۵-۱۱ علیحده هوچکاهي بقیه حصه به تعداد ۲۳۰-۴-۵
جمع صدر بعلت باقي ۳۶-۹-۹ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۲۱۱۴ شرح ایضا

رهوا رواجا رام چکلة بدنی پرگنة بسارة جسکے خانه
مالگذار میں نام درجن راے و هوراجیت سنگه و گنگا
رام و پرمیش سنگه وطالع سنگه و دهومال ٹهاکر و نچو ٹهاکر
وکوري ٹهاکر و امول ٹهاکر وجین سنگه و بچدانة سنگه و دیبی
سنگه و پرشاد سنگه و هورل سنگه و توسنگه و مدا سیب
سنگه و اودبت سنگه و پرسة سنگه و شیون راے و انوت
سنگه و سن سنگه و مال سنگه و سارسنگه و شیونا تهة سنگه و
پهوگراج راے و اودان سنگه و رام بهروس سنگه، گوپال
سنگه و نق سنگه ورتوسنگه و امول تیواری و رام ادهین
سنگه، ورام سهاے سنگه و هنو سنگه و بودن سنگه و رام
ادهین سهاے و سیتا رام ورام دهاري و کنچهاری سنگه و
گردهاری سنگه و شیوحکم سنگه وسرجیت سنگه و کهنیا سنگه و
برج نراین سنگه و جهتر نراین سنگه و سامان سنگه و کاسي
سنگه و دیوے سنگه و لچهمی نراین سنگه و دربار سنگه و
سیو سنگه و درگیال سنگه و تلسی سنگه و برهم سنگه و کنچن
سنگه و سدها سنگه وسکدهاری سنگه و اودین سنگه و بهاری
سنگه و پرمیشر سنگه و کوری سنگه وملکدهاری سنگه و مکنی
سنگه و پرشاد ٹهاکر و هنومان سنگه و جیو سنگه و رام ناتهه
سنگه و شاهون جها سنگه و دولت سنگه و اکلو سنگه و بهکنی
سنگه وسیتل سنگه وشیوے سنگه وسوسری سنگه وسوکس سنگه
و ایسری سنگه وجکدیو سنگه ومسماة ساهون کنور و مسماة
کید رکنور و کوپال ٹها کر و راجکمار ٹها گرولاله چهکو لعل
ولاله لوکهن لعل کا مندرج هی وجمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ ۶۵۰-۷
بعلت زر باقی ۴۱-۳ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۲۹۵۳ شرح ایضا

سیب پور کند رکه پرگنه سرسا جسکے خانه مالگذار میں نام
منشی امیر علي کا مندرج هی وجمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ ۵۷۶-۱۳-۳
هی بعلت باقی ۳۶-۴ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۳۰۰۴ شرح ایضا

حسنی پور معمر پور پرگنه سرسا جسکے خانه مالگذار
میں نام سلو چودهری و جهلو چودهری و برج چودهري
وادهم چودهری و سوهن چودهري و سید کفایت حسین
و بنسراج سنگه و جدیال سنگه و بهورن سنگه و ریو سنگه و پرجا
سنگه و مسماة پیاری و امراد و بهادر سنگه و دیبی پرشاد
سنگه و رام پرشاد سنگه و مسماة بنسی کنور و کمانی بے بے و
سرمحسن و مسماة انوت کنور و ماگ منسے کنور والیه شیو
رج کنور نابالغه و مسماة جین کنور و بهکن سنگه و بچنور سنگه
و رام چرن یرار ولاله هزاری لعل و رام انگره سنگه و
و لچهمی کنور و سنسار سنگه و برجو چودهری بهوبن چودهری
و سراج سنگه و مسماة بے بے منیر بخش و لاله رام بهروسی و
و کاشی پرشاد و هوبرشاد رسوهن راے سنگه و جواهر
سنگه وشیو سنگه و گوبردهن سنگه و سکیاری سنگه و جکدیب
سنگه و مسماة نورتن کنور و جها پرپرشاد سنگه و رام
نراین سنگه وچکرد هر سنگه و کندن سنگه وجو سهاے سنگه
چهتر سنگه و هرارسنگه و رگهون دن سنگه کا مندرج هی و
جمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۵۴۵-۱-۱ هی اور اس محال
میں بعد منهاے حصه دیگران جنکے حصه کا حساب
زمیندار ی یمواد دفعه ۱۰ ا کٹ ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع بتعداد
۳۵۱-۱۰ علیحده هوچکا هی بقیه حصه مدعا علیهم بتعداد ۱۹۳-۷-۱
جمع صدر بعلت باقی ۲۱-۶-۱۱ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۳۰۰۴۹ شرح ایضا

منشی پور و ملکیے محتار پور و نور واری وغیرہ متعلقہ سرست
پور پرگنہ سرسا جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین نام شاہ حسن
علی و مراد علي و شیخ نور علی و شیخ کرم علی و احمد علي
و بربهو سنگه و اسد سنگه و تلسی لعل و هنکا لعل و منوهر
سنگه و سنکر دیب و بهولا ناتهه و سیب لعل و بهروسی لعل و
برپات نراین چودهری و بے بے رانده و اودهار جیون
و احماس کنور والیه بسیسرد یال نابالغ و سید علی اشرف
و مسماة بے بے حصمن عرف اماسي صاحبه و سچن کنور و
گسام کنور و هولسر کنور و جهوري جها کوري جها و مورت جها
و شیخ اکبر علي و ولا رجها و تلکو هنون و چوراون منون
و جن منون و شیخ غلام محمد و وزیرن و مکرون و کالي
پرشاد والیه مهاراج ساهي و مودن چودهري و مسماة
زینب و چوا لعل و منولعل و مسماة بے بے پياري و بهولا
ناتهه چودهري و میکراج چودهري و برسر چودهري و بر
جاري چودهري نابالغ بولایت مسماة جمیلا جو نراین
چهکو سیب لعل و سیسرد یال و کشاند ت و اصلان منقسما
والیان چکدمي ساهي و برایه مل پرشاد نابالغان و شام
لعل چودهري و سویمن چودهري و لعل یاري لعل و سات
لعل چودهري عرف موراے چودهري لعل بنفشه والی
سندر لعل چودهري عرف فوجدار چودهري نابالغ و
نراین جها و سنون جها و مال چودهري و رام لعل چودهري
و مسماة بے بے رسولن عرف بے بے کدیرن و مسماة بے بے واصله
و مسماة بے بے وزیرن و نرار چند و گوپال چند و هرم چند
و گوسائین سوردا س و اتمان چودهري و چوا لعل و سنون
جها و دیني جها و رنگي جها و اصلان بنفشه والیان راج
بنسي جها نابالغان و رام ساهے جها و بوهون چودهري و
مسماة سروسن کنور و پري ساهو و پياري لعل چودهري و
و لعل دار چودهري و بنسي لعل منصرو بوهر چودهري و
اصلان بنفشه والی شام نراین چودهري نابالغ و انند ر
چودهري و اکوري چودهري و سنوکے چودهري و مالک
چودهري و جیکا چودهري و سکن چودهري و گون هي
چودهري و سني چودهري و طالع چودهري خفقان بهکو
چودهري و کیلو چودهري و برسمن چوهري والي ناتهه
چودهري و جمن لعل و رام سرن لعل و سکو لعل و مدن
کشور پرشاد و سرادین لعل و رام جیون لعل و اماني
لعل و گوسائین رام داس و مکا مهون و اني چند مهون و
و بے بے مشوره و بنهداري منون و رحم علي و نیکهاري چودهري
و پردهان چودهري و گوپال لعل و اچت چودهري و
و روشن چودهري و بالگوبند چودهري و مادهو رام چودهري
و کوساهي جها و مهٔ لودداس و منسے ساهو و کهري چودهري
و جمن لعل و هرپرشاد سنگه و بولاے لعل و سرپرشاد و
رام پرشاد و هواري پرشاد مدعا علیهم کا مدرج هي و
جمع صدر مسلم محال مبلغ ۱۴۴۴۹-۱۴-۸ هي اور اس محال
مین بعد منهاي حصه دیگران جنکے حصه کا حساب
زمیندار ي بمراد دفعه ۱۰ اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع یه تعداد

۲۲۸-۷ علیحدہ ہو چکا ہی بقیہ حصہ مدعا علیہم بتعداد ۵
مبلغ ۲۲۱۲۶-۸ جمع صدر بہ علت باقی ۲۱-۹-۱۰ کے نیلام
ہوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۳۸۰۶ شرح ایضا

محتا رپور سلکھنی پرگنہ سرسا جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین
مین نام براوراہ ت ودھا ورراد ت وجوگي منصر
دگوري منصرو سنکر منصرود ومن منصرود بيي منصر
وظالم سنگہ وملك سرام ولچھمي نراين سنگہ ود هوري
وبودھا راي سنگہ وزبن راي وجھيمن دوبہ عرف جگرو
دوبہ مدعا علیہم کا مندرج هي وجمع صدر مسلم محال
۱۱۷۴-۶-۵ هي اور اس محال مین بعد منہاي حصہ دیگران
جنکي حصہ کا حساب زمیندار ي بمراد دفعہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ
۱۸۵۹ع بتعداد مبلغ ۵۲-۱ علیحدہ ہو چکا هی بقیہ حصہ
مدعا علیہم بتعداد ۵-۵-۱۱۲۳ جمع صدر بہ علت باقي ۱۱-۱۵-
۴۶ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۴۱۳۳ شرح ایضا

مدھورا پور پرگنہ جاکھو جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین
نام شیوسہاي راي کا مندرج هي وجمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ
۶۷۶-۲-۵ هي بعلت زر باقي ۵-۱۰ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۵۱۲۷ شرح ایضا

بھگوان پور بکري چکلہ گرجول جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین
نام کلیان جیون ودیثان چیون وشیوگوبند چودھري
وگوري لعل وجھوني کائین کا مندرج هي وجمع صدر
اوسکا مبلغ ۵۶۷-۵ هي بعلت زر باقي ۷-۷-۹ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۵۱۳۰ شرح ایضا

ماصور پور سال چکلہ گرجول جسکے خانہ مالگذار مین
نام معظم علي خان واست لعل ومهدي علي خان ومسماۃ
قمر النسا وامیر علي خان ومسماۃ مهر النسا ومسماۃ
بے بے واحدہ وفضل حسین خان ومسماۃ مریم ومسماۃ
قدیرن ومسماۃ رمین ورمن حیون وسرور اگران وجیسي
رام دت کا مندرج هي وجمع صدر اوسکا مبلغ ۵۷۰-۹-۴ هی
بعلت زر باقی ۸-۱۴-۳۲ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۶۰۱۷ شرح ایضا

لوکرالوان بزرگ پرگنہ اهلوارہ جسکی خانہ مالگذار
مین نام جیوتك سنگہ حکمون چودھري وتلسي دت
وبونس چودھري وطالع ورچودھري وستي چودھري
وشیود یال چودھري ولچھمي دت چودھري وشام لعل
چودھري وشیوچودھري ومال چودھري وسمبودت
چودھري ورامدراي چودھري وچگرجھا ورگھوبودت
جھا وامرت لعل جھا تابالغ وسھاے لعل جھا وسرے لعل جھا
وسیل جھا وسھا لعل کنور واچت جھا وامرت لعل چاماے
وگردھارے چودھرے وفضل چودھرے مدعا علیہم کا
مندرج هے وجمع صدر مسلم محال ۱۱-۸-۷۰۳ هے اور اس
محال مین بعد منہاے حصہ دیگران جسکے حصہ کا حساب
زمیندارے بمراد دفعہ ۱۰ اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع بتعداد
۶-۸-۱۳۱ علیحدہ ہو چکا هے بقیہ حصہ مدعا علیہم بتعداد ۵-
۵۷۲ جمع صدر بعلت باقے ۱۱-۶۵ کے نیلام هوگا *

نمبر ۱ نمبر ۷۴۴۷ شرح ایضا

بگرا ها کوسا ئین پور پرگنہ موواها کلان جسکے خانہ مالگذار
مین نام مسماۃ تارکنور ورام دولارے کنور کا مندرج هے
وجمع صدر اوسکا ۱۰-۸-۹۹۲ هے بعلت زر باقے ۱۴-۱۷ کے نیلام هوگا *

المرقوم ۲۷ ماہ اکتوبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Sylhet will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of this District on Monday, the 5th January 1874, corresponding with 22nd Pous 1280 (*B.S.*), for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September, but that day having fallen within the Dussarah Vacation, the arrears became due on the 8th October following, being the first open day after the holidays.

1st Class.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 27502.—Taluk Korban, Reza Zemindar, of Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Jadab Ram Sarmah; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 645-15-7. The share of Braja Mohan Das, bearing a Jumma of Rs. 110-2, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, is excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 535-13-7. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 35-0-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31185.—Taluk Adam, Raja Zemindar, Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietors, himself and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,335 4-1. The shares of Muluk Chandra Das, Raj Kisor Das, Madan Mohan Das, Naba Kisor Das, Sivprasad Dutta, Syad Ulla, Sarap Chand Banu, Mussamat Kamida Bibi, on behalf of her minor son Sadat Ali Khan, Sekh Adai Mahomed Ali, Sekh Yaz, Mahomed Anchhar, Avat Ulla, Radharam Mistari, Chandra Nath Mistari, Durga Ram Mistari, Tara Chand Das, Sujat Ali, Mahomed Azim, Amzad Ulla, Batir Mahomed, Ayin Ulla, Anwar Mahomed, Sukar Mahomed, Sekh Chand, Mahib Ulla, Pir Mahomed, Nazar Mahomed, Joad Ulla, Sekh Biram, Raghu Nath Sarmah Bhatacharjea, Dina Mahi Debya, and Radha Nath Sarma, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 235-8-8, having been separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, in the name of Naba Durga Baidani, Mahessari Baidani, mother of Hara Nath Baida, and Kasi Nath Baida, to be sold for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 32. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 10-2-6 on account of the arrears of Government revenue; Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,067-11-5. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 383-1-7 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31186.—Taluk Kurban, Raja Zemindar, of Purgunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Aman Raza Zemindar; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,261-0-3. The shares of Syama Sundari Choudhurani, Dayalram Deb, Nazumun-nechha-banu, Mahomed Kalim, Sekh Arabdi, Sekh Samai, Mahomed Abdul Rahaman, Braja Kisor Saha, Mirza Hamid Ali, Tara Chand Dev, Kunja Mohan Saha, Nil Chandru Dhar, Baida Nath Dev, Kula Chandra Dutta, Tara Chand Dev, Sachuram Saha, Kalika Prasad Sarma, Mahomed Kamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Amil Choudhuri, Mahomed Chhamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Jehhahak Choudhuri, Ganga Gobind Dhar, Gupi Nath Sen, Ayn Ulla, Hiran Bibi, Pandab Ram Barai, Bhogirath Dev, Suntosh Ram Das, Ram Nath, Bharu Jugini, Nabin Chandra Sarmah, Sarna Bati Dasi, Jay Chandra Das, Pratinga Dasi, Lalita Dasi, Nihal Ram Das, Radhika Dasi, Mahes Chandra Dutta, Mirza Ibrahim Ali, Bisakha Dasi, Mufti Mahi, Jowda Ulla, Mussumut Sajina Banu, Arkan Uddin, Sekh Daim Ulla, Sekh Riaz Ulla, Pada Lochun Dutta, Manik Ram Dutta, Chandra Nath Datta, Rup Nath Dutta, Kadir Mahomed, Suruj Mia, Hamid Ulla, Sharif Mahomed, Harash Ram Nai, Hafiza Bibi, and Sekh Shamai, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 316-1-1, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Sarba Nand Saha and Sada Nand Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-6. This share will be sold for the recovery of Re. 1-10 on account of the arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 942-9-2. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 154-2-8 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 40981.—Taluk Chaitanya Chand of Pergunnah Chaitan Nagar; recorded proprietor Umed Narayan Das; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 992-10-3. The shares of Gaur Prasad Aditta, Guru Prasad Aditta, Krishna Prasad Aditta, Raj Gobind Aditta, Ram Sunder Gopta, Goluk Chandra Gopta, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 144-14-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 847-12-0. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 59-9-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54726.—Hissah Syad Ahamed Raza, Pergunnah Jaraf; recorded proprietor, Purusram and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,509.

The shares of Dolgavind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Govind Palit, Ram Charan Raut, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Deb, Ram Narayan Auda, Ram Gobind Das, Lalita Dasi, Gabardi Mahi, Chhabadi Mahi, Joahid Mahi, Muzed Mahi, Ohad Mahi, Radha Charan Das, Chaitam Charan Das, Jasada Bati Dasi, Mohan Nath, Surja Nath, Shaik Kaim-uddin, Shaik Abdul Jabbar, Golak Chandra Singh, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of his minor brother Abduchhchhobhan, Abdul Kadir, Mahomed Anwar, Sayeda Dhan Bibi, wife of Syed Saha Asraf Uda, Sarat Chundra Dutta, Bharat Chundra Banika, Kunja Kisor Banika, Ram Sunder Banika, Ram Jay Banika, Ram Narayan Banika, Rajnarayan Banika, Ramlochan Banika, Syad Muzmil

Hussan, Syada Xiam Chand Banu, wife of Syad Saha Ahamed Ulla, Jugo Mohun Das, Sunatan Das, himself and on behalf of his minor brothers, Sudarsan Das, Badan Ram Das, Shaik Niamat Ulla, Shaik Ayat Ulla, Syad Nimber Ali, Syad Muzmil Husain, Mussumat Bhaba Chand Bibi, wife of Kamil Baks, Ichha Mahi Choudhurani, Mahamed Khatir Tarafdar, and Arsad Ulla, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 662-1-11, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Jasa Dasi, wife of Jharu Ram Saha, and Nila Bati Dasi, wife of Nilchand Shaha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-0-10.

This share will be sold for the recovery Re. 1-3-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 844-13-3. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 142-10-0 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54727.—Hissa Syad Madan Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Ram Bullabh Dev and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,784-3-2. The shares of Jasadabati Dasi, Dolgobind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Gobind Palit, Mussumat Paran Jan Bibi, Rajkisor Dev, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Har Gobind Das, Mussumat Rabia Bibi, Sekh Abdul Aziz, Mussumat Nek Jan Bibi, Sekh Aynuddin, Mussumat Namiza Bibi, Mussumat Anchhar Bibi, Tarini Debya, wife of Kali Charan Sarmah, Parbati Nath Sarmah, Naba Chandra Sarmah, Ram Gobind Das, Achh Ali, Kali Kisor Gopta, Helim Ulla, Adil Mahamed, Chhabil Mohamed, Fazil Mohamed, Hazir Mohamed, Jasa Dasi, Nila Bati Dasi, Bhubanessari Dasi, widow of Munshi Raj Mohan Dev, Radha Mohan Dev, Jugul Kisor Das, Ram Kisor Das, Saday Gobind Nandi, Kalika Prasad Dev, Sarup Chandra Sarmah, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Choudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Mussumat Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussumat Ful Bibi, Fita Mahomed, Jasada Bati Dasi, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chandra Banika, Madhu Sudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjoy Banika, Siri Charan Banika, Ram Ruttan Banika, himself and on behalf of Bissambar Banika minor, Sekh Mahomed Hussain, Sekh Nyamat Ulla, Sekh Mohamed Arip, Gour Ram Chandra, Sumbhu Ram Chundra, Sekh Mohamed Chhami, Sekh Mulfat Ulla, Sekh Tarik Ulla, Sekh Anchhar, Sumbhoo Chandra Sarma, Jiban Krishna Das Choudhuri, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Ram Kisor Das Chouduri, Kasi Chundra Dev, Kailas Chandra Dev, Inai Nigari, Mussamat Amir Chand Banu, wife of Sekh Amzad Ulla, Kirti Chandra Sarma, Pukai Ram Pal, Pran Krishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chandra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Mazumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 443-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jamma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Brindabun Dutta, Kamal Charan Dev, Alizan Bibi, Sumbhu Nath Dutta, Kasi Nath Dev, Gopal Krishna Saha, Brindaban Saha, Dasarath Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 49-6-7.

This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 6-8-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 2,291-9-7. This Mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 181-14-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54729.—Hissa Syad Kaim Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Jay Gobind Ray and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,966-14-11. The shares of Hameda Bibi, on behalf of her minor sons Mohamed Rahich, Mohamed Idrich, Mussamat Mayn Chand Bibi on behalf of her minor son Mohamed Jachkim, Mohamed Abduchhamad, Mahamed Abdul Kadir, Dul Gobind Palit, Har Gopind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Kali Suran Dutta, Syada Abchhar Nechha, Omaid Ulla, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Umatara Debya, Ram Gobind Das, Arnapurna Dasi, Mussamat Jarina Banu, wife of Shek Bachhir Mohamed, Saruf Chandra Sarma, Golak Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussamat Ful Bibi, Kasalya Dasi, Parbati Dasi, Har Kumar Dutta, Kudrat Ulla Choudhuri, Sumbhu Chandra Sarma, Hare Krishna Das, Jiban Krishna Das, Ram Kisor Das Choudhuri, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of Mohamed Munsur; Abdul Subhan, Abdul Kadir, Subhadra Dasi, wife of Ratna Bullabh Das, Uttara Dasi, wife of Baida Nath Das, Naba Narayan Das, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chundra Banika, Mudhusudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjay Banika, Siv Charan Banika, Ramrattan Banika, himself and on behalf of his minor brother Bisamber Banika, Kasi Ram Chung, Kirti Chundra Saha, Nitya Nanda Saba, Nimai Chand Saha, Dinno Nath Saha, Byda Nath Saha, Janaki Dasi, wife of Pran Krishna Gope, on behalf of her son Krishna Chandra Gope, Abdul Rasid on behalf of his minor son Abdul Maiz, Abdul Latif, Sarat Chandra Dutta, Sekh Jabulla, Sekh Sarafat Ulla, Sekh Ulfat Ulla, Sekh Mayrdi, Pran Kishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chundra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Muzumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, Pukairam Pal, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 429-2-10, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Tara Chund Kar, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 13-2-2. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 9-7-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for

sale, Rs. 1,524-9-11. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 75-8-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54937.—Taluk Saha Rezwan Uddin, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Syam Ram and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 722-3-2. The shares of Naba Kiser Deb, Jugal Kisor Deb, Ram Charan Pal, Abhoya Charan Deb, Amara Charan Deb, Uma Charan, Adyat Charan Deb, himself and on behalf of his brother Annada Charan Deb, minor, Ram Narayan Anda, Karuna Mayi Debya, Kalikisor Gopta, Rattana Bullath Das, Subhadra Dasi, Baidy Nath Das, and Uttama Dasi, Naba Narayan Das, Tas Mohamed, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 67-9-5, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 654-9-9. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 11-4-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 56509.—Taluk Syad Badardi Hasan, Pergunnah Gada Husain Nagar; recorded proprietor, Babrul Hasan and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 733-3-2. The shares of Ram Charan Raut, Saheb Ram Deb, Har Gobind Pal, Ram Kumar Deb, Sukha Mayi Dasi, wife of Ram Charan Raut, and Daya Mayi Choudharani, wife of Bisnu Prasad Banika, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 58-13-6, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 674-5-8. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 29-1-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

H. C. SUTHERLAND, *Officiating Collector.*

SYLHET COLLECTORATE, the 10th November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Tuesday, the 30th day of December 1873, corresponding with B 1280, 16th Pous, Umlee 1281, 17th Pous, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873:—

Class I.—Permanently-settled estates.

Number on the Register A.	Number on the Revenue Roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of Proprietors.	Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of land revenue for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	
1830	993	Moysarah *alias* Mysarah, Pergunnah Kismut Kasijorah.	Bepraprasad Berah, Sibaprasad Berah, Gooroopraprasad Berah, Srimatiah Doyamoi Dei, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykantnath Berah, Srimatiah Saresate Dei, mother of Bisumbhar Berah, Nobakrista Berah, Poornanund Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykantnath Berah and others, Pearimohun Berah, Natabar Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of deceased Bykantnath Berah, Poornanund Berah, Pearimohun Berah, son of deceased Bepraprasad Berah, Natubar Berah, son of Poornanund Berah, Nabakista Berah, and Srimutiah Kadambini Dassi, wife of Radhakisto Berah.	1,881 9 7	73 9 3	
2623	1465	Shridhurpur, Pergunnah Moynachour.	Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed, Srimati Rajeshari Dei and Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wives of Fakirchandra Patlaik, Soondurnarain Mytee, Mothoor Mohan Mytee, Santoseram Mytee, Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son, of Nabakista Berah.	929 14 2		
			Deduct separate accounts of the undermentioned parties which have been realized in full and therefore not to be sold—			
			Rs. As. P.			
			Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed... 82 3 0			
			Srimati Rajeshari Dei 84 4 11			
			Soondurnarain and Mothoor Mohan Mytee 210 12 4			
			Santoseram Mytee 42 2 5			
				419 6 8		
			Balance, Rupees	510 7 6	1 0 6	
			This balance is the joint share of the undermentioned parties which will be sold for the arrears of land revenue, Rs. 1-0-6: Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wife of Fakirchandra Patlaik and Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son of Nabakista Berah.			

W. OLDHAM, *Covenanted Deputy Collector for Collector.*

MIDNAPORE COLLECTORATE, the 22nd November 1873.

Register No. 46 of Sales of Waste Lands prescribed by Rule VIII of the Rules for the sale of unassessed Waste Lands.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Consecutive numbers of Sales in the order in which they are made.	No. of entry in Register No. 41 of Waste Lands under which the lands are included.	No. of the application in Register No. 40 and name of applicant.	Pergunnah, Thannah or Sub-Division in which situated.	Village or Township.	Area and Boundaries of the plot as ascertained by survey.	Date of Sale.	Name and residence of purchaser.	Date of possession being given.	Amount paid for survey, clearance, and advertisement.	Price for which sold and rate per acre.	Dates of instalments of the prices being paid with amounts. (N. B.—Interest payments not to be shown here.)	Date and amount of interest payments and period to which they refer.	Date on which the title becomes absolute by payment of the purchase money in full	Remarks, in which are to be entered all transfers subsequent to the sale, and the names of the persons to whom transferred.
									Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.				
27	.....	2	Kalain Katigorah	Konapara	344 acres, 3 roods, and 37 poles— *East.*—A line from Bhuyrub Baree Mookam, on the Larang river to pillar No. 1, marked on the maps at a distance of 208 yards 9 inches; thence to pillar No. 2, along the bank of the Larang at a distance of 566 yards 1 foot 3 inches. *North.*—A line from pillar No. 2 to pillar No. 3, at a distance of 199 yards 2 feet 9 inches touching a khall; thence to pillar No. 4, at a distance of 191 yards 1 foot 4 inches where there are two trees; thence to pillar No. 5, at a distance of 428 yards 8 feet 6 inches; thence to pillar No. 6, at a distance of 606 yards 6 feet 2 inches touching a tree; thence to pillar No. 7, at a distance of 273 yards 1 foot 6 inches. *West.*—A line from pillar No. 7 to pillar No. 8, touching a tree at a distance of 591 yards 1 foot 2 inches; thence to pillar No. 9, at a distance of 137 yards 1 foot; thence to pillar No. 10, at a distance of 432 yards 3 feet 6 inches; thence to pillar No. 11 at a distance of 557 yards 3 feet 1 inch. *South.*—A line from pillar No. 11 to pillar No. 12, at a distance of 295 yards 1 foot 6 inches; thence to pillar No. 13, touching Talkacherra at a distance of 649 yards 2 feet 2 inches; and thence to pillar No. 1, at a distance of 254 yards 2 feet 5 inches.	15th Sept. 1873	Mr. J. Davidson, Dr. R. B. Davidson, Messrs. D. MacNeill, A. D. Macfarlane, and R. B. Douke of Cachar.	15th Sept. 1873	253 8 0	5,864 10 10 at Rs. 17 per acre.	15th Sept. 1873 Rs. 587	...	.....	This amount was deposited for 500 acres, which was originally applied for, but the actual area being ascertained by survey to be 344 acres 3 roods and 37 poles, the surplus will be refunded to the depositor, Mr. James Davidson.

CACHAR, DEPY. COMR.'S OFFICE, the 15th October 1873.

E. Y. WALCOTT, *Offg. Deputy Commissioner.*

Government Horse Show—Calcutta 1874.

RULES.

1. *Opening of the Horse Show.*—The Horse Show will be formally opened by His Excellency the Viceroy on Monday, the 12th of January 1874, when the Judges will read their report and declare the awards; *but* the prizes will be delivered to the successful competitors by the Judges on the last day of the Show, which will close at sundown of Saturday, the 17th idem.

2. *Hours of Admission.*—From 7 A.M. to noon.
,, 2 P.M. to sundown.

The horses will be exercised on the premises morning and evening; and during some period of that time, to be fixed by the Judges, they will be without their clothing, for the purpose of inspection.

	Rs.	As.	P.
3. *Terms of Admission.*—Exhibition single tickets ...	8	0	0
Do. family do. ...	12	0	0
Single tickets for Monday	3	0	0
And Tuesday, 13th January	2	0	0
Single tickets for Wednesday the 14th and Thursday the 15th January	1	0	0
Single ticket for Friday, 16th January	0	12	0
Do. Saturday, 17th January	0	8	0

Children on Saturday *half price.*

Soldiers and their families *free* on pass from their Commanding Officers.

Owners and Exhibitors of Horses free.

	Rs.
For every six Mares	50
For every Stallion	16

Admission of Stock other than for competition.—By special permission of the Managing Committee, persons desirous of exhibiting horse stock (not intended to compete for prizes) will be permitted to do so on a payment of Rs. 16 per head, provided stabling can be found for them.

4. Intending Exhibitors must apply for stalls by post in an envelope addressed—

"To the Joint Secretaries,
Calcutta Horse Show, 1874."

so as to be received by them not later than the 15th December 1873. On receipt of such applications printed forms will be furnished to the Owners or Exhibitors, to be filled in by them and returned at once to the Joint Secretaries, who will then allot stalls or boxes for the horses described.

5. *Superintendent.*—A Superintendent and four European Assistants will be appointed by the Managing Committee to undertake the stable management of the Show-yard. It will be his duty to point out the stalls allotted to the Exhibitors, and to see that all orders issued by the Committee are thoroughly and promptly carried out.

6. *Date of receipt of Horses.*—Horses sent for exhibition will be received by a Veterinary Surgeon and the Superintendent of the Horse Show on Wednesday, the 7th of January 1874, any time before *noon* of that day.

7. *Health Certificate.*—A health certificate, signed by a Veterinary Surgeon, must accompany every horse when first brought to the Horse Show lines. The Veterinary Surgeon attending on the part of Government will also inspect each horse before being finally admitted.

8. *Grooms.*—Exhibitors are required to engage a reliable groom (syce) for each horse, and it is expected that either the attendant or a substitute will remain night and day at his post.

9. *Attention to Regulations.*—All attendants must conform to the rules and regulations issued by the Managing Committee; copies will be furnished to the Exhibitors, and will also be posted on the walls of the stables.

10. *Complaints.*—Complaints may be lodged at any time at the office of the Superintendent, either verbally or in writing, in a book to be kept for the purpose.

11. *Complaint Book.*—Persons able to read and write will have to enter their complaints in the book; minor complaints will be settled by the Superintendent on the spot; those of a more serious nature will be treated by the Managing Committee.

12. *Illness of Horses.*—In case of illness of any horse the Owner or Exhibitor must provide medical attendance.

13. All the horses will be daily inspected by a Veterinary Surgeon.

14. All possible care will be taken of horses exhibited, but the Superintendent cannot be held responsible for any injury or accident which may occur.

15. *Forage and Grain.*—Forage, grain, and water for the stock will be provided by the Exhibitors.

16. *Smoking prohibited.*—Smoking is strictly prohibited in the stables; particular attention is requested to this rule, which is considered imperatively necessary for the safety of the cattle.

17. *Stabling.*—A loose stall or box will be provided for each animal so exhibited.

18. *Location of Mares.*—Every lot of six mares will be stabled close to each other.

19. *Inspection by Judges.*—The Judges will inspect and examine horses entered for prize competition on Thursday 8th, Friday 9th, and Saturday 10th, of January 1874.

20. *Exclusion of Visitors during inspection by Judges.*—Under no circumstances will any person be permitted to be within the precincts of the premises at the time of inspection, except grooms (syces) who will be appointed by the Judges to bring up each horse for examination.

21. *Owners and Exhibitors similarly excluded.*—Owners and Exhibitors are debarred from the privilege of being present as much as the public generally.

22. *Horses how to be inspected.*—The horses will be brought up without clothing, so that they may not be recognized by any initials or distinctive marks.

23. *Judges how guided in arriving at decision.*—Exhibitors are informed that Judges in arriving at their decision will be guided by the following points :—

1st.—That under the terms of Military Department Government Notification of the 4th of February last, no prize will be given unless the horses exhibited come up to a high standard of excellence. Importers and competitors are informed that the Judges will be considerably guided by good measurement of girth and leg and blood, combined with power; animals wanting in such essential points will have no chance of obtaining a prize.

2nd.—The horses will be judged as to their merits under the several heads of :—

A. Soundness.
B. Blood and power.
C. General conformation.
D. Action.
E. Condition.

The maximum number of marks being 100.

3rd.—"*The best horse*" must be perfectly sound, but any serious blemish, the result of accident, will be weighed by the Judges.

4th.—Each mare of every lot must be sound for all working and brood purposes.

5th.—If any mis-information is furnished by an Exhibitor in respect of the animals owned or exhibited by him, the whole of his stock will be disqualified for prizes, and will be at once removed from the Show premises. Admission to the Show will be refused to any person coming within the terms of this rule.

6th.—The decision of Judges to be final.

24. *Judges' Report.*—The Judges' report of their inspection will be prepared and printed by Saturday evening, the 10th of January 1874, but will be confidential until read to His Excellency the Viceroy on the formal opening of the Show.

25. *Necessity of Exhibitors' servants attending to Rules.*—Particular attention must be given by all Exhibitors to the necessity of their servants carrying out all the rules which may be laid down for efficient sanitary arrangements.

26. *Fire Engine.*—A fire engine, and a party to work it, will be on the premises during the Exhibition.

27. *Police arrangements.*—The Commissioner of Police will arrange with the Managing Committee (Judges) for such number of Police as may be requisite for the protection of property and the preservation of order.

28. *Lights other than those supplied by Committee prohibited.*—Stable lanterns will be provided by the Committee and placed under the orders of the Superintendent. Other lights or lanterns or fire of any kind will not be permitted within the stabling.

29. *Removal of horses if attacked with disease.*—The Managing Committee are empowered, if they deem it necessary, to direct the removal of a horse attacked with any contagious disease.

30. *Removal of horses when prohibited.*—No horse brought for exhibition, even in the event of its having been sold, will be allowed to be removed until the Exhibition is closed.

31. *Final removal from Show.*—Horses must be removed the day following the closing of the Exhibition.

32. *Objections.*—Any objection to horses exhibited must be made and proved to the satisfaction of the Stewards the day before the prizes are awarded.

33. *Objection made after award of prize.*—Objections made after the award of prizes will not be attended to during the present Show, but will be recorded against future exhibition of the horses objected to.

34. *Onus of proving objection.*—The onus of proving an objection will be wholly and entirely on the person making it. All objections must be made in writing.

By Order of the Committee,

1st December 1873.

M. J. TURNBULL, *Colonel*, } *Joint Secretaries.*
J. A. CRAWFORD,

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the under-mentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1873.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Nov. 26th ...	4 Casks, B M C	... Order	... Ship Sikh.
,, 26th ...	14 Bundles, S in Red	... P. K. Law & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	2 Bars ,,	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	1 Case, no mark	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	12 Bundles Oars, P P M or no mark	,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	4 Bundles Masthoops, P P M or no mark.	,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	5 Cases, S. & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	9837 Fire-bricks, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	220 Pieces fire-bricks, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	100 Fire-bricks,	... Ramsay	... Peter Stewart.
,, 26th ...	260 Pieces fire-bricks	... ,,	... Ditto.
	Madras.		
,, 26th ...	1 Case, F [C L] M	... Order	... Aphrodita.
,, 26th ...	1 Case, [C 39] F M	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	30 Cases, C V P	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	5 Packages, [D] N C F M	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	250 Cases, J P	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	1 Cask, M N M	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	4 Cases, M B & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	1 Cask, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	36 Cakes, spelter R J N	... Ashburner & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	30 Pieces, spelter R J N	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 26th ...	1 Case, [S G R] C	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Cask [B M] C	... Bulloram Mullick	... Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, B N D C	... Boycunt Nath Daw & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 27th ...	14 Packages, M N M	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Keg, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Cask O & S C	... Oakes and Sons	... Ditto.
,, 27th ...	10½ Cakes spelter, R J N	... Ashburner & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Cask, [123] A. B. & Co.	... Order	... S. S. Bengal.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, [A J M]	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, A S	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, [314] A. B. & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	3 Cases, = 88 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	4 Cases, = 123 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, = 197 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, = 141 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	7 Cases, Addressed	... Captain R. Bullock, Deputy Commissioner, Akola, West Berar, India.	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	5 Cases, [C A F]	... Begg, Dunlop & Co.	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	3 Packages, C W W E	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, D N D H S K & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	3 Cases, [114] E D J	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, E A H	... Hurry Das Dutt & Co.	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	27 Bales, F C C	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, [G E E]	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, H. B. & Co.	... H. Badham & Co.	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, H S, H. S. K. & Co.	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, H H J, J T M	... H. H. Jonquet	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	10 Packages [J J H C] A	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, [J. G. & Co.] 6	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	121 Cases, [J B] C & B	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, L N P	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Bundle Buckets, no mark, or G K	Gosy Das Kur	... Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1870.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Nov. 28th ...	1 Case, [P] C	... Order ...	S. S. Bengal.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, J. P. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, addressed	... P. B. C., 65th Regiment, care of Grindlay & Co.	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Drum, R. S. T. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, R D	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, [R W H] C & B	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Case, [S. & Co. N]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	2 Cases, S. J. & Co.	... D. T. Shaw & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	4 Cases, [12] W. H. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	3 Cases, W. G. W. & Co.	... F. T. Brooks & Co....	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	18 Packages, [X]	... Ahmuty & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 28th ...	1 Sample Bell	... S. Kilburn & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 29th ...	49 Drums, [230]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 26th ...	4 Packages, [A J M]	... ,, ...	S. S. Sea Gull.
,, 26th ...	2 Cases, A R C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 26th ...	2 Cases, [B B] C. H. M.	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 26th ...	1 Case, [C B] F M	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 26th ...	1 Case, [G C]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 26th ...	2 Cases, [G C S] J. H. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 26th ...	3 Cases, [300] J. O. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 26th ...	1 Cask, [M]	... Benjamin, Moor & Co.	Ditto.
,, 26th ...	22 Cases, [W. A. Co. L]	... G. Arbuthnot & Co..	Ditto.
,, 26th ...	1 Case, [Z] W	... David Waldie ...	Ditto.
,, 29th ...	1 Package, [F. F. & Co.] Coolie store.	Order ...	S. S. Japan.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [314] A. B. & Co.	.. Order ...	J. C. Stevenson.
,, 25th ...	3 Packages, B M	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	12 Crates, H. S. K. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	5 Cases, [B H D] F. T. B. & Co.	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, B	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, addressed	... Band President, 26th Regiment, C & Co.	Ditto.
,, 25th ..	1 Case, [C31]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, [80 C] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, [8913] Umballah	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case [E O K]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	9 Cases, [G]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, G. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, addressed	... J. Hagorth ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Round Bars, no mark	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	14 Bundles Hoop, no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	14 Tin Ingots	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	23 Round Bars, no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	13 Flat Bar Iron	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Bundles Rod Iron	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Flat and Round Bar	... ,, ..	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	11 Packages, [J J H C]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ..	3 Cases, M G R S	... Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	8 Cases, M D U 5 B C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Patna Normal School, care of Grindlay & Co.	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Hogshead [P]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ..	29 Cases, [R G] F T. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	8 Cases [R S]	... R. S. Stanton ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, [R]	... S. Robinson ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	3 Cases, [R S]	... R. S. Stanton ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	5 Cases, W. J. B. & Co. S Y	... Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	4 Cases, W D	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, addressed	... P. Whalley, Esq.. Grindlay & Co.	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, V	... Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Sample, S B C or	... Bayard Gair & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Sample, S K	... Order ...	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1873.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Nov. 25th ...	1 Case, A E B	... Order	... J. C. Stevenson.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, [115] A. B. & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, = 233=	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, [300] A. B. & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, = 264 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	4 Cases, = 230 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, = 254 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, = 260 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, = 234 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, = 125 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	2 Cases, = 345 =	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 25th ...	1 Case, = 16 =	... ,,	... Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 29*th November* 1873. (457—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
4 China Pillows, no mark...	... Hindostan.
2 Tin Boxes, no mark	... Ditto.
1 Bundle Sundries, no mark	... Ditto.
1 Case, no mark	... Chaldea.
1 Case, [J. A. & Co., H] Calcutta	... Callirrhoe.
1 Case, [S C D] R B	... Ditto.
1 Couch, no mark	... Hindostan.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 13th of December 1873.

1 Case, [83] McC. & Co.	... Callirrhoe.
1 Case, F M	... Ditto.
1 Cask, K H, H. S. K. R. & Co., Calcutta ...	... Ditto.

N.B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 2nd day of January 1874.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 29th November 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Wanted.

THE following Clerks in the Patna Commissioner's Office. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned till the 13th December 1873. The appointments are for the present temporary, but there is a probability of their becoming permanent.

2nd Clerk, General Department ...	...	... 80
3rd ,, Wards, ditto ...	...	... 70
Clerk, ditto ditto ...	..	... 50

DULEELUDDEEN, *Offg. Personal Asstt. to Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, BANKIPORE, the 29th November 1873.

Notification.

WANTED a Kanongoe or Surveyor of the Second Class on Rs. 25 a month for the District of Goalparah. Candidates who passed the last Native Civil Service Examination need only apply, with a certificate from the Commissioner of the Division to which he has been posted that there is no objection to his being appointed in this district.

POORNANUND BOROOAH, *Extra Asst. Commr., in charge.*

GOALPARAH, DY. COMMR.'s OFFICE, the 9th November 1873.

Notice.

THE Cachar Melâ will as usual be held at Silchar, commencing on Tuesday, the 30th December 1873, corresponding with 16th Pous, 1280 (B.S.), and continue for as many days as may be considered necessary.

E. Y. WALCOTT, *Asst. Commr. in charge of Dy. Commr.'s Office.*

CACHAR, DY. COMMR.'s OFFICE, the 23rd October 1873.

Notice.

THE Singhbum Annual Fair will be held as usual at Chyebassa during the last fortnight in December 1873.

C. H. GARBETT, *Captain, Offg. Dy. Commr., Singbhum.*

CHYEBASSA, the 22nd October 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the Least Depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, 28th November 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Chourasea ...	12	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles	2	6	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	2	10	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	2	6	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles	2	3	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles	3	0	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 1st December 1873, above zero, 2 ft. 3 inches.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Moorshedabad District.*

BERHAMPORE, the 1st December 1873.

Matabhangah River.

Weekly Report showing the least depth of water from the Entrance of the Matabhangah River to Kissengunge, for the week ending on Friday, the 14th November 1873.

Name of Shoals.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.
Entrance from the Ganges ...	3	9
Tatarparah	3	0
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia	3	0
„ Hât Bolia to Cut No. 1	11	0
„ Cut No. 1 to Boalmaree	3	9
„ Boalmaree to Alickdeah ...	3	9
„ Alickdeah to Kissengunge	3	9
Jellinghy River.		
Entrance	5	0
„ to Jellinghee	0	3
From Jellinghee to Teakatta	0	4
„ Teakatta to Nuddea ...	2	3

H. T. FORBES, *Major, R.A., Exe. Engr., Nuddea District.*

KISHNAGHUR, the 19th November 1873.

Matabhangah River.

Weekly Report showing the Least Depth of Water from the Entrance of the Matabhangah River to Kissengunge, the week ending on Friday, the 21st November 1873.

Name of Shoals.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance from the Ganges ...	3	0	
Tatarparah	2	9	
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia	2	9	
„ Hât Bolia to Cut No. 1	11	0	
„ Cut No. 1 to Boalmaree	3	0	
„ Boalmaree to Alickdeah ...	2	9	
„ Alickdeah to Kissengunge	3	9	
Jellinghy River.			
Entrance	5	0	
„ to Jellinghy	0	3	
From Jellinghy to Teakatta	0	3	
„ Teakatta to Nuddea	2	3	

H. T. FORBES, *Major, R.A., Exe. Engineer, Nuddea District.*

KISHNAGHUR, the 26th November 1873.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
6169	L/8 84664	100	Hurrish Chunder Dutt.
	,, 49178	100	
6172	A/88 37583	50	Roop Laul Ghose.
6175	A/80 44866	10	Seetul Chunder Roy.
6180	L/6 89115	100	John G. Womack.
6181	A/91 30482	100	The District Superintendent of Police, 24-Pergunnahs.
6182	A/89 07073	500	Jamnadas Oomed Sing.
6183	L/19 77650	20	Prosono Chundra Bose.
6185	A/80 16928	500	Dwarkanath Dutt.
6187	A/90 33864	100	Messrs. P. S. D'Rozario and Co.
	L/8 58476	100	
6188	L/19 27710	50	Dwarkanath Dutt.
6193	A/98 34254	50	Shaik Madenah.
	,, 34255	50	
	A/90 74219	100	
	,, 74277	100	
6198	L/19 39061	50	Rajendronath Chatterjee.
	L/36 02926	20	
	L/7 67074	20	
	A/79 42967	10	
	L/6 86826	10	
	,, 62982	10	
6204	L/19 20012	50	Messrs. Binoycanto Mitter and Co.
6205	A/87 81526	1,000	Nund Coomar Auddy.
6206	L/8 84374	100	Mirza Mohamud Ally.
	,, 84375	100	
	,, 84376	100	
	,, 84377	100	
	,, 84378	100	
	,, 84379	100	
	,, 84380	100	
	,, 84381	100	
	,, 84382	100	
	,, 84383	100	
6207	L/2 98138	10	Doorga Das Mookerjee.
6209	L/8 96642	100	Izzatud Dowlah Bahadoor.
	,, 54491	100	
6211	L/8 68219	100	G. Marklew, Superintendent of Police, Ekbalpore Thanna.
	,, 72061	100	
	,, 77874	100	
	,, 69478	100	
	,, 73886	100	
	,, 72797	100	
	,, 48454	100	
	,, 66943	100	
	,, 66942	100	
	,, 54118	100	
6212	L/13 88157	20	Soodursun Pandy.
	,, 88158	20	
6213	A/79 24784	10	Bishushurn Churun Chatterjee.
	L/2 97354	10	
6220	L/19 27200	50	Behariloll Datta.
	L/13 96739	20	
	L/11 07783	5	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

6151	L/13 95615	20	Kurm Chund Dooghur.
	,, 95617	20	
6152	L/9 64440	5	Ramjeeawan Lal.
	,, 64441	5	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6153	A/96 10782	20	Grish Chunder Bose.
6154	A/89 20422	500	Nundololl Mitter.
6155	L/52 70072	10	Mrs. H. Hashman.
6156	A/99 13695	20	Greedhury Chowdhury.
6157	L/2 73535	10	Khanja Khaw.
6159	A/81 66853	100	Bhoobun Mohun Roy.
	L/10 10100	50	
6161	L/14 29364	20	Aushotosh Addy.
	,, 29366	20	
6163	L/1 14554	10	Gridhur Chowdhury.
6164	L/32 25349	10	Gopalchunder Mookerjee.
6166	L/14 04834	20	Sham Chund Bose.
	L/13 83279	20	
6167	A/96 24306	10	J. C. Reid.
6170	L/12 14173	20	Messrs. GladstoJe Wyllie & Co
	,, 23007	20	
6171	L/1 78216	10	Captain G. F. Blowers
	A/69 70504	10	
6173	L/33 09425	10	Clara Leech.
	,, 13473	10	
6174	L/8 56971	100	Jadub Chunder Chuckerbutty.
6177	L/1 43759	10	Prankisto Sadkhan.
6186	A/27 56976	20	Sarodaproshad Mookerjee.
6189	L/14 36027	20	Khetter Mohun Ghose.
6191	L/6 80130	10	Captain J. Homfray.
	,, 80128	10	
	,, 80133	10	
	L/6 80126	10	
	,, 80127	10	
	L/11 88917	5	
6192	L/5 36233	10	J. H. Herbert.
	,, 36234	10	
	,, 36235	10	
6194	A/34 07009	20	Ram Chunder Roy.
	A/41 65942	10	
	A/31 94543	10	
6196	L/13 09052	20	Dan Sing, Than Sing.
6197	L/32 22105	10	Ram Laul Ghose.
6200	L/6 80136	10	Captain G. B. Peart.
	,, 80137	10	
6201	,, 18732	10	G. Carry.
6202	L/14 16165	20	Charles Sheriffe Wiseman.
6203	L/9 16270	5	Khamanee Singh.
	,, 83947	5	
	,, 62224	5	
6210	A/95 64270	10	Revd. A. Rust.
6214	A/91 09538	20	Mesrs. W. L. Atkinson and Co.
6217	L/11 35177	5	Benud Lal Sein.
6218	L/1 88239	10	Juggut Chunder Dutt.

Wrongly joined.

6150	A/94 04384	20	Ramchunder Dey.
	L/12 13538		
6158	A/21 04120	10	Sreebash Dutt.
	,, 55120		
6160	L/2 79519	10	Khetter Mohun Shome.
	,, 79516		
6162	A/50 67890	10	G. J. Roseboom
	,, 67887		
6165	L/7 49089	20	Jogessur Day.
	,, 49087		
6168	L/10 93175	5	Gunesh Das Gunga Ram.
	L/9 59695		
	L/6 43717	10	
	L/9 51851		
	L/1 23346	10	
	A/98 05586		

Wrongly joined.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Names of Claimant.
6176 ...	A/92 46275 ... ,, 46276 ...	50	... Madhub Chunder Dey.
6184 ...	L/1 06661 ... ,, 06660 ...	10	... Sreenath Ghose.
6190 ...	L/9 36975 ... ,, 36976 ...	5	... Messrs. F. and C Osler.
	,, 11702 ... ,, 11723 ...	5	...
6195 ...	A/95 46236 ... A/96 17509 ...	10	... Palamapa Setty.
6219 ...	A/77 17687 ... A/96 96946 ...	10	... Janki Misser.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 1st December 1873.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 25th Nov. 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		15,47,164	8	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,61,59,457 0 0	3,65,48,788	1	0
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	,, 2,03,89,331 1 0			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		2,82,17,803	6	9
Bank Post Bills, &c.		4,52,823	11	4
Sundries		7,86,492	0	11
Total ...		8,95,53,071	12	9

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,32,34,014	9	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		47,37,557	7	1
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		27,98,572	14	2
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		1,86,44,433	13	0
Dead Stock		11,46,019	4	0
Stamps		15,156	12	6
Balances with other Banks		5,29,515	8	1
Sundries		71,338	4	5
Bullion		2,90,364	1	5
		4,14,66,972	9	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,31,03,890 1 0	4,80,86,099	3	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	,, 3,49,82,209 2 1			
Total ...		8,95,53,071	12	9

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 27th November 1873.

F. A. GILLAM,
Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(450—1)

Administrator-General's Office.

THE undermentioned Estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said Estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned:—

John George Stoddart, a Permanent-way Inspector in the Great Indian Peninsular Railway, died at Khundwa on the 23rd February 1873.

Robert Taylor, of the "Times of India," died at or near Cochin, in April 1865.

Frederick Alfred Walker, a Sub-Engineer in the Public Works Department, died at Rangoon on the 3rd of August 1872.

Thomas Chisholm Anstey, Barrister-at-Law, died at Bombay on the 13th August 1873.

Alfred Carr, late of Calcutta, died at Calcutta on the 21st December 1870.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, Calcutta, 22nd November 1873. (448—1)

Notice

Is hereby given that a sum of Rs. 35-9-3, being balance of the estate of the late Mr. Mathew, Assistant Tea Planter in Cachar, formerly a Sergeant in the Army, who died intestate at Cherra Poonjee, in the Khasi and Jynteeah Hills, on 12th September 1873, is in deposit in this Court, and will be delivered to any person legally entitled to receive the same.

SHILLONG, the 15th November 1873. (440—3) H. S. BIVAR, *Dy. Commissioner.*

TO BE peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale room in the Court House on Saturday the tenth day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy four at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, pursuant to a decree of the said Court, made in a suit No. 240 of 1872, wherein John Cameron McGregor as assignee of the estate and effects of Nolit Mohun Dass, an Insolvent is plaintiff, and Gungahurry Dey, and others are defendants, dated the first day of July one thousand eight hundred and seventy two the following property, that is to say—

All that upper roomed brick built messuage tenement or dwelling house together with the piece or parcel of land or ground thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation sixteen cottahs and one chittack be the same a litttle more or less situate lying and being on the North side of Tellaparrah Shampooker in the Town of Calcutta, and being No. 20 now No. 26 in the said lane and butted and bounded in manner following that is to say, on the North by the dwelling house of Rajkristo Ghose, on the South by the Tellaparah Lane aforesaid on the East by the dwelling house of Mutty Lall Sircar, and the Garden and Tank belonging to Khetter Chunder Roy, and on the West by the house of Chunder Seekur Goopto.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar of the High Court, Original Jurisdiction, or at the office of Messieurs Trotman, Chatterjee, and Walkins, Plantiff's Attorney's, at No. 2 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, and will be produced at the sale.

Intending purchasers are cautioned to satisfy themselves prior to the sale as to the title inasmuch as it is one of the conditions of sale that the purchasers shall accept such title as the vendors, that is to say, the Representative of the mortgagee and the mortgagors have.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

CALCUTTA, HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, REGISTRAR'S OFFICE,
The 24th November 1873. (449—2)

Notice

Is hereby given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at the Judge's Kutcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale :—

A pucka two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race Course, and renting monthly for Rs. 175.

A thatched bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

A *half-share* of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., Purneah. (386—10)

No. 1.

The Bengal Coal Company, Limited.

REGISTERED UNDER ACT X OF 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company, to confirm the Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 22nd November 1873, will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 27, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at 11 o'clock A.M., on Saturday, the 13th December 1873.—By order of the Directors,

T. M. ROBINSON, *Managing Director.*

No. 2.

The Bengal Coal Company, Limited.

REGISTERED UNDER ACT X OF 1866.

THE Half-yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 27, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at noon, on Saturday, the 13th December 1873.

The Books and Accounts of the Company duly audited will be open for the inspection of Shareholders seven days before the Meeting.—By order of the Directors,

(446—3) T. M. ROBINSON, *Managing Director.*

Arcuttipore Tea Company, "Limited."

THE second *ad-interim* dividend on crop 1873 of 4 per cent. per annum declared at the meeting held on the 25th current is now payable at this office.

J. MACKILLICAN AND CO., *Secretaries and Agents.*

7, CHURCH LANE, the 25th November 1873. (447—1)

Eastern Bengal Indigo Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with a requisition of certain Shareholders of the above Company, an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at its Registered Office, No. 3, Church Lane, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 4th day of March next, at 3-30 P.M., to consider the advisability of winding up the said Company, and of passing such resolutions relative thereto as may be necessary.—By order of the Directors,

WILLAM MORAN & Co., *Agents.*

No. 3, CHURCH LANE, CALCUTTA, the 1st December 1873. (452—4)

Lost, Stolen, or Destroyed.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 153 of the 5 per cent. of 1856-57, for Rs. 1,200, originally standing in the name of Soshebhoosun Sadokha, and last endorsed to Rajkristo Doss, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favor of the proprietor.

(431—3) RAJKRISTO DOSS, 225, *Old China Bazar, Calcutta.*

Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

PROCEEDINGS of the Twenty-third Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, Limited, held at the Registered Office of the Company, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Old Court House Street, Calcutta, at 3 P.M., on Saturday, the 29th November, 1873.

Present:

Messrs. N. G. Chunder, G. DeSouza, J. A. Gregory, J. B. Knight, J. S. Livermore, J. W. Linzee, W. Mackenzie, P. C. Mittra, F. Syvret, and J. H. Williamson.

Mr. J. B. Knight having been voted to the Chair, the Acting Secretary read the notice convening the Meeting, and the Chairman having read the Report, the following resolutions were put and carried unanimously:—

Proposed by Mr. J. W. Linzee—
Seconded by Mr. G. DeSouza—
"That the Directors' Report be adopted."
Carried unanimously.
Proposed by Mr. W. Mackenzie—
Seconded by Mr. F. Syvret—
"That an *ad-interim* Dividend be declared at the rate of 2 per cent. for the six months ended 31st August 1873, and that the same be payable on and after the 2nd January 1874.
Carried unanimously.

After a vote of thanks to the Chairman, the Meeting dissolved.

CALCUTTA, the 29th November 1873. (453—1) J. B. KNIGHT, *Chairman.*

For sale.

AT the Meteorological Office, No. 22 Chowringhee, the following official publications:—

Meteorological Report of 1867	Rs.	0	12	per copy.
Ditto ditto 1868	,,	1	8	,,
Ditto ditto 1869	,,	2	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1870	,,	2	6	,,
Ditto ditto 1871	,,	2	8	,,
Ditto ditto 1872	,,	3	0	,,
Administration Report of 1870-71	,,	0	4	,,
Ditto ditto 1871-72	,,	0	4	,,
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Abbott, L. C.
Abinas Chunder Roy.
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Cohen, Mary.
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Dubois, H. C.
Edwards, J.
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Fitzgerald, Lieut. T.
Francis, Daisy, Miss.
Fraser, E. A.
French, H. J.
Gahan, R. L.
Gibson, A.
Girdhari Sing.
Grant, Mrs. C.
Hamilton, Mrs. C. L.
Head Master, Mirzapore Preparatory School.
Henderson, W.
Henry and Co.
Henry, T.
Heron.
Hilay, G.
Hony. Secy., Cosmopolitan Library.
Jackson, M.
Johannes, Mrs. E.
Lambert, Mrs.
Locke, R. L.
McDonald, A. R.
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Olliver, Madame, V.
O'Toole, Miss.
Paulslaw, R. D.
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Pell, J.
Pesh, Miss.
Pesh, Miss.
Phillips, C. A. B.
Read, M.
Reid, Miss.
Reid, Miss C. A.
Richarson, S.
Rich, F.
Robertson, W.
Robinson, Mrs. M.
Scott, G. C.
Scott, W.
Smith, Mrs. E. A.
Smith, Mrs. C.
Smith, W. M.
Sprint, G. J.
Stephen, C. N.
Stewart, C. E.
St. Quinton, G. H.
Stritzker, H.
Tenguil, J.
Wade, W. H.
Wall, W. M.
Welsh, M.
Williams, E. J.
Wilson, F. W. J.
Winser, J.
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Woomesh Chunder Mittra.
Wyllis, F. R.

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Bennee, W.
Beyts, G. F.
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Smith, Mrs. P. A.
Smits, W. H.
Swyny, J. A.
Swyny, Mrs. J. A.
Thornton, H. T.

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No. 884.

INSOLVENCY NOTICE.

ving Dividends remaining unclaimed for six monhts from this Court.

of JOHN LACKERSTEEN AND BROTHERS, Insolvents.

	Bill No.	£			Amount of Claim.			5th Dividend at 2 as. 6 pie per cent., 1st March 1873.		
					Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Se ...	991	100	0	0	1,064	14	4	1	10	7
of ...	993	1,000	0	0	9,903	6	7	15	7	7
...	1039	500	0	0	4,899	8	9	7	10	6
Sd Poo ...	1039	2,000	0	0	19,572	5	7	30	9	5
do ...	1107	500	0	0	5,227	14	0	8	2	8
J. ...	1108	500	0	0	5,227	14	0	8	2	8
en ...	1138	820	0	0	8,814	13	8	13	12	4
ngCo. ...	1136	497	3	5	5,381	2	6	8	6	6
...	1137	2,777	0	4	30,025	9	4	46	14	9
...	1138	513	7	4	5,569	0	0	8	11	3
Ch Co. ...	959	1,190	4	3	11,533	4	0	18	0	4
L ...	973	2,752	17	11	27,938	15	7	42	4	0
...	1049	1,500	0	0	14,767	3	2	23	1	2
S-sed ...	...	2,000	0	0	19,996	15	0	31	3	1
d	1007	1,500	0	0	25,390	0	3	39	10	9
	1009	1,000	0	0						
d Co. ...	987	1,000	0	0	10,391	14	4	16	3	9
	971	1,190	4	3	12,345	14	0	19	4	8
	1063	1,000	0	0	10,409	1	8	28	12	3
	985	1,500	0	0	15,580	9	9½	24	5	6
	986	1,500	0	0	15,580	9	9½	24	5	6
...	17-1458	243	15	0	2,527	8	8	3	15	2
...	B-A	...			901	0	3	1	6	6
d Co. ...	1065	1,000	0	0	20,818	3	0	30	8	5
	1066	1,000	0	0						
...	967	531	12	0	6,124	0	3	9	0	19
Co. ...	960	363	16	0	3,608	0	0	5	10	2
...	940	1,537	7	1	21,287	6	9	33	4	2
	941	462	12	11						
d Co. ...	1058	200	0	0	2,127	10	8	3	5	2
	1078	200	0	0	2,145	8	6	3	5	8
and Co. Sircar En-	174	1,500	0	0	15,443	13	7	24	2	1
Buddean ...	173	1,400	0	0	14,415	3	4	22	8	5
errun Roy...	172	1,700	0	0	17,501	2	1	27	5	7
...	1051	750	0	0	7,658	4	0	11	15	5
	1052	750	0	0	7,658	4	0	11	15	5
chedule ...	940	1,000	0	0	10,631	6	3	16	9	9
	1047	628	10	6	6,575	8	7	10	4	5
Watts ...	1053	500	0	0	5,105	7	2	7	15	8
...	921	1,500	0	0	16,326	12	0	25	8	2
	1003	88	8	1	931	0	0	1	7	4
	1003	750	0	0	7,984	15	6	12	7	7
	1001	1,400	0	0	14,519	1	6	22	7	9
ecretary ...	1048	1,500	0	0	15,669	8	4	24	10	8
chedule Curries	13-A	8,533	0	2	85,330	1	4	133	5	3
d Watts ...	1085	2,500	0	0	26,386	14	8	41	3	8
Schedule ...	37-38	1,000	0	0	10,988	7	3	17	2	9
as Secretaries	73	8	15	0	98	4	3	0	2	5
ance Co. ...	18-1008	80	0	0	581	0	9	1	5	3
	18-1099	70	0	0	745	7	3	1	2	8
	17-1191	59	10	0	652	8	3	1	0	4
	545	25	0	0	269	10	0	0	6	9
	197	21	5	0	230	9	8	0	6	7
	5	45	0	0	480	6	9	0	12	0
	4	95	0	0	1,008	5	9	1	9	3

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Bill No.	£			
	Not in the Schedule ...	390	0	0	0	
		391	0	0	0	
		392	0	0	0	
		393	0	0	0	
	Less Securities realized ...	...	...			
	Balance ...	...	...			
83	S. L. Behrens and Co. ...	B-A	...			
16	Oriental Bank	1044	1,000	0	0	
		1045	1,000	0	0	
	Bill L. M. and Co. Endorsed	17-1234	109	0	0	
		17-1237	100	0	0	
3	Shearwood and Co. ...	910	100	0	0	
13	Robinson, Balfour and Co. ...	969	1,900	0	0	
12	Frith, Sandes and Watts ...	1087	5,000	0	0	
		1089	1,000	0	0	
		964	2,000	0	0	
		965	1,000	0	0	
	Endorsements ...	0-1004	1,500	0	0	
		A-1006	1,500	0	0	
		1086	2,500	0	0	
		1095	1,250	0	0	
		1096	1,250	0	0	
		1100	1,500	0	0	
		1097	1,250	0	0	
		1094	1,250	0	0	
		1011	1,000	0	0	
25	India Marine Insurance Co. ...	B-A	0	0	0	
20	Colvin, Ainslie, Cowie and Co. Nursing Bill Endorsed	...	3,000	0	0	
		1001	2,000	0	0	
	Bill DeLuza Viera Endorsed.	104	500	0	0	
		1028	556	5	0	
		1064	1,000	0	0	
		1013	1,300	0	0	
		1092	500	0	0	
	Not in the Schedule ...	918	1,000	0	0	
		919	1,000	0	0	
		920	1,500	0	0	
		1002	726	14	5	
		1039	1,300	0	0	
	Bill DeLuza Veira Endorsed.	101	500	0	0	
40	B. T. Ford and Co. ...	1090	1,000	0	0	
	Not in the Schedule ...	18-1027	75	0	0	
	India Insurance Bill ...	18-1028	58	15	0	
		18-1046	12	0	0	
		18-1047	5	15	0	
		4-17	60	0	0	
		4-23	37	10	0	
		...	5	15	0	
44	T. Scott	1126	500	0	0	
22	Bagshaw and Co. ...	1023	429	9	4	
		1015	1,006	12	10	
	Bill Ramkeeram Roy Endorsed.	...	1,700	0	0	
	Not in the Schedule ...	...	1,500	0	0	
27	H. Schumacher	1035	500	0	0	
		1036	500	0	0	
28	Judge, Vrignon and Newmarch	1038	500	0	0	

ors.	Bill No.	£			Amount of Claim.			5th Dividend at 2 as. 6 pie per cent., 1st March 1873.		
					Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
... ...	1037	500	0	0	5,246	7	0	8	3	2
...	B-A	421	17	6	4,821	6	10	7	8	6
... ...	1060	1,000	0	0	10,409	1	8	16	4	3
Schedule on ac- of Bill J. Coles	...	...			6,000	0	0	9	6	0
Schedule 4 P. dorsed.	...	...			1,00,000	0	0	156	4	0
J. G. Lung ...	1046	1,000	0	0	10,175	0	0	15	14	5
en ...	B-A	...			7,182	7	6	11	3	7
ngton, Deceased	Do.	...			95,616	7	11	149	6	5
to, Deceased...	Do.	...			9,595	12	5	14	15	10
to, Deceased...	Do.	...			5,390	4	7	8	6	9
Pinto, Deceased	Do.	...			51,252	15	8	80	1	4
I. Woollaston	Do.	...			17,223	10	6	26	14	7
n ...	Do	...			8,097	4	0	12	10	5
Schedule ...	874	1,000	0	0	10,472	12	7	16	6	0
d Watts ...	1024	2,600	0	0	28,048	1	4	43	13	2
... ...	B-A	...			14,774	14	3	23	1	4
... ...	Do.	...			2,370	0	0	3	11	3
and Co. ...	Do.	...			4,710	0	0	7	5	9
... ...	Do.	...			3,695	2	0	5	12	5
...	1109	500	0	0						
	1111	500	0	0	16,230	0	2	25	5	9
	1135	500	0	0						
...	1059	250	0	0						
	1060	250	0	0						
	1061	250	0	0						
	1062	250	0	0	18,617	15	3	29	1	5
	1065	250	0	0						
	1066	250	0	0						
	1067	250	0	0						
... ...	1130	1,500	0	0						
	1131	1,500	0	0	54,102	0	7	84	8	7
	1132	1,500	0	0						
	1133	500	0	0						
hers ...	1048	2,501	6	6	25,882	9	5	40	7	0
nd Co. ...	994	1,000	0	0	10,390	10	4	16	3	9
	995	1,000	0	0	10,390	10	4	16	3	9
	996	1,000	0	0	10,390	10	4	16	3	9
bach and Co....	1005	500	0	0	5,253	6	2	8	3	4
	1006	500	0	0	5,253	6	2	8	3	4
	1007	500	0	0	5,253	6	2	8	3	4
o. ...	1014	700	0	0	7,333	6	2	11	7	4
der and Co. ...	1046	1,000	0	0	10,344	7	9	16	2	7
Schedule En-	39	200	0	0	2,169	12	10	3	6	3
p.	1110	400	0	0	4,332	1	6	6	12	4
bach and Co....	1010	500	0	0	5,243	9	9	8	3	1
Gobind Sing	...	1,900	0	0	19,538	14	2	36	8	4
d										
Sons and Co.	1074	300	0	0	3,172	8	0	3	11	9
	1075	200	0	0	2,115	0	0	3	4	11
Schedule ...	B-A	...			5,714	4	6	8	14	10
lia Insurance	35	450	0	0	8,417	14	10	13	2	5
Bill ...	36	350	0	0						
... ...	1089	501	1	6	5,368	8	9	8	6	5
ent and Co. ...	1054	345	15	3	3,640	4	0	5	11	0
Co. ...	997	2,000	0	0	41,526	0	4	64	14	2
	998	2,000	0	0						
nd Co. ...	1012	1,000	0	0	10,508	5	11	16	6	9
bell ...	979	500	0	0	5,883	15	3	9	3	1
Co. ...	981	1,400	0	0	16,032	15	7	25	0	10
... ...	1093	9	0	0	90	0	0	0	2	3

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Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Bill No.	£	Am
	Estate Colville, Gilmore and Co.	1082	1,000 0 0	10,4
74	Estate Mary Fallowfield ...	B-A	...	1
75	Estate of Anthony Lackersteen	Do.	...	2,51
85	Estate L. Cooper ..	Do.	...	3,16
96	Trustees of J. and A. L. Muleldarff.	Do.	...	6,48
99	Estate Nathalia DeSouza ...	Do.	...	1,70
101	Domingo Mathews ...	Do.	...	633
102	Catherine	B-A	...	210
103	Roza DeRozario	Do.	...	282
104	Charity Account... ...	Do.	...	128
98	Trustees of J. B. and E. M. Cornelius.	Do.	...	3,730
62	Jazed Almeida	Do.	...	1,86
64	Francisco, D'Asis Fernandes ...	Do.	...	18
73	J. D. Almeida	Do.	...	9
81	A. A. Demello	Do.	...	6,34
84	Francis A. Laforgue ...	Do.	...	5,36
76	S. J. Rodrigues	Do.	...	63
22	Bagshaw and Co. ...	1016	363 17 10	3,81
	A. M. Woollaston ...	1115 1116	...	15
	Ditto	1146	...	15
6	Kelsall and Co.	1044 1045	...	35,50
	D. C. Mackey and Co. ...	962 963	100 0 0	1,03
		980	30 0 0	32
		992	...	1,00
		1047	...	1,50
	Robinson, Balfour and Co. ...	970	...	27,52
		1004	...	72
		1018	...	38
		1030 1031	...	39
	Chapman, Griffths and Co. ...	995	185 15 11	1,93
		1043	142 16 5	1,46
	Oswald, Seal and Co. ...	1026	...	97
	India Marine Insurance Co. ...	1019	97 13 1	
		1027	97 13 1	
		1043	35 12 6	2,58
		1049	6 15 5	
		1050	20 12 6	
	Mowjee Dhunjee... ...	1068	...	2,50
	Nanjee Joycurn Sons and Co.	1060	250 0 0	
		1070	250 0 0	
		1071	250 0 0	
		1072	250 0 0	
				10,000
			1,000 0 0	
	Daniel Dickson and Co. ...	1068	...	10,000
	Revd. M. W. Woollaston ...	1143	200 0 0	2,000
	Frith, Sandes and Watts ...	4006	1,500 0 0	15,000
	Jardine, Skinner and Co. ...	Bill	1,900 0 0	19,000
	Phœnix Marine Insurance Office.	1024	45 11 5	455
	P. J. Carew, Vicar ...	1129	28 6 0	288
		B-A	...	186
	Robinson, Balfour and Co. ...	770	2,752 17 4	27,528
	J. Stanford	A	...	1,269
	Assignee of Joseph and Scarr	...	...	2,979
	Miss Syers	...	...	1,052
	Owners of the *Agnes Sea* ...	...	...	3,793
	J. Gosnell and Co. ...	1032	13 7 1	149

e matter of JOHN MATHEW DOVE, an Insolvent.

Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			Second Dividend at 1¼ per cent., 1st March 1873.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
l Co., J. W.	20	0	0	0	4	0
., and others	6,940	11	0	86	12	2
Co.	128	0	0	1	9	7
Co.	74	15	0	0	15	0
H.	189	0	0	3	9	10
Co., F. W.	20	8	0	0	4	1
nn and Co.	40	0	0	0	8	0
n" Press Proprietor	300	0	0	3	12	0
er Bose	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
l and others	5,503	14	5	68	12	9
l and others	5,386	6	4	67	5	3
ers	70	0	0	0	14	0
Lyall and Co.	130	0	0	1	10	0
	1,863	0	0	23	4	7
ant	2,000	0	0	25	0	0
the 32nd Regiment, Bengal Native						
	368	12	6	4	9	9
Gossain	2,500	0	0	31	4	0
n Gossain	500	0	0	6	4	0
d Co.	21	0	0	0	4	2
Watts	950	0	0	11	14	0
ith and Co.	250	0	0	3	2	0
l and Co.	350	0	0	4	6	0
l Co., D.	100	0	0	1	4	0

ription.	Bills of Exchange Holder.	Amount.			Dividend.		
nonths' date	Hugh McIntosh	400	0	0	5	0	0
,,	Hurromohun Sircar	600	0	0	7	8	0
,,	Sumboonauth Chatterjee	500	0	0	6	4	0
,,	Sumboonauth Chatterjee	500	0	0	6	4	0
,,	Moheschunder Day	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Radhicachurn Mitter	500	0	0	6	4	0
,,	Hugh McIntosh	400	0	0	5	0	0
,,	Hurrochunder Day	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Dwarkanath Roy	500	0	0	6	4	0
,,	Punchanund Dhur	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Radhabullub Dhur	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Hugh McIntosh	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Moheschunder Day	500	0	0	6	4	0
,,	Radhicachurn Mitter	600	0	0	7	8	0
,,	Hugh McIntosh	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Tacoordoss Mullick	550	0	0	6	14	0
,,	Nobinchunder Mitter	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Punchanun Dutt	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Toolseedoss Dutt	3,000	0	0	37	8	0
,,	Ditto	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
,,	Sumboonauth Chatterjee	600	0	0	7	8	0
,,	Radanauth Dhur	500	0	0	6	4	0
,,	Radabullub Dhur	500	0	0	6	4	0
,,	Chintamoney Day	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Kessubloll Chunder	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Gooroodoss Sill	800	0	0	10	0	0
,,	G. Bryant	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Kistomohun Sein	400	0	0	5	0	0
,,	Denonauth Paul	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Goursoonder Sett	700	0	0	8	12	0
,,	Radabullub Dhur	500	0	0	6	4	0
,,	Muddoosoodun Sein	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Goursoonder Sett	800	0	0	10	0	0
,,	Ditto	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
,,	P. J. Paul	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Lokenauth Seal	600	0	0	7	8	0
,,	Rakhaldoss Haldar	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Rakhaldoss Haldar	300	0	0	3	12	0
,,	Rashbeharry Auddy	500	0	0	6	4	0
,,	Gopaulchund	600	0	0	7	8	0
,,	Issurchunder Mitter	1,000	0	0	12	8	0

Date. 1854.	Description.	Bills of Exchange Holder.	
Aug. 8th...	1 @ 3 months' date	Issenchunder Chatterjee ..	3
,, 15th ..	1 ,, 3	,, Rasbeharry Auddy ...	2
,, 20th ..	1 ,, 3	,, Radanauth Dhur ..	1,0
,, 19th...	1 ,, 3	,, Radabullub Dhur ...	3
,, 18th...	1 ,, 3	,, Goursoonder Sett ..	5
,, 18th ..	1 ,, 3	,, Ditto ..	5
,, 15th...	1 ,, 2	,, Bhuggobutty Churn Mookerjee.	3
,, 15th...	1 ,, 2	,, Cossinauth Mullick ..	8
,, 9th...	1 ,, 2	,, Gooroodoss Sill ..	8
,, 27th...	1 ,, 2	,, Sumboonauth Chatterjee ..	8
,, 23rd...	1 ,, 3	,, Doyalchund Dutt ..	2
,, 19th...	1 ,, 3	,, Rajendernauth Sein ..	5
,, 28th...	1 ,, 3	,, Dwarkanauth Roy ..	6
,, 29th...	1 ,, 3	,, Rakhaldoss Haldar ..	1,0
.....	1 ,, 3	,, Jaudublol Mullick ..	70
Aug. 30th...	1 ,, 3	,, Cossinauth Mullick ..	50
Sept. 4th...	1 ,, 2	,, Heerumbochunder Doss ...	30
,, 7th...	1 ,, 3	,, Prawnkisto Dutt ..	30
,, 2nd...	1 ,, 3	,, Sreenauth Paul ..	60
,, 8th ..	1 ,, 3	,, Boystomchurn Dutt ...	60
,, 20th...	1 ,, 3	,, Dinnonauth Ghose ..	1,50
,, 20th...	1 ,, 6	,, G. R. Smith ..	7,50
,, 4th ..	1 ,, 3	,, Ditto ..	70
.....	1 ,, 3	,, Radabullub Dhur ..	30
Sept. 6th...	1 ,, 3	,, Oditchurn Sein ...	50
,, 8th...	1 ,, 3	,, Modoosoodun Dhur ..	300
,, 15th...	1 ,, 3	,, Huromohun Sircar ..	300
,, 14th...	2 ,, 3	,, Kissurmohun Shaw ...	800
,, 6th...	1 ,, 3	,, Chundercoomar Chatterjee ..	300
,, 25th...	1 ,, 3	,, Gooroodoss Sill ...	500
,, 15th..	1 ,, 3	,, Goursoonder Sett ...	500
,, 12th..	1 ,, 3	,, Ramrutton Sein ...	500
,, 5th..	1 ,, 3	,, Ramsabuck Dutt ..	1,000
,, 19th..	1 ,, 3	,, Punchanund Bhuttacharjee...	40
,, 14th..	1 ,, 3	,, Dwarkanauth Roy ..	2,000
,, 11th...	1 ,, 3	,, Goursoonder Sett ..	1,000
,, 22nd..	1 ,, 3	,, Woomeshchunder Bannerjee..	1,000
....	1 ,, 3	,, Radhicachurn Mitter ..	500
Sept. 16th..	1 ,, 3	,, Anundmoye Dossee ...	500
,, 14th..	1 ,, 3	,, Khettermohun Mullick ..	300
,, 22nd..	1 ,, 3	,, Gungadhur Chunder ...	2,000
,, 16th..	1 ,, 3	,, G. Bryant ..	600
,, 20th..	1 ,, 3	,, Rajendernauth Sein ...	1,000
,, 18th..	1 ,, 3	,, Radhicachurn Mitter ..	1,000
,, 25th..	1 ,, 3	,, Radabullub Dhur ..	400
,, 22nd..	1 ,, 3	,, Pooroosootum Mullick ..	1,000
.....	1 ,, 3	,, Gooroodoss Sill ..	500
Sept. 23rd..	1 ,, 3	,, Radanauth Dhur ..	1,000
.....	1 ,, 3	,, Jaudubloll Mullick ..	600
Sept. 23rd..	1 ,, 2	,, G. Bryant ..	500
,, 25th..	1 ,, 2	,, Ditto ...	500
Oct. 3rd..	1 ,, 2	,, Ditto ..	500
Sept. 25th...	1 ,, 2	,, Issenchunder Chatterjee ...	300
.....	1 ,, 3	,, Gooroodoss Sill ...	500
.....	1 ,, 3	,, Rajchunder Dutt ...	600
Sept. 28th..	1 ,, 3	,, Goursoonder Sett ...	600
,, 25th .	1 ,, 3	,, Ditto ...	1,000
Oct. 25th..	1 ,, 3	,, Rakhaldoss Ghosal ..	400
Sept. 23rd..	1 ,, 3	,, Rajendernauth Seal ..	500
Aug. 15th..	1 ,, 3	,, Isserchunder Mitter ...	500
.....	1 ,, 3	,, Premnauth Mullick ...	500
Oct. 10th..	1 ,, 3	,, Radanauth Dhur ...	600
,, 11th...	1 ,, 3	,, Muddoosoodun Chatterjee ...	300
,, 14th...	1 ,, 3	,, Goursoonder Sett ...	300
,, 20th..	1 ,, 3	,, Goursoonder Sett ..	800

	Bills of Exchange Holder.		Amount.			Dividend.		
date	Cossinauth Mullick	..	500	0	0	6	4	0
	Ditto	..	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
	Radhicachurn Mitter	...	600	0	0	7	8	0
	Ramnauth Bose	..	600	0	0	7	8	0
	Shreenauth Mullick	...	500	0	0	6	4	0
	Luckinarain Dutt	...	300	0	0	3	12	0
	Goursoonder Sett	...	800	0	0	10	0	0
	Ditto	...	600	0	0	7	8	0
	Lallmohun Roy	...	500	0	0	6	4	0
	Susteechurn Chatterjee	...	1,500	0	0	18	12	0
	Cossinauth Mullick	...	300	0	0	3	12	0
	Romanauth Bose	...	600	0	0	7	8	0
	H. Lewis	...	500	0	0	6	4	0
	Muddoosoodun Chatterjee	...	300	0	0	3	12	0
	Rajnarain Roy	...	300	0	0	3	12	0
	C. W. Jones	...	500	0	0	6	4	0
	Gungadhur Chunder	...	600	0	0	7	8	0
	Gungaram Mullick	...	300	0	0	3	12	0
	Moneymohun Day	...	300	0	0	3	12	0
	Surroopchunder Ghose	...	500	0	0	6	4	0
	Proosuttum Mullick	...	500	0	0	6	4	0
	Kartickchunder Sen	...	600	0	0	7	8	0
	Anundmoye Dossee	...	600	0	0	7	8	0
	Ramchurn Mullick	...	300	0	0	3	12	0
	Ramkisto Doss	...	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
	Ditto	...	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
	Ditto	...	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
	Ramlochun Dutt	...	1,600	0	0	20	0	0
	G. Byrant	...	700	0	0	8	12	0
	Ditto	...	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
	Khettermohun Mitter	...	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
	Rajchunder Dutt	...	800	0	0	10	0	0
	Khettermohun Mitter	...	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
	Rajchunder Dutt	...	800	0	0	10	0	0

Names of Creditors.				Amount of claim.			Second Dividend at 1¼ per cent., 1st March 1873.		
Co.	...	...	...	196	8	0	2	7	3
rn Dutt	...	...	...	500	0	0	6	4	0
...	...	...	...	300	0	0	3	12	0
d Co.	...	...	...	9	0	0	0	1	10
...	...	...	...	200	0	0	2	8	0
Dutt	...	...	...	300	0	0	3	12	0

matter of KENYEE JOOTA, AND HURRYDOSS NAUTHA.

Names of Creditors.				Amount of claim.			Second Dividend at 3 per cent., 1st March 1873.		
				Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
hah...	...	...	...	605	13	0	18	2	9
th Doss	...	...	...	310	4	6	9	14	11
...	...	...	...	84	0	6	2	8	4
ohun Doss	...	...	...	465	2	3	13	15	3
th and Cossinauth Dutt	...	...	...	1,319	13	0	39	9	6
do Shah and Callachund Pauray			...	382	5	0	11	7	6
d Day	...	...	...	1,800	15	6	54	0	6
o Holdar	...	..	...	473	3	6	14	13	2
soodun Mookerjee	...	...	...	177	4	9	5	5	1
soodun Mistry	...	...	...	62	11	9	1	14	1
soodun Ghose	...	...	...	314	1	9	9	6	9
...	..	...	...	12	6	6	0	6	0
ned, Ghaut Serang	...	...	...	159	7	6	4	12	7
ajee Cowasjee	...	...	...	112	0	0	3	5	9
Ruttonjee Culleanjee		...	...	3,727	5	0	111	13	2
o and Luckeenarain	...	...	...	195	15	3	5	14	1
Busram...	...	...	...	117	8	3	3	8	5
hund Magjee	...	...	...	180	15	9	5	6	10
ajee Lutchmechund	...	...	...	69	4	6	2	1	3
chund Jootah	...	...	...	104	0	9	3	1	11

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Names of Creditors.
Johen Jacouriah Nacoda ... ...
Kurjee Jootah ... ...
Debcurn Debjee ... ...
Phanoos Bagram ... ...
Mooljee Jovindjee ... ...
Dewjee Omaychund ... ...
Jugzeebun Jodobjee ... ...
Heerachund Manickchund ... ...
Manickchund Hurruckchund ... ...
Belljee Muttychund ... ...
Heerachund Hurrydoss ... ...
Futtachund Manickchund ... ...
Prosuttum Heerachund ... ...
Pagjee Seerchund ... ...
Probhoodoss Jugzeeondoss ... ...
Muckenjee Nanjee ... ...
Hurjee Debjee ... ...
Herachund Manickchund ... ...
Wassenjee Verjee ... ...
Echaram Bhuggobandoss ... ...
Kullenjee Muddenjee ... ...
Vesram Mowjee ... ...
Juggebun Gadubjee ... ...
Chapsey Dewcom ... ...
Khosaul Hurry Doss ... ...
Pragjee Seerchund ... ...

In the matter of SUNGUMLOLL, an Insolvent

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Am
3	Gorachund Dutt	1,
7	Hoare Miller and Co.	1,
24	Muckhunloll Greedhareeloll	4,
9	Radanauth Doss and Monohur Doss	2,

In the matter of GEORGE FREDERICK BEHRENDS, an I

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Am
9	Agra Bank	
7	Borrodaile, Schiller and Co.	5,
6	Brice and Co., Alexander	6,0
5	Morgan Brothers	1,1
10	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	1,20
1	Ramchurn Bose, Rajkissen Holdar and another ...	26,16
4	Strange Anderson and Co.	2,15
3	Thomas Gray and Walker	3,162
11	Thomas Smith and Co.	520

In the matter of ANDREW HERVEY, 2nd Insolvency, an Ins

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount o
		Rs. A
17	Agra Bank	1,200
8	Browne and Co., F. W.	84
2	Dykes and Co.	1,561
10	Greig, Mr.	37
6	Lattey Brothers	240
5	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	167
9	Spence and Co., J.	120
11	Saunders, J. B.	538 1
7	Tulloh and Co.	40
12	Wilson and Co., D.	40
13	Wright, Miss	180

the matter of HENRY COOK, an Insolvent.

Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd Dividend at 7½ per cent., 1st March 1873.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
... ...	183	4	0	13	11	11
... ...	400	0	0	30	0	0
W...	112	10	0	8	7	2
Brazier	80	0	0	6	0	0
r...	82	0	0	6	2	5
at Paul	150	0	0	11	4	0
om all and Co.	375	2	0	28	2	2
l'' ose	66	0	0	4	15	3
d Louisa	3,000	0	0	225	0	0
B.	956	9	9	71	11	11
om....	217	8	0	16	5	0
... ...	101	9	3	7	9	11
... ...	318	1	2	23	13	8

nd In the matter of DAVID DUFF, an Insolvent.

Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at ¼ per cent., 1st March 1873.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
dostan, Japan and China... ...	10,937	8	8	27	5	6
dostan, Japan and China... ...	25,139	3	0	62	13	7
ncis	19,000	0	0	47	8	0
es	1,500	0	0	3	12	0
rt...	8,000	0	0	20	0	0
yall and Co.	10,000	0	0	25	0	0
ert Brown	4,015	0	0	10	0	7
xander	12,333	5	4	30	13	4
... ...	2,44,257	3	2	610	10	3
Stokoe	250	0	0	0	10	0

matter of WILLIAM JAMES COCKELL, an Insolvent.

Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 1 per cent., 1st March 1873.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Co.	984	1	7	9	13	5
Captain	66	10	0	0	10	8
r General (Estate Major Spencer) ...	67	10	0	0	10	10
ditto (Estate P. McDonald) ...	225	0	0	2	4	0
aw and Co.	4,931	1	0	49	4	11
... ...	87	11	9	0	14	0
ain	10	0	0	0	1	7
V.	8	2	0	0	1	4
Woodhall, Messrs.	275	14	0	2	12	1
ieut. E. F.	86	4	0	0	13	11
... ...	13	8	0	0	2	2
Co., W.	298	13	11	2	15	10
E.	19	14	8	0	3	2
nd Co.	22	0	0	0	3	6
... ...	202	8	0	2	0	5
th and Co.	6,231	10	2	62	5	1
... ...	1,083	13	3	10	13	5
ptain J. G.	108	0	0	1	1	3
A. D.	121	13	0	1	3	6
... ...	81	4	6	0	13	0
and Co.	131	3	6	1	5	0
V.	5,787	0	0	57	13	11
ea Company Limited	1,590	12	0	15	14	6
lajor	11	8	8	0	1	10
, and W. J. Cockell, Executors of C. H.	2,981	5	11	29	13	0
rs. M. A.	1,882	13	3	18	13	3
, Executor of H. R. Ladlam ...	31	6	0	0	5	0
7th Fusiliers	137	0	0	1	5	11
rs and Miners	66	6	0	0	10	7
Brigadier (Estate)	255	4	6	2	8	10
Dr. J. S. (Estate)	78	0	0	0	12	6

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	
37	Mess 26th Native Infantry...	...
38	McLeod, D. F., c. s. ...	...
39	Marriot, Surgeon (Estate) ...	...
33	Noor Hossein and Co ...	...
35	Nightingale, Captain ...	...
36	North-West Wine Company	...
56	Newman and Co., W. ...	...
28	Paddy, Lieut. A. C. ...	...
29	Pope Sing Ramsoorup ...	...
48	Pigon and Wilks ...	...
30	Rohim Bux and Co. ...	...
46	Rowland, C. T. ...	...
51	Ross; Colonel J. ...	...
52	Reid, Major B. ...	...
53	Rule, W.	...
54	Russell, Lieut. J. J. ...	...
55	Stephen, Lieut. F. ...	...
60	Staunton, R. S. ...	 1,
44	Tuttle and Charles ...	...
10	Simla Bank	 2,

In the matter of ALBERT HARVEY DEMELLO, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	An
26	Alix and Co.	... ...
50	Braddon and Co. ...	.. ...
40	Clarkson and Co. ...	... ...
15	Domingo Isaac ...	... ...
30	Gungagobind Sen and Co. ..	... ...
2	Hyder Allee, Moulvie ...	 1
21	Khosaul Sing	... ...
4	Momer Assah	 1
7	McNair, W. N. ...	... ...
20	Mackiliop, Stewart and Co.	... ...
30	Maudhub Chunder Mullick and Co.	... ...
43	Murdoch and Co.'s Estate ...	... ...
49	Punchanun Dutt ...	... ...
1	Ronaldson, H.	... ...
44	Rajnarain Shaw ...	... ...
5	Shaik Budden and Co. ...	 1,
28	Shaik Durrostollah ...	... ...
35	Smith, George	... ...
38	Scott Thompson & Co., R....	... ...
6	Viall, T.	 7
19	VonLintzgy and Co., C. F....	... ...
10	Walker, Ireland and Co. ...	 2
18	Weaver, J.	... ...

Calcutta, 19th November 1873. (438—2) J. C. MACGR

IN the matter of JULIAN LAVENDIER, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 12th day of November instant, it was ordered that th of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the first Court day in Janu said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

WILLIAM PHIPSON, an Insolvent.

November instant, it was ordered that the first Court day in r the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be at day, the said Insolvent be discharged personally as well as to om the demands of W. G. Fitze and M. Clater, Liquidators of the l" and Messrs. Trotman, Chatterjee and Watkins.

d Watkins, *Attorneys.*

OMED HOSSAIN, an Insolvent.

of November instant, it was ordered that the matters of the t be heard on the first Court day in January next, and that the d to be examined before the said Court.

4th November 1873.

AND SMITH, late of No. 43, Convent Road, Entally, in the f Calcutta, an assistant in the Office of Controller of Military ch, No. 7, Coilah Ghat, and at present of No. 211, Bow Bazar, , an Insolvent.

of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 28th day of November e same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were nee.

WLAND SMITH, an Insolvent.

for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting vent Court on Tuesday, the 9th day of December instant, at the forenoon.

the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear time and place aforesaid.

OWLAND SMITH, an Insolvent.

f November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition heard on the first Court day in January next, and that the said to be examined before the said Court.

CHURN DOSS and GOBIND CHUNDER DOSS, of No. 82, China Bazar, in a, who reside in Tuntuniah, in Calcutta, aforesaid, and carry on co-partnership in China Bazar, in the Town of Calcutta, aforesaid, Insolvents.

of the said Insolvents, seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. e of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 25th day of November last, and date the estate and effects of the said Insolvents were vested in the

ney.

s Antonio DeSilva, an Insolvent.

day of September last, it was ordered that the hearing of this ed until the first Court day in March next, and that the order made *d interim* protection of the said Insolvent from arrest be enlarged to in March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be d Court.

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In the matter of Rustomjee Byramjee, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 18th day of November last, it was ordered that the said Insolvent be heard on the first Court day in January ne do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

M. Camell, *Attorney*.

In the matter of William Luke Corbitt, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of September last, by an order of this was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act X persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be cred debts of Prosunno Coomar Shaw for Rs. 40, Shaik Romuttollah Rs. 235, and Govind Chunder Sircar for 72, who appear not to notice of the day of hearing in this matter.

M. Camell, *Attorney*.

In the matter of Johurloll Mookeen, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 18th day of November last, instant, it was ord day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of th cause be shewn to the contrary on that day the said Insolvent be well as to his after, acquired property from all liabilities for debts against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petitio

M. Camell, *Attorney*.

In the Matter of Anna Amelia Smyth, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and dispose missioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 9th day of Dece 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing s before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 2nd day of December 1873.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1873.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, and was referred to a Select Committee for consideration and report.

L. A. GOODEVE,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt. of Bengal,
Judicial and Legislative Depts.

A Bill to amend Act XXI of 1856 *of the Council of the Governor-General, and Act II of* 1866 *of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.*

WHEREAS by Section 90 of Act XXI of 1856 of the Governor-General in Council (An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to the Abkari revenue in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal) the word "Magistrate" as used in that Act is defined to include a Joint-Magistrate or other person lawfully exercising the powers of a Magistrate, and any Assistant or Deputy Magistrate with special powers stationed at a place other than the sudder station of the Magistrate, and empowered to try cases without reference from the Magistrate; and whereas the cases mentioned in different sections of Act II of 1866 of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council can, under Section 49 of that Act, only be tried by a Magistrate of less than full powers, when they are referred to him by the District Magistrate; and whereas further by Act X of 1872 (the Code of Criminal Procedure) new rules have been enacted assigning and regulating the powers of Magistrates of the first, second, and third classes;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. Section 90 of Act XXI of 1856 of the Governor-General in Council so far as it defines the meaning of the word "Magistrate," and Section 49, Act II of 1866, of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, are hereby repealed.

2. In the said Act XXI of 1856, and in all Acts which are to be read as part of that Act, and also in the said Act II of 1866, the word "Magistrate" shall be deemed to include Magistrates of the first class and Magistrates of the second class, as defined in the Code of Criminal Procedure, and subject to the provisions of that Code in respect of powers and jurisdiction.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

As the law now stands, no Magistrate who does not exercise first-class powers can try even the pettiest cases of breach of the Abkari laws, such as smuggling, illicit sale of spirits, or infraction of conditions of license, unless he be stationed at a place other than the sudder station of the Magistrate, and empowered to try cases without reference from the Magistrate.

At the present time when officers exercising first-class powers are much occupied with more important district work, the restriction has been found particularly inconvenient; and the object of this Bill is to enable any Magistrate having first or second-class powers to dispose of such cases. Subordinate Magistrates will still only be

able to take up cases of this description which are specially made over to them for trial, unless they are authorized to receive complaints generally, or complaints of this particular class, or when they are duly empowered to act without complaint.

The opportunity is taken for the same reasons to remove the restrictions which Section 49, Act II of 1866 (B.C.) imposes as to the classes of Magistrates who may try offences under that Act, and to assimilate the powers of each class in respect to such offences to those which they exercise, or with which they may be specially invested, with regard to offences in general under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

H. L. DAMPIER.

The 29th November 1873.

L. A. GOODEVE,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt. of Bengal,
Judicial and Legislative Depts.

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in a month.

A Bill to provide for the Voluntary Registration of Mahomedan Marriages and Divorces.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the voluntary registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces within the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; and whereas it is expedient that Registrars of such marriages and divorces should be recognised and licensed by the Local Government, it is enacted as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to issue a license to any person being a Mahomedan, either by name or as holding any office for the time being, authorising him to act as Registrar of Mahomedan marriages and divorces.

2. Such licenses may be given on the recommendation of the Magistrate of the district, or in Calcutta, of the Commissioner of Police, to any member of any Mahomedan sect who can show that he is usually resorted to as a professional witness in such cases by his co-religionists, or that he has practised the duties of Kazi, and that he is well versed in Mahomedan law, provided always that satisfactory evidence is produced of his being a person of good moral character.

3. No Mahomedan marriage or divorce which would otherwise be valid shall be held to be invalid merely by reason of its not having been registered before a Registrar licensed under this Act.

4. Each licensed Registrar under this Act shall keep a Register Book in a form to be laid down by the Local Government in which he shall enter all marriages and divorces,—the parties to which shall desire to have them so registered. He shall also, if requested at the time, give an extract of any entry affecting them to either of the parties to such entry.

5. The entry of any marriage or divorce in the Register Book shall be signed by the Registrar, and signed, sealed, or marked by the persons married or divorced, and shall be attested by at least two credible witnesses who were present at the ceremony, and every such entry shall be made in order from the beginning to the end of the book, and any extract of any entry given to the parties shall be numbered to correspond with the number of the entry in the Register Book, and shall be authenticated by signature of the Registrar.

6. The Registrar shall keep safely the said Register Book until the same shall be filled, and shall then, or if he shall leave the district, make over the same to the District Registrar of Assurances for safe custody.

7. Any Registrar who shall discover any error to have been committed in the form or substance of any such entry may, within one month next after the discovery of such error, in the presence of the parties married, or divorced, or in case of their death or absence, in the presence of two other credible witnesses, who shall respectively attest the same, correct the erroneous entry according to the truth of the case by entry in the margin without any alteration of the original entry, and shall sign the marginal entry, and add thereunto the day of the month and year when such correction shall be made, and shall if possible give or cause to be delivered a corrected copy of the extract to the parties to the original entry.

8. Every Registrar shall at all reasonable times, and on the payment of such fees as may be agreed upon, search or permit search to be made in any such Register Books, and shall give a copy under his hand of any entry or entries in the same.

9. Every certified extract of any entry in any Register Book purporting to be signed by the licensed Registrar, shall be received as evidence of the marriage or divorce purporting to be so entered or of the facts purporting to be so certified therein, without further proof of such Register Book or extract, unless and until the genuineness of such entry or extract or the truth of the facts set out in it be disproved.

10. Whoever shall wilfully destroy or injure or cause to be destroyed or injured any such Register Book or any part thereof, or any such authenticated extract as aforesaid, or shall wilfully insert or cause to be inserted any false entry in any such Register Book or authenticated extract, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to seven years, and shall also be liable to fine.

11. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to draw up rules and prescribe forms for giving effect to the provisions of this Act, and to charge a fee not exceeding Rs. 2 for each license granted under the Act, provided always that no rule shall be laid down to interfere with the taking by any licensed Registrar from the parties to any marriage or divorce of any fee, which custom or his position may entitle him to demand.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The attention of the Government has for some time past been drawn to the increasing number of offences against marriage shown in the criminal returns, especially in the eastern and Mahomedan districts. The remarkably small number of convictions obtained in such cases taken together with their increasing numbers, seemed to indicate the existence of a grievance which the Criminal Courts are at present unable to redress. Inquiry has proved that this is in fact the case. The

loose notions regarding the marriage tie prevalent among the lower orders of Mahomedans lead to the frequent institution of criminal charges, while the absence of any authorized system of registration of marriage and divorce (since the office of Kazi ceased to be recognized by law) makes it difficult to furnish the amount of proof which the Criminal Courts require to warrant their taking action.

It appears to the Government that the legal recognition of an authorized system of registering Mahomedan marriages and divorces will go far to supply the existing want, and this Bill provides such a system. The Registrar will, as regards such registration, take the place which was filled by the old Kazis, and certified copies of extracts from his register are made *primâ facie* proof of the facts recited therein. But the registration of marriages and divorces is left optional with the parties concerned, and all questions of remuneration are left to be settled between the Registrar and the parties who avail themselves of his services.

H. L. DAMPIER.

The 29th November 1873.

L. A. GOODEVE,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Judicial and Legislative Depts.

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PART V.

Acts of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First Publication.]

THE following Act of the Governor-General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor-General on the 24th November 1873, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XVII OF 1873.

An Act to provide for the liquidation of the debts of the Nawáb Názim of Bengal, and for his protection against legal process.

Preamble.

Whereas divers large pecuniary claims have been made against Sayyid Mansur Alí, the present Nawáb Názim of Bengal, Behar, and Orissa, commonly called the Nawáb Názim, which he has not the means of satisfying, and for the purpose of recovering such claims divers suits have been brought against him, and divers attachments have been issued against his property in India :

And whereas, with respect to certain jewels and immoveable property, it is disputed whether they belong absolutely to the said Nawáb Názim or are held by the Government of India for the purpose of upholding the dignity of the Náwab Názim for the time being, and litigation has consequently arisen between the creditors of the present Nawáb Názim and the Government of India :

And whereas the Government of India is desirous of freeing the said Nawáb Názim and his property respectively from such suits and attachments, and of discharging such portions of the said claims as are proper to be paid : and of settling the said dispute as to the said jewels and immoveable property :

And whereas in the meantime and for the future, it is expedient to exempt the said Nawáb Názim, except as hereinafter mentioned, from the jurisdiction of the Civil Courts, and to render him incapable of contracting further pecuniary obligations ;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Nawáb Nazim's Debts Act, 1873 :"

Local extent.

It extends to all persons and places for whom and for which the Governor-General in Council has power to make laws ;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Power to appoint Commission.

2. The Governor-General in Council may, from time to time, nominate and appoint such persons as he thinks fit to be a Commission for the purposes hereinafter mentioned.

All persons so nominated and appointed (hereinafter called "the Commissioners") shall continue to be members of the said Commission during the pleasure of the Governor-General in Council, and shall hold their sittings at such place or places and time or times as they think fit.

Notice to claimants.

3. The Commissioners shall publish thrice in the *Gazette of India* in English, and in the *Calcutta Gazette* in English, Urdú, and Bengálí, and in such other mode and languages as they think fit, a notice calling upon all persons having claims against the said Nawáb Názim or his property, whether moveable or immoveable, to notify the same in writing to the Commissioners within six months from the date of the earliest of such publications.

Bar of debts not duly notified.

4. Every debt or liability to which the said Nawáb Názim is subject, or with which his property, or any part thereof, is charged, and which is not duly notified to the Commissioners within the time and in the manner hereinbefore mentioned, shall be barred :

Proviso.

Provided that, on sufficient cause being shown to the Commissioners, they may admit such claim within the further period of six months from the expiration of the said period of six months.

5. Every such claimant shall along with his claim present full particulars thereof.

Particulars of claim.

Every document on which he founds his claims, or on which he relies in support thereof, shall be delivered to the Commissioners along with the claim.

If the document be an entry in any book, the claimant shall produce the book to the Commissioners, together with a copy of the entry on which he relies. The Commissioners shall mark the book for the purpose of identification, and after examining and comparing the copy with the original, shall return the book to the claimant.

Entries in books.

If any document in the possession or under the control of the claimant is not delivered or produced by him to the Commissioners along with the claim, the Commissioners may refuse to receive such document in evidence on the claimant's behalf at the investigation of the case.

Exclusion of documents not produced.

The Commissioners may from, time to time, call for further and more detailed particulars of any claim preferred before them under this Act, and may, at their discretion, refuse to proceed with the investigation of the claim until such particulars are supplied.

May call for or admit any further evidence.

6. For the purposes of this Act, the Commissioners may summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses, and compel them to give evidence, and compel the production of documents by the same means, and, as far as possible, in the same manner as is provided in the case of a Civil Court by the Code of Civil Procedure.

Power of Commissioners to summon witnesses.

7. Every investigation conducted by the Commissioners, with reference to any claim preferred before them under this Act, or to any matter connected with any such claim, shall be deemed a judicial proceeding within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

Investigation to be a judicial proceeding.

And every statement made by any person examined by or before the Commissioners with reference to such investigation, whether upon oath or otherwise, shall be deemed to be evidence within the meaning of the same Code.

8. Every witness required by the Commissioners, except at the instance of a claimant, to attend and give evidence under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to a reasonable sum (to be allowed by the Commissioners) for his expenses in travelling to and from, and remaining at, the place at which he is required to attend.

Expenses of witnesses.

9. The Commissioners shall, by agreement with the claimant, or, in default of such agreement, after due and full enquiry, determine the amount which, on the consideration of all the circumstances, they may consider each claimant ought in fairness and justice to receive. And in coming to such determination, they shall not be bound by any previous agreement or judicial proceeding.

Commissioners to determine amount due to each claimant.

10. The Commissioners shall certify in each case the amount so determined, and upon the Governor-General in Council, within six months from the date of the certificate, paying or tendering to any claimant the amount so certified, all claims of such claimant against the Nawáb Názim or his property shall be satisfied and extinguished.

Sum found due to be certified to Government.

11. No suit shall be commenced or prosecuted and no writ or process shall at any time be sued out against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim, unless such suit be commenced, or such writ or process be sued for, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council first had and obtained.

Bar of suits against Nawáb Názim.

Such consent shall be certified by the signature of one of the Secretaries to the Government of India, and every such signature shall be judicially noticed.

And any suit which at any time shall have been, or shall be, commenced, and any writ or process which at any time shall have been, or shall be, sued for, against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim shall be of no effect unless and until the consent of the Governor-General in Council, certified in manner aforesaid, is obtained.

12. The Commissioners shall ascertain what jewels and immoveable property are held by the Government of India for the purpose of upholding the dignity of the Nawáb Názim for the time being, and shall certify the particulars of such jewels and property; and their finding thereon shall be binding and conclusive on all persons whomsoever.

Commissioners to ascertain the property held by Government for upholding the dignity of the Náwáb Nazim's family.

13. If any question of law, or as to the construction of a document, arises in any case under this Act, and the Commissioners think it necessary for the purposes of fairness and justice to obtain a judicial opinion thereon, they may draw up a statement of the case and refer it for the decision of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William; and the provisions of sections twenty-four and twenty-five and of the first sentence of section twenty-six of Act No. XI of 1865 shall apply as if, in section twenty-six, for the word "Court," the word "Commissioners" were substituted.

Power to refer questions of law to High Court.

And if, in the opinion of the High Court, the statement is imperfectly framed, the High Court may return it for amendment; and the costs (if any) consequent on any such reference shall be dealt with as the Commissioners shall in each case direct.

14. The said Nawáb Názim shall be incapable of entering into any contract which may give rise to any pecuniary obligation on his part.

Nawáb Názim to be incapable of contracting.

15. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to render the Secretary of State for India in Council, or the Government of India, liable for any debt heretofore contracted by, or on behalf of, the said Nawáb Názim, or in respect of any claim to be reimbursed, which may be made by any person supplying him with necessaries.

Saving of Secretary of State in Council.

16. No suit or other proceeding shall be maintained against any person in respect of anything done by him in good faith under this Act.

Bar of suits for acts done *bonâ fide*.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

Saturday, the 29th November 1873.

Present:

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL, *presiding*.
The Hon'ble G. C. PAUL,
The Hon'ble V. H. SCHALCH,
The Hon'ble H. L. DAMPIER,
The Hon'ble C. E. BERNARD,
The Hon'ble RAJAH JOTEENDRO MOHUN TAGORE, BAHADOOR,
The Hon'ble BABOO DIGUMBER MITTER,
and
The Hon'ble B. D. COLVIN.

POWERS OF MAGISTRATES.

THE HON'BLE MR. DAMPIER moved for leave to bring in a Bill to amend Act XXI of 1856 of the Council of the Governor-General and Act II of 1866 of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal. He said this Bill had been published by the order of His Honor the President, according to the rule of the

Council in that behalf, in anticipation of the Council's permission to introduce it. It was merely a technical Bill. As the thing stood, the Abkari Laws and the Suburbs of Calcutta Law, Act II of 1866 of this Council, restrict the powers of Magistrate in a certain way as regards offences under those special laws. He had nothing more to explain in regard to this Bill than what had been expressed in the Statement of objects and reasons. The object was to assimilate the trial of these offences as regards the tribunals before which they should be tried with the general scheme of the Criminal Procedure Code.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. DAMPIER applied to the President to suspend the Rules for the conduct of business to enable him to move that the Bill be read in Council.

HIS HONOR THE PRESIDENT said it was doubtful whether it was necessary to suspend the Rules in regard to this Bill. The principle of the Rules seemed to be, ordinarily, that a Bill should not be read in Council unless it had been for three days in the hands of the members. Under the authority vested in the President, this Bill had been published in the *Gazette*, and it had been in the hands of the members for more than three days. In order, however, to obviate any doubt as to whether there had been a sufficient compliance with the Rules, and in order to relieve the District Officers from work of the nature to which this Bill referred as soon as possiple, he would suspend the Rules.

The Hon'ble MR. DAMPIER then moved that the Bill be read in Council.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. DAMPIER moved that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Advocate-General and himself: this being a merely technical Bill, he would not trouble other Hon'ble Members to sit in committee.

The motion was agreed to.

MAHOMEDAN MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE REGISTRATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. DAMPIER moved for leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the voluntary registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces. He said this Bill, like the last one, had been published by special order of His Honor the President, and it had been in the hands of members for more than three days. Hon'ble Members were aware that we found in this country, as an established institution, certain Mahomedan functionaries known as Cazees. They were recognised by our law, Regulation XXXIX of 1793, which recited:—

"Cazees are stationed at the cities of Patna, Dacca, and Moorshedabad, and the principal towns, and in the pergunnahs, for the purpose of preparing and attesting deeds of transfers and other law papers, celebrating marriages, and performing such religious duties or ceremonies prescribed by the Mahomedan law as have been hitherto discharged by them under the British Government, and also for superintending the sale of distrained property and paying charitable and other pensions and allowances, under Regulations XVII and XXIV, 1793. The nature of the above-mentioned duties renders it necessary that persons of character, and duly qualified with respect to legal knowledge, should be appointed to these offices; and to encourage them to discharge their trusts with diligence and fidelity, they should not be liable to removal unless proved to be incapable or guilty of misconduct to the satisfaction of the Governor-General in Council."

And then the law provided that the Governor-General in Council should make the appointment, and that the cazees should not be removable except under his sanction. It was also provided by Section 7 that—

"The head cazee and the cazees stationed in the cities, pergunnahs, and towns, are to keep copies of all deeds and law or other papers which they may draw up or attest, and are to affix thereto their seals and signatures. They are likewise to keep a list of all such papers; and in the event of their death, resignation, or removal, the list and papers are to be delivered complete to their successors."

Things remained pretty well in this state until the year 1859, when a discussion began which led to the passing of Act XI of 1864, which abolished the office of cazee by a stroke of the pen as being unnecessary. In 1859, in the course of that discussion, Sir John Peter Grant, whilst recommending the repeal of the regulation, suggested that the repealing Act should constitute the office of cazee on a proper footing as that of a Mahomedan marriage

registrar. It was pointed out that there was nothing of the nature of a religious ceremony in a Mahomedan marriage, and it was observed that as Mahomedans have by law the power of marrying by civil contract, and an office, which must be held by a Mahomedan, had been created for the legal record of their marriages, it would not be a just or decorous act substantially to abolish that office.

That advice was not adopted; and no trace appeared of it in Act XI of 1864 which abolished the office of cazee. In recent years the want which was anticipated by Sir John Grant had begun to be realized in practice. The question had been judicially tried, and it had been settled that there could be no legal cazee according to the Mahomedan law, unless the officer were appointed by the Sultan or ruling power. Therefore the effect of the passing of the law of 1864 was practically to do away with the Mahomedan functionary altogether. No person could be appointed by the Mahomedan community whose appointment would be valid under the Mahomedan law. Some two years ago it was noticed that offences against marriages were increasing amongst the Mahomedans, especially those of the lower classes. Many charges were preferred, but as a general rule the complainants failed to obtain redress from the courts. On analysing the causes it was found that one great moving cause was the want of any functionary to take the place of the old cazee as regards Mahomedan marriages. No recognised authority acceptable to the community concerned was competent authoritatively to attest marriages and similar contracts. Since the abolition of cazees marriages were performed in the presence of casual witnesses only; and the proof of the marriage depended on the evidence of such witnesses only. Therefore when these cases were brought and the court insisted, as our courts must do, on legal proof of the marriage, none was forthcoming which satisfied it. The testimony of the witnesses was either not forthcoming or was met by counter evidence which threw doubt on it.

So again with regard to divorces. Sometimes when a marriage happened to be proved, it was met by the plea that the wife had been repudiated according to the forms which the Mahomedan law required. Here again a question of fact arose in regard to which it was often impossible to satisfy the courts.

The object of the Bill was not in any way to interfere with the existing customs, ceremonies, and injunctions of the Mahomedan law and Mahomedan society, but was merely to give those who wished it a safeguard against those questions of the fact of the marriage or divorce being raised in issue,—to give them in fact a popular means of registering the evidence of such acts, which evidence should be accepted by the courts *primâ facie* as authoritative. There was to be no compulsion; and even in the matter of fees the Bill did not attempt to interfere between these Mahomedan registrars and those who voluntarily went to them to register the fact of particular marriages and divorces taking place. The opinions of the law officers and other gentlemen who had been consulted were nearly unanimous that such an opportunity of voluntarily registering marriages and divorces should be given. MR. DAMPIER hoped the Council would allow him to introduce the Bill.

HIS HONOR THE PRESIDENT said before he put the question he wished to say one or two words. The object of the Bill, and the reasons which induced the Government to devise such a Bill, had been very clearly stated by the Hon'ble Member. He might say that this was a humble attempt to deal with a great and difficult subject. The difficulty was one which had been felt for many years past. It was one with which he had had occasion to deal in several capacities, and he had for many years had much doubt as regards the solution to which it would be possible to arrive. This Bill was the outcome of a good deal of consideration on the subject. His own feeling had been that it was a doubtful question whether it was or was not advisable to abolish the old cazees; but he had felt and expressed the opinion that once they were abolished it would be impossible to the British Government to restore them in their old form. If we attempted to restore the cazees, we would be attempting to restore a Mahomedan officer whose office had many peculiarities and many incidents connected with the Mahomedan law and the Mahomedan religion.

The British Government would have great difficulty in establishing such officers. His Honor also felt this additional difficulty that in the Mahomedan religion, as in most other religions, there were various sects, and if we attempted to set up cazees we should be beset with the difficulty from which sect were we to choose, or whether we were to choose cazees from amongst all the sects. That being so, and the question of the re-establishment of cazees being involved in great difficulty, his feeling, and that of the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, had been to confine themselves to the one practical and immediate want before them—to provide a means of registering Mahomedan marriages and divorces. The Mahomedan law seemed clear on this point, that the celebration of these most important social contracts and de-contracts must be conducted by officers appointed by the ruling power; it was not essential that he must be a cazee. The best solution therefore would be to meet in practice the want that had arisen by appointing officers on the part of the ruling power who were authorized to perform these acts. His Honor at one time thought that if the ordinary registrars of deeds were authorized to register Mahomedan marriages and divorces it would meet the requirements of the Mahomedan community. But to that course it was found that there were objections. The men most fit and most acceptable to the Mahomedans would be the men whom they themselves would choose to register these contracts; and we now believed that it would be more acceptable to the Mahomedans that they should have special registrars for the purpose. In that view we had devised as an expedient this Bill, which went no further than to appoint a marriage registrar to whom the parties might apply. We had not touched the substantive law. The registrars would only register the contract, and leave it to the ordinary law to decide what validity those contracts had. We had taken for our guide the Christian Marriage Act. Amongst Christians there were several sects, and the policy of that law had been to enable any minister of any sect to celebrate marriages. We had adopted the same essentials as regards Mahomedan marriages. We had said that Mahomedans might have their own registrars who should perform the marriage ceremonies and register the contracts. All we proposed was that those who had hitherto performed these offices, and who were respectable and versed in the Mahomedan law, should receive licenses to ply that trade, and ply it so far as their co-religionists saw fit to employ them for that purpose.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier applied to the President to suspend the Rules for the conduct of business to enable him to move that the Bill be read in Council.

His Honor the President said this was not a Bill which the Government wished to hurry; but as the Bill had been for some days in the hands of members, it would be a mere useless ceremony to postpone the motion that the Bill be read in Council to another day, and on that account he would suspend the Rules so far as was necessary to proceed with the Bill to the next stage.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier then moved that the Bill be read in Council.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier moved that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Moulvie Abdool Luteef, the representative of the Mahomedan community in this Council, the Hon'ble the Advocate-General, and the Mover, with instructions to report in a month. This Bill had been prepared, under the instructions of His Honor the President, in the Executive Department of the Government, and was handed over to Mr. Dampier in that stage. He might mention that it appeared to him that it would be necessary to make considerable alterations in it in committee.

The motion was agreed to.

EMBANKMENTS AND WATER-COURSES.

The Hon'ble Mr. Schalch moved that the Bill to amend the law relating to embankments and water-courses be further considered in order to the settlement of its clauses. He said it would be in the recollection of the Council that this Bill was taken into consideration a short time back and its final clauses settled on the 13th of September last. It was then ordered to be

printed and published in order to give parties interested a final opportunity of submitting any representations they might wish to make. No representations had since been received; but he had taken advantage of the interval carefully to go through the provisions of the Bill, and the result of that scrutiny had been that he had to move four amendments which he would do *seriatim*.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Schalch said the first of the amendments which he had to move referred to Section 4, Clause 5. The object of the clause was, where it was found after a road had been constructed that the drainage of the country was impeded, to give power to alter that road and make a water-course for the proper drainage of the surrounding lands. By the clause as it stood the expense of so doing was thrown entirely on the road, whether the impeding of the drainage was caused by insufficient provision being made at the time of the construction of the road for the natural drainage then existing, or whether the impediment to the drainage resulted from causes arising subsequently to the construction of the road.

It seemed fair that if the road when constructed did afford proper means of drainage, the expense should not fall on the road, but on those who would benefit by the alteration required by the contingency which had afterwards arisen. He therefore proposed to throw the cost upon the road only where it was proved that at the time of the construction of the road sufficient provision for drainage had not been made, and in all other cases to levy the cost rateably under the general provisions of the Bill amongst those who would benefit by the alteration. With this view he moved to add to Clause 5 of Section 4 the following words:—

"So far as the same shall have been incurred on account of insufficient provision having been made at the time of the construction of the said road for the natural drainage then existing."

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Schalch said the second amendment he had to propose was in Section 5. It was there prescribed that a copy should be prepared of the survey map showing the boundaries of the estates to be affected by the work proposed. The survey maps were made, not by estates which very often comprised a large area with scattered villages, but by mouzahs, and it would not be possible to give a survey map of the estates to be affected. He would therefore move that the words "of the villages" be inserted after the word "boundaries" in line 7 of Section 5.

The motion was agreed to.

On the motion of the Hon'ble Mr. Schalch a similar amendment was made in paragraph 2 of Schedule A.

In Section 19, relating to railroads, an amendment similar to that carried out in Section 4, Clause 5, was made on the motion of Mr. Schalch.

The Hon'ble Mr. Schalch said the last amendment he had to propose was in Section 31. By that section no claim to compensation could be entertained which was made later than one year next after the completion of the work by which any right was injuriously affected. It was thought that as this was an ultimate proceeding, and there was no appeal to the Civil Court, and it might not be easily ascertainable within one year after the execution of a work what rights were injuriously affected, it would be better to allow a longer period for the preferring of such claims. It was therefore proposed to extend the period allowed from one year to two years; and he accordingly moved that the word "two" be substituted for "one" in line 2 of Section 31.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Schalch then moved that the Bill be passed. As he had already stated, the Bill since its last amendment had now been before the public more than two months. No representations had been made during that time, and the alterations which had just been proposed and made were not of any great importance. It would therefore be quite within the Rules if the Bill were now passed without further delay.

The motion was agreed to.

EMIGRATION TO THE LABOR DISTRICTS.

His Honor the President said the Council had now concluded the business for that day, but before adjourning to next Saturday, he would intimate that, having in pursuance of his promise consulted the Government of India in regard to the circumstances which might affect our course with respect to the Labor Districts Emigration Bill, the Government of India had informed him that there was a probability that the proposal for separating Assam from Bengal might soon be carried out if Her Majesty's Government should think fit to approve of the proposal. The Government of India further went on to say that "as regards the Labor Districts Emigration Bill the Government of India think it desirable, after the careful consideration that has been given in the Legislative Council of Bengal to the Bill, that it should be passed in that Council and not transferred to the Government of India."

That being the opinion expressed by the Government of India, and it being not improbable that within a short period Assam and the other adjoining districts might be separated from Bengal, His Honor thought the Council were bound to proceed with the Bill as fast as they safely could. Very great difficulty would arise if those districts were separated from Bengal before the Bill was passed. He therefore proposed to bring on the Bill again for consideration at the next meeting.

The Council was adjourned to Saturday, the 6th December next.

SCARCITY AND RELIEF.

In publishing the subjoined correspondence which has passed between the Commissioner of the Rajshahye Division and Rai Luchmeeput Singh, Bahadoor, holding zemindaree estates in the districts of Rungpore and Dinagepore, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor desires to thank this gentleman for the humane course he is taking to relieve the distress of his tenantry, and trusts that his example will be followed by the class he represents in all the districts afflicted by the drought. His Honor would remind these gentlemen of the obligations they are under to show consideration for their ryots at such a period, and that by seizing the opportunity of showing sympathy and good will towards them, they may do more to re-establish friendly relations with their tenantry, where those relations have unhappily been interrupted, than any act whatever of the Government or the Legislature could do for them.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

C. BERNARD,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 394, dated Berhampore, the 24th November 1873.

From—E. W. Molony, Esq., Commissioner of the Rajshahye Division,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Statistical Department.

I have the honor to forward, for His Honor's information, a copy of a letter from Rai Luchmeeput Singh, Bahadoor, and of my reply, and to state that I consider the Baboo's intentions well worthy the commendation of Government.

Dated Baloochur, the 16th November 1873.

From—Rai Luchmeeput Singh, Bahadoor,
To—E. W. Molony, Esq., Commissioner of the Rajshahye Division.

I have the honor to bring to your notice the measures that I have decided to adopt with a view to mitigate, if not to remove, the evils of the impending famine likely to affect the people of my zemindaries situated in the districts of Rungpore and Dinagepore.

2. I have instructed my people to ascertain the stock of rice and food-grain, and to render me a rough census of the people of that part of the country, in order to test the capabilities of the local markets for meeting the requirements of the people for a given period, viz., until the reaping of the first crop of the next year.

3. The reports when furnished shall enable me to complete the details of the arrangements I have contemplated to make; but that the stock will fall short of the local consumption for the period referred to is a certainty, and as provision at this exigency I intend to import and keep a sufficient stock of rice at hand to be freely supplied to the people when necessity comes, at the average price which they have been paying for food-grain at that time of the year for the past five years.

4. This arrangement has reference to the ryots and people *directly* under me as their zemindar in contradistinction to those under my putneedars and durputneedars, in whose matters of arrangement and management of the properties I have no control whatever. But I shall, at the same time, be glad to contribute to the relief of the general distress of the country should it come up to the worst anticipations now held.

5. I beg further to inform you that at the places where the people have already begun to feel distress from the total failure of the crops, as Lat Hekundery in Dinagepore, I have, in addition to the remission of the whole year's rents already granted, ordered advance of money to the poorer class to provide themselves and families against the consequences of the impending famine. Such advances bear no interest whatever, and are repayable when the people are in a position to do so.

6. In submitting these measures already taken, and the one I have decided to adopt, to your superior judgment for approval, I have to solicit the favor of your kindly making suggestion or notification you think proper in reference to this famine matter, which shall be promptly and readily responded to by me.

No. 203, dated Berhampore, the 24th November 1873.

From—E. W. Molony, Esq., Commissioner of the Rajshahye Division,
To—Rai Luchmeeput Singh, Bahadoor.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 16th instant, stating the measures which you intend to adopt to meet the expected calamity of scarcity which threatens your tenants.

2. I congratulate you on the very liberal measures you propose to adopt, which seem sufficient, and would only suggest that possibly, as occasion demands, you may be able to open works for those who have no money to buy, and who would prefer to labor than take the advances.

3. Such work as would provide a good supply of water, as would result in improving the land by drainage or clearance of jungle, would be a real and lasting benefit to your estate.

4. I shall not fail to inform the Government of your intentions, and I shall be glad if you would furnish me with a list of your properties in this division in which distress is likely to occur, in order that I may inform the Magistrates of your plans.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in the und[illegible]

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, best sort. Present return.	Rice, best sort. Next preceding return.	Rice, best sort. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra) Present return.	Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra) Next preceding return.
	BENGAL.														
	Western Districts.														
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan	10 8	10 12	12 0	16 0	14 0	21 0	13 6	13 8	19 8	15 0	14 8	23 0	...	...
2	Bancoorah	11 8	11 8	15 0	20 0	20 0	16 0	11 4	11 4	15 4	A 14 8 B 15 4	14 8 15 0	19 0	...	...
3	Beerbhoom	10 0	10 8	14 0	...	...	...	10 8	12 0	16 8	13 8	15 0	19 8	...	...
4	Midnapore	10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	A 14 0	14 0	17 0	A 18 0 B 20 0	20 0 21 4	24 0 26 0	...	...
5	Hooghly	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0	11 8	12 0	18 0	...	...
	Howrah	12 0	12 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	10 8	11 0	16 0	13 0	13 4	20 0	...	...
	Central Districts.														
6	24-Pergunnahs	...	...	12 4	...	...	24 0	8 12	8 14	8 0	C 13 5	13 4	18 4	...	...
7	Nuddea	11 7	11 7	14 8	20 0	20 0	32 0	11 7	11 7	16 0	13 5	13 5	17 12	...	...
8	Jessore	11 0	11 8	13 5	...	...	...	11 12	13 0	17 12	D 16 0	19 0	26 10	...	...
9	Moorshedabad	12 0	13 8	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	E 18 0	18 0
10	Dinagepore	11 0	11 0	13 8	16 0	16 0	22 8	12 8	12 8	21 0	14 8	14 8	28 0	...	...
11	Maldah	12 0	12 8	16 0	25 0	25 0	35 0	11 8	13 0	21 0	12 8	14 0	22 0	20 0	20 0
12	Rajshahye	11 4	10 8	15 0	24 0	24 0	30 0	12 0	11 0	15 0	13 8	12 12	22 8	...	...
13	Rungpore	9 7	9 6	11 4	...	...	...	11 2	10 2	14 10	14 0	13 0	22 8	...	...
14	Bograh	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	19 0	F 15 12	15 0	34 0	...	...
15	Pubna	15 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 4	12 0	12 0	16 0	17 0	30 0	...	...
16	Darjeeling	5 0	5 0	6 0	3 0	7 0	10 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	8 0	9 0	11 0	...	...
17	Julpigoree.*														
	Cooch Behar.*														
	Eastern Districts.														
18	Dacca	10 8	11 0	13 5	18 0	15 0	32 0	13 0	13 0	21 0	G 14 0	16 0	32 0	...	...
19	Furreedpore	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	17 0	17 0	21 0	...	...
20	Backergunge...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	13 5	17 8	14 14	19 0	27 8	H 30 to 54	32 to 60
21	Mymensing	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 4	20 0	17 0	17 0	28 0	...	...
22	Sylhet†	8 0	9 0	11 0	7 0	8 0	...	13 0	16 0	23 0	17 8	23 0	33 8	...	...
23	Cachar†	9 2	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	17 12	20 0	29 1	...	...
24	Chittagong†	8 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...	15 0	13 0	17 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	...	...
25	Noakhally†	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	24 0	...	...
26	Tipperah	9 0	9 0	11 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	17 12	20 0	32 8	...	...
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts†	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 13	13 13	13 13	18 to 13 16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...
	Hill Tipperah†	...	8 8	10 6	...	...	...	14 5	14 5	26 6	17 7	17 7	40 0	...	...

A Old.
B New.
C Price of common rice at the several sub-divisions ranges from 11-8 to 16 seers per rupee.
D Price of common rice at Jhenidah sub-division 17-8 to 21-6; Magoorah sub-division, 18-8 to 20; Bagirhât sub-division, 20 to 23 seers per rupee; and best rice at the latter place 14 to 16 seers.
E In Jungipore sub-division.

mentioned districts of Bengal on the 29th November 1873.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa, and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Fire-wood.			Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	22 8	90 0	100 0	...	9 0	9 0	9 4	Burdwan.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	20 0	32 8	15 4	15 4	17 12	360 0	360 0	...	8 2	8 0	8 8	Bancoorah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	...	11 4	13 0	22 0	240 0	240 0	...	8 12	8 12	8 8	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 6	13 4	18 0	180 0	180 0	200 0	8 4	8 4	8 12	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	20 0	120 0	120 0	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	12 4	17 8	100 0	120 0	...	8 12	8 12	9 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 4	15 4	26 10	120 0	120 0	...	8 10½	8 10½	8 14	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 4	15 8	20 0	160 0	160 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	17 0	26 0	120 0	120 0	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	20 0	98 7	98 7	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	16 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	27 0	13 0	13 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	140 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Maldah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	320 0	360 0	...	8 2½	8 0	...	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	15 0	107 0	107 0	120 0	7 6	7 6	6 4	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	13 8	12 0	66 0	65 0	60 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	Bograh.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 12	18 12	26 4	200 0	200 0	...	8 4	8 4	8 4	Pubna.
...	...	...	8 0	10 0	13 0	16 0	13 0	21 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Darjeeling.
																		Julpigoree.*
																		Cooch Behar.*
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 10	12 0	21 0	80 0	80 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 9	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	H 11 to 16	11 to 16	...	160 0	160 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	10 0	17 0	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 8	Mymensing.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	14 0	17 8	107 0	107 0	...	8 8	8 8	9 8	Sylhet.†
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 10	11 13	15 4	64 0	64 0	64 0	8 6	8 6	7 4	Cachar.†
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	13 0	16 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	Chittagong.†
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	14 0	280 0	280 0	...	7 8	7 8	8 0	Noakhally.†
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 11	11 0	18 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	8 12	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	...	7 4	7 4	7 4	Chittagong Hill Tracts.†
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	10 0	11 4	I 12 0	12 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hill Tipperah.†

F the highest price of common rice in the interior was 11-4, and lowest price 16-8 per rupee.
G The price in the district may be taken at 16 seers. New rice has been selling at 20 to 22 seers per rupee.
H At sub-divisions and interior.
I Bundles.
* Return not received.
† Return for week ending 22nd November 1873 received after the publication of the last *Gazette*.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in the undermentioned

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																				
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return.
	BEHAR.															
28	Patna	14 0	11 8	24 0	17 0	17 0	31 4	11 8	11 8	...	14 0	12 8	21 0	...	...	...
29	Gya	10 8	10 0	15 8	15 0	15 0	32 0	8 8	8 8	12 8	10 8	10 8	19 8	...	...	...
30	Shahabad	12 0	11 8	15 0	15 8	15 0	28 0	11 8	11 0	12 0	13 0	12 8	19 0	H 17 0	15 0	29 0
31	Tirhoot	10 0	10 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	10 8	9 8	16 0	12 0	9 12	18 0	...	...	...
32	Sarun	12 0	12 0	13 8	17 4	17 0	30 0	9 0	8 8	14 0	12 0	11 0	20 0	...	...	...
33	Chumparun	11 0	11 0	19 0	20 0	19 0	26 0	9 0	9 0	11 0	13 0	12 0	22 0	...	...	...
34	Monghyr	12 6	12 6	18 3	22 0	23 1	36 7	8 4	10 5	12 6	12 6	12 6	19 9	...	...	...
35	Bhaugulpore	12 10	12 0	15 2	20 3	20 3	24 0	10 1	10 1	15 2	12 10	13 14	17 11	...	...	...
36	Purneah	11 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	40 0	8 0	10 0	18 0	9 5	11 0	25 0	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs...	11 0	11 0	15 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	16 0	14 0	13 0	19 0	20 0	20 0	30 0
	ORISSA.															
38	Cuttack†	13 2	13 2	17 1	...	...	...	17 1	21 0	21 0	23 10	26 4	38 1	...	...	...
39	Pooree†	11 13	15 1	15 12	...	...	...	21 0	23 10	27 9	27 9	34 2	37 12	...	...	...
40	Balasore	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	14 0	16 0	...	17 0	21 0	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.															
	South-West Frontier Agency.															
41	Hazareebaugh	10 0	10 0	15 0	...	...	20 0	12 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga	11 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	16 0	10 0	11 0	20 0	16 8	17 0	22 0	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom†	14 0	14 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	...	15 0	14 0	32 0	20 0	18 0	36 0	...	...	...
44	Maunbhoom	10 8	11 0	13 0	...	...	24 0	16 0	17 0	24 0	17 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...
	ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.															
45	Goalpara†	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	...	...	...
46	Kamroop†	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	16 0	13 0	13 8	20 0	...	...	...
47	Durrung†	8 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...
48	Nowgong†	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...
49	Seebsaugor†	...	...	13 0	...	...	16 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...
50	Luckimpore†	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	10 0	13 0	13 8	...	...	...
51	Naga Hills.*															
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills†	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	13 0	10 0	9 0	13 8	...	...	...
53	Garo Hills.*															

H At sub-divisions and interior.
* Return not received.
† Return for week ending 22nd November 1873 received after the publication of the last *Gazette*.

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd December 1873.

districts of Bengal on the 29th November 1873.—(Continued.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa, and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Fire-wood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	34 8	17 0	16 0	35 0	140 0	140 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Patna.
H	...	H	16 0	15 8	40 0	14 8	14 8	34 0	13 0	13 8	26 0	160 0	160 0	...	7 0	7 0	7 8	Gya.
6 0	16 0	29 0	14 0	14 0	...	16 0	15 4	30 0	16 0	15 8	29 0	160 0	160 0	...	8 0	8 4	8 0	Shahabad.
...	...	...	17 0	18 0	...	17 0	16 8	...	15 0	15 0	22 8	140 0	140 0	...	7 12	7 12	7 8	Tirhoot.
16 0	16 0	31 0	20 0	20 0	...	17 8	16 0	...	16 0	15 0	27 0	180 0	160 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sarun.
...	...	...	21 0	...	...	20 0	20 0	33 0	16 0	16 6	24 0	...	...	...	7 4	7 0	7 4	Chumparun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 7	16 8	36 7	15 7	15 7	29 6	147 0	147 0	...	7 5	8 4	8 9	Monghyr.
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Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 29th November 1873.

No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.			
	Western Districts.		
Burdwan Division.			
1	Burdwan, 2nd* Dec. 1873	Nil	Cloudy, but no rain. Were rain to fall now, it would do more harm than good to the late rice crops. Nowan rice has been cut and has lowered the price of common rice in some places. Export of limited quantities to Behar continues. Fever prevalent.
2	Bancoorah, 29th Nov. „	Nil	Cloudy. The sowings of the cold weather crops are nearly completed, but the extent of cultivation is very small. The reaping of the rice crop continues. There has been some exportation of rice to Raneegunge, but prices have not risen here.
3	Beerbhoom, 29th „ „	Nil	Dry and clear during the first half of the week, cloudy in the latter half. Harvest of late rice progressing; yield of this crop, which is somewhat over two-thirds of the whole, estimated to be about six annas, giving with the ten-anna yield of the early crop a total on the two crops of about eight annas or about 3,500,000 maunds of cleaned rice, only sufficient with economy for home consumption. Export by rail for week ending 22nd November close on 14,800 maunds, chiefly to the Bhaugulpore and Patna Divisions. Prices show an upward tendency.
4	Midnapore, 29th „ „	A few drops of rain fell on each of the last three days.	Seasonable, cloudy, and cold. No change needing comment has occurred since last report, except that there has been a slight rise in the price of rice in the town, which is probably due to present cloudy weather, which to some extent affects the preparation and importation of rice in the markets.
5	Hooghly, 29th „ „	03	Clear and cloudy. Wind from north-west. Little rain fell on the night of the 28th November. Personal inquiry made by the Collector has shown that irrigation has preserved more of the crop than was thought possible, and he entertains hopes of an eight-anna crop. The slight showers may help the sowing of some cold weather crops, but it is almost too late now for this. The area sown is, however, larger than previously reported by the police. The sugarcane crop not much below the average. The cloudy weather, if it continues, will injure the pulses and oil-seed.
	Howrah, 29th „ „	Nil	The sky was cloudy on Thursday, some rain fell that night, more fell on Friday, and on Saturday it rained still more. The rain, though gentle and scanty, was general throughout the district, but too late to benefit the rice crops. It has moistened the ground pretty well, and it is hoped that it has sufficed to enable the people to sow some cold weather crops which could not otherwise have been grown. There is nothing whatever to add to the last report about the rice crops, their state and prospects continue unchanged; the crops at Ooloobberriah and Ampta are better than at first believed. The fever in Sibpore is showing signs of abating, and that in Belgatchea is at least not worse.
	Central Districts.		
Presidency Division.			
6	24-Pergunnahs, 2nd† Dec. 1873.	0·08	Cloudy, with a slight shower on Saturday, which has lowered the temperature. There has been no improvement since last report. While a good shower would have benefited the cold weather sowings, it would have injured the late rice, which is now being rapidly cut except on beel lands. From Satkhirah it is reported that the mustard is being injured by insects. Epidemic fever still prevails in parts of Barripore and Bassirhat. There is some fever in Baraset and the places adjacent. One case of small-pox reported at Satkhirah where fever is abating.
7	Nuddea, 29th Nov. 1873	Nil	Heavy clouds for the last three or four days. There was a little drizzling rain at 2 P.M. of the 29th instant, enough to lay the dust. The appearance of the sky is such that in an ordinary season rain would be confidently looked for. The late rice harvest has begun; no change has occurred in the prospect of the outturn. Not more than four annas is to be looked for. Arhur (pulse), teel (oil-seed), chillies, sugarcane, and date-sugar all promise fairly, but all other cold weather crops are miserably poor. In the event of a tolerable fall of rain, grain and other seeds might still be sown. Prices are rising but little. In most parts of the district coarse rice can be had for Rs. 2-8 per maund, and in some for less. The sub-divisional officer reports distress in the part of Meherpore west of Jellinghee, a tract which depends upon the late rice and cold weather crops. By "distress" it is supposed that apprehension is meant rather than actual suffering, since, even under the most favorable circumstances, no crop could have been reaped by this time. A road has been projected by the District Committee for the benefit of this part of the country, which will be taken in hand. The Collector's cold weather tour is so arranged that he hopes to see this tract in about a fortnight.
8	Jessore, 29th „ „	Nil	The last few days have been cloudy, and there have been a few drops of rain on the 29th November. The late rice crop is being reaped. The continued drought has not much affected the previous estimates of the outturn. Prices have made a very marked rise during the week. The price of goor (molasses), the produce of date tree, has risen owing to the commencement of manufacture. The peasantry at this season depend a good deal on this important industry. The prospects of the cold weather crops are generally much the same as last week. They would be much benefited by a gentle rainfall, of which the present hazy state of the atmosphere gives some, though not very certain, promise.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)				
		Central Districts.—(Contd.)		
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.	9	Moorshedabad, 29th Nov. 1873.	Nil	Somewhat hotter in the day, but cooler at night; the sky was cloudy, with prospects of rain on the 29th November. No change for the better is observed, as there has been no rain during the week. The outturn of the late rice crop in the Jungipore sub-division is still expected to be seven annas; in the Rampurehaut sub-division, not more than a five-anna crop is expected. The cold weather crops are very backward in most places; in the Pulsa thannah no sowings have yet been made. Sugarcane and indigo are progressing favorably in the north. Prices are lowering this week owing partly to importation and partly to the introduction of the newly-cut rice into the markets.
	10	Dinagepore, 29th „ „	Nil	Cloudy during the latter part of the week. Hymunty or winter paddy is being cut; the cold weather crops suffering for want of rain; sugarcane seems to promise a fair crop. The price of rice cheaper at Gungarampore since the relief works have been opened.
	11	Maldah, 29th „ „	Nil	Sky overcast with clouds, but no rain; regular cold weather set in; wind northerly. There has been no rain and no improvement in the state of the crops. The last three or four days have been very cloudy, and there are still hopes of rain. The amun or late rice crop is being reaped; the yield will not be more than a four-anna crop; the hymunty winter crop will be cut in a few days; it is not expected to yield more than three or four-anna crop. The cold weather crops, especially pulses in the low lands, are still looking well, and if rain falls will give an average yield. A few boat-loads of paddy and rice arrive at intervals from the eastern districts. Prices are not quite so favorable this week as last, especially in the north-west of the district, notwithstanding the in-coming crop. Perhaps one-fourth of the cultivating classes have supplies enough to last them from two to six months, but the bulk of the people depend on the local supplies at local markets. Relief work going on on ordinary roads, and new works being projected. Health of the district good.
	12	Rajshahye, 29th „ „	Nil	The sky has been overcast with every appearance of rain, but no rain has fallen, and there has been scarcely any dew. The early portion of the amun or late rice crop is being reaped. What little has been saved in the lowest lands in the Bhurind has yielded from one to two annas. In Nattore the yield will be from six to eight annas. In Pootea and the east of Beauleah, about six annas. In Bagmara and part of Singrah and Bhundaikhara, from six to eight annas. In parts of Barraigaon the paddy is good, and from eight to twelve annas will, it is hoped, be harvested. In Charghat and Beelmaria, from six to eight annas. Boro paddy is being sown for the low lands where there is water, and in some places the seedlings are about three inches high in the nurseries. The paddy just cut near Sahibgunge (a place where the Goor river runs out of the Attrai) has been selling at one rupee per kutcha maund. The mulberry crops are looking well; sugarcane is being cut, and is a very fair crop. Wheat and barley have germinated and look well as yet, but unless it rains they will be seriously damaged. A good deal of moosoor pulse—about three to four inches high: this was sown early; the latter sowings have more or less failed owing to the want of moisture. Mustard is a rather thin crop generally this year, but there are some coming up thick. It is now in flower. Urhur and kalai pulses, and teel—oil-seed—are looking well, but require rain to ensure a crop.
	13	Rungpore, 29th „ „	Nil	Cloudy, but no rain; weather cool. Cutting of rice has taken place to a small extent, but the produce is scanty, and much of the crop is cut only for the straw. Mustard, millet, and other crops look fair; potatoes have been planted in large quantities. The reports from all parts but the north are very bad, and some emigration has taken place from north-east to Goalparah. Rice is selling at prices from Rs. 3 to 5 a maund throughout the district, and distress is prevalent all to the south and east.
	14	Bograh, 29th „ „	Nil	The sky has been cloudy of late, but no rain has fallen. The cutting of the new rice has begun. Good has been done in parts by irrigation. No general improvement can be reported with regard to the late rice, but the failure is by no means a total one. In parts the crops are good.
	15	Pubna, 29th „ „	Nil	The weather is warm for the time of the year. Chiefly winds blow from the north-west. The last three days have been cloudy and the sunrise invisible. A few drops of rain fell on the morning of the 29th November. The low ground late rice is still being cut. There will not be less than an eight-anna crop—probably a full nine-anna crop. The winter crops are backward and much require rain.
COOCH BEHAR DIVN.	16	Darjeeling, 29th „ „	Nil	Still no rain and no signs of it. In the plains the people begin to fear that they will not get even a ten-anna crop. In the hills the young crops of wheat, barley, and back wheat do not progress very favorably for want of rain, but as yet no serious loss is perceptible. Indian-corn has fallen in price during the week.
	17	Julpigoree, ...	.....	Return not received.
		Cooch Behar, 29th „ „	Nil	Some clouds on the 27th and 28th November. The same as last week. Rice is being exported to Rungpore.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)				
		Eastern Districts.—		
DACCA DIVISION.	18	Dacca, 2nd* Dec. 1873	0·2	Weather cloudy for four days, with very slight showers on the 29th and 30th November. State of the winter crops better than could have been expected. Cholera prevalent in the Moonsbeegunge sub-division, and virulent fever at Manickgunge.
	19	Furreedpore, 29th Nov. „	Nil	Very cloudy from Wednesday up to end of the week; on Saturday a slight drizzle but not sufficient to benefit the cold weather crops. State of the crops is much the same as last week; no change whatever in the state of the rice crop, which has been reaped in all the high lands, and in the low lands and beels reaping still going on. The long drought of nine weeks has been very injurious to the cold weather crops of cereals, pulses, and oil-seeds, but at most these would only give four days food-supply and are not important. The harvest of this year will be three-fifths of an ordinary year, *i.e.*, about 11,003,136 maunds of paddy; if exportation does not alter the state of things this outturn will probably meet the requirements of the population for the next twelve months with a small surplus at hand, by which time the next early and boro rice crops will have been reaped. The stock at hand of the previous year is estimated at 15,950 maunds of rice and 2,770 maunds of paddy. Wheat, barley, and different sorts of pulses and peas are very little cultivated in this district, and the quantity of these grains sown have germinated, but perishing from want of rain.
	20	Backergunge, 29th „ „	Nil	Cloudy. There is not much change in the state and prospects of the crops, but the cloudiness of the weather is causing apprehension, for it is feared that it will breed insects among the paddy.
	21	Mymensing, 29th „ „	Nil	Cloudy since 27th November and promise of rain. No change to remark on the state and prospects of the crops. The late rice harvest is commencing everywhere.
	22	Sylhet, 22nd Nov. „	Nil	Not so cool as last week. Reports from all parts of the district are favorable as to the prospects of crops; unless anything unforeseen happens; all expect a twelve-anna crop all round. The rain a fortnight ago was most beneficial to the crops; all that is to be feared now is a blight. Price of rice is going up steadily; large exportations continue. At Behadoorpore, one of the large rice marts of the district, forty large boats have come from Nattore in Rajshahye, Pubna, Furreedpore, Naraingunge, Serajgunge, Patna, Monghyr, Ghazeepore, and other places. 15,000 maunds exported from Behadoorpore up to date.
	23	Cachar, „ „	Nil	Unseasonably warm; clouds collect for a day or two and disperse again. Thunder on Friday morning; slight rain probable; much the same as last week. The Hylakandy crop and the rice generally to the south of the river is doing well, getting a good deal of moisture from the morning fogs. Bikrampore and Kaline paddy fair.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.	24	Chittagong, „ „	Nil	Rather cloudy and warmer at the change of the moon, otherwise fine and seasonable. Reports generally favorable. Reaping of the late rice crops has commenced in the south of the district. The damage done by insects in Meerkaserai and Sectacoond is reported to be inconsiderable.
	25	Noakhally „ „	Nil	Fair. The slight rain at the beginning of the month is said to have done some good at Luckhipore. In Sudaram, Begumgunge, and Ramgunge, the prospects are much what they were last week. The average loss at Sundeep and Ameergunge is still reported at four annas. Reports from other parts of the district are more favorable. Price of ordinary rice has risen from 21 to 18 seers per rupee. Much sickness in the town.
	26	Tipperah, 29th „ „	Nil	Fine, though rather hot for the first three days of the week; the last four days have been very gloomy and must have, it is feared, blighting effect on the reaping crop. In the head-quarters sub-division an eight-anna rice crop may be expected in succession to a generally good early rice crop. As it is supposed that the district annually exports half its crops, this should be enough for home consumption and something more, and it is said that the ryots are sufficiently provident. From Brahmunbariah it is reported that the large and rich pergunnah of Buldakhally will give a twelve-anna crop, and the rest of the sub-division a six-anna crop.
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts, 22nd Nov. 1873.	Nil	Cloudy up to 9 A.M. in the morning, and much less cold at night than in last week. The cotton is now being gathered and the prospect is good; the mustard crop is sown and fully germinating; the outturn of the former is promising.
		Hill Tipperah, 22nd Nov. 1873.	Nil	Bright during the beginning of the week; slightly cloudy and close during the remainder. Paddy reaping has commenced; the mustard crop has germinated in some places and promises fairly. Prices stationary.
BEHAR.				
PATNA DIVISION.	28	Patna, 1st† Dec. 1873	Nil	Weather clear and cold. No alteration in the state of crops since last report: there is still time to sow the rest of the cold weather crops, about half of which has been sown, if there be rain in the next fifteen days. Health of the district good.
	29	Gya, 29th „ „	Nil	Cool and cloudy. No rain is reported to have fallen in any part of the district. No improvement in the state of the crops. Rain is much wanted for the cold weather crops. In the Aurungabad sub-division insects are said to be attacking the cold weather crops.
	30	Shahabad, 29th „ „	Nil	One day cloudy and threatening and now clear and cold. In Sasseram sowings of cold weather crops can be carried on for another fifteen days. Sugarcane, where unirrigated, is being cut. No change for the worse in the cold weather crops generally.

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BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)			
PATNA DIVISION.—(*Contd.*) 31	Tirhoot, 29th Nov. 1873	Nil	Cool, sometimes cloudy. In the Seetamurhi sub-division, wheat, oat, mustard, linseed, cucumber, and moosoor pulse sown in the lands that can be irrigated, are flourishing, but where irrigation is not possible, only half that was sown has come up. One-third of the area usually sown with cold weather crops, in the *elaka* of Shewhur, remains unsown. Wheat, grain, oats, moosoor and khesaree pulses, cucumber, peas, mustard, and linseed are sown, and three-eighths of the same has come up well. At Bazidpore and Patheali the people have cut the dried paddy and sown cold weather crops in the ground. The tract of country between Poopree and Kamtoul is backward as regards the cold weather crops, and the rice crop has been almost a total failure. In the Durbhangah sub-division, about fifteen-sixteenths of the paddy crops are lost. The prospects of the cold weather crops are worse than last week. In the Mudhoobance sub-division the state of the rice crops not improved. The hope of a cold weather crop becoming less daily in the absence of rain. In the Tajpore sub-division nothing has transpired to alter the condition of the crops, except that of course seven days more drought has dried everything more. There is no reason yet to despair of the cold weather crops. Some of the lands from which paddy has been cut are being prepared for the cold weather crops in the hopes of rain falling. In the sudder sub-division the weather has been cloudy during the week, but there has been no rain. Heavy dews seem to do some amount of good. The prospect of the cold weather crops is much the same. That sown in the low lands and lands irrigated looks promising, but growth has stopped. More seed has germinated than was at first anticipated. Lands on which paddy has failed are being cultivated, and the sowings of cold weather crops in such lands will go on till the middle of December. Cold weather crop has been sown more than usual in this part of the country.
32	Sarun, 29th „ „	Nil	Cool, east and west winds. The prospects are gloomy, but the cold weather crop is still doing well, though rain is much wanted. Sugarcane is being cut and put into the mills. People are being employed on the district local roads, and relief works have been also opened in the town and are affording employment to larger numbers. Prices have slightly fallen.
33	Chumparun, 29th „ „	Nil	Weather cool, with west winds. The prospect of the late rice crop is more gloomy than heretofore. There will not be even a 2-anna crop as anticipated last week. Up to date 12 annas of the cold weather crop lands have been cultivated, the seed in half of which has germinated, and the plants on two annas have been destroyed by insects and on four annas the seed did not germinate at all. As yet the young plants are looking healthy, but if it does not rain soon they will die except those on banks and beds of rivers, where there is water-supply available for artificial irrigation.
BHAUGULPORE DITTO. 34	Monghyr, 29th „ „	Nil	Heavy clouds all Thursday and Friday, but quite clear on Saturday. No rain, weather cold. Slight shock of earth-quake on Thursday. Crop as much worse than last week as another week's drought can make it. A small average of hardy cold weather crop like ruhur pulse may live through it, but the rest must shortly perish entirely.
35	Bhaugulpore, 2nd* Dec. „	Nil	Very cloudy from the 26th November, on which day there was a slight shock of earth-quake. No rain. Reaping of the late rice commenced. Prospects of the cold weather crops continue good. Price of rice falling slightly, and new rice in the markets in Banka sub-division sells at 17-8 seers per rupee. Health of the district very good.
36	Purneah, 29th Nov. „	Nil	The clouds which were hanging about have cleared away. The reports from the neighbourhood of the Kusi are good. The winter rice has yielded a full crop. The mustard in the south promises well; reports from Araireah are also very favorable. The wheat which has been sown is giving fair promise of coming to maturity. From Kishengunge it is reported that though the wheat and pulses sown have germinated, they are withering for want of rain. Here too the rice crop has been a great failure. The worst part of the district is the east of thannah Kusba Amoor and Kudbah; the winter rice has nearly all failed, and what cold weather crop has been sown is being attacked by insects. The sowing is not so forward as in other parts. Importation has commenced and prices have suddenly risen.
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs, 29th Nov. 1873.	Nil	Latter part of the week cloudy and consequently great want of dew at night. The aghany or late crop is being reaped in Rajmehal, but no improvement is reported. The cold weather crop will not succeed, if there be no rain. From Deoghur an eight or nine-anna crop is still expected, but exportation is continuous. Sudder sub-division—no change.
ORISSA.			
ORISSA DIVISION. 38	Cuttack, 2nd* Dec. 1873	0·27	Weather cool, late sarud rice ripening, and early sarud rice is almost harvested. Public health good.
39	Pooree, 22nd Nov. „	Nil	Generally hot and dry; 19th and 20th colder, with a few clouds at Khurdah. A little rainfall on the 16th November in the southern part, and the sky was cloudy towards north-west on that day. The laghu or second rice crop is still being reaped; more than half the harvest has been gathered, the outturn is good. The sarud or late rice is coming on and will ripen shortly; the present state and prospects are fair, and the produce is expected to be an average crop. The cold weather crops are growing well and promising. Prices rising owing to purchases of grain for export to Calcutta and other places. Dengue and intermittent fevers are somewhat prevalent.
40	Balasore, 29th „ „	·1	Weather very cloudy. Paddy cutting going on very rigorously. Miscellaneous crops doing well.

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CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
41	Hazareebaugh, 29th Nov. 1873.	Nil	Clear and cloudy alternately; a sprinkling of rain is reported here and there. No material change in the prospects of the crops since last week. The little rainfall will undoubtedly benefit the young cold weather crops, but was insufficient for the purpose of getting the land which had not been sown, under cultivation. Insects are reported to have made their appearance in some parts of the district and damaging the crops.
42	Lohardugga „ „	Nil	Cloudy, with rain threatening. Nearly all the paddy has now been cut, and the reports from the district show that the general average for the sudder sub-division will be about ten to eleven annas of an average crop. The quantity of land under cultivation for the cold weather crop is much smaller than usual owing to the want of rain, and for the same reason what crops there are will be short. From Palamow a general average from four to five annas is expected as regards the rice crops. The prospects of the cold weather crops are bad, not more than a four-anna crop being now expected.
43	Singbhoom 22nd „	Nil	Cloudless sky, days hot, nights cold. There is very little to add to the report of last week. No rain has fallen; but rain now, so far as the rice crops are concerned, would be of very little use one way or the other. There are good hopes that most of the low land crops will be saved in Dhalbhoom, Serai Keyla, and Porahaut from the active and energetic measures in course to irrigate artificially; and in the Colehan from the circumstances that a great part of such low lands as there are are natural low lands, that is the hollows and ravines that carry off the drainage of the undulating or hilly country, and such lands will keep sufficiently moist till the crops are all cut. Some portions of the more northern (Colehan) pirs immediately adjacent to Chaebassa have suffered less than the southern pirs. The winter crops are turning out very badly. The kurthi, orid pulses are all more or less dead or dying from want of moisture, and there is very little mustard and surgooja (oil-seed) this year, whereas other years the district exported oil-seed very largely.
44	Maunbhoom, 29th „	Nil	Coudy, but no rain. The late rice is now being cut, but it is too soon to be able to give a correct estimate of the outturn, it will however most probably average a twelve-anna crop which, with the loss sustained in the other rice crop, will reduce the yield about half a crop all round. Those villages, however, which have no means of irrigating the low lands have suffered considerably, and distress in these may be expected to show itself shortly. The crops of surgooja (oil-seed) and kurthi (pulse) have been better on the Gobindpore than in the sudder sub-division, but the yield will not exceed a four-anna crop all round. The sugarcane has suffered considerably from want of moisture, and will only give an indifferent return. The wheat, barley, and potatoes lately planted at present promise well, but will require rain before long.
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.			
45	Goalparah, 22nd Nov. 1873	Nil	Weather cool, nights and mornings dewy. No change in the prospect. The late rice crop is expected to be an eight-anna one. Harvesting of the late rice and moong crops and ploughing of land for early rice have commenced in some places. Mustard is not getting on well and somewhat injured in Khoontaghat by insects. The cutting of jute is completed and outturn fair. A shock of earth-quake at 11 P.M. of the 17th instant.
46	Kamroop, 1st* Dec. „	Nil	No rain fell. In the early part of the week, misty mornings, clear days with cool north-east wind and dewy nights. In the latter part the sky was overcast. Late rice is being reaped in some places, and likely to yield half ordinary outturn. Sugarcane and mustard crops progressing favorably. Public health good.
47	Durrung, 22nd Nov. „	Nil	Bright days, nights cold, range of temperature high, north-east wind prevailing. In the southern portions of the Mungledye sub-division three-fourths of the rice crops are ruined for want of rain. To the north, where the land is irrigated, the crops are first-rate. In the centre of the district the rice crop is fair and some of it ready for the sickle. To the east of the district the accounts are on the whole unfavorable. Rain wanted; but pulses, mustard, and sugarcane looking well, being favored by the heavy dews. Public health good, with the exception of fevers probably brought on by chills.
48	Nowgong, „ „	Nil	Weather seasonable, with very heavy dews at night, and cold foggy mornings. The rice crop now on the ground not so poor or bad as might have been anticipated from the late drought. In several places to the west of the district a full bumper crop will be realized. On the whole an average crop may be looked for. The early rice crop reaped and stored in August was a full one. The kalai pulse crop now on the ground doing middling, mustard doing poorly, sugarcane doing well, and largely cultivated this season. Tea operations very nearly concluded. General health good.
49	Seebsaugor, 22nd „	Nil	Mornings and nights are cold and foggy, days bright and sunny. No indication of rain. The prospect of the rice crop continues the same as before. Harvesting has commenced in a few places. No rain has fallen during the week—a bad prospect for the mustard crop.
50	Luckimpore, 22nd „	Nil	No rain during the week, the middle of the day is still hot, but the mornings and evenings are very cool. The state of the rice crop generally is neither very good nor very bad. The outturn will probably be about two-thirds of an average year; there does not appear to be any cause for anxiety. The crop is just commencing to be reaped. The cold weather crops promise well. The report from North Luckimpore is "crops good, taken as a whole; the pulses are not quite so good as usual; but the rice, so far as is reported, leaves nothing to be desired except in a few high spots near the Berhampooter, but these suffer more or less every year." Public health has improved, but fever not yet disappeared.

* Telegram of the 1st December received on the same day. Shows the rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.—(*Contd.*)			
51	Naga Hills, 15th Nov. 1873.	Nil	Seasonable throughout the district, and everything that could be desired. All "joom" crops have been cut and gathered in, and the outturn in the hills is said to have been a remarkably good one, better by far they have had for years past. The hill "terai" crops are now being cut and promise to give an equally good yield. In the plains, however, portions of the "pathar" crops have suffered from want of rain, and the outturn is therefore not expected to be even a fair one. still there is no actual apprehension of want anywhere in the district, and in the greater portion of it the yield will be above the average. Fever still very prevalent.
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills, 22nd Nov. 1873.	Nil	Fine and cold. The whole of the rice crop has been gathered. The murwah is doing well. Rice just now is plentiful and has been selling this week at a cheaper rate than that of last week, and if there is no failure of crops in the plains of Sylhet, Mymensingh, and Assam bordering on the hills, no scarcity will be felt here. Another food-grain jobstears (coru) is nearly ripe for the sickle, and the yield is not likely to fall short of last year.
53	Garo Hills, 22nd Nov. 1873.	Nil	Much the same as last week except that a few drops of rain fell on Monday morning. The atmosphere has been on some days clear. The few drops of rain which fell in the vicinity of Tura extended over too small an area to affect the crops. The ground is in much the same state as during the past week, viz. dry, dusty, and cracked, such as it usually is in February and March. The cotton, which will be gathered later in the season, must necessarily be deficient in quantity, but in some cultivations the outturn is already said to be fair.

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CALCUTTA, STATISTICAL DEPT.,
The 2nd December 1873.

Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Division	District.	Station.	Rain from 9th to 15th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 16th to 22nd Nov. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.							
	WESTERN DISTRICTS.		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
BURDWAN.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	Nil	Nil	57·52	22nd Nov.	
		Cutwa ...	Nil	Nil	39·37	ditto.	
		Culna ...	Not rec.	Nil	46·18	ditto ...	Not received 9th to 15th Nov.
		Bood-Bood	Nil	Nil	48·30	ditto.	
		Raneegunge	Nil	Nil	44·85	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Nil	Nil	43·72	ditto.	
	Bancoorah ...	Bancoorah	Nil	Nil	47·27	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom ...	Sooree	Nil	Nil	53·45	ditto.	
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	Nil	Nil	44·77	ditto.	
		Tumlook ...	Nil	Nil	47·51	ditto.	
		Gurbetta ...	Nil	Nil	46·36	ditto.	
		Contai ... Dy. Collr.'s Office	Nil	Nil	46·57	ditto.	
		Contai ... Exe. Engr.'s Office	Nil	Nil	51·02	ditto.	
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly ...	Nil	Nil	38·79	ditto	
		Serampore	Nil	Nil	43·13	ditto.	
	Howrah ...	Howrah ...	Nil	Nil	46·66	ditto.	
	CENTRAL DISTRICTS.						
PRESIDENCY.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	Nil	Nil	48·53	ditto.	
		Calcutta ...	Nil	Nil	44·32	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Dispensary	Nil	Nil	45·36	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Jail	Nil	Nil	44·31	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut	Nil	Nil	43·62	ditto.	
		Baraset	Nil	Nil	40·28	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour	Nil	Nil	50·84	ditto.	
		Barripore ...	Nil	Nil	52·05	ditto.	
		Satkherah	Nil	Nil	47·72	ditto.	
		Barrackpore	Nil	Nil	45·97	ditto.	
		Dum-Dum	Nil	Nil	48·77	ditto.	
	Nuddea ...	Kishnaghur	Nil	Nil	46·80	ditto.	
		Bongong ...	Nil	Nil	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore	Nil	Nil	52·41	ditto.	
		Chooadangah	Nil	Nil	45·99	ditto.	
		Kooshteah	Nil	Nil	38·66	ditto.	
		Ranaghat	Nil	Nil	34·51	ditto.	
	Jessore ...	Jessore ...	Nil	Nil	44·49	ditto.	
		Nurrail ...	Nil	Nil	66·71	ditto.	
		Khoolnea ...	Nil	Nil	59·26	ditto.	
		Jenadah ...	Nil	Nil	43·15	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut	0·23	Not rec.	55·42	15th Nov.	
		Magoorah	Nil	Nil	47·70	22nd Nov.	
RAJSHAHYE.	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	Nil	Nil	31·61	ditto.	
		Ramporehaut	Nil	Nil	28·71	ditto.	
		City Moorshedabad	Nil	Nil	27·21	ditto.	
		Jungipore	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Azimgunge	Nil	Nil	35·38	ditto. ...	From 1st Feb.
		Lalgolla ...	Nil	Nil	41·51	ditto.	
	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	Nil	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah ...	Maldah ...	Nil	Nil	27·02	ditto.	
	Rajshahye ...	Beauleah ...	Nil	Nil	32·13	ditto.	
		Nattore ...	Nil	Nil	43·78	ditto.	
	Rungpore ...	Rungpore	Nil	Nil	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge	Nil	Nil	47·28	ditto.	
		Titalya ...	Nil	Nil	82·72	ditto.	
	Bograh ...	Bograh ...	Nil	Nil	36·74	ditto.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	Nil	Nil	43·18	ditto.	
		Serajgunge	Nil	Nil	35·26	ditto. ...	Not. rec 26th Oct. to 1st Nov.
COOCH BEHAR.	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling ... Telegraph Office	Not rec	Not rec.	93·66	31st Oct.	
		Darjeeling ... Hospital	Not rec.	Not rec.	77·74	8th Nov.	
	Julpigoree ...	Julpigoree	Nil	Nil	88·20	22nd Nov.	
		Fallacotta	Nil	Nil	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah ...	Nil	Nil	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar	Nil	Nil	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars ...	Buxa ...	Nil	Nil	175·64	ditto.	

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BENGAL—(Continued.)			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
	Eastern Districts.						
Dacca	Dacca ...	Dacca ... Telegraph Office ...	Nil	Nil	61·30	22nd Nov.	
		Dacca ... Hospital ...	Nil	Nil	59·22	ditto.	
		Moonsheegunge	Nil	Nil	63·47	ditto.	
		Manickgunge	Nil	Nil	48·86	ditto.	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	Nil	Nil	59·55	ditto.	
		Goalundo	Nil	Nil	42·08	ditto.	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisaul	Nil	Nil	60·61	ditto.	
		Perozepore	0·30	Nil	56·29	ditto.	
		Madaripore	Nil	Nil	60·35	ditto.	
		Patoakhally	0·18	Nil	90·02	ditto.	
		Dowlat Khan	Nil	Nil	100·76	ditto.	
	Mymensing ...	Mymensing	Nil	Nil	61·39	ditto.	
		Jamalpore	Nil	Nil	48·69	ditto.	
		Atteah	Nil	Nil	44·11	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge	Nil	Nil	67·94	ditto.	
	Sylhet ..	Sylhet	Nil	Nil	126·72	ditto.	
	Cachar ...	Cachar	Nil	Nil	102·85	ditto.	
		Hylakandy	Nil	Nil	88·25	15th Nov.	
		Koyah	Nil	Nil	85·62	ditto.	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong ... Telegraph Office ...	Nil	Nil	84·60	22nd Nov.	
		Chittagong ... Jail	Nil	Nil	85·44	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar	Nil	Nil	152·47	ditto.	
	Noakhally ...	Noakhally	Nil	Nil	116·76	ditto.	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	Nil	Nil	72·20	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah	Nil	Nil	58·32	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill	Nil	Nil	73·35	ditto.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	Nil	Nil	57·57	ditto.	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna	Patna	Nil	Nil	30·49	ditto.	
		Behar	Nil	Nil	38·14	ditto.	
		Barh	Nil	Nil	33·30	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Jail	Nil	Nil	34·16	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Cantonment ...	Nil	Nil	34·75	ditto.	
	Gya	Gya	Nil	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah	Nil	Nil	41·03	ditto.	
		Arungabad	Nil	Nil	33·04	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Nil	Nil	38·73	ditto.	
	Shahabad	Arrah	Nil	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhubooah...	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozufferpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	29·03	8th Nov.	
		Durbhangah	Not rec.	Not rec.	34·46	ditto.	
		Hajeepore	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·36	ditto.	
		Mudhubani	Not rec.	Not rec.	27·61	ditto.	
		Seetamaree	Not rec.	Not rec.	37·10	ditto.	
		Tajpore	Not rec.	Nil	31·11	22nd Nov.	Not rec. 9th to 15th Nov.
	Sarun	Chuprah	Nil	Nil	33·88	ditto.	
		Sewan	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Champarun ...	Moteehari	Nil	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
Bhaugulpore.	Monghyr	Monghyr	Nil	Nil	38·22	ditto.	
		Begooserai	Nil	Nil	35·95	ditto.	
		Jamooie	Nil	Nil	43·09	ditto.	
	Bhaugulpore ...	Bhaugulpore	Nil	Nil	28·68	ditto.	
		Soopool	Nil	Nil	26·73	ditto.	
		Mudheypoorah	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Sanborsa	Nil	Nil	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah	Nil	Nil	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge	Nil	Nil	37·69	ditto.	
		Arrareah	Nil	Nil	35·00	ditto.	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs...	Deoghur	Nil	Nil	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto ...	Not rec. 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal	Nil	Nil	23·00	ditto.	
		Moheshpore	Nil	Nil	25·24	ditto ...	From 15th June and not recorded 21st Sept. to 4th Oct.
		Nya-Doomka	Nil	Nil	53·00	ditto.	
		Godda	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto.	

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ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack ... Telegraph Office ...	Nil	Nil	33·50	22nd Nov.	
		Cuttack ... Hospital ...	Nil	Nil	37·93	ditto.	
		Jajipore	Nil	Nil	35·83	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	Nil	Nil	57·50	ditto.	
		Jugutsingpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	41·38	1st Nov.	
		False Point	Nil	Nil	57·85	22nd Nov.	
	Pooree	Pooree	Nil	Nil	55·02	ditto.	
		Khurdah	Nil	Nil	48·93	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	Nil	Nil	47·87	ditto.	
		Bhuddruck	0·12	Nil	35·48	ditto.	
		Jellasore	Nil	Nil	48·75	ditto ...	From 1st April.
		Sorah	Nil	Nil	36·55	ditto ...	Ditto.
		Chandbally	Nil	Nil	35·25	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sambalpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	51·25	25th Oct.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebaugh ...	Hazareebaugh ... Jail ...	Nil	Nil	59·04	22nd Nov.	
		Hazareebaugh ... Dispensary ...	Nil	Nil	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba	Nil	Nil	51·80	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah ...	Ranchee	Nil	Nil	49·95	ditto.	
		Palamow	Nil	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	Nil	Nil	38·54	ditto.	
	Maunbhoom ...	Purulia	Nil	Nil	40·70	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Goalparah ...	Goalparah	Not rec.	Nil	68·21	ditto ...	Not received 9th to 15th Nov.
		Dhoobree	Not rec.	Nil	91·42	ditto.	
	Kamroop ...	Gowhatty	Nil	Nil	49·11	ditto.	
		Burpettah	Nil	Nil	70·78	ditto.	
	Durrung ...	Tezpore	Nil	Nil	65·89	ditto.	
		Mungledye	Nil	Nil	53·90	ditto.	
	Nowgong ...	Nowgong	Nil	Nil	70·61	ditto.	
	Seebsaugor ...	Seebsaugor	Nil	Nil	72·71	ditto.	
		Golaghat	Nil	Nil	66·79	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	Nil	Nil	59·52	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	0·15	Nil	75·27	ditto.	
	Luckimpore ...	Debrooghur	Nil	Nil	90·94	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	Nil	Not rec.	101·55	15th Nov.	
		Suddya	0·06	Not rec.	83·19	ditto.	
	Naga Hills ...	Samoogoodting	Not rec.	Not rec.	43·74	8th Nov.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills ...	Shillong	Not rec.	Not rec.	53·37	ditto.	
		Jaowai	Not rec.	Not rec.	74·49	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	Not rec.	Not rec.	293·84	ditto.	
	Garo Hills ...	Tura	Nil	Nil	85·22	22nd Nov.	
		Benares	Nil	Not rec.	35·83	15th Nov.	
		Akyab	Nil	Nil	202·60	22nd Nov.	

CALCUTTA,
The 29th November 1873.

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 23rd to 29th Nov. 1873.

Station.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity.*	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Saugor Island.	Nov. 23rd	10	30·087	30·105	76·0	68	64	N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·961	29·979	80·0	67·5	49	E N E	...	...	CS	
	24th	10	30·077	30·095	78·3	70	64	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·957	29·975	82·1	70·2	52	E by S	...		C	
	25th	10	30·100	30·118	78·2	68·2	57	E	...	...	C	
		16	29·978	29·996	82·3	68·4	45	N E	...	...	C	
	26th	10	30·106	30·124	77·5	67·5	56	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·975	29·993	80·8	68·3	49	N	...	...	CK	
	27th	10	30·049	30·068	72·4	66·2	71	N by W	...	...	.....	o
		16	29·949	29·967	77·6	62·0	59	N	...	...	.....	o
	28th	10	30·003	30·022	72·0	64·0	62	N N W	...		.....	o
		16	29·899	29·918	74·0	65·8	62	N N W	...	0·01	.....	o
	29th	10	30·015	30·034	76·4	65·0	72	E	...	0·03	.....	o
		16	29·961	29·980	72·0	66·3	72	E	...	0·03	.....	o, d
Chittagong.	Nov. 23rd	10	30·164	30·170	75	68	68	N	6·2	...	C	b, m
		16	30·053	30·059	80	67	47	N	9·8	...	C	b, v
	24th	10	30·152	30·158	78	67	53	N N E	5·1	...	C	b, v
		16	30·059	30·065	82	71	55	W	6·0	...	K	b, v
	25th	10	30·167	30·173	79	69	58	N E	6·8	...	C	b, v
		16	30·059	30·065	83	70	49	E	8·0	...	CS	b, v
	26th	10	30·182	30·188	76	66	56	N N E	6·3	...	CK, C	b, m
		16	30·076	30·082	79	71	65	N	9·5	...	N	o, v
	27th	10	30·133	30·139	73	69	80	N	6·6	0·10	N	o, d
		16	30·051	30·057	75	68	68	N W	6·7	0·10	N	o, m, d
	28th	10	30·105	30·111	73	66	67	N N E	5·8	...	N	o, m
		16	29·983	29·989	73	65	62	N N E	7·6	...	N	o, m
	29th	10	30·092	30·098	73	66	67	N N E	4·8	0·10	N	o, m
		16	30·050	30·056	72	66	71	N N W	9·4	0·10	N	o, d, m
Madras.	Nov. 23rd	10	30·010	30·103	78	71	69	N	5·5	...	C	b, m
		16	29·902	29·994	83	74	63	W N W	3·3	...	C	b, v
	24th	10	30·003	30·097	76	71	77	N	4·2	...	C	b, v
		16	29·914	30·007	81	74	70	W S W	6·5	...	C	b, v
	25th	10	30·013	30·107	75	70	76	N	4·6	...	K, CK, C	b
		16	29·904	29·996	83	68	42	N	8·1	...	C, CK	b, v
	26th	10	30·016	30·110	74	69	76	N	4·2	...	CK, K	b, v
		16	29·960	30·053	81	74	70	N	3·5	...	CK, KS	v
	27th	10	29·958	30·051	81	73	66	N	3·3	...	N	b, m
		16	29·864	29·957	81	68	48	W	5·6	...	C, K	b, v
	28th	10	29·895	29·988	80	74	74	N N W	3·9	...	CK, K	b, m
		16	29·860	29·953	80	73	70	W	5·5	...	CK, KS	m
	29th	10	29·906	30·000	75	71	81	N N W	3·6	...	KS	m
		16	29·863	29·958	72	69	85	N	3·2	...	N	d, u, m
Cuttack.	Nov. 22nd	10	30·035	30·065	77	73	81	N W by N	11	2·42	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·923	29·953	79	75	82	N N W	9	0·01	.....	cloudy.
	23rd	10	30·037	30·067	76	74	90	N N W	9	0·43	.....	o
		16	29·947	29·977	79	73	73	N by E	15	...	.....	cloudy.
	24th	10	30·007	30·037	78	71	69	N by W	12	...	.....	c
		16	29·898	29·928	79	72	69	N	16	...	.....	c
	25th	10	29·995	30·025	79	75	82	N E by N	13	0·12	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·901	29·931	79	74	77	N E by N	10	0·01	.....	cloudy.
	26th	10	29·954	29·984	77	75	90	N W by N	6	0·53	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·870	29·900	77	75	90	N by W	7	0·19	.....	o
	27th	10	29·920	29·950	75	72	85	N W by N	14	0·92	.....	o
		16	29·820	29·850	75	73	90	N by W	13	...	.....	o
	28th	10	29·910	29·940	74	71	85	N W by N	15	0·30	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·783	29·813	73	71	90	N N W	15	0·05	.....	o
Akyab.	Nov. 23rd	10	30·027	30·110	76	66	56	N	0·3	...	C	b
		16	29·909	29·992	82	65	35	N N E	3·2	...	.....	b
	24th	10	30·009	30·093	75	66	59	W N W	0·7	...	C	b
		16	29·896	29·979	81	65	38	E N E	4·3	...	CS	b
	25th	10	30·007	30·090	78	68	57	N N E	0·6	...	C	b
		16	29·893	29·975	83	70	49	E N E	4·4	...	CS	b
	26th	10	30·009	30·092	77	66	53	N N E	1·3	..	KS, C	
		16	29·929	30·012	77	68	60	N N W	4·6	...	C, KC	u
	27th	10	30·012	30·096	70	67	84	W N W	0·6	0·10	N	d
		16	29·927	30·011	73	69	80	W	0·7	...	N	d
	28th	10	29·969	30·053	72	68	80	W N W	0·2	0·10	N, C	
		16	29·834	29·918	73	68	76	N W	1·6	...	N, C	
	29th	10	29·927	30·011	73	67	71	N N E	0·4	...	N	d
		16	29·899	29·983	69	65	79	N E	3·1	...	N	d
	Nov. 23rd	10	30·050	30·073	80	73	70	N E	1·2	...	.....	b
		16	29·944	29·965	83	75	67	W S W	2·6	...	.....	b
	24th	10	30·045	30·067	78	72	73	N E	1·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·949	29·971	82	74	66	N E	4·5	...	.....	b, g
	25th	10	30·032	30·054	79	72	69	N	2·5	...	.....	b, g
		16	29·949	29·971	81	74	70	N N E	4·6	...	.....	b
	26th	10	30·027	30·049	81	74	70	E	2·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·924	29·946	82	75	70	N E	4·8	...	.....	b
	27th	10	29·997	30·019	81	76	78	E N E	1·6	...	.....	b
		16	29·901	29·922	83	78	78	W	6·1	...	.....	b
	28th	10	29·952	29·974	78	73	77	N E	2·1	...	.....	b
		16	29·852	29·874	80	74	74	W S W	3·1	...	.....	g
	29th	10	29·937	29·959	81	75	74	N E	1·4	...	.....	b
		16	29·864	29·886	82	76	74	W	4·0	...	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA.
The 29th November 1873.

H. F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal.

NOTE ON THE RAINFALL OF OCTOBER.

The rainfall was deficient everywhere except on some parts of the coast of the Bay, the chief exception being False Point, where there fell nearly 8 inches more than the average. In Behar and the North-Western Provinces there was no rain, and such was also the case at Goalpara and Darjeeling. Cachar alone received an average quantity, and Chittagong about two-thirds of its average. At all other places the fall varied between one-half and nothing. In most parts of the delta the total fall of the month did not amount to half an inch.

In Bengal Proper and Orissa, the winds were northerly to an unusual degree, while in Behar they were from the west and somewhat southerly. At Roorkee the prevailing wind was from south-east to a greater extent than usual. Generally the atmospheric pressure was higher than is usual in October, and most so at those places at which it was above the average in the previous month. At Roorkee, however, it was considerably below the average, and such was also the case at Cuttack, and to a less extent on both coasts of the Bay, probably therefore over the Bay itself. On the whole there was a general rise of pressure over Bengal, while the irregularities in its local distribution noticed in September remained but little modified. This persistence of local-barometric irregularities has been before noticed* as a characteristic of Indian Meteorology, and affords a partial explanation of another apparent law of some importance, viz. that any abnormal peculiarity that marks the beginning of a monsoon season generally continues to characterize it throughout. The following table gives a complete view of the wind, rainfall, and pressure at several stations.

Stations.	Pressure.		Wind.		Rainfall.	
	Average.	Diff.	Average.	1878.	Average.	Diff.
Port Blair ...	29·790	—·011	.....	49 S ½ E	.....	.....
Madras ...	·859	—·049	.....	39 N W by W	.....	—2·7
Akyab ...	·845	—·021	10 S E by E	15 E by S	13·7	+1·8
False Point ...	·852	—·010	21 N E by E	71 N E by N	12·1	+7·9
Cuttack ...	·821	—·047	30 N E ½ E	40 N N E ½ E	6·3	—3·8
Saugor Island ...	·827	+·014	5 E by N	54 N E	12·5	—7·8
Chittagong ...	·755	+·035	7 N N E	37 N W	7·0	—2·5
Calcutta ...	·840	—·006	13 N W by W	62 E by N	5·3	—2·9
Burdwan ...	.....	.....	.....	53 N N E	5·8	—5·6
Jessore ...	29·832	.....	.....	.....	6·4	—5·8
Dacca ...	29·817	+·012	3 S S E	25 N	5·8	—5·6
Silchar ...	·773	+·064	.....	10 E S E ½ E	8·3	—0·1
Hazareebaugh ...	27·848	+·035	34 W N W	53 N W by N	3·6	—3·4
Berhampore ...	29·769	+·020	13 N N E	26 N ½ W	6·1	—5·7
Gya ...	.....	.....	.....	4 N N W	3·2	—3·2
Patna ...	·694	+·001	4 N by E	20 W S W	2·6	—2·6
Monghyr ...	·686	+·004	.....	34 W	3·8	—3·8
Darjeeling ...	23·391	+·042	.....	18 W S W	8·1	—8·1
Goalpara ...	29·426	+·038	43 S S E ½ S	41 E N E	5·3	—5·3
Benares ...	·606	.....	27 W N W	72 W ½ S	1·9	—1·9
Debra ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	0·7	.....
Bareilly ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1·2	.....
Agra ...	·321	.....	27 W ½ N	.....	0·5	.....
Lucknow ...	·499	.....	.....	.....	2·1	.....
Goruckpore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	4·7	.....
Jhansi ...	·019	.....	.....	.....	1·6	.....
Ajmere ...	.....	.....	28 N W by W	.....	0·2	.....
Roorkee ...	28·960	—·069	7 S E by S	15 S E by S	0·7	—0·7

* Asiatic Society's Journal 1870, Part II.

Henry F. Blanford,
Meteorological Reporter.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 22nd to 30th November 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer. Highest reading.	Thermometer. Lowest reading.	Thermometer. Max. solar radiation.	Mean dry bulb.	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew-point.	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Max. pressure.	Wind. Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Remarks.
		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	°			Lb.	Miles	In.		
ov. ...	22nd	30·027	82·4	66·5	129·4	73·0	65·3	59·1	0·63	N E	...	116·8	...	...	Cirri, cirrostrati, and clear. Slightly foggy from Midnight to 2 A.M.
	23rd	·023	81·0	65·5	130·0	72·6	65·4	59·6	·65	N E & E N E	...	136·5	...	...	Clear and cirrostrati. Slightly foggy at 11 P.M.
	24th	·013	84·5	65·8	134·0	74·2	67·5	62·8	·69	E N E & E	...	73·7	...	...	Clear, cirri, and cirrostrati. Slightly foggy at Midnight.
	25th	·034	84·5	66·0	136·0	74·5	67·2	62·3	·67	E & E N E	...	84·1	...	...	Clear and cirri. Slightly foggy at 11 P.M.
	26th	·031	83·3	67·5	128·0	75·0	67·2	61·7	·65	E N E & N	...	132·1	...	...	Cirri and cirrocumuli. Slightly foggy at Midnight.
	27th	·006	78·5	69·7	112·0	73·7	67·0	62·3	·69	N by W & N	...	96·5	...	☽	Overcast. Drizzled at 11 P.M.
	28th	29·951	75·6	69·0	106·0	71·1	65·3	60·0	·68	N N E, N & E by N	...	113·4	0·04	...	Chiefly overcast. Drizzled after intervals.
	29th	·977	78·2	65·0	...	69·4	65·2	61·8	·78	E by N	...	84·9	0·09	...	Overcast. Drizzled after intervals.
	30th	30·034	74·6	64·2	93·0	69·0	65·0	61·8	·79	Variable.	...	76·2	...	...	Chiefly overcast. Slightly foggy at 7 P.M.

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means, are derived from the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represent the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of the lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of the ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noon.

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The extreme variation of temperature during the past nine days	...	20·3
The maximum temperature during the past nine days	...	84·5
The maximum temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	...	83·4
The mean humidity during the past nine days	...	0·69
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·71
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 22nd to 30th ... by lower rain gauge	...	0·13
The total fall of rain from 22nd to 30th ... by anemometer gauge	...	0·05
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	Nil
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 30th November	...	44·45
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	69·22

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
In charge of the Observatory.

The 1st December 1873.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Midnapore Section of the High Level Canal for the month of October 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—48 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Maunds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
20	Coal ...	5,976	2,654	10,625	...	...	54 8 0
14	Cotton ...	1,332	20,448	3,700	...	...	24 10 0
9	Firewood ...	880	342	2,275	...	...	8 12 6
35	Grain ...	3,070	5,418	7,425	...	...	37 4 6
11	Hides and horns	1,410	14,345	2,975	...	...	27 10 0
27	Jaggery and sugar	2,265	9,205	5,625	...	...	21 1 6
11	Metal ...	1,110	32,700	2,750	...	...	13 10 0
175	Miscellaneous ...	8,974	32,452	27,450	...	...	168 7 3
23	Oil and oil-seeds ...	2,530	7,640	6,125	...	...	39 13 6
62	Paddy and rice ...	8,606	9,263	16,725	...	...	107 6 6
42	Piece-goods ...	2,185	2,19,280	8,925	...	...	48 7 0
36	Thread ...	2,565	92,550	7,950	...	...	31 15 6
29	Garden produce ...	1,739	6,689	4,950	...	...	48 8 0
26	Pottery ...	1,040	1,040	5,025	...	...	18 13 6
42	Salt ...	6,050	23,000	12,200	...	...	95 13 6
16	Silk and indigo ...	523	92,500	3,250	...	...	17 9 6
8	Jute ...	650	2,550	1,800	...	...	8 0 0
20	Straw ...	3,490	900	7,200	...	...	27 0 0
12	Tobacco ...	1,570	10,110	3,325	...	...	41 2 0
2	Tiles ...	200	88	675	...	...	6 12 0
10	Sand ...	1,524	424	4,150	...	...	15 9 0
19	Rafts of timber...	...	1,035	Logs 77	...	...	21 15 0
493	Empty boats ...	...	...	(43,050)	...	...	229 6 0
1,295	Passengers ...	...	...	No. 11,610	...	...	184 8 0
...	Ditto ...	...	...	(76,325)	...	...	652 11 0
...	Miscellaneous revenue	...	...	...	...	...	16 2 9
15	Police boats ...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
2,452	Total for corresponding month last year.	57,709	5,84,633	145,125	5,183	54,276	1,967 8 6
2,913		122,962	5,87,101	280,825	10,029	83,862	2,164 13 5

STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

Number of boats or rafts.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Maunds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
1	Iron stores ...	400	4,000	625	...	...	9 6 0
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1		400	4,000	625	22	536	9 6 0
2		2	20	75	2	66	2 5 0

ABSTRACT.

Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Remarks.
		Maunds.	Rs.			Rs. As. P.	
2,452	Local ...	57,709	584,633	5,183	54,276	1,967 8 6	
1	Irrigation Works	400	4,000	22	536	9 6 0	
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2,453		58,109	588,633	5,205	54,812	1,976 14 6	
2,915		122,964	587,121	10,031	83,928	2,167 2 5	

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BEN

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Hidgellee Tidal Canal for the month of October 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—29 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.								STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.								ABSTRACT.							
Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	TOTAL, EXCLUSIVE OF TONNAGE OF EMPTY BOATS. Maunds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Number of boats or rafts.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	TOTAL, EXCLUSIVE OF TONNAGE OF EMPTY BOATS. Maunds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	No. of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	REMARKS.
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.			Mds.	Rs.				A. P.			Mds.	Rs.			Rs. A. P.	
28	Straw Kahuns	254	473	7,850	...	...	53 12 9	6	Sal Planks ...	825	2,200	2,575	...	...	46 10 0	1403	Local ...	87,004	1,17,919	7,204 1/28	2,08,917 1/28	3,091 6 6	
1	Wooden doors No.	6	100	300	...	...	2 1 0	4	Empty boats ...	...	...	...	...	...	12 5 3	10	Irrigation ...	825	2,200	91 27/28	2,667 1/4	59 0 0	
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15	Pottery No. ...	15,830	160	1,635	...	...	17 8 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Water ...	...	...	400	...	...	2 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Plantain, Kahuns.	50	50	205	...	...	1 6 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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42	Tobacco ...	2,878	15,467	8,235	...	...	105 8 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
9	Salt ...	1,080	4,435	2,350	...	...	25 9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
9	Miscellaneous...	774	7,740	2,075	...	...	26 5 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Iron ..	100	500	450	...	...	3 1 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3	Clothes ...	42	7,700	595	...	...	7 2 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Betel ...	3	9	40	...	...	0 11 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7	Oilcake ...	243	200	650	...	...	4 9 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5	Mustard seeds	313	1,280	950	...	...	6 5 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Cotton ..	100	1,800	750	...	...	9 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Spices ...	300	2,700	400	...	...	2 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Ghooting lime	500	145	875	...	...	6 0 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Papers ..	7	14	70	...	...	1 4 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
566	Paddy ...	76,321	63,346	145,423	...	...	2,130 2 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Firewood ...	550	130	1,100	...	...	7 9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Charcoal ...	100	90	375	...	...	2 9 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
11	Rice ...	709	711	1,600	...	...	24 14 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Vegetables ...	6	2	50	...	...	0 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Brass plates ...	3	200	40	...	...	0 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
9	Hemp ...	794	3,760	2,435	...	...	17 6 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	,, seeds ...	100	150	3 0	...	...	2 1 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Shells for lime	250	67	475	...	...	8 9 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Sand ...	50	2	100	...	...	1 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Coal ...	15	15	40	...	...	0 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Timber, No. 2...	...	10	...	...	...	0 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1	Bamboos ..	125	16	125	...	...	0 13 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5	Mats ...	585	3,400	16,050	...	...	11 5 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Gab for boats...	48	105	285	...	...	1 1 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Baskets ...	50	34	160	...	...	1 1 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6	Jaggery ...	435	970	1,050	...	...	7 3 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
50	Passengers, No. 287.	...	...	2,980	...	...	57 6 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
604	Empty boats .	...	...	...	...	...	526 14 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6	Nuts maunds...	525	2,138	1,295	...	...	13 8 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1403		87,004	117,919	201,713	7,204 1/28	2,08,917 1/28	3,091 6 6	10		825	2,200	2,575	91 27/28	2,667	59 0 0	1413		87,829	1,20,119	7,296 3	2,11,584 1/28	3,150 6 6	
—	Total for corresponding month last year ...	49,286	97,796	90,675	3,238	84,199	1,032 2 3	2		70	840	225	8	203	5 4 6	641		49,356	98,636	3,246	84,407	1,037 6 0	

N. B.—Tonnage shown above is of the boats not of cargo.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Kendraparah Canal for the month of October 1873.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Mds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.
4	Paddy ...	242	483	17	272	4 12 0
1	Jaggery ...	830	166	6	192	1 8 0
3	Salt ...	1,910	382	14	224	1 12 0
4	Gram ...	603	402	14	448	5 4 0
1	Plantain ...	60	20	1	16	0 4 0
6	Passengers ...	...	308	11	224	2 3 10
1	Bamboos ...	8	66	2	32	0 4 0
1	Timber ...	49	15	1	16	0 2 0
24	Empty ...	...	1,316	47	1,060	13 10 0
Rafts 2	Bamboos 250 ...	3	...	...	...	0 3 4
Rafts 2	Timbers 4 ...	8	...	...	...	0 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
49		3,713	3,158	113	2,481	30 7 2
Oct. 1872, 48	Receipts for corresponding month last year	5,534	9 457	336	7,265	60 12 6

TRAFFIC BETWEEN CUTTACK AND SEA BOARD.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Mds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.
99	Paddy ...	9,625	19,249	...	...	255 10 0
1	Jaggery ...	375	75	...	...	1 2 0
1	Salt ...	1,425	285	...	...	4 2 0
9	Gram ...	3,169	2,113	...	...	29 6 0
1	Horus ...	520	52	...	...	0 12 0
6	Cocoanuts ...	1,453	969	...	...	13 2 0
1	Raisins ...	1,560	195	...	...	2 10 0
6	Rice ...	5,203	5,203	...	...	76 2 0
5	Hides ...	33,240	3,324	...	...	48 12 0
2	Bags ...	798	114	...	...	1 2 0
1	Castor seeds...	2,646	756	...	...	11 4 0
8	Gingelly ...	22,180	5,545	...	...	81 0 0
1	Shell ...	1,192	298	...	...	4 2 0
14	Spices ...	1,45,720	7,286	...	...	109 4 0
21	Passengers 37	...	1,971	...	...	28 6 4
101	Empty ...	...	9,804	...	...	126 2 0
Rafts 12	Bamboos 15,350	192	...	...	...	38 6 0
289		2,29,298	57,239	2,044	85,848	831 4 4
194		1,89,543	49,709	1,775	74,550	757 2 7

STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Mds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
	LOCAL TRAFFIC	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
2	Stones ...	16	1,048	37	592	5 2 0
2	Bricks ...	113	1,800	64	1,100	21 12 0
3	Passenger ...	...	1,186	42	1,278	16 14 10
2	Mile posts, &c...	...	1,072	38	608	8 2 0
7	Empty ...	...	3,072	110	1,008	17 8 0
16		129	8,178	291	4,586	69 6 10
	THROUGH TRAFFIC.					
1	Firewood ...	61	609	...	...	9 0 0
2	Timber ...	4,976	1,531	...	...	22 14 0
5	Passengers 12	...	5,000	...	...	65 10 0
12	Empty ...	...	6,084	...	...	75 0 0
...	Timber 103 ...	206	...	...	...	38 10 0
20		5,243	13,224	472	19,824	211 2 0
36		5,372	21,402	763	24,410	280 8 10
41		952	10,469	373	9,131	174 10 0

ABSTRACT.

Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Rs.			Rs. A. P.
49	Local traffic, paid	3,713	113	2,481	30 7 2
289	Through do.	2,29,298	2,044	85,848	831 4 4
	IRRI. WORKS.				
16	Local traffic ...	129	291	4,586	69 6 10
20	Through ditto...	5,243	472	19,824	211 2 0
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
374		2,38,383	2,920	112,742	1,142 4 4
283		1,96,029	2,471	90,949	993 8 7

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Brahminee Division, High Level Canal, for the month of October 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—87 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
9	Rice ...	202	202	427	$15\frac{1}{4}$	$96\frac{6}{14}$	1 15 11
3	Furniture ...	200	200	339	$12\frac{3}{28}$	$411\frac{1}{14}$	6 8 4
2	Firewood ...	210	21	423	$15\frac{3}{28}$	$25\frac{23}{28}$	3 0 0
1	Castor seed, &c.	62	217	178	$6\frac{5}{14}$	$216\frac{1}{7}$	2 10 0
2	Luggage ...	33	33	67	$2\frac{1}{28}$	$30\frac{5}{7}$	0 8 0
1	Salt ..	100	500	202	$7\frac{1}{14}$	$245\frac{6}{7}$	3 0 0
25	Empty ...	...	...	1,101	$39\frac{9}{28}$	$765\frac{13}{14}$	10 15 6
2	Bamboos, 16,800 in No.	...	210	...	...	...	42 0 0
2	Timbers, 6 in No.	...	12	...	...	...	0 12 11
4	Passenger ..	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 6
51	Total for corresponding month, last year ...	807	1,395	2,737	$97\frac{21}{28}$	$2,025\frac{27}{28}$	73 7 2
22		575	1,640	1,131	40	914	20 14 6

STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

Number of boats or rafts.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate weight of cargo.	Approximate value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.
6	Firewood ...	2,340	234	4,452	159	1,9[illegible]8	22 0 0
2	Cill stone ...	841	...	1,241	$44\frac{9}{28}$	$1,506\frac{13}{14}$	18 6 0
1	Mortar mill ...	...	...	175	$6\frac{1}{4}$	$212\frac{1}{2}$	2 10 0
1	Unserviceable stores ..	...	...	10	$\frac{5}{14}$	$3\frac{1}{4}$	0 0 10
4	Steamer ...	...	...	4,000	$142\frac{8}{7}$	$4,071\frac{6}{7}$	51 5 9
10	Empty ...	...	...	3,184	$113\frac{5}{7}$	$1,678\frac{5}{7}$	19 2 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24		3,181	234	13,062	$466\frac{1}{2}$	$9,381\frac{6}{7}$	113 8 7
14		2,204	270	5,557	$198\frac{13}{28}$	2,852	122 4 3

ABSTRACT.

Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of Traffic.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.			Rs. A. P.
51	Private merchandize ...	807	1,395 0 0	$97\frac{21}{28}$	$2,025\frac{27}{28}$	73 7 2
24	Govt. stores ...	3,181	234 0 0	$466\frac{1}{2}$	$9,381\frac{6}{7}$	113 8 7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
75		3,988	1,629 0 0	$564\frac{1}{4}$	$11,407\frac{1}{4}$	186 15 9
36		2,779	1,010 0 0	238	3,766	142 2 9

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statement showing the amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Taldundah Canal for the month of October 1873.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—27¼ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.								STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.								ABSTRACT.							
Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Number of boats or rafts.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Maunds.	Total, exclusive of tonnage of empty boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Nature of traffic.	Weight of cargo.	Value of traffic.	Tonnage.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.				Rs.				Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1	Fuel ...	...	25 0 0	315	11¼	11¼	0 12 7	22	Rubble stone	...	260	13,394	478¼	7,173¾	33 7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	.....	...	40 0 0	917½	32¾	458¼	2 4 8	1	Plantain shoots	...	4	34	1¼	10	0 1 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	6,500 Bamboos ...	...	106 8 0	...	...	...	10 6 8	1	Mortar mills ...	...	40	128¼	4¼	4¼	0 5 1	9	Local traffic	...	171 8 0	62¼	506¼	15 0 5	
6	Empty ...	...	...	512½	18¼	36½	1 4 6	...	1,200 bamboos	...	20	...	...	...	1 0 0	38	Irrigation traffic ...	...	324 0 0	578¾	8,514¾	41 8 4	
	Demurrage of one boat for one day	...	...	...	...	...	0 4 0	14	Empty ...	...	...	2,654	94¾	1,326¼	6 10 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
9	Receipts of corresponding month, last year	...	171 8 0	1,745	62¼	506¼	15 0 5	38		...	324	16,210¼	578¾	8,514¾	41 8 4	47		...	495 8 0	641	9,021	56 8 9	
2		...	195 0 0	368	13	67	9 8 9	2		...	...	...	...	...	...	2		195	...	13	67	9 8 9	

The 1st December 1873.

A. J. HUGHES, C.E.,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal,
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1998.

GENERAL.—*The 2nd December* 1873.—Mr. Edward Grey, on furlough, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of Dinagepore from the date on which Mr. H. R. Madocks' resignation takes effect.

The 3rd December 1873.—Mr. Nathaniel Stuart Alexander, C.S., reported his arrival at Bombay on the 24th November on his return from furlough, and is allowed the usual subsidiary leave from the 25th idem, to enable him to join his appointment.

Baboo Mothooranath Ghose, Sub-Deputy Collector, Purneah, is allowed two months' leave on Medical Certificate from the 10th September 1873, under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

The 4th December 1873.—Mr. James Mackenzie is allowed subsidiary leave for three days from the 31st October 1873, the day following the date of his arrival at Bombay on his return from leave, to enable him to join his appointment as Collector of Stamps, Calcutta, and Superintendent of Abkary Revenue.

The 5th December 1873.—Mr. W. LeF. Robinson is appointed to be Relief Commissioner for the districts of the Rajshahye Division north of the Ganges except Pubna.

He is invested with the powers of a Commissioner in the districts of Dinagepore, Rungpore, Bograh, Maldah, and Rajshahye, to be ordinarily exercised in matters connected with relief local works and land acquisition and other business connected with the scarcity. He is also invested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, and with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act (X of 1870) in all those districts.

Mr. John Henry Ravenshaw, C.S., reported his departure from India on furlough on the 25th November.

Captain Arthur Noel Phillips, Assistant Commissioner of Luckimpore, is transferred to the Sudder Station of Seebsaugor.

Major Edmund Yeamans Walcott, Assistant Commissioner, Cachar, is transferred to Assam, and is posted to the Sudder Station of Luckimpore.

Baboo Bogola Prosunno Mozumdar, Sub-Registrar of Noakhally, is vested with the powers of a Sub-Deputy Collector.

Mr. James Fuller Blumhardt, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Sonthal Pergunnahs, on special duty, having passed an examination by the prescribed standard in the Sonthali language, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rs. 1,000.

The 8th December 1873.—Baboo Nolin Chunder Roy, Canoongoe of Rajshahye, is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Pubna, *vice* Baboo Tarini Sunker Roy, temporarily promoted to the First Grade.

Baboo Ishan Chunder Sen is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Maldah, subject to his passing the Native Civil Service Examination of February 1875.

Mr. George Eldon Manisty, C.S., is appointed an Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of Rajshahye.

The 9th December 1873.—Baboo Rajkissore Narain is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade at Sewan, in the district of Sarun, *vice* Moulvi Mahomed Tuki, on special duty, with effect from the date on which he may have joined.

Mr. Charles James O'Donnell, M.A., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Jessore, is appointed to have charge of the Jhenidah division in that district.

Baboo Shama Churn Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in temporary charge of the Jhenidah division, is transferred to the sudder station of Jessore.

Baboo Mohini Mohun Chuckerbutty, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is transferred to Beerbhoom.

LEGISLATIVE.—*The 4th December* 1873.—Mr. Henry Millett, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department.

POLICE.—*The 3rd December* 1873.—Mr. Arthur Blair is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Rungpore, until further orders.

Mr. Gloster Henry French is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Jessore, until further orders.

JAILS.—*The 6th December* 1873.—Mr. Wilfred Lucas Heeley, B.A., Inspector-General of Jails, Lower Provinces, is allowed privilege leave for one month from the 7th December, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. Thomas Frank Bignold, B.A., Acting Inspector-General of Registration, is appointed to act as Inspector-General of Jails in addition to his present duties during Mr. Heeley's absence, or until further orders.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 8th December* 1873.—The Reverend A. C. Pearson, M.A., Junior Chaplain, is appointed to act as Second Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral and of the Presidency Jail, with effect from the 17th November last.

REGISTRATION.—*The 3rd December* 1873.—Moulvi Mohamad Suaini is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Sundeep, in the district of Noakhally, *vice* Moulvi Ifazuddin Ahmed, resigned.

EDUCATION.—*The 3rd December* 1873.—Baboo Akhoy Coomar Chatterjee, Acting Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be a Member of the District School Committee of Bograh.

MEDICAL.—*The 2nd December* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the Committee for the Management of the Charitable Dispensary at Mahesh, in the district of Hooghly:—

Baboo Dinobundhoo Chatterjee, Assistant, Registrar's Office, High Court.
" Ram Chunder Gangooly, Contractor, Public Works Department.
" Prosunno Coomar Chowdhry, Assistant, Office of Inspector-General of Registration.
" Nilcomul Mookerjee, Zemindar, Calcutta.
" Shibo Das Banerjee, Assistant, Accountant-General's Office.
" Behary Lal Mookerjee, Assistant, Calcutta Post Office.
Mr. D. Cockrane, Manager, Serampore Mills.
" W. Geekee, Superintendent, Rishra Mills.
Baboo Netye Churn Audhicary, Assistant, Calcutta Small Cause Court.

The 3rd December 1873.—Surgeon William Henry Gregg, M.B., is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Dinagepore, with effect from the date of his relieving Surgeon Fakeer Chunder Ghose.

Surgeon-Major Francis Nottidge Macnamara, M.D., Professor of Chemistry, Medical College, and Chemical Examiner to Government, is allowed privilege leave from the 25th to the 27th October 1873, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave which was granted to him under orders of the 18th September last.

The services of Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Rajendronath Mullick, on leave at the Presidency, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Public Works Department.

The 4th December 1873.—The services of Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Koonjobehary Nundy, a supernumerary at the Presidency, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

The 5th December 1873.—Surgeon Gopal Chunder Roy, M.D., Inspecting Medical Officer, Jehanabad Circle, in the district of Burdwan, is allowed one month's privilege leave, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Chundernath Biswas is appointed to act as an Inspecting Medical Officer in the Jehanabad Circle during Surgeon Gopal Chunder Roy's absence, or until further orders.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Tariny Churn Pal, a supernumerary at the Presidency, is appointed to have medical charge of the Cutwa Division and of the Charitable Dispensary there during Sub-Assistant Surgeon Chundernath Biswas' absence on duty, or until further orders.

First Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Nobogopal Ghosal is appointed to have charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Durbhungah.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Brojendro Coomar Dutta is appointed to have charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Arrah.

The following gentlemen are appointed to form a Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Paguldighee in the district of Mymensing:—

The Sub-Divisional Officer of Atteah	Chairman.
" Moonsif of Pingnah	Vice-Chairman.
Baboo Hurrinath Neogy, Pleader, Moonsif's Court, Pingnah..	Members.
" Ishan Chundra Chakravarti, Pleader, Moonsif's Court, Pingnah.	
" Juggut Chundra Bosu, Peshkar, Paguldighee Catchary	
The Sub-Inspector of Police, Pingnah	

The Native Doctor in charge of the Dispensary to be Secretary to the Committee.

The 8th December 1873.—Surgeon Stephen Coull Mackenzie, M.D., Superintendent of the Presidency Jail, and Acting Junior Surgeon of the Presidency General Hospital, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

Surgeon-Major Benjamin Simpson, Civil Surgeon of Patna, is allowed two months' privilege leave under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code. Surgeon James John Durant, Principal Assistant to the Opium Agent of Behar, will perform the Civil Medical duties of the Station of Patna in addition to his own duties during Surgeon-Major Simpson's absence.

MARINE.—*The 4th December* 1873.—The services of Mr. Henry Williamson Welbore Ellis, Acting Second Deputy Shipping Master of Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of Mr. G. Toynbee, on special duty connected with the Famine and Relief.

Mr. J. C. Hunton is appointed to act as Second Deputy Shipping Master of Calcutta until further orders.

FOREST.—*The 6th December* 1873.—Mr. Henry Haddon Davis, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Chittagong Division, is allowed ten days' privilege leave, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him under orders of the 21st October last.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 4th December* 1873.—Mr. Herman Michael Kisch, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be a Municipal Commissioner for the towns of Hooghly and Chinsurah.

The 5th December 1873.—Baboo Nobo Chunder Roy is appointed to be a Municipal Commissioner for the town of Chittagong.

ERRATA.—*The 9th December* 1873.—In the Notification dated 2nd December, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd idem, regarding the appointment of Mr. Loftus Richard Tottenham, omit the words "in the First Grade."

In the Notification dated 2nd December, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd idem,

For

"Mr. Edward Dowdeswell Lockwood to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Second Grade,"

Read

"Mr. Edward Dowdeswell Lockwood to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade."

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

RELAXATION OF LAND IMPROVEMENT ADVANCE RULES.

IN continuation of notification of the 20th November 1873, it is notified that the relaxation of the above rules therein published will have effect in the districts of the Chota Nagpore Division as well as in the districts mentioned in that notification.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

The 6th December 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following rules for the collection of the Cesses under Act X (B.C.) of 1871 :—

THE Road Cesses leviable under the District Road Cess Act consist of—

I. Road Cess on lands, Part II of the District Road Cess Act.
II. Road Cess on mines, railways, &c., Part III.
III. Road Cess on houses, Part IV.

The following instructions are to be observed for the collection of these cesses—

1. Road Cess on land.

2. The notices required by section 22 of the Road Cess Act must be served annually on the holders of every estate after the rate of the Road Cess to be levied for the ensuing year has been fixed by the Road Cess Committee, and care should be taken that the service is completed before the 1st date fixed by clauses 1 and 3, section I, chapter XIX, pages 264-5 of the Board's Rules, for the payment of the first instalments of revenue-paying estates, and by the Government Notification published at page 320 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd October 1872, for the payment of the first instalments of revenue-free estates, as the case may be.

3. On the completion of the valuation of estates the Collector will receive from the Road Cess Department a register of advices, No. XIII, showing the amount of cess due from every estate, revenue-paying or revenue-free, with details of the dates and amounts of instalments.

4. It will be observed that in revenue-paying estates the instalments are due on the dates fixed in the Board's Rules as the last days for the receipt of Government revenue. The cess is therefore due along with the Government kists, and endeavour should be made to facilitate its payment therewith, and Collectors should use all their influence and exertions to get the cess money collected along with the kists.

5. Instructions should therefore be issued to the Towjee establishment to record the revenue due on account of the Road Cess on lands in books, in exactly the same form, and with the same details, as the books now used in that department for the collection and account of land revenue.

6. Much time and trouble would be saved were this done by attaching to each page relating to the land revenue of each estate an additional page containing the details of the Road Cess due on such estate, so that the Towjee-novees, when receiving the land revenue, should credit also the payment due for Road Cess. The page should be prepared and signed by the head-clerk of the Road Cess Department.

7. All the large zemindars have generally revenue agents retained permanently in attendance at the Collector's court. Although the notices referred to in paragraph 2 must be issued, yet as mere notices are often not much attended to by the zemindars, the Collector should call up the revenue agents and inform them that they will be expected to pay their Road Cess together with the land revenue on the instalments above noted. For information as to the exact amount, they should be referred to the Road Cess Department, the head-clerk or accountant of which should be instructed to give the necessary information.

8. In conversation with the leading zemindars, when visiting the Collectorate, the Collector should take care to mention to them that their Road Cess is expected to be paid with the land revenue.

9. With regard to the numerous petty zemindars, the Collector should direct the sub-divisional officers and their subordinates to make it as widely known as possible that their Road Cess must be paid on the last days of payment. A matter of this sort soon gets talked about in rural places, and would soon be widely known.

10. If on the delivery of the chelan for land revenue a corresponding chelan is not given in for the amount due on account of Road Cess, it should be explained to the person presenting the chelan that much trouble, annoyance, and expense will be saved him by his submitting a separate chelan for the

amount to be credited to Road Cess, and he should be allowed to take back his chelan in order to make any necessary alterations in it. It is anticipated that if the explanations be civilly given, the advice will in the great majority of cases be adopted. In case of the payer refusing to chelan any money on account of Road Cess, all that he pays in must of course be credited to land revenue according to his chelan.

11. On the last day of payment and for three or four days previously, the head-clerk of the Road Cess Department should sit in the Towjeekhanah with his Registers, VI and XIII, by his side, and as each person comes up with his land revenue chelan, the Road Cess clerk should call out the amount due for the cess, and, if it is paid in, should enter the fact in Register XIII. If any person has not brought his Road Cess money, he should be told to do so before sunset on the last day.

12. With regard to the chelans of the Road Cess, the same course will be followed throughout as that in force for land revenue chelans.

13. If on expiry of the fixed date for the payment of any instalment any portion thereof remain unpaid, the Collector will prepare in the Road Cess Department a list of such balances for realization, as prescribed by section 23 of the District Road Cess Act.

14. The Collector should divide the defaulting zemindars into groups, according to the geographical position of their estates, so as to have contiguous estates in each group. The Collector should then make an order in writing under section 23, which shall be issued as a decree of court under section 10. To each order should be appended a list containing all the zemindars in one group. The order and list should then be entrusted to a peon of the Nazir's establishment, with orders to attach property of every person entered in the list, provided he does not pay on presentation of the order. Care should be taken that the total sum entered in the list is not so large as to tempt the peon to dishonesty. In the vast majority of instances the appearance of the peon, often familiar to the zemindars' people, will make them understand what is required of them sooner than any number of notices, and they will pay up as a matter of course. If in any case any person does not pay, there is nothing for it but to attach some small article, and this process will probably ensure payment. It will rarely, it is hoped, be found necessary to have recourse to the more elaborate measures prescribed in the latter part of section 10 of the District Road Cess Act.

15. The same course will be followed as regards the Road Cess from revenue-free estates, except that chelans in regard to them will be made only on account of Road Cess which will be due on the date fixed in Government Notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd October 1872, page 320.

In the case of revenue-free estates which pay less than Rs. 5 annual cess, the payers should be allowed to pay their cess into the sub-divisional treasury on or before the date fixed for the purpose. If such payment is not made on or before such date, the course laid down in paragraph 14 above should be followed.

16. The expense of meeting any additional establishment in the Towjee Department to carry out these instructions must, of course, be borne by the District Road Fund, and the Commissioners are authorized to employ such number of men and at such salaries as they may, after consultation with the Collectors, consider required for the duty, and to charge the amount against the District Road Fund, under the first part of section 90. The pay of such establishment, and the contingencies connected with it, are to be drawn by the Collector, upon a bill presented to the Vice-Chairman, Road Cess Committee.

17. With regard to ryots, it is feared that zemindars may at first adopt the old principle that if the zemindar has to pay anything, the ryot must find the cash. Sub-divisional officers should therefore be directed to take every opportunity of explaining to ryots, when they come in contact with them, that they are required to pay as Road Cess when paying their rent only on half the rate per rupee of rent fixed by the Road Cess Committee, and that

they can obtain from the Collector's Road Cess Office, at a very small charge for the mere cost of copying, paper, &c., an extract from their landlord's return (when such has been given in) of the rent noted opposite their names by the zemindar.

Part III.—Road Cess on mines, &c.

18. The cess will be levied but in few districts and in few instances, but when necessary books must be kept generally following the form referred to in paragraph 5, and the chelans given in to the Towjee Department and the same rules followed as for the payment of the Land Road Cess.

Part IV —Road Cess on houses.

19. In paragraph 17 of the rules for the levy of the Road House Cess, it was ruled that in villages where there are punchayets the collections must be made by them, but that in other cases the assessors, in the capacity of cess collectors, should receive the collections both from the payers and from the punchayets.

20. The great mass of collections will have to be made from villages where there are no punchayets, but before resorting to such an extensive machinery as salaried cess collectors, the plan adopted by the Collector of the only district in which the cess has for the past year been collected should be allowed a fair trial.

21. The plan is to send round a collecting peon with a list of 50 persons or so to go from village to village and bring in the money. As this plan is adopted for sums below one rupee, the amount which one peon is entrusted with is not enough to tempt him to embezzle. This plan seems preferable to the harsher method of distraint, not only because people merely neglect to pay from the smallness of the sum and do not deserve to be punished by distraint, but also because the sum in each case is so small that the cost of distraining would exceed the sum distrained for.

22. The collection of the cess in all the villages within which it has been imposed should be placed under the management of the sub-divisional officers within whose jurisdiction they are situate, and worked immediately under the canoongoes of their subordinate establishments lately organized.

23. The canoongo will perform the duties of the House Road Cess Collector as laid down in paragraphs 17, 20, 21, and 22 of the above Rules, a separate Road Cess Collector only being provided when found to be actually required, and he should in every case be placed immediately under the sub-divisional canoongo, the latter being answerable for the entire management of the collections under the sub-divisional officer.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

PURCHASE OF RICE BY GOVERNMENT.

IT has been decided by the Government that 950,000 maunds of Government grain shall be provided in this country before the 31st January next for distribution to relief works in the distressed districts of Bengal. Of this amount it is the wish of Government that 400,000 maunds in all should be obtained from Calcutta and the eastern districts. About 160,000 maunds of rice have already been bought by Government; the Commissioner of Dacca is trying to arrange for 100,000 maunds in the eastern districts; and there remain about 150,000 maunds still to be provided; up to this amount the Lieutenant-Governor invites tenders for the supply of ballam, moonghee, kajla, common ballam, or other kinds of Bengal clean rice of fair quality, sound and fit to keep. Each tender to be in the form below, and to be delivered to Mr. G. Toynbee, No. 39, Strand, with samples, not later than 3 P.M. on Wednesday, the 17th December. Notice of accepted tenders will be given in writing by Mr. Toynbee at the above address at noon on Saturday, the 20th December.

Other things being equal, those tenders will be preferred which agree to deliver the grain at the earliest date.

FORM OF TENDER FOR SUPPLY OF RICE TO GOVERNMENT.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF FIRM OR PERSON TENDERING.	QUANTITY OF EACH KIND TENDERED FOR.		Quality or kind of Rice.	Price per bazaar maund.	Price of the whole amount tendered for, inclusive of bags.
	Bags.	Maunds.			

I make this tender subject to all the conditions published in the Government Notice of the 10th December 1873.

CALCUTTA,
The *December* 1873. (Signature.)

CONDITIONS OF TENDER.

1. No tender will be accepted for less than 10,000 maunds; tenders above that amount must be in even thousands.

2. The rice must be delivered in well sewn bags of good quality before noon on Tuesday, the 7th January 1874, at the Howrah or Chitpore Station as Mr. Toynbee may direct; each bag must contain two bazaar maunds net.

3. The price per maund is to include cost of bags and delivery at the railway stations of Howrah, Chitpore and Sealdah.

4. Payment will be made by the Accountant-General on bills countersigned by Mr. Toynbee, on the completion of delivery of the whole amount of each accepted tender. For any portion of such amount not delivered by the latest date, specified in Condition 2, the Government shall be entitled to deduct 25 per cent. of the cost of such undelivered portion from the price of the portion already delivered, and to decide whether it shall take delivery of the overdue portion or not.

5. In case of any dispute as to the quality of any rice tendered for delivery, the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, shall decide whether or not the rice is according to sample; and his decision shall be binding both on Government and on the person tendering.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

C. BERNARD,
The 10th December 1873. *Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd November 1873.—Referring to the Notification dated 23rd June 1871,* the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to direct that the distribution of departments between the two Members of the Board of Revenue shall for the present be so far modified that the "partition of estates" and the "acquisition of land for public purposes" shall be transferred to Mr. Money, the Junior Member.

* Published in the *Gazette* of 28th June 1871.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—Under the authority of paragraph 16 of the Resolution of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, dated 7th November, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that Rule V of the Rules made by the Governor-General in Council on the 25th of April 1872, under Section 4 of the Local Public Works Loan Act XXIV of

1871, shall be temporarily relaxed as regards loans for works to be executed within the following districts:—

All districts of the Patna and Bhaugulpore Divisions.	Rajshahye,	Bancoorah,
Dinagepore,	Maldah,	Beerbhoom, and the Jungle Mehals of Midnapore,
Rungpore,	Moorshedabad,	
Bograh,	Burdwan,	
	Hooghly,	

by the addition to it of the following clause:—

Provided that, whenever such a course appears desirable, the Local Government may at the same time that it orders the publication of the copy of the application as required above, conditionally authorize the loan and the commencement of the work, and advance so much of the loan as may be immediately necessary for such work.

But if for any reason the loan is finally disallowed after the publication of the notice, such loan shall not be paid, and any unexpended portion in the hands of the committee shall be refunded. Any portion actually expended shall be treated as a loan repayable under these rules.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

RELAXATION OF LAND IMPROVEMENT ADVANCE RULES.

The 20th November 1873.—With a view to encouraging proprietors and occupants of land in the districts likely to be affected by the failure of the crops to apply for advances under Act XXVI of 1871, The Land Improvement Act, and to give employment to laborers on works undertaken out of such advances, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the authority conveyed in paragraph 17 of the Resolution by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, dated 7th November 1873, to make the following temporary relaxations in the rules which have been published under section 18 of the said Act, with the sanction of the Government of India, as published in the *Gazette* of the 9th July 1873.

These relaxations will have effect in the following districts only, viz:—

All the Districts of the Patna and Bhaugulpore Divisions.	Bograh,	Hooghly,
Dinagepore,	Rajshahye,	Bancoorah,
Rungpore,	Maldah,	Beerbhoom, and the Jungle Mehals of Midnapore.
	Moorshedabad,	
	Burdwan,	

Rule 2.—Applications may be made on unstamped paper, and they may be presented to any Revenue Officer, but can be dealt with only by the Collector of the District, or by any Officer not being below the rank of a Covenanted Deputy Collector, or an Uncovenanted Deputy Collector of the 4th grade, who may be authorized by the Collector, subject to the approval of the Commissioner, to deal with such applications.

The rules laid down for the guidance of Collectors shall apply to all Officers who are authorized to deal with applications, except where the contrary intention is apparent.

Rule 3.—Applications need not necessarily be presented in open court.

Rule 4, *Clause* 5.—The numbers of fields and plots may be dispensed with in the application where there is no putwarry, but where a survey exists they should be ascertained as soon as possible.

Rule 5.—The rough plan and estimate may be dispensed with, when the amount applied for is below Rs. 2,000, but a sufficient description of the proposed work must be insisted on.

Rule 9.—The following rule is substituted:—

Any officer who is authorized under Rule 2, as modified above, to deal with applications, may direct an officer of lower rank than himself, provided that such officer be of rank not below that of a Canoongo, to hold any enquiry which is required by these Rules, and to report the result to him. All enquiries under these rules should be held with as much publicity as possible, and in the presence of as many of the respectable inhabitants of the village as can be assembled. The record of the proceedings of the enquiry shall be made in writing by the officer holding the inquiry, and shall be signed by the village headmen, the gomastah, the accountant, the chowkeedars or other local officials or respectable inhabitants in acknowledgment of its having been explained to them.

Rule 10.—No fees shall be charged for the service of any process under these rules.

Rule 12.—Under Rule 9, as modified above, it is unnecessary to give formal notice for a prescribed period previous to holding the enquiry.

Rule 13.—No charge shall be made for summoning witnesses.

Rule 15.—The officer who has made the enquiry, if not authorized to deal with the application, must forward it to the officer who ordered the enquiry to be made.

Rule 19.—The limits within which officers of different grades may grant certificates for advances, provided that sufficient sums shall have been placed at their disposal, are fixed as follows :—

	Rs.
Sub-divisional officers and officers authorized by the Collector under Rule 2 as modified above	250
Collectors of the districts	1,000
Commissioners	5,000

Certificates for advances above 5,000 require the sanction of Government.

Rule 20.—If the landlord fail to appear in person or by Agent when summoned to sign the certificate, as required by the first clause of this rule, and does not make any objection in writing within a month of the issue of the notice, he will, under section 12 of Act XXVI of 1871, be deemed "to have assented thereto and to have agreed that the land for the improvement of which the allowance is to be made, shall be pledged as security for the recovery of the advance."

Rule 32 is modified by Rule 2 above.

Rule 33.—The report in this form shall be made to the superior officer before the certificate is granted, if the sum applied for be in excess of that which the officer who has dealt with the application is authorized under Rule 19 above to grant. In other cases, it may be submitted after the issue of the certificate.

Reports should also be made under this rule by Collectors of Districts to Commissioners in all cases in which certificates have been granted by themselves or their subordinates.

Rule 34 is modified by Rule 19 above.

Rule 35.—No interest will be charged till after the expiration of one year on advances below Rs. 500. After that time interest will be charged as in the original Rule 35.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—In supersession of the Notification of the 25th October 1873, published at page 1249 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th November 1873, the following revised Notification is published :—

COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

THE Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta hereby give notice, with the approval of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, that the following scale of charges will be levied on certain classes of goods landed or shipped at the Jetties on and after this date, in supersession of the scale of landing charges published in the Gazette of the 9th and 16th October 1872, item No. 21, and in supersession of the scale of shipping charges published in the Gazette of 13th September 1871, items Nos. 51, 52, and 111 :—

SCHEDULE OF LANDING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

Revised scale of charges and rent to be paid by Owners, Importers or Consignees, in respect of the undermentioned goods landed at the Jetties, and for their removal when not cleared within forty-eight hours.

ITEMS.	Landing charges at the jetties.	For removal of goods not claimed within 48 hours to the Custom House or import warehouse.	Rent per month to be charged at the import warehouse, at wharf, and at jetty sheds, on all goods not claimed within 48 hours.
21. Bottles, empty; per dozen	0 0 6	0 0 3	0 3 0

SCHEDULE OF SHIPPING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

Revised scale of charges and rent to be paid by Owners, Importers or Consignees, in respect of the undermentioned goods shipped at the Jetties, and for their removal when not shipped within forty-eight hours.

	ITEMS.	Shipping charges.	Removal charges.	Wharf rent.
51.	Machinery in pieces or cases over 2 tons	See charges by weight.		
52.	" " under 2 tons			
	Charges by Weight.			
111.	On all goods not enumerated, chargeable by weight, and not exceeding 2 tons, per cwt.	0 1 6	0 0 9	0 8 0
112.	On all goods exceeding 2 tons, and not exceeding 4 tons, per cwt.	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 8 0
113.	Exceeding 4 and not exceeding 8 tons, per cwt.	0 4 0	0 2 0	0 8 0
	On all weights over 8 tons, per cwt.	0 7 0	0 4 0	0 8 0

By order of the Commissioners,

W. D. BRUCE,
Vice-Chairman.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 22nd November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for protection of river-banks in the village of Bunarpore, Pergunnah Chowsa, Zillah Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring 2 acres 2 roods 34 poles, bounded on the north, east, and south by the village of Bunarpore, and on the west by the River Kurmunassa, is required within the aforesaid village of Bunarpore.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

Names of passed Candidates for Enrolment as Revenue Agents, examined in August 1873.

Balasore	1. Shib Charan Dass. 2. Antarjami Mohapatra.
Bogra	Karuna Kantha Bhattacharjya.
Bancoorah	Pratap Chundra Mukherjea.
Rajshahye	Huri Gopal Moitra.
Moorshedabad	Pran Madhub Banerjee.
Backergunge	Chundrakumar Sein.
Shahabad	1. Ram Raj. 2. Rampergarh Lall. 3. Kishoon Chand.
Maunbhoom	Gudadhur Biswas.
Pubna	Gagun Chundra Sarkar.
Monghyr	1. Ekant Prosad. 2. Rowshun Lall.
Gya	1. Ajudea Persad. 2. Isree Persad Sing.

Sylhet	1. Goluck Chundra Kur. 2. Saratchundra Gupta.
Patna	1. Dhanookdharee Lol. 2. Mahomed Jumal. 3. Oudit Pershad. 4. Goorsahoy. 5. Lala Gobind Sahoy. 6. Lala Doorga Sahoy.
Tirhoot	1. Ishri Pershad. 2. Sham Loll. 3. Matukdhari Lall. 4. Buldeo Narayan. 5. Nazir Hussain. 6. Jamal Bux.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 24th November 1873.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 21st November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Northern Bengal (State) Railway, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land 120 feet wide, more or less, stretching from a point two miles south-west of Nattore, and passing to the east of Sultanpore, near Halhutia, Lall Bazar, Hillee, Parbuttipore, Durwannee, and Bhojdabree to Julpigoree, is required in the districts of Rajshahye, Bograh, Dinagepore, Rungpore, and Julpigoree.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by the Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the line of road from Giridih to Pachumbah, Pergunnah Kurukdiha, Zillah Hazareebaugh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land running from Giridih to Pachumbah, about 19,920 feet in length, and about 50 in breadth, more or less, occupied by the old track, is required.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for a post office at Rajgoan, in the village of Amtooa, Pergunnah Rajshahye, Zillah Moorshedabad, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring 5 (five) cottahs, bounded on the north by the house of Gooroochurn Mundul, on the south by the shop of Ramessur Dutt, on the east by the kutcha road west of the Rajgoan railway station, and on the west by the waste land of the Zemindars.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following Notifications, issued by the Government of India, in the Legislative Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 5th December 1873.

No. 14.—The following Statutes are published for general information :—

36 & 37 VICTORIA, CAP. 85.

An Act to amend the Merchant Shipping Acts. [*5th August* 1873.]

BE it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Preliminary.

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Merchant Shipping Act, 1873.

Construction of Act.

2. This Act shall be construed as one with the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, and the Acts amending the same, and the said Acts and this Act may be cited collectively as the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1873.

Registry (Part II of Merchant Shipping Act, 1854.)

Particulars to be marked on British ships.

3. Every British ship registered after the passing of this Act shall before registry, and every British ship registered before the passing of this Act shall, on or before the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, be permanently and conspicuously marked to the satisfaction of the Board of Trade, as follows :—

Her name shall be marked on each of her bows, and her name and the name of her port of registry shall be marked on her stern, on a dark ground in white or yellow letters, or on a light ground in black letters, such letters to be of a length not less than four inches, and of proportionate breadth :

Her official number and the number denoting her registered tonnage shall be cut in on her main beam :

A scale of feet denoting her draught of water shall be marked on each side of her stem and of her stern post in Roman capital letters or in figures, not less than six inches in length, the lower line of such letters or figures to coincide with the draught line denoted thereby. Such letters or figures shall be marked by being cut in and painted white or yellow on a dark ground, or in such other way as the Board of Trade may from time to time approve.

The Board of Trade may, however, exempt any class of ships from the requirements of this section or any of them.

If the scale of feet showing the ship's draught of water is in any respect inaccurate, so as to be likely to mislead, the owner of the ship shall incur a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds.

The marks required by this section shall be permanently continued, and no alteration shall be made therein, except in the event of any of the particulars thereby denoted being altered in the manner provided by the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1873.

Any owner or master of a British ship who neglects to cause his ship to be marked as aforesaid, or to keep her so marked, and any person who conceals, removes, alters, defaces, or obliterates, or suffers any person under his control to conceal, remove, alter, deface, or obliterate any of the said marks, except in the event aforesaid, or except for the purpose of escaping capture by an enemy, shall for each offence incur a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and any officer of customs on receipt of a certificate from a surveyor or inspector of the Board of Trade that a ship is insufficiently or inaccurately marked may detain the same until the insufficiency or inaccuracy has been remedied.

Provided that no fishing vessel duly registered, lettered and numbered in pursuance of the Sea Fisheries Act, 1868, shall be required to have her name and port of registry marked under this section.

Provided also, that if any registered British ship is not within a port of the United Kingdom at any time before the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, she shall be marked as by this section required within one month after her next return to a British port of registry subsequent to that date.

Particulars to be entered in record of draught of water.

4. The record of the draught of water of any sea-going ship required under section five of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, shall, in addition to the particulars thereby required, specify the extent of her clear side in feet and inches.

The term "clear side" means the height from the water to the upper side of the plank of the deck from which the depth of hold as stated in the register is measured, and the measurement of the clear side is to be taken at the lowest part of the side.

Every master of a sea-going ship shall, upon the request of any person appointed to record the ship's draught of water, permit such person to enter the ship and to make such inspections and take such measurements as may be requisite for the purpose of such record; and any master who fails so to do, or impedes or suffers any one under his control to impede any

person so appointed in the execution of his duty, shall for each offence incur a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

Rules as to names of foreign ships placed on British register.

5. Where a foreign ship, not having at any previous time been registered as a British ship, becomes a British ship, no person shall apply to register, and no registrar shall knowingly register such ship, except by the name which she bore as a foreign ship immediately before becoming a British ship, unless with the permission of the Board of Trade granted in manner directed by section six of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871.

Any person who acts or suffers any person under his control to act in contravention of this section shall for each offence incur a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds.

Restrictions on re-registration of abandoned ships.

6. Where a ship has ceased to be registered as a British ship by reason of having been wrecked or abandoned, or for any reason other than capture by the enemy or transfer to a person not qualified to own a British ship, such ship shall not be re-registered until she has, at the expense of the applicant for registration, been surveyed by one of the surveyors appointed by the Board of Trade and certified by him to be sea-worthy.

Masters and Seamen (Part III of Merchant Shipping Act, 1854.)

Agreements with seamen.

7. Any agreement with a seaman made under section one hundred and forty-nine of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, may, instead of stating the nature and duration of the intended voyage or engagement as by that section required, state the maximum period of the voyage or engagement and the places or parts of the world (if any) to which the voyage or engagement is not to extend.

Agreements with fishermen.

8. The owner or master of any British vessel engaged in fishing off the coast of the United Kingdom may enter into an agreement with any person employed on such vessel that such person shall be remunerated wholly by a share in the profit of the fishing adventure.

Every such agreement shall be in writing or in print, or partly in writing and partly in print, and shall be signed by the contracting parties in the presence of a superintendent or deputy superintendent of a mercantile marine office.

The superintendent or deputy superintendent shall, before such agreement is signed, read and (if necessary) explain the same to the contracting parties, and shall attest the signature of the agreement, and certify that it has been read to and agreed to by the contracting parties.

Any such agreement, if made in the manner by this section required, shall be valid and binding on all the contracting parties, notwithstanding anything contained in section one hundred and eighty-two of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854.

Compensation to seamen for unnecessary detention on charge of desertion.

9. If a seaman or apprentice belonging to any ship is detained on a charge of desertion or any kindred offence, and if upon a survey of the ship being made under section seven of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, it is proved that she is not in a fit condition to proceed to sea, or that her accommodation is insufficient, the owner or master of the ship shall be liable to pay to such seaman or apprentice such compensation for his detention as the court having cognizance of the proceedings may award.

Power for Board of Trade to establish mercantile marine offices and to hold examinations at certain ports.

10. In any case where the business of a mercantile marine office is conducted otherwise than under a local marine board, the Board of Trade may, if they think fit, instead of conducting such business at a custom house or otherwise, establish a mercantile marine office, and for that purpose procure the requisite buildings and property, and from time to time appoint and remove all the requisite superintendents, deputies, clerks, and servants. They may also, in the like case, make all such provisions and exercise all such powers with respect to the holding of examinations for the purpose of granting certificates of competency as masters, mates or engineers, to persons desirous of obtaining the same, as might have been made or exercised by a local marine board.

Power for Her Majesty, by order in Council, to apply certain provisions of Merchant Shipping Acts to foreign ships.

11. Whenever it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that the Government of any foreign State is desirous that any of the provisions of the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1873, relating to the engagement and discharge of seamen, shall apply to the ships of such State, Her Majesty may, by order in Council declare, that such of the said provisions as are in such order specified shall, subject to the limitations, if any, contained in the order, apply, and thereupon so long as the order remains in force such provisions shall apply, subject to the said limitations, to the ships of such State, and to the owners, masters, officers, and crews of such ships, when not within the jurisdiction of such State, in the same manner in all respects as if such ships were British ships.

It shall be lawful for Her Majesty, from time to time by order in Council, to add to, alter, or repeal any order made under this section.

Safety and prevention of Accidents (Part IV of Merchant Shipping Act, 1854).

Survey of ships suspected of being unseaworthy.

12. Where the Board of Trade have received a complaint, or have reason to believe that any British ship is by reason of the defective condition of her hull, equipments, or machinery, or by reason of overloading or improper loading, unfit to proceed to sea without serious danger to human life, they may if they think fit, appoint some competent person or persons to survey such ship, and the equipments, machinery, and cargo thereof, and to report thereon to the Board.

Any person so appointed may, for the purposes of such survey, require the unloading or removal of any cargo, ballast, or tackle, and shall have all the powers of an inspector appointed under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854.

Any person who (having notice of the intention to hold such survey) wilfully does or causes to be done any act by which the person appointed to make such survey is prevented from or obstructed in ascertaining the condition of the ship, her equipments, machinery, and cargo shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.

The Board of Trade may, if they think fit, order that any ship be detained for the purpose of being surveyed under this section, and thereupon any officer of Customs may detain such ship until her release be ordered either by the Board of Trade or by any court to which an appeal is given under this Act.

Upon the receipt of the report of the person making any such survey, the Board may, if in their opinion the ship cannot proceed to sea without serious danger to human life, make such further order as they may think requisite as to the detention of the ship or as to her release, either absolutely or upon the performance of such conditions with respect to the execution of repairs or alterations or the unloading or reloading of cargo, as the Board may impose. They may also from time to time vary or add to such order.

A copy of any such order and of the report upon which it was founded, and also of any variation of, or addition to such order, shall be delivered as soon as possible to the owner or master of the ship to which it relates.

When a ship has been detained under this section, she shall not be released by reason of her British register having been closed.

Costs of survey.

13. If upon the survey of a ship under this Act she is reported to have been at the time of the survey, having regard to the nature of the service for which she was then intended, unfit to proceed to sea without serious danger to human life, the expenses incurred by the Board of Trade in respect of the survey shall be paid by the owner of the ship to the Board of Trade, and shall, without prejudice to any other remedy, be recoverable by them in the same manner as salvage is recoverable..

If upon such survey the ship is not reported to have been unfit to proceed to sea, having regard to the nature of the service for which she was intended, the Board of Trade shall be liable to pay compensation to any person for any loss or damage which he may have sustained by reason of the detention of the ship for the purpose of survey or otherwise, in respect of such survey.

Where a complaint has been made to the Board of Trade that a ship is not fit to proceed to sea, they may, if they think fit, before ordering a survey of the ship, require the complainant to give or provide such security as they may think sufficient for the payment of the costs and expenses which they may incur in respect of the survey of the ship and of the compensation which they may be rendered liable to pay for loss or damage caused by her detention for the purpose of such survey, or otherwise in respect of such survey.

Where a ship has been surveyed under this Act in consequence of a complaint made to the Board of Trade, if upon such survey being made it appear that such complaint was made without reasonable cause, the expenses incurred by the Board in respect of the survey of the ship and the amount, if any, which the Board may have been rendered liable to pay in respect of any loss or damage caused by her detention, shall be recoverable by the Board from such complainant.

All moneys payable by the Board of Trade in respect or by reason of the survey or detention of a ship under this Act shall, subject to the right by this section provided of recovering such moneys from the complainant, be paid out of moneys to be provided by Parliament.

Appeal from decision of Board of Trade.

14. If the owner of any ship surveyed under this Act is dissatisfied with any order of the Board of Trade made upon such survey, he may apply to any of the following courts having jurisdiction in the place where such ship was surveyed; that is to say:—

In England, to any court having Admiralty jurisdiction:

In Ireland, to any court having jurisdiction under the Court of Admiralty (Ireland) Act, 1897:

In Scotland, to the court of the Sheriff of the county.

The court may, upon such application, if they think fit, appoint one or more competent persons to survey the ship anew; and any surveyor so appointed shall have all the powers of the person by whom the original survey was made. Such survey anew shall, if so required by the Board of Trade or the ship-owner, be made in the presence of any person or persons appointed by them respectively to attend at the survey.

The court to which such application is made may make such order as to the detention or release of the ship, as to the payment of any costs and damages which may have been occasioned by her detention, as to the payment of the expenses of the original survey, and of the survey anew, and otherwise as to the payment of any costs of and incident to, the application as to the court may seem just.

Where an application is made under this section to a county court, or in Ireland to a local court, the matter of the application shall be deemed to be an Admiralty cause within the meaning of the County Courts Admiralty Jurisdiction Act, 1868, and the Court of Admiralty (Ireland) Act, 1867.

Power for Board of Trade to vary requirements as to boats.

15. In the case of any ship surveyed under the fourth part of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, the Board of Trade may, at the request of the owner, authorize the reduction of the number and the variation of the dimensions of the boats required for the ship by section two hundred and ninety-two of that Act and also the substitution of rafts or other appliances for saving life for any such boats, so nevertheless that the boats so reduced or varied and the rafts or other appliances so substituted be sufficient for the persons carried on board the ship.

Section two hundred and ninety-three of the said Act shall extend to any such rafts or appliances in the same manner as if they were boats.

Duties of Masters in case of collision.

16. In every case of collision between two vessels it shall be the duty of the master or person in charge of each vessel, if and so far as he can do so without danger to his own vessel, crew, and passengers (if any), to stay by the other vessel until he has ascertained that she has no need of further assistance, and to render to the other vessel, her master, crew, and passengers (if any), such assistance as may be practicable and as may be necessary in order to save them from any danger caused by the collision; and also to give the master or person in charge of the other vessel the name of his own vessel, and of her port of registry, or of the port or place to which she belongs, and also the names of the ports and places from which and to which she is bound.

If he fails so to do, and no reasonable cause for such failure is shown the collision shall, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be deemed to have been caused by his wrongful act, neglect, or default.

Every master or person in charge of a British vessel who fails, without reasonable cause to render such assistance, or give such information as aforesaid, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and if he is a certificated officer, an inquiry into his conduct may be held and his certificate may be cancelled or suspended.

Liability for infringement of regulations in cases of collision.

17. If in any case of collision it is proved to the court before which the case is tried that any of the regulations for preventing collision contained in, or made under the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1873, has been infringed, the ship by which such regulation has been infringed, shall be deemed to be in fault, unless it is shown to the satisfaction of the court that the circumstances of the case made departure from the regulation necessary.

Signals of distress.

18. The signal specified in the first schedule to this Act shall be deemed to be signals of distress.

Any master of a vessel who uses or displays, or causes or permits any person under his authority to use or display any of the said signals, except in the case of a vessel being in distress, shall be liable to pay compensation for any labour undertaken, risk incurred, or loss sustained in consequence of such signal having been supposed to be a signal of distress, and such compensation may, without prejudice to any other remedy, be recovered in the same manner in which salvage is recoverable.

Signals for pilots.

19. If a vessel requires the services of a pilot, the signals to be used and displayed shall be those specified in the second schedule to this Act.

Any master of a vessel who uses or displays, or causes or permits any person under his authority to use or display any of the said signals for any other purpose than that of summoning a pilot, or uses or causes or permits any person under his authority to use any other signal for a pilot, shall incur a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

Power to alter rules as to signals.

20. Her Majesty may from time to time, by order in Council, repeal or alter the rules as to signals contained in the schedules to this Act, or make new rules in addition thereto, or in substitution therefor, and any alterations in or additions to such rules made in manner aforesaid shall be of the same force as the rules in the said schedules.

Private signals.

21. Any ship-owner who is desirous of using, for the purposes of a private code any rockets, lights, or other similar signals, may register such signals with the Board of Trade, and the Board shall give public notice of the signals so registered in such manner as they may think requisite for preventing such signals from being mistaken for signals of distress or signals for pilots.

The Board may refuse to register any signals which in their opinion cannot easily be distinguished from signals of distress or signals for pilots.

When any signal has been so registered, the use or display thereof by any person acting under the authority of the ship-owner in whose name it is registered shall not subject any person to any of the penalties or liabilities by this Act imposed upon persons using or displaying signals improperly.

Notice to be given of apprehended loss of ship.

22. If the managing owner, or in the event of there being no managing owner, the ship's husband of any British ship have reason, owing to the non-appearance of such ship, or to any other circumstance, to apprehend that such ship has been wholly lost, he shall, as soon as conveniently may be, send to the Board of Trade notice in writing of such loss and of the probable occasion thereof, stating the name of the ship and her official number (if any), and the port to which she belongs; and if he neglect to do so within a reasonable time he shall incur a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.

Restrictions on carriage of dangerous goods.

23. If any person sends or attempts to send by, or not being the master or owner of the vessel, carries or attempts to carry in any vessel, British or Foreign, any dangerous goods, (that is to say) aqua-fortis, vitriol, naphtha, benzine, gunpowder, lucifer-matches, nitro-glycerine, petroleum, or any other goods of a dangerous nature, without distinctly marking their nature on the outside of the package containing the same, and giving written notice of the nature of such goods and of the name, and address of the sender or carrier thereof to the master or owner of the vessel, at or before the time of sending the same to be shipped, or taking the same on board the vessel, he shall for every such offence incur a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds; provided that if such person show that he was merely an agent in the shipment of any such goods as aforesaid, and was not aware and did not suspect and had no reason to suspect that the goods shipped by him were of a dangerous nature, the penalty which he incurs shall not exceed ten pounds.

Penalty for mis-description of dangerous goods.

24. If any person knowingly sends or attempts to send by, or carries or attempts to carry in any vessel, British or Foreign, any dangerous goods or goods of a dangerous nature under a false description, or falsely describes the sender or carrier thereof he shall incur a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds.

Power to refuse to carry goods suspected of being dangerous.

25. The master or owner of any vessel, British or Foreign, may refuse to take on board any package or parcel which he suspects to contain goods of a dangerous nature, and may require it to be opened to ascertain the fact.

Power to throw overboard dangerous goods.

26. Where any dangerous goods, as defined in this Act, or any goods which, in the judgment of the master or owner of the vessel, are of a dangerous nature, have been sent or brought aboard any vessel, British or Foreign, without being marked as aforesaid, or without such notice having been given as aforesaid, the master or owner of the vessel may cause such goods to be thrown overboard, together with any package or receptacle in which they are contained; and neither the master nor the owner of the vessel shall, in respect of such throwing overboard, be subject to any liability, civil or criminal in any court.

Forfeiture of dangerous goods improperly sent.

27. Where any dangerous goods have been sent or carried, or attempted to be sent or carried, on board any vessel, British or Foreign, without being marked as aforesaid, or without such notice having been given as aforesaid, and where any such goods have been sent or carried, or attempted to be sent or carried, under a false description, or the sender or carrier thereof has been falsely described, it shall be lawful for any court having Admiralty jurisdiction to declare such goods, and any package or receptacle in which they are contained to be, and they shall thereupon be forfeited, and when forfeited shall be disposed of as the court directs.

The court shall have and may exercise the aforesaid powers of forfeiture and disposal, notwithstanding that the owner of the goods have not committed any offence under the provisions of this Act relating to dangerous goods, and be not before the court, and have not notice of the proceedings, and notwithstanding that there be no evidence to show to whom the goods belong; nevertheless, the court may, in its discretion, require such notice as it may direct to be given to the owner or shipper of the goods before the same are forfeited.

Saving as to Dangerous Goods Acts.

28. The provisions of this Act relating to the carriage of dangerous goods shall be deemed to be in addition to, and not in substitution for, or in restraint of, any other enactment for the like object, so nevertheless that nothing in the said provisions shall be deemed to authorise that any person be sued or prosecuted twice in the same matter.

Miscellaneous and Repeal.

Her Majesty may, by order in Council, declare certain foreign ports, ports of registry.

29. Where, in accordance with the Foreign Jurisdiction Acts, Her Majesty exercises jurisdiction within any port out of Her Majesty's dominions, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by order in Council, to declare such port a port of registry (in this Act referred to as a foreign port of registry), and by the same or any subsequent order in Council to declare the description of persons who are to be the registrars of British ships at such foreign port of registry, and to make regulations with respect to the registry of British ships thereat.

Upon such order coming into operation it shall have effect as if it were enacted in the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1873, and shall, subject to any exceptions and regulations contained in the order, apply in the same manner as near as may be, as if the port mentioned in the order were an ordinary port of registry.

Fees in respect of surveys, &c.

30. There shall be paid in respect of the several measurements, inspections, and surveys mentioned in the third schedule hereto, such fees not exceeding those specified in that behalf in the said schedule, as the Board of Trade may from time to time determine.

Board of Trade may sue in name of its officers.

31. In any legal proceedings under the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1873, the Board of Trade may take proceedings in the name of any of their officers.

Certain sections not to come into force until 1st November 1873.

32. The following sections of this Act, that is to say, sections sixteen, eighteen, nineteen twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, shall not come into operation until the first day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

Repeal of certain sections of the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1862 and 1871; and of certain other sections of Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854, 1862, and 1871.

33. Section twenty-nine of the Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1862, and sections four and ten of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, are hereby repealed; and on and after the first day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, sections three hundred and twenty-seven and three hundred and twenty-nine of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, sections thirty-three and thirty-eight of the Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1862, and section nine of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, shall be repealed; but this repeal shall not affect—

(1.) Anything duly done before this Act comes into operation.

(2.) Any right acquired or liability accrued before this Act comes into operation.

(3.) Any penalty, forfeiture, or other punishment incurred or to be incurred in respect of any offence committed before this Act comes into operation; or,

(4.) The institution of any legal proceeding or any other remedy for ascertaining, enforcing, or recovering any such liability, penalty, forfeiture or punishment as aforesaid.

SCHEDULES.

SCHEDULE I.

Signals of Distress.

In the day time.—The following signals, numbered 1, 2, and 3, when used or displayed together or separately, shall be deemed to be signals of distress in the day-time:—

1. A gun fired at intervals of about a minute.
2. The International Code signal of distress indicated by N. C.
3. The distant signal, consisting of a square flag having, either above or below it, a ball, or anything resembling a ball.

At night.—The following signals, numbered 1, 2, and 3, when used or displayed together or separately, shall be deemed to be signals of distress at night:—

1. A gun fired at intervals of about a minute.
2. Flames on the ship (as from a burning tar barrel, oil barrel, &c.)
3. Rockets or shells, of any colour or description, fired one at a time, at short intervals.

SCHEDULE II.

SIGNALS TO BE MADE BY SHIPS WANTING A PILOT.

In the day time.—The following signals, numbered 1 and 2, when used or displayed together or separately, shall be deemed to be signals for a pilot in the day-time, viz:—

1. To be hoisted at the fore, the jack or other national colour usually worn by merchant ships, having round it a white border, one-fifth of the breadth of the flag; or
2. The International Code pilotage signal indicated by P. T.

At night.—The following signals, numbered 1 and 2, when used or displayed together or separately, shall be deemed to be signals for a pilot at night, viz:—

1. The pyrotechnic light, commonly known as a blue light, every fifteen minutes; or
2. A bright white light, flashed or shown at short or frequent intervals just above the bulwarks, for about a minute at a time.

SCHEDULE III.

TABLE OF MAXIMUM FEES TO BE PAID FOR THE MEASUREMENT, SURVEY, AND INSPECTION OF MERCHANT SHIPS.

1. *For measurement of tonnage.*

	£	s.	d.
For a ship under 50 tons registered tonnage	1	0	0
" from 50 to 100 tons "	1	10	0
" " 100 to 200 " "	2	0	0
" " 200 to 500 " "	3	0	0
" " 500 to 800 " "	4	0	0
" " 800 to 1,200 " "	5	0	0
" " 1,200 to 2,000 " "	6	0	0
" " 2,000 to 3,000 " "	7	0	0
" " 3,000 to 4,000 " "	8	0	0
" " 4,000 to 5,000 " "	9	0	0
" " 5,000 and upwards "	10	0	0

2. *For the inspection of the berthing or sleeping accommodation of the crew.*

	£	s.	d.
For each visit to the ship	0	10	0

Provided as follows :—

1. The aggregate amount of the fees for any such inspection shall not exceed one pound (£1) whatever be the number of separate visits.
2. When the accommodation is inspected at the same time with the measurement of the tonnage, no separate fee shall be charged for such inspection.

3. *For the survey of emigrant ships.*

	£	s.	d.
a. For an ordinary survey of the ship and of her equipments, accommodation, stores, light, ventilation, sanitary arrangements, and medical stores	10	0	0
b. For a special survey	15	0	0
c. In respect of the medical examination of passengers and crew, for every hundred persons or fraction of a hundred persons examined ...	1	0	0

4. *For the inspection of lights and fog signals.*

	£	s.	d.
For each visit made to a ship on the application of the owner, and for each visit made where the lights or fittings are found defective ...	0	10	0

Provided that the aggregate amount of fees for any such inspection shall not exceed one pound (£1) whatever be the number of separate visits.

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36 and 37 VICTORIA, CAP. 88.

An Act for consolidating with Amendments the Acts for carrying into effect Treaties for the more effectual suppression of the Slave Trade, and for other purposes connected with the Slave Trade.

[*5th August* 1873.]

WHEREAS divers treaties for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade have been made by or on behalf of Her Majesty and Her Royal predecessors with foreign States, and the Acts mentioned in the second schedule to this Act have been passed for carrying into effect the said treaties or some of them :

And whereas it is expedient to consolidate the said Acts into one Act, and to make provision for carrying into effect the said treaties, and any treaty which may hereafter be made by or on behalf of Her Majesty with any foreign State for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade :

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Preliminary.

Short title. 1. This Act may be cited as the Slave Trade Act, 1873.

Interpretation. 2. In this Act—

The term "the Treasury" means the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury :

The term "the Admiralty" means the Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom, or the Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral :

The term "vessel" means any vessel used in navigation :

The term "British Possession" means any plantation, territory, settlement, or place situate within Her Majesty's dominions, and not forming part of the United Kingdom :

The term "Governor" includes the officer, for the time being, administering the government of any colony ; and where there is a local governor or Lieutenant-Governor under a Governor-General, means the local governor or Lieutenant-Governor :

The term "the Slave Trade Act, 1824," means the Act of the session of the fifth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, chapter one hundred and thirteen, intituled "An Act to amend and consolidate the laws relating to the abolition of the slave trade :"

The term "Foreign State" includes any foreign nation, people, tribe, sovereign, prince, chief, or headman:

The term "vessel of a Foreign State" means a vessel which is justly entitled to claim the protection of the flag of a foreign state, or which would be so entitled if she did not lose such protection by being engaged in the slave trade:

The term "Treaty" includes any convention, agreement, engagement, or arrangement:

The term "Slave Trade," when used in relation to any particular treaty, does not include anything declared by such treaty not to be comprised in the term or in such treaty:

The term "Vice-Admiralty Court" does not include any Vice-Admiralty Court which for the time being has under its commission a limited jurisdiction only in matters relating to the slave trade:

The term "British Slave Court" means the High Court of Admiralty of England, every Vice-Admiralty Court in Her Majesty's dominions out of the United Kingdom, and every East African Court for the time being within the meaning of the Slave Trade (East African Courts) Act, 1873:

The term "Slave Court" means every British Slave Court, every mixed commission or court established under any existing slave trade treaty, and the court of any foreign State having jurisdiction to try and condemn a vessel engaged in the slave trade:

The term "existing Slave Trade Treaty" means a treaty made by or on behalf of Her Majesty or Her Royal predecessors with any foreign State for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade and in force at the passing of this Act.

Seizure of slave ships.

Visitation and seizure by cruisers, &c., of suspected slave ships.

3. Where a vessel is, on reasonable grounds, suspected of being engaged in or fitted out for the slave trade, it shall (subject in the case either of the vessel of a foreign State, or of the commander or officer of a cruiser of a foreign State to the limitations, restrictions, and regulations, if any, applicable thereto contained in any existing slave trade treaty made with such State) be lawful:—

(*a.*) If the vessel is a British vessel, or is engaged in the slave trade within British jurisdiction, or is not a vessel of a foreign State, for any commander or officer of any of Her Majesty's ships, for any officer bearing Her Majesty's commission in the army or navy, for any officer of Her Majesty's Customs in the United Kingdom, Channel Islands, or Isle of Man, for the governer of a British possession, or any person authorised by any such governor, and for any commander or officer of any cruiser of a foreign State authorised in pursuance of any existing slave trade treaty: and

(*b.*) If the vessel is the vessel of a foreign State, for any commander or officer of any of Her Majesty's ships, when duly authorised in that behalf, in pursuance of any treaty with that State, and for any commander or officer of any cruiser of that foreign State,

to visit and seize and detain such vessel, and to seize and detain any person found detained or reasonably suspected of having been detained as a slave, for the purpose of the slave trade, on board any such vessel, and to carry away such vessel and person, together with the master and all persons, goods, and effects on board any such vessel, for the purpose of bringing in such vessel, person, goods and effects for adjudication.

All vessels, slaves, persons, goods, and effects which may be forfeited under the enactments with which this Act is to be construed as one as hereinafter mentioned, may be visited, seized, and detained by any commander, officer, governor, or person authorised by this section to seize a British vessel.

Vessels equipped for traffic in slaves to be deemed engaged in the slave trade.

4. Where any of the particulars mentioned in the first schedule to this Act are found in the equipment or on board of any vessel visited, seized, or detained in pursuance of this Act, such vessel shall, unless the contrary be proved, be deemed to be fitted out for the purposes of and engaged in the slave trade, and in such case, even though the vessel is restored no damages shall be awarded against the seizor under this Act in respect of such visitation, seizure, or detention, or otherwise upon such restoration.

Provided that this section shall not extend to the vessel of any foreign State except so far as may be consistent with the treaty made with such State.

Courts.

Jurisdiction of courts in regard to slave vessels, slaves, goods, and effects.

5. The High Court of Admiralty of England and every Vice-Admiralty Court in Her Majesty's dominions out of the United Kingdom shall have jurisdiction to try and condemn or restore any vessels, slaves, goods, and effects alleged to be seized, detained, or forfeited, in pursuance of this Act, and on restoring the same to award such damages in respect of the visitation, seizure, and detention, of such vessels, goods and effects, and of any person on board such vessel, and in respect of any act or thing done in relation to such visitation, seizure, or detention, or in respect of any such matters, and in any case to make such order as to costs as, subject to the provisions of this Act and of any existing slave trade treaty, the court may think just.

Provided that nothing in this section shall give to any court any jurisdiction inconsistent with any existing slave trade treaty over a vessel which is shown to such court to be the vessel of any foreign State, and which has not been engaged within British jurisdiction in the slave trade, but where any vessel of a foreign State is liable to be condemned by a British slave court, such court shall have the same jurisdiction as if she were a British vessel.

Each of the said courts shall have the same jurisdiction in regard to any person who has been seized, either at sea or on land, on the ground that he has or is suspected to have been detained as a slave, for the purpose of the slave trade, as the court would have under this section if he had been so detained on board a vessel that was seized and brought in for adjudication.

Proceedings upon seizure by a foreigner.

6. Where any vessel or slave seized by the commander or officer of the cruiser of any foreign State is brought in for adjudication in a British slave court, all proceedings for the condemnation of such vessel and slave, and the goods and effects on board such vessel shall be taken in the name of Her Majesty by some person duly authorized in that behalf.

Mixed Courts.

Appointment of judges, arbitrators, secretary, &c., to mixed courts and commissions.

7. Where any existing slave trade treaty contains provisions, for the time being in force, for the appointment of any mixed court or commission for deciding cases under such treaty, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time to appoint such commissioners, judges, arbitrators, secretary, registrar, and other officers as are mentioned in such provisions.

There shall be paid to every commissioner, judge, arbitrator, secretary, registrar, and other officer so appointed, such salary as the Treasury may from time to time direct.

In case of the death, or sickness, or absence, either on leave or from any other lawful impediment of any such commissioner, judge, arbitrator, secretary, registrar, or other officer, whether British or not, the vacancy shall be temporarily filled in the manner provided by the treaty.

Regulations as to powers of mixed courts.

8. The regulations contained in any existing slave trade treaty for the time being in force, with respect to any mixed court or commission, shall have effect as if they were enacted in this Act, and such court or commision shall have all necessary jurisdiction for the purpose of carrying into effect any treaty referring to them, and in particular shall have jurisdiction to try, condemn, and restore British vessels seized in pursuance of such treaty, on suspicion of being engaged in the slave trade, and shall for the purpose of their jurisdiction have the same power as any Vice-Admiralty Court in Her Majesty's dominions has, and may accordingly take evidence, administer oaths, summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses, and require and enforce the production of documents in like manner as any such court.

Disposal of Vessels and Slaves.

Disposal of condemned vessels.

9. A vessel seized in pursuance of this Act, when condemned by a slave court, may be taken into Her Majesty's service upon payment of such sum as the Admiralty deem to be a proper price for the same (which sum is in this Act called the appraised value of such vessel), or if not so taken, shall be broken up, and the materials thereof shall be publicly sold in separate parts.

Provided that nothing herein shall prejudice the right of the government of any foreign State, under any treaty, to require such vessel to be broken up, or to take such vessel into its service upon payment of a sum fixed in accordance with such treaty, and any sum paid by the government of a foreign State for a vessel taken into its service after condemnation by a slave court shall be deemed for the purposes of this Act to be the appraised value of the vessel.

Disposal of slaves.

10. Where any slaves are seized in pursuance of this Act, they shall, for the purpose only of seizure, prosecution, and condemnation, be deemed to be property, and shall be condemned as forfeited to the sole use of Her Majesty for the purpose only of divesting all other right or interest therein, and shall not be treated as slaves, but shall be provided for, pending the proceedings for their condemnation, in such manner, and shall on condemnation be disposed of in such manner, or delivered over to such persons, as the court having cognizance of the case may adjudge, subject to the regulations (if any) which are from time to time made by the Treasury; and the Treasury may, from time to time, make, alter, and revoke regulations for this purpose so that they be consistent with any provisions in this behalf contained in any existing slave trade treaty.

Bounties.

Bounty and other payments to seizors when British cruisers.

11. Where a vessel (whether British or not), or slave, goods or effects, seized in pursuance of this Act by any commander or officer of any of Her Majesty's ships have been condemned by a slave court, there shall be paid to the commander, officers, and crew of such ship the following sums :—

(1.) A slave bounty of five pounds for every slave so condemned who is delivered over, or, if the commander of the ship so elect, a tonnage bounty of four pounds for every ton of the tonnage of the vessel condemned.

(2.) That part to which Her Majesty is entitled of the appraised value of the vessel condemned, or, if such vessel was broken up and the materials thereof publicly sold in separate parts, of the net proceeds of such sale after deducting the charges of prosecution.

(3.) Where the condemned vessel

(a) was brought into port, and was broken up in pursuance of the order of the slave court, and the materials thereof publicly sold in separate parts; or

(b.) was abandoned or destroyed prior to condemnation, and the slave court by the decree of condemnation declared that, after full consideration by the court of the circumstances of the case, the seizors had satisfied the court that such abandonment or destruction was inevitable, or otherwise under the circumstances proper and justifiable;

a further tonnage bounty at the rate of thirty shillings for every ton of the tonnage of the vessel; and

(4.) The net proceeds to which Her Majesty is entitled (after deducting the charges of prosecution) of any such goods and effects which the slave court ordered to be sold.

Where any slave so condemned is not delivered over in consequence of death, sickness, or other inevitable circumstances, the Treasury may, if they think fit, pay to the seizors of such slave one moiety of the slave bounty which would have been due in respect of such slave if he had been delivered over.

Bounty and other payments where vessel, slave, or goods not seized by cruisers.

12. Where any vessel, slave, goods, or effects seized in pursuance of this Act otherwise than by the commander or officer of one of Her Majesty's Ships, or of the cruiser of a foreign State, have been condemned by a slave court, there shall be paid the following sums:—

(1.) Two-thirds of the appraised value of the vessel or (if the vessel was broken up and the materials thereof publicly sold in separate parts) of the net proceeds of such sale, and two-thirds of the net proceeds of such goods and effects (after deducting from such appraised value or net proceeds the charges of prosecution) for the use of Her Majesty, to such persons as the Treasury may from time to time appoint, to be carried to the Consolidated Fund.

(2.) The remaining third part of the said appraised value or net proceeds of the vessel, and of the net proceeds of such goods and effects to the person who lawfully seized and prosecuted the ship, goods, and effects respectively to condemnation.

(3.)—For every slave so condemned who is delivered over, a slave bounty of five pounds to the person who prosecuted the same to condemnation.

Where any slave so condemned is not delivered over in consequence of death, sickness, or other inevitable circumstances, the Treasury may, if they think fit, pay in respect of such slave one moiety of the slave bounty which would have been due in respect of such slave if he had been delivered over.

Payment of proceeds of vessels, &c., when seized by a foreign cruiser.

13. Where any vessel, goods or effects have been seized in pursuance of this Act by the commander or officer of a cruiser of any foreign State and been condemned by a British slave court, such portion of the appraised value of the vessel, or (if the vessel was broken up and the materials thereof publicly sold in separate parts) of the net proceeds of such sale, and of the net proceeds of the goods and effects, as is, under any treaty with such state, payable to the seizors, shall be paid to such person as the Treasury may direct, to be disposed of in accordance with such treaty.

Regulations as to payment of bounty.

14. In order to obtain payment of the bounty, there shall be produced to the Treasury the following evidence, or such other evidence as the Treasury may deem sufficient; namely:—

(a.) A copy, duly certified, of the decree of condemnation of the vessel or slave.

(b.) If any tonnage bounty is claimed, a certificate from some person authorised for the time being to act as a registrar of British ships of the dimensions and tonnage of the vessel.

(c.) If a slave bounty is claimed, a certificate from the person appointed to receive the slaves of the number of slaves condemned and delivered over.

For the purpose of bounty the tonnage of a vessel shall be calculated and ascertained in the like maner in which, for the time being, the tonnage of a vessel is calculated and ascertained for the purpose of registering the same as a British vessel, or if the same cannot be satisfactorily ascertained in that manner, shall be ascertained in such manner as the Treasury may consider satisfactory.

Payment by Treasury of costs, damages, and expenses.

15. Where any visitation, seizure, detention or prosecution purports to have been made or instituted in pursuance of this Act, the Treasury when required under any treaty shall, and in any other case may, if they think fit, pay the whole or any part of any costs, expenses, compensation, and damages which may have been awarded against the person making or instituting such visitation, seizure, detention, or prosecution, or any costs and expenses which may have been incurred in respect of the same, or on account of any person on board any vessel so visited, seized or detained; but nothing in this section shall exempt the commander or officer of the ship or other person by whom the visitation, seizure, detention, or prosecution was made or instituted from his liability to make good any sum so paid when required by the Treasury so to do and when any such commander or officer, or other person serving under the Admiralty, or any person serving under any other department of the Government, is so required

to make good any sum, that sum shall, if the Treasury so direct, be deducted by the Admiralty or other department of the Government, under whom such person is serving, from any payment to which such commander, officer, or person is entitled on account of salary, pay, prize, or bounty.

Payment and distribution of bounties and other sums.

16. The bounties and all other sums payable by the Treasury in pursuance of this Act shall be paid out of moneys provided by Parliament for the purpose.

27 & 28 Vict., c. 24.

The provisions of "The Naval Agency and Distribution Act, 1864," shall apply to all money payable to the commanders, officers, and crews of Her Majesty's ships in pursuance of this Act.

Miscellaneous.

Protection of persons authorised to seize.

17. All person authorized to make seizures under this Act shall, in making and prosecuting any such seizure, have the benefit of all the protection granted to persons authorized to make seizures under any Act for the time being in force relating to Her Majesty's customs in the United Kingdom, in like manner as if the enactments granting such protection were herein enacted, and in terms made applicable thereto.

Pendency of suit or decree a bar to proceeding for recovery of vessel, damages, &c.

18. In either of the following cases, namely :—

(*a.*) Where any proceding has been instituted in any slave court for the condemnation or restitution of any vessel, slave, goods, or effects purporting to have been seized in pursuance of this Act, and is still pending; or

(*b.*) Where any vessel, slave, goods, or effects purporting to have been seized in pursuance of this Act, have been condemned or restored, or any other final judgment have been pronouced thereon by any slave court,

the pendency, of such proceeding, or the condemnation or restitution, or other final judgment thereon, as the case may be, shall be a complete bar to every legal proceeding whatever for the recovery of such vessel, slave, goods, or effects, or of damages for any costs, expenses, loss, or injury sustained by any person by or in consequence of the visitation, seizure, or detention of such vessel, slave, goods, or effects, or of any person on board such vessel, or by or in consequence of any act or thing done in relation to such visitation, seizure, or detention, or in pursuance of this Act or any existing slave trade treaty, and may be pleaded in bar, or given in evidence under the general issue.

Power of High Court of Admiralty of England as to bounties, reviewing and enforcing decrees, &c.

19. The High Court of Admiralty of England shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine any question arising with respect to the right of any person to any payment in pursuance of this Act in respect of any condemned vessel, slave, goods, or effects, and any question of joint capture or seizure which may arise in respect of any vessel, slave, goods, or effects seized in pursuance of this Act, and also as well to review as to enforce any decree, declaration, or order of any British slave court made in pursuance of this Act.

Review of taxation by registrar of Court of Admiralty.

20. The registrar of the High Court of Admiralty of England may, on the application of any person aggrieved, or of the Treasury, tax or review the taxation of any costs, charges, or expenses incurred or alleged to be incurred in any proceeding taken in any British slave court, or in any mixed commission or court in Her Majesty's dominions, and shall for this purpose have the same jurisdiction and powers as he has in the taxation of any costs, charges, or expenses incurred in any proceeding in the High Court of Admiralty.

Appeal by treasury.

21. The Treasury may appeal from any decree, order, or declaration which is made by any British slave court in pursuance of this Act, and involves the payment by the Treasury of any bounty, costs, expenses, compensation, damages, or other moneys in like manner as if they were parties to the proceeding in which such decree, order or declaration was made.

Prosecution for false evidence.

22. Any person who wilfully gives false evidence in any proceeding taken in pursuance of the Act in any slave court shall be guilty of an offence against this Act, and shall be liable to the like penalty as if he had been guilty of perjury, or in British possession, of the offence by whatever name called, which if committed in England would be perjury.

Returns by registrars.

23. The registrar of every British slave court, and, if appointed by Her Majesty, of every other slave court, shall from time to time make returns of the cases adjudged in such court in pursuance of this Act, at such times and in such form and containing such particulars as may be from time to time directed by any rule established with respect to such court under the Vice-Admiralty Courts Act, 1863, or if there is no such rule by Order in Council.

Slave Trade Act, 1824.

Incorporation with unrepealed portions of 5 Geo. 4, c. 113.

24. This Act shall be construed as one with the enactments of the Slave Trade Act, 1824, and any enactments amending the same, so far as they are in force at the time of the passing of this Act, and are not required by this Act, and the expression "this Act," when used in this Act, shall include those enactments.

Recovery of forfeitures under 5 Geo. 4, c. 113.

25. All pecuniary forfeitures and penalties imposed by the said enactments, with which this Act is to be construed as one, may be sued for, prosecuted, and recovered in any Court of Record or of Vice-Admiralty in any port of Her Majesty's dominions wherein the offence was committed, or where the offender may be, in like manner as any penalty or forfeiture incurred in the United Kingdom under any Act for the time being in force relating to Her Majesty's Customs, or (in the case of the High Court of Admiralty or of a court of Vice-Admiralty) in like manner as any vessel seized in pursuance of this Act.

Such pecuniary penalties and forfeitures shall, subject to the express provisions of the said enactments, be paid and applied in like manner as the net proceeds of a vessel seized otherwise than by the commander or officer of one of Her Majesty's ships, or of the cruiser of a foreign State.

Jurisdiction of court over offences under 5 Geo. 4, c. 113.

26. Any offence against this Act or the said enactments with which this Act is to be construed as one, or otherwise in connection with the slave trade, shall for all purposes of and incidental to the trial and punishment of a person guilty of such offence, and all proceedings and matters preliminary and incidental to and consequential on such trial and punishment, and for all purposes of and incidental to the jurisdiction of any court constable, and officer with reference to such offence, be deemed to have been committed either in the place in which the offence was committed, or in the county of Middlesex or in any place in which the person guilty of the offence may for the time being be, either in Her Majesty's dominions or in any foreign port or place in which Her Majesty has jurisdiction; and the offence may be described in any indictment or other document relating thereto as having been committed at the place where it was wholly or partly committed, or as having been committed on the high seas or out of Her Majesty's dominions, and the venue or local description in the margin may be that of the place in which the trial is held.

Where any such offence is commenced at one place and completed at another, the place at which such offence is to be deemed to have been committed shall be either the place where the offence was commenced or the place where the offence was completed.

Where a person being in one place is accessory to or aids or abets in any such offence committed in another place, the place at which such offence is to be deemed to have been committed shall be either the place in which the offence was actually committed or the place where the offender was at the time of his being so accessory, aiding, or abetting.

17 and 18 Vict., c. 104.

Where it appears to any court or the judge of any court having jurisdiction to try any such offence that the removal of an offender charged with such offence to some other place in Her Majesty's dominions for trial would be conducive to the interests of justice, such court or judge may by warrant, or instrument in the nature of a warrant, direct such removal, and such offender may be removed and tried accordingly; and section two hundred and sixty-eight of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, shall apply to the removal of an offender under this section in the same manner as if the term "consular officer" in that section included the court or judge making such warrant or instrument.

Extension of 33 & 34 Vict., c. 52, to slave trade offences.

27. Offences committed against this Act or the enactments with which this Act is to be construed as one or otherwise in connection with the slave trade, whether committed on the high seas or on land, or partly on the high seas or partly on land, shall be deemed to be inserted in the first schedule to the Extradition Act, 1870, and that Act, and any Act amending the same, shall be construed accordingly.

Application of Act.

Application of Act to cases already adjudicated.

28. This Act shall apply to all cases of vessels, slaves, goods, and effects, seized and adjudicated upon by any slave court, whether before or after the passing of this Act.

Extension of Act to future treaties.

29. Where any treaty in relation to the slave trade is made after the passing of this Act, by or on behalf of Her Majesty, with any foreign State, Her Majesty may by Order in Council direct that as from such date, not being earlier than the date of the treaty, as may be specified in the order, such treaty shall be deemed, and thereupon (as from the said date, or if no date is specified as from the date of such order) such treaty shall be deemed to be an existing slave trade treaty within the meaning of this Act, and all the provisions of this Act shall apply and be construed accordingly.

Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent order referring to the same treaty, render the application of this Act subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient.

Every such order shall recite or embody the terms of the treaty so far as they relate to the slave trade, and shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within six weeks after it is made, or, if Parliament be not then sitting, within six weeks after the then next meeting of Parliament, and shall also be published in the *London Gazette*.

A treaty, whether made before or after the passing of this Act, which ceases to be in force, shall cease to be an existing slave trave treaty within the meaning of this Act.

Repeal.

Repeal of Acts in schedule.

30. The Acts specified in the second schedule to this Act are hereby repealed.

Provided that—

(1.) All bounties and other sums purporting to have been paid in pursuance of any enactment hereby repealed before the passing of this Act, shall be deemed to have been duly paid.

(2.) This repeal shall not affect—

(*a.*) Anything duly done or suffered under any enactment hereby repealed; or

(*b.*) Any right, privilege, obligation, liability, or forfeiture acquired, accrued, or incurred under any enactment hereby repealed; or

(*c.*) Any investigation, legal proceeding, or remedy in respect of any such right, privilege, obligation, liability, or forfeiture as aforesaid, or any legal proceeding, taken or commenced under any enactment hereby repealed; and any such investigation, legal proceeding, and remedy may be carried on, and all acts consequential thereon done, as if it had been commenced under this Act.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Equipments which are *primâ facie* evidence of a vessel being engaged in the slave trade.

First.—Hatches with open gratings, instead of the close hatches which are usual in merchant vessels.

Secondly.—Divisions or bulkheads in the hold or on deck more numerous than are necessary for vessels engaged in lawful trade.

Thirdly.—Spare plank fitted for being laid down as a second or slave deck.

Fourthly.—Shackles, bolts, or handcuffs.

Fifthly.—A larger quantity of water in casks or in tanks than is requisite for the consumption of the crew of the vessel as a merchant vessel.

Sixthly.—An extraodinary number of water casks or of other vessels for holding liquid, unless the master shall produce a certificate from the custom-house at the place from which he cleared outwards, stating that a sufficient security had been given by the owners of such vessel that such extra quantity of casks or of other vessels should only be used for the reception of palm-oil, or for other purposes of lawful commerce.

Seventhly.—A greater quantity of mess tubs or kids than are requisite for the use of the crew of the vessel as a merchant vessel.

Eighthly.—A boiler or other cooking apparatus of an unusual size, and larger or fitted for being or capable of being made larger than requisite for the use of the crew of the vessel as a merchant vessel, or more than one boiler or other cooking apparatus of the ordinary size.

Ninthly.—An extraordinary quantity either of rice or of the flour of Brazil, manioc, or cassada, commonly called farinha, of maize, or of Indian-corn, or of any other article of food whatever, beyond what might probably be requisite for the use of the crew, such rice, flour, maize, Indian-corn, or other article of food not being entered on the manifest as part of the cargo for trade.

Tenthly.—A quantity of mats or matting larger than is necessary for the use of the crew of vessel as a merchant vessel.

Eleventhly.—Any other equipment, article, or thing which is declared by any existing slave trade treaty to be *primâ facie* evidence of a vessel being engaged in the slave trade.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ACTS REPEALED.

A description or citation of a portion of an Act is inclusive of the words, sections or other part first or last mentioned, or otherwise referred to as forming the beginning or as forming the end of the portion comprised in the description or citation.

Portions of Acts which have already been specifically repealed are in some instances included in the repeal in this schedule, in order to preclude henceforth the necessity of looking back to previous Acts.

Date of Act.	Title.	Extent of Repeal.
59 Geo. 3, C. 16 ..	An Act to carry into effect the treaty with the Netherlands relating to the slave trade.	The whole Act.
5 Geo. 4, C. 113 ..	An Act to amend and consolidate the laws relating to the abolition of the slave trade.	The whole Act, except sections two to eleven, section twelve down to "taken to be in full force," sections thirty-nine, forty, and forty-seven.
7 & 8 Geo. 4, C. 54 ..	An Act to carry into effect the treaty with Sweden relative to the slave trade.	The whole Act.
7 & 8 Geo. 4, C. 74 ..	An Act to carry into execution a convention between His Majesty and the Emperor of Brazil, for the regulation and final abolition of the African slave trade.	The whole Act.
11 Geo. 4 & 1, Will. 4, C. 55.	An Act to reduce the rate of bounties payable upon the seizure of slaves.	The whole Act.
3 & 4 Will. 4, C. 72..	An Act for carrying into effect two conventions with the King of the French for suppressing the slave trade.	The whole Act.
5 & 6 Will. 4, C. 60..	An Act for carrying into effect a treaty with the King of the French and the King of Sardinia, for suppressing the slave trade.	The whole Act.
5 & 6 Will. 4, C. 61..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty with the King of the French and the King of Denmark for suppressing the slave trade.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Will. 4, C. 6 ..	An Act for carrying into effect a treaty made between His Majesty and the Queen Regent of Spain for the abolition of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Will. 4, C. 81..	An Act to authorise His Majesty, until six months after the commencement of the next session of Parliament, to carry into immediate execution, by Orders in Council, any treaties, conventions, or stipulations made with any foreign power or State for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
7 Will. 4 & 1 Vict., C. 62.	An Act to authorise Her Majesty, until six months after the commencement of the next session of Parliament, to carry into immediate execution, by Orders in Council, any treaties, conventions, or stipulations made with any foreign power or State for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
1 & 2 Vict., C. 39 ..	An Act for carrying into effect a convention of accession of the Hans Towns to two conventions with the King of the French for suppressing the slave trade.	The whole Act.
1 & 2 Vict., C. 40 ..	An Act to carry into effect an additional article to a treaty with Sweden relative to the slave trade.	The whole Act.
1 & 2 Vict., C. 41 ..	An Act for carrying into effect an additional article to a treaty with the Netherlands relating to the slave trade.	The whole Act.
1 & 2 Vict., C. 47 ..	An Act for the better and more effectually carrying into effect the treaties and conventions made with foreign powers for suppressing the slave trade.	The whole Act.

SECOND SCHEDULE.—(*Continued.*)

Date of Act.	Title.	Extent of Repeal.
1 & 2 Vict., C. 83 ..	An Act for carrying into effect a convention of accession of the Duke of Tuscany to two conventions with the King of the French for suppressing the slave trade.	The whole Act.
1 & 2 Vict., C. 84 ..	An Act for carrying into effect a convention of accession of the King of the Two Sicilies to two conventions with the King of the French for suppressing the slave trade.	The whole Act.
1 & 2 Vict., C. 102 ..	An Act to revive and continue, until six months after the commencement of the next session of Parliament, and to amend an Act for authorising Her Majesty to carry into immediate execution, by Orders in Council, any treaties made for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
2 & 3 Vict., C. 73 ..	An Act for the suppression of the slave trade ..	The whole Act.
3 & 4 Vict., C. 64 ..	An Act to continue, until eight months after the commencement of the next session of Parliament, an Act for authorising Her Majesty to carry into immediate execution, by Orders in Council, any treaties for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
3 & 4 Vict., C. 67 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty between Her Majesty and the Republic of Venezuela for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
5 & 6 Vict., C. 40 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty between Her Majesty and the Argentine Confederation for the abolition of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
5 & 6 Vict., C. 41 ..	An Act for carrying into effect a convention between Her Majesty and the Republic of Hayti for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
5 & 6 Vict., C. 42 ..	An Act for better and more effectually carrying into effect treaties and conventions with foreign States for suppressing the slave trade.	The whole Act.
5 & 6 Vict., C. 59 ..	An Act to continue until the first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, an Act for authorising Her Majesty to carry into immediate execution, by Orders in Council, any treaties for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
5 & 6 Vict., C. 91 ..	An Act to amend an Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
5 & 6 Vict., C. 101 ..	An Act for extending to the Governors and officers of the East India Company, the powers given by an Act of the fifth year of King George the Fourth to Her Majesty's Governors and officers for the more effectual suppression of the importation of slaves into India by sea.	The whole Act.
5 & 6 Vict., C. 114 ..	An Act to repeal so much of an Act of the second and third years of Her present Majesty, for the suppression of the slave trade, as relates to Portuguese vessels.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Vict., C. 14 ..	An Act for carrying into effect a treaty between Her Majesty and the Republic of Bolivia for the abolition of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Vict., C. 15 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty between Her Majesty and the Republic of Texas for the suppression of the African slave trade.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Vict., C. 16 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty between Her Majesty and the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay for the abolition of the slave trade.	The whole Act.

SECOND SCHEDULE.—(*Concluded.*)

Date of Act.	Title.	Extent of Repeal.
6 & 7 Vict., C. 46 ..	An Act to continue until the first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four and to the end of the then session of Parliament, an Act for authorising Her Majesty to carry into immediate execution, by Orders in Council, any treaties for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Vict., C. 50 ..	An Act for carrying into execution a treaty signed at London for the suppression of the slave trade, so far as the same relates to Great Britain, Austria, Prussia, and Russia.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Vict., C. 51 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty between Her Majesty and the Mexican Republic for the abolition of the traffic in slaves.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Vict., C. 52 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty between Her Majesty and the Republic of Chili for the abolition of the traffic in slaves.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Vict., C. 53 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty between Her Majesty and the Queen of Portugal for the suppression of the traffic in slaves.	The whole Act.
6 & 7 Vict., C. 98 ..	An Act for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade.	Sec. three.
7 & 8 Vict., C. 26 ..	An Act for authorizing Her Majesty to carry into immediate execution, by Orders in Council, any treaties for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
11 & 12 Vict., C. 116..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty between Her Majesty and the Republic of the Equator for the abolition of the traffic in slaves.	The whole Act.
11 & 12 Vict., C. 128..	An Act for carrying into effect the agreement between Her Majesty and the Imaum of Muscat for the more effectual suppression of slave trade.	The whole Act.
12 & 13 Vict., C. 84 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the engagements between Her Majesty and certain Arabian chiefs in the Persian Gulf for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
16 & 17 Vict., C. 16 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the engagement between Her Majesty and Syed Syf Bin Hamood, the chief of Sohar, in Arabia, for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
16 & 17 Vict., C. 17 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the treaty between Her Majesty and the Republic of New Grenada for the suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
16 & 17 Vict., C. 107..	The Customs Consolidation Act, 1853 ...	Section one hundred and eighty-nine.
18 & 19 Vict., C. 85 ..	An Act for carrying into effect the engagements between Her Majesty and certain chiefs of the Sherbro country, near Sierra Leone in Africa, for the more effectual suppression of the slave trade.	The whole Act.
25 & 26 Vict., C. 46 ..	African slave trade treaty Act (No. 1), 1862 ...	The whole Act.
25 & 26 Vict., C. 90 ..	African slave trade treaty Act (No. 2), 1862 ...	The whole Act.
26 & 27 Vict., C. 34 ..	African slave trade treaty Act, 1863 ...	The whole Act.
32 & 33 Vict., C. 2 ..	The Brazilian slave trade repeal Act, 1869 ...	The whole Act.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Home Department, are re-published for general information :—

No. 3830.—*Fort William, the 4th December* 1873.—*Notifications.—Public.*—Mr. H. M. Kisc of Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service, reported his arrival at Calcutta on the 24th October last.

No. 1894.—*The 2nd December* 1873.—*Judicial.*—The Hon'ble W. Ainslie, resumed his seat a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, in Bengal, on the forenoon of the 17 ultimo.

No. 1898.—Furlough for one year, on medical certificate, with the usual preparatory leave, granted to Mr. W. M. Souttar, Registrar of the High Court, Calcutta, with effect from the date which he may avail himself of the same.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Agricultu Revenue, and Commerce, is re-published for general information :—

No. 1380.—*Fort William, the 5th December* 1873.—*Notifications.—Forests.*—The following gentl men, appointed by Her Majesty's Secretary of State to the Forest Department of India, are post to that Department as Assistant Conservators of Forest of the 3rd Grade, in the provinces mention opposite their names :—

Mr. H. Mainwaring	Bombay.	Mr. S. E. Wilmot	... Oudh.
,, T. B. Fry		,, E. E. Fernandez	C. Provinces
,, E. A. Elliot		,, A. Smythies	
,, E. Fuchs	... Bengal.	,, G. F. Prevost	... Hyderabad.
,, F. D'A. Vincent	... Punjab.		

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Financial Department, ar published for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 4th December 1873.

No. 3441.—The following Report and Resolution are published for general information :—

Dated 17th October 1873.

From—E. F. HARRISON, Esq., Comptroller-General,
To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department.

I have the honor to report on the transactions of the Money Order Department in India du the financial year 1872-73.

2. Appended are the usual ten statements, with an additional one of orders outstanding o 31st March last.

No. I.—Statement of Orders issued and paid at each office in India, and commission realized during the 1872-73.
,, II.—Statement of issues, payments and commission according to Presidencies and Circles.
,, III.—Statement showing issues and payments of one Presidency and Circle on account of other Presid and Circles.
,, IV.—Cost of management.
,, V.—Statement showing revenue for 1872-73.
,, VI.—Statement showing excess of payments and drawings to and from Treasuries on account of each Offic
,, VII.—Transactions, management and revenue from 1862 to 1873.
,, VIII.—Statement of profits and losses.
,, IX.—Statement showing the proportionate strength and cost of establishment, &c.
,, X.—Statement of lapsed orders.
,, XI.—Statement of Orders outstanding on the 31st March 1873, *vide* para. 38.

3. Thirteen new Offices were opened during the year —

One in the L. P. of Bengal	Nawada Sub-division of Gya District.
One in the N. W. Provinces	Chuckrata Sub-division of Dehra Doon.
Seven in the Bombay Presidency	Nandgaum, Pundhurpore, Yeola. } Nassick District.
	Broach.
	Mhow.
	Bhuj.
	Khair, Poona Collectorate.
Three in the Madras Presidency	Villapuram, South Arcot District.
	Conjeveram, Chinglêput District.
	Devipatam, Madura District.
One in the Mysore Circle	Chickka Ballapura, Kolar District.

4. The number of Offices in which there have been transactions during the year is —

In Lower Provinces of Bengal	101
,, North-Western Provinces	39
,, Oudh	12
,, Punjab	36
,, Central Provinces	19
,, British Burmah	13
,, Political Treasuries, Government of India	7
,, Bombay	43
,, Madras	75
,, Berar	1
,, Mysore	7
TOTAL ...	[illegible]

5. The number of Offices closed during the year was—

L. P., Bengal	43	Bombay	...
N. W. Provinces	1	Madras	...
Punjab	3	Mysore	...
		TOTAL ...	

This large reduction is mainly owing to the abolition in February of agencies at many places where there are no Revenue Treasuries.

6. The number of Offices open at the close of the year was—

In Lower Provinces of Bengal	58
„ North-Western Provinces	38
„ Oudh	12
„ Punjab	35
„ Central Provinces	19
„ British Burmah	13
„ Political Treasuries, Government of India	7
„ Bombay	36
„ Madras	65
„ Berar	11
„ Mysore	8
TOTAL	300

7. Offices open, but in which there were no transactions during the year, have been omitted, and those which were only closed temporarily for the winter or rainy season have been included. The Offices of the first description, eleven in number, are—

Sasseeram, Lower Provinces, Bengal		1
Mussoorie, North-Western Provinces		1
Sukkur, Bombay		1
Alleppy	Madras	8
Collegal (closed, circular No. 168, dated 2nd April 1873)		
Ellore		
Jamalmadoogoo		
Nagarcoil		
Porto Novo		
Trichoor		
Vaniembody		
TOTAL		11

The names of the second are the following:—

Nynee Tal, North-Western Provinces		1
Murree, Dalhousie	Punjab	2
Mahableshwar, Bombay		1
Ootacamund, Kundapoor	Madras	2
TOTAL		6

The transactions of the year may be summarized as follows:—

	In 1871-72.	In 1872-73.
Offices open	*355	366
Number of orders issued	2,51,213	2,69,435
Amount of orders issued	1,25,14,115	1,29,21,632
Number of orders paid	2,50,741	2,68,268
Amount of orders paid	1,25,57,487	1,29,37,545
Commission	1,41,287	1,46,547
Lapsed orders	7,813	8,784
Charges	82,954	87,719
Profit	66,180	67,612

* Including Sasseeram, in which there were no transactions.

The result of the year's operation is, on the whole, satisfactory.

The following detailed statement shows in each province an increase in the number of Orders and it is satisfactory to find, that with the exception of Bombay and Berar, this increase is concurrent with a decrease in the aggregate amount of the orders.

In Bombay the result is also favourable, the moderate increase in the total amount of Orders being accompanied by a marked increase in the number.

In Berar alone that the Department appears to have been availed of for purposes foreign to the proper object, the safe remittance, namely, of small sums of money.

		Issues.		Payments.	
		No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
... ...	Increase ...	177	...	...	...
	Decrease ...	...	13,250 1 0	3,902	3,63,763 4 0
...idency	Increase ...	2,654	...	3,536	...
	Decrease ...	...	4,75,518 1 0	...	4,88,758 12 0
... ...	Increase ...	3,412	89,209 14 0	6,418	5,80,209 7 0
... ...	Increase ...	2,465	...	6,055	2,34,815 14 2
	Decrease ...	...	34,508 7 10	...	...
... ...	Increase ...	9,274	8,69,249 2 0	590	41,700 7 0
... ...	Increase ...	417	...	928	12,091 5 0
	Decrease ...	...	40,916 3 0	...	...
... ...	Increase ...	18,222	4,07,516 4 2	17,527	3,80,058 4 8

12. The following comparative statement will show the increase or decrease of charges during the year in Bengal and the other Presidencies and Circles :—

PRESIDENCIES AND CIRCLES.	1871-72.	1872-73.
Bengal Presidency.		
Assistant to the Comptroller General's salary	8,789 11 6	9,519 10 10
Establishment	18,565 4 5	19,987 15 6
Service Postages	1,861 9 6	3,700 0 0
Seals	342 10 0	130 10 0
Miscellaneous contingencies	1,373 13 9	1,879 15 6
Printing	5,515 3 9	5,862 4 6
Stationery	2,522 1 11	3,232 8 8
Loss written off under Government orders	2,461 14 0	1,560 0 0
Service bearing postage	734 1 0	787 3 0
Second Commission refunded	55 2 0	18 4 0
Commission paid to Agents	19,301 0 0	15,907 2 0
Lapsed orders refunded	...	477 10 0
Bombay Presidency.		
Estsblishment	4,251 9 0	4,441 7 0
Service labels	340 0 0	810 0 0
Seals	49 0 0	28 12 0
Printing	1,160 15 8	396 8 9
Stationery	25 5 10	47 7 0
Postal charges	525 2 0	1,155 10 9
Contingencies	237 8 9	425 14 10
Second Commission refunded...	3 6 0	11 2 0
Commission payable to Agents	2,196 4 10	2,129 1 10
Fixed allowance payable to Agents	93 8 0	113 0 0
Lapsed orders refunded	234 0 0	346 8 0
Madras Presidency.		
Establishment	3,446 14 8	3,990 3 2
Commission paid to Agents	2,357 2 5	2,143 14 6
Contingencies, Postal charges, and Service labels	906 2 9	2,347 6 11
Seals	78 4 0	49 0 0
Printing	200 0 0	...
Stationery	200 0 0	...
Berar Circle.		
Establishment	1,403 0 0	1,370 1 7
Postages	55 10 6	143 12 6
Seals	7 8 0	55 0 0
Service bearing postages	39 8 6	64 6 6
Petty contingencies	210 4 8	194 13 2
Commission paid to Agents	838 4 8	1,792 7 0
Half share of net profits to Mysore State from 1867-68 to 1871-72	...	131 4 4
Mysore Circle.		
Establishment	502 9 3	729 4 7
Seals	17 8 0	7 0 0
Contingencies	98 2 3	256 15 11
Agent's Commission	933 0 0	722 11 6
Contingencies of Agents	...	173 0 7
Fixed allowance paid to Agents	72 0 0	72 0 0
Service postages	34 8 0	...
Stationery	231 14 8	...
Service bearing postages	32 15 0	
Pay of a clerk employed at the Bangalore treasury ...	...	30 0 0
Amount due to Government of India, half the net profits that has accrued on Money Orders drawn by Mysore	644 8 6	476 10 8
TOTAL ...	82,954 1 9	87,718 13 1

13. The reasons for the increase in Bengal Presidency under heads—

1*st*, Establishment,
2*nd*, Service Postage,
3*rd*, Printing, and
4*th*, Stationery,

are—

1*st*.—Annual increments of salaries.

2*nd*.—Purchase of postage stamps under the new Postal Rules for twelve months agai months last year.

3*rd*.—Breaking up of type. The appendices to the 5th annual report of this De were put up in type, but the printing of them was subsequently cancelled. was the case with the manual for the guidance of Money Order Agents under the time of the introduction of the new system.

4*th*.—The use of larger forms since the new system came into operation for the w of issues and payments and the supply to Bombay of their forms for the first

14. Under the head Miscellaneous Contingencies there is also an increase attributable to the removal of this Office from the Treasury buildings, the making of a new counter, &c., and cost of new furniture.

15. The increases in Bombay are attributable to an addition of two permanent and one temporary clerks, postal charges paid in cash, and the introduction of overland money orders.

16. Those in Madras are owing to the same causes.

17. In the Berar the commission paid to agents is more in this than in the previous year, owing to the transactions being larger; the other increased charges are apparently owing to the causes mentioned above and to the transfer of half share of net profits to Mysore from 1867-68 to 1871-72.

18. The charges in the Mysore Circle are somewhat more in 1872-73 than in 1871-72 for the following reasons: Increase of head clerk's pay from Rs. 50 to 60, the entertainment of two clerks on Rs. 25 and 10 respectively, and purchase of furniture for the Bangalore and Chituldroog Treasuries.

19. The following statement shows general results provincially and in the aggregate.

20. The number of Orders issued was as follows:—

	During 1869-70.	During 1870-71.	During 1871-72.	During 1872-73.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
In the Lower Provinces of Bengal	61,756	65,328	57,117	50,219
„ the North-Western Provinces	32,691	39,250	41,483	44,076
„ Oude	11,343	12,956	13,994	13,390
„ the Punjab	25,681	28,611	30,688	33,910
„ the Central Provinces	13,650	16,315	18,912	17,880
„ British Burmah	8,198	8,715	9,149	10,798
„ Ajmere	...	...	422	537
„ Gwalior and Morar	...	1,233	2,555	2,330
„ Indore	...	91	1,271	2,303
„ Mercara (Coorg)	555	899	994	1,196
„ Nusseerabad	...	...	250	777
„ Port Blair	930	635	758	1,477
„ Sehore (Bhopal)	...	602	774	1,010
TOTAL OF BENGAL PRESIDENCY ...	1,54,804	1,74,635	1,77,558	1,80,212
Bombay Presidency	21,189	24,832	25,938	29,350
Madras do.	22,765	27,196	27,621	30,086
Berar Circle	4,819	6,180	10,409	19,683
Mysore do.	7,204	9,859	9,687	10,104
TOTAL ...	2,10,781	2,42,702	2,51,213	2,69,435

The amount of Orders issued aggregated:—

	During 1869-70.	During 1870-71.	During 1871-72.	During 1872-73.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Lower Provinces of Bengal	38,10,169	38,46,506	30,35,893	24,98,031
North-Western Provinces	13,83,016	17,19,836	16,68,292	16,69,420
Oude	6,10,674	6,51,770	6,51,025	5,69,533
Punjab	11,31,600	13,23,558	13,62,027	14,14,678
Central Provinces	7,49,723	9,22,346	9,84,206	8,85,398
British Burmah	5,24,357	5,26,443	5,31,659	6,07,712
Ajmere	...	...	21,204	45,136
Gwalior and Morar	...	53,738	1,16,697	89,749
Indore	...	3,372	49,415	92,216
Mercara (Coorg)	18,211	32,302	31,238	37,552
Nusseerabad	...	...	13,518	33,477
Port Blair	82,798	33,122	43,674	81,287
Sehore (Bhopal)	...	40,481	39,902	49,073
TOTAL OF BENGAL PRESIDENCY ...	83,10,548	91,53,474	85,43,840	80,73,322
Bombay Presidency	15,01,966	16,76,277	15,31,561	16,20,771
Madras do.	12,19,601	13,70,797	13,65,671	13,31,163
Berar Circle	2,81,137	3,38,784	6,24,439	14,93,688
Mysore do.	3,50,086	5,16,592	4,43,604	4,02,688
TOTAL ...	1,16,63,338	1,30,55,924	1,25,14,115	1,29,21,632

22. The sums realized as 1st (a) and 2nd (b) Commissions were—

		During 1869-70.	During 1870-71.	During 1871-72.	During 1872-73.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
In the Lower Provinces of Bengal	(a)	41,145	41,786	33,413	27,742
	(b)	730	810	610	516
„ the North-Western Provinces	(a)	15,935	19,632	19,285	19,503
	(b)	302	399	349	284
„ Oude	(a)	6,742	7,282	7,349	6,524
	(b)	110	124	148	122
„ the Punjab	(a)	12,996	15,071	15,560	16,331
	(b)	247	241	256	261
„ the Central Provinces	(a)	8,197	10,013	10,745	9,783
	(b)	141	192	126	130
„ British Burmah	(a)	5,646	5,697	5,789	6,625
	(b)	62	48	59	62
„ Ajmere	(a)	...	...	242	497
	(b)	...	...	4	15
„ Gwalior and Morar	(a)	...	616	1,317	1,039
	(b)	...	6	14	14
„ Indore	(a)	...	39	563	1,040
	(b)	...	1	12	13
„ Mercara (Coorg)	(a)	216	379	372	445
	(b)	3	8	8	4
„ Nusseerabad	(a)	...	...	149	383
	(b)	...	...	...	6
„ Port Blair	(a)	858	363	474	877
	(b)	8	16	13	32
„ Sehore (Bhopal)	(a)	...	429	429	534
	(b)	...	1	5	[illegible]
Total of Bengal Presidency ...	(a)	91,735	1,01,307	95,687	91,3[illegible]
	(b)	1,603	1,846	1,604	1,[illegible]
In the Bombay Presidency	(a)	15,962	17,825	16,536	17,[illegible]
	(b)	254	307	318	[illegible]
„ the Madras Presidency	(a)	13,424	15,151	15,134	15,[illegible]
	(b)	222	249	203	[illegible]
„ the Berar Circle	(a)	3,070	3,726	6,784	15,[illegible]
	(b)	67	69	35	[illegible]
„ the Mysore Circle	(a)	3,895	5,647	4,935	[illegible]
	(b)	51	79	51	[illegible]
TOTAL ...	(a)	1,28,086	1,43,656	1,39,076	[illegible]
	(b)	2,197	2,550	2,211	[illegible]

23. The number of Orders paid was—

	During 1869-70.	During 1870-71.	During 1871-72.	Du[illegible] 187[illegible]
	No.	No.	No.	[illegible]
In the Lower Provinces of Bengal	77,387	84,187	78,553	[illegible]
„ the North-Western Provinces	38,577	46,778	51,627	56,[illegible]
„ Oude	11,692	15,820	20,412	27,[illegible]
„ the Punjab	21,154	22,187	23,991	25,[illegible]
„ the Central Provinces	4,383	5,002	5,036	5,[illegible]
„ British Burmah	2,145	2,222	2,471	2,[illegible]
„ Ajmere	...	...	401	[illegible]
„ Gwalior and Morar	...	256	355	[illegible]
„ Indore	...	21	141	[illegible]
„ Mercara (Coorg)	122	154	151	[illegible]
„ Nusseerabad	...	...	13	[illegible]
„ Port Blair	21	33	41	[illegible]
„ Sehore (Bhopal)	...	18	40	[illegible]
Total of Bengal Presidency ...	155,481	176,678	1,83,232	[illegible]
In the Bombay Presidency	19,318	22,696	23,986	[illegible]
„ the Madras Presidency	26,250	32,263	32,885	[illegible]
„ the Berar Circle	1,432	1,530	2,662	[illegible]
„ the Mysore Circle	5,871	8,001	7,976	[illegible]
TOTAL ...	208,352	241,168	250,741	[illegible]

24. The amount of Orders paid was—

	During 1869-70.	During 1870-71.	During 1871-72.	During 1872-73.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
In the Lower Provinces of Bengal	45,11,478	47,00,124	41,19,340	33,88,078
,, the North-Western Provinces	19,12,433	23,70,149	24,74,494	25,52,807
,, Oude	5,83,912	7,43,397	8,78,288	10,25,466
,, the Punjab	12,36,734	12,63,042	13,11,607	12,94,210
,, the Central Provinces	2,25,349	2,57,065	2,47,111	2,74,032
,, British Burmah	1,67,625	1,40,705	1,63,831	1,81,958
,, Ajmere	...	...	43,293	19,383
,, Gwalior and Morar	...	18,162	18,109	25,855
,, Indore	...	863	9,155	10,826
,, Mercara (Coorg)	7,641	10,326	9,042	7,008
,, Nusseerabad	...	...	753	6,147
,, Port Blair	1,001	2,213	2,405	1,505
,, Sehore (Bhopal)	...	1,600	2,059	3,453
Total of Bengal Presidency ...	86,46,173	95,07,646	92,79,487	87,90,728
,, the Bombay Presidency	13,55,442	15,15,330	13,63,852	19,44,061
,, the Madras Presidency	12,44,186	15,28,871	14,01,179	16,35,995
,, the Berar Circle	92,457	93,473	1,98,326	2,40,026
,, the Mysore Circle	2,53,239	3,52,297	3,14,643	3,26,735
TOTAL ...	1,15,91,497	1,29,97,617	1,25,57,487	1,29,37,545

25. The annual progress of transactions since the institution of the system is exhibited below :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
YEARS.	Number of Orders issued.	Amount.	Number of Orders paid.	Amount.	1st & 2nd Commission on Orders issued.	Lapsed Orders.	Total Receipts, Columns 6 and 7.	Charges.	Surplus or Profit.
		Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1863 (from Nov. 1)	12,187	7,43,969	11,110	6,91,465	7,995	...	7,995	3,232	4,763
1864 ...	27,819	15,83,554	28,849	15,67,513	17,284	...	17,284	8,837	8,447
1865 ...	37,187	21,21,088	36,738	21,15,275	23,207	3,080	26,287	9,574	16,713
1866 ...	39,258	20,33,900	38,482	20,23,115	22,534	...	22,534	10,698	11,836
1867 (11 months)	38,978	20,60,846	38,122	20,39,080	22,752	5,146	27,898	15,163	12,735
1868 ...	1,20,107	68,16,294	1,16,835	66,30,466	76,056	4,203	80,259	63,467	16,792
1869 ...	1,65,959	95,48,433	1,62,135	94,54,041	1,06,224	9,821	1,16,045	69,587	46,458
1870 ...	2,10,781	1,16,63,338	2,08,352	1,15,91,497	1,30,286	7,956	1,38,242	68,708	69,534
1871 ...	2,42,702	1,30,55,924	2,44,168	1,29,97,617	1,46,206	8,615	1,54,821	82,491	72,330
1872 ...	2,51,213	1,25,14,115	2,50,741	1,25,57,487	1,41,321	7,813	1,49,134	82,954	66,180
1873 ...	2,69,435	1,29,21,632	2,68,268	1,29,37,545	1,46,547	8,784	1,55,331	87,719	67,612
Total Profit during 10½ years ...	...	7,50,63,093	...	7,46,05,101	8,40,412	55,418	8,95,830	5,02,430	3,93,400

26. The average amount of Money Orders issued during the year under report and during the previous years is as follows :—

	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bengal	59	53	49
North-Western Provinces	44	40	38
Oude	50	46	42
Punjab	46	44	41
Provinces	57	54	49
British Burmah	60	58	56
Ajmere	.....	50	54
Gwalior and Morar	44	46	38
Indore	37	39	40
Mercara (Coorg)	36	31	31
Nusseerabad	.....	54	43
Port Blair	52	57	55
Sehore (Bhopal)	67	51	48
... ...	68	59	55
... ...	50	49	44
... ...	55	60	76
... ...	52	46	40

22. The same realized as 1st (a) and 2nd (b) Commissions were—

		During 1869-70.	During 1870-71.	During 1871-72.	During 1872-73.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
In the Lower Provinces of Bengal ...	(a)	41,145	41,786	33,413	27,742
	(b)	730	810	610	516
„ the North-Western Provinces ...	(a)	15,935	19,632	19,285	19,509
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	(b)	...	...	4	15
„ Gwalior and Morar ...	(a)	...	616	1,317	1,039
	(b)	...	6	14	14
„ Indore ...	(a)	...	39	563	1,040
	(b)	...	1	12	13
„ Mercara (Coorg) ...	(a)	216	379	372	446
	(b)	3	8	8	4
„ Nusseerabad ...	(a)	...	...	149	383
	(b)	...	...	...	6
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„ Sehore (Bhopal) ...	(a)	...	429	420	534
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	(b)	51	79	51	[illegible]
TOTAL ...	(a)	1,28,086	1,43,656	1,39,076	[illegible]
	(b)	2,197	2,550	2,211	[illegible]

23. The number of Orders paid was—

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„ the Central Provinces ...	4,383	5,002	5,036	5,[illegible]
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„ Ajmere ...	...	...	401	[illegible]
„ Gwalior and Morar ...	...	256	355	[illegible]
„ Indore ...	...	21	141	[illegible]
„ Mercara (Coorg) ...	122	154	151	[illegible]
„ Nusseerabad ...	...	...	13	[illegible]
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TOTAL ...	208,352	241,168	250,741	[illegible]

24. The amount of Orders paid was—

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Mercara (Coorg)	7,641	10,326	9,042	7,008
Nusseerabad	...	...	753	6,147
Port Blair	1,001	2,213	2,405	1,505
Schore (Bhopal)	...	1,600	2,059	3,453
Total of Bengal Presidency ...	86,46,173	95,07,646	92,79,487	87,90,728
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,, the Berar Circle	92,457	93,473	1,98,326	2,40,026
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TOTAL ...	1,15,91,497	1,29,97,617	1,25,57,487	1,29,37,545

25. The annual progress of transactions since the institution of the system is exhibited below :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
YEARS.	Number of Orders issued.	Amount.	Number of Orders paid.	Amount.	1st & 2nd Commission on Orders issued.	Lapsed Orders.	Total Receipts, Columns 6 and 7.	Charges.	Surplus or Profit.
		Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
3 (from Nov. 1)	12,187	7,43,969	11,110	6,91,465	7,995	...	7,995	3,232	4,763
4 ...	27,819	15,83,554	28,849	15,67,513	17,284	...	17,284	8,837	8,447
5 ...	37,187	21,21,088	36,738	21,15,275	23,207	3,080	26,287	9,574	16,713
6 ...	39,258	20,33,900	38,482	20,23,115	22,534	...	22,534	10,698	11,836
7 (11 months)	38,978	20,60,846	38,122	20,39,080	22,752	5,146	27,898	15,163	12,735
8 ...	1,20,107	68,16,294	1,16,835	66,30,466	76,056	4,203	80,259	63,467	16,792
9 ...	1,65,959	95,48,433	1,62,135	94,54,041	1,06,224	9,821	1,16,045	69,587	46,458
0 ...	2,10,781	1,16,63,338	2,08,352	1,15,91,497	1,30,286	7,956	1,38,242	68,708	69,534
1 ...	2,42,702	1,30,55,924	2,44,168	1,29,97,617	1,46,206	8,615	1,54,821	82,491	72,330
2 ...	2,51,213	1,25,14,115	2,50,741	1,25,57,487	1,41,321	7,813	1,49,134	82,954	66,180
3 ...	2,69,435	1,29,21,632	2,68,268	1,29,37,545	1,46,547	8,784	1,55,331	87,719	67,612
1 Profit during 3 years ...	...	7,50,63,093	...	7,46,05,101	8,40,412	55,418	8,95,830	5,02,430	3,93,400

6. The average amount of Money Orders issued during the year under report and during the evious years is as follows :—

	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
al	59	53	49
Western Provinces	44	40	38
... ...	50	46	42
... ...	46	44	41
Provinces	57	54	49
Burmah	60	58	56
... ...	.....	50	54
nd Morar	44	46	38
... ...	37	39	40
oorg)	36	31	31
d	.....	54	43
... ...	52	57	55
pal)	67	51	48
... ...	68	59	55
... ...	50	49	44
... ...	55	60	78
... ...	52	46	40

27. The drawings of Lower Bengal on the Chief Office, Calcutta, are nearly 3 lacs less than in the previous year (Appendix No. III), *viz.*:—

In 1871-72 ... ... 9,88,856 | In 1872-73 7,02,654

and the drawings on other Offices within the Circle show a falling off of upwards of 2½ lacs. Thus—

In 1871-72 ... ... 13,30,859 | In 1872-73 10,75,182

28. The same large falling off was observable last year. The continuance of it is attributable now, as then, to the growing use of Currency Notes.

29. The following abstract is intended to show the results detailed in Appendix No. III.

	On Calcutta.	Own Circle.	Other Circles.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta, Chief Office	1,376*	2,42,118	2,27,333	4,70,827
Bengal	7,01,279	8,33,063	4,92,861	20,27,203
North-Western Provinces	2,94,220	8,54,739	5,20,521	16,69,480
Oude	81,142	2,06,358	2,82,033	5,69,533
Punjab	2,23,028	6,28,803	5,62,847	14,14,678
Central Provinces	1,13,613	1,47,504	6,24,281	8,85,398
British Burmah	1,32,759	1,24,195	3,50,757	6,07,711
Ajmere	5,565	118	39,453	45,136
Gwalior and Morar	7,869	552	81,328	89,749
Indore	5,968	546	85,702	92,216
Mercara (Coorg)	66	...	37,486	37,552
Nusseerabad	3,388	75	30,014	33,477
Port Blair	45,307	275	35,705	81,287
Sehore (Bhopal)	2,911	295	45,866	49,072
Bombay	63,941	7,92,750	7,64,079	16,20,770
Madras	26,498	7,62,983	5,41,682	13,31,163
Berar	43,465	66,790	13,83,433	14,93,688
Mysore	4,247	1,84,032	2,14,408	4,02,687

* Repaid Orders.

30. The amount of Orders paid by one circle on another is as follows (App. III) :—

	Own Circle.	Other Circles.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta, Chief Office	7,01,904	10,53,669	17,55
Bengal	*10,93,175	5,39,330	16,32
North-Western Provinces	8,67,969	16,84,839	25,52
Oude	2,06,511	8,18,955	10,25
Punjab	6,37,268	6,56,942	12,9
Central Provinces	1,55,380	1,18,652	2,7
British Burmah	1,26,267	55,691	1,8
Ajmere	244	19,139	1
Gwalior and Morar	746	25,109	2
Indore	577	10,249	1
Mercara (Coorg)	172	6,836	
Nusseerabad	75	6,072	6
Port Blair	355	1,150	
Sehore (Bhopal)	70	3,383	
Bombay	7,97,193	11,46,868	19,4
Madras	7,71,255	8,64,740	16,3
Berar	65,816	1,74,210	2,4
Mysore	1,86,592	1,40,143	3,2

* Includes Rs. 2,42,096 drawn by Calcutta.

31. The amount of Orders lapsed and credited to Government during the year 1872-73 was—

In Bengal	Rs.	1,599
„ N. W. Provinces	„	1,418
„ Punjab	„	1,685
„ Central Provinces	„	640
„ Oude	„	509
„ British Burmah	„	946
„ Political Treasuries	„	162
„ Bombay	„	317
„ Madras	„	278
„ Berar	„	1,059
„ Mysore	„	170
TOTAL	Rs.	8,783

32. The total receipts of the Money Order Department throughout India during the year amounted to ... ... Rs

Deduct charges ... ... ,

Profit R

These figures compared with those of 1871-72 show an increase both in receipts and charges of Rs. 6,197 and Rs. 4,765 respectively.

33. There has been one item of loss written off during the year under the orders of Government, *viz.*, the unadjusted irrecoverable balance against the Chief Office, Calcutta, of Rs. 1,560, which properly appertains to 1870-71, the year in which the fraud took place.

34. Only one case of embezzlement has occurred during the year, *viz.*, at Nagpore, which was reported to Government in this Office No. 58, dated 7th March 1873. As far as is at present known, the amount embezzled is Rs. 6,498-4. A balance sheet, with statements of the double and false entries, was duly forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Nagpore, with this Office No. 1281, dated 28th June last, and copies were also sent to the Deputy Accountant-General for comparison with the late Agent's Journal and for a full report of the result of his examination. This report has not yet been received. The final examination of the late Agent's accounts, *i. e.*, of the issue side of the accounts with the paid vouchers, has not been finally closed. Nor is the Rangoon defalcation referred to in the 37th paragraph of last year's report yet finally disposed of, although the balance has been reduced to Rs. 376-10. A balance sheet and statements showing the result of the examination of the Agent's accounts in this Office were forwarded to the Assistant Commissioner, and copies of them to the Deputy Commissioner for information with this Office Nos. 2578 and 2580, dated respectively 25th January last; as in the Nagpore case, the examination of the issue sides of the accounts with the paid orders has not been finally closed.

35. The sanction of Government will now be solicited to write off the irrecoverable balance of Rs. 4,791-11 standing against the Sylhet Agency, as the Collector reports "that no further realizations were made up to date, 22nd March 1873, to meet the "defalcation of the late Agent, and it is not likely that anything more will be realized." This case was reported to Government in my No. 281 of the 18th May 1870.

36. On the 1st February 1873, the change of system advocated by Mr. Sandeman, by which the business of the Department is carried on by the District Treasury Establishments under the supervision of the Treasury Officers as Agents, came into operation. The results of the change will be reported on at the close of the current year.

37. The remarks of District Officers on this change are mostly confined to complaints of the extra work thrown on their establishment without any corresponding remuneration. During the current year 14 extra clerks have been allowed by Government to the treasuries noted in the margin, the Money Order work entailed on the establishment having been shown in each case to be considerable.

tagong... rpore ... ore ... a ... ensing ... ur ... ck ...	One clerk on Rs. 20 each. *Vide* Financial Department letter No. 678, dated 30th May 1873.
e ...	One clerk on Rs. 25. *Vide* Financial Department letter No. 2178, dated 11th August 1873.
abad, Rs. 30; es, „ 30; ow, „ 30; ore, „ 20; „ 20	*Vide* Financial Department letter No. 941, dated 11th June 1873.
dore ...	One clerk on Rs. 10 rising to Rs. 15, with annual increment of Re. 1. *Vide* Financial Department letter No. 2120, dated 5th August 1873.

38. With reference to Appendix No. XI, it will be observed that this statement of orders outstanding on the 31st March last does not, as it should, confirm the book balance of the department; the further examination of this question, and the consideration of the course of business in the Money Order Office, shall have my earliest attention; the check upon the transactions of the Agents not being so immediate or consequently so effective as it might be.

39. The Overland Money Order system came into operation on the 1st October 1872. The following statement, based on the returns received in my office, will give some idea of the transactions under this head that date up to the 31st March 1873 :—

ent showing the Amount, including Commission and Exchange of Overland Money Orders issued and paid during the year 1872-73.

	Issues. Rs.	A.	P.	Payments Rs.	A.	P.
By Calcutta	11,711	12	1	1,784	8	0
„ Bengal	34,695	14	10	404	14	0
„ North-Western Provinces	54,440	1	3	1,633	10	0
„ Oude	13,928	7	7	425	10	0
„ Punjab	62,461	12	3	2,599	8	0
„ Madras	18,339	14	8	1,941	11	8
„ Bombay	37,605	2	11	1,936	9	4
„ Government of India	10,788	11	0	137	8	0
„ Central Provinces	15,702	2	11	248	8	8
„ British Burmah	13,370	15	3	60	0	0
„ r	26,282	7	5	303	13	4
„ re	5,348	14	5	391	12	0
	3,04,676	4	7	11,868	1	0

RESOLUTION.—At the close of the year 1871-72 there were 354 active offices open. At the close of the year 1872-73 there were only 300 such offices. The decrease is due to a number of offices having been closed at which the transactions were insignificant in amount.

The number of orders issued (269,135) exceeded the number issued in 1871-72 (251,213) by 18,222 (7·25 per cent). The amount of orders issued (Rs. 1,29,31,632) exceeded the amount (Rs. 1,25,14,115) issued in 1871-72 by Rs. 4,07,515 (3·25 per cent).

The number of orders paid (268,268) exceeded the number paid in 1871-72 (250,741) by 17,527 (7· per cent).

The amount of orders paid (Rs. 1,29,37,545) exceeded the amount paid in 1871-72 (Rs. 1,25,57,487) by Rs. 3,80,058 (3· per cent).

The revenue of the Department was Rs. 1,55,331, being in excess of the revenue of the previous year (Rs. 1,49,100) by Rs. 6,231 (4·18 per cent). The charges were Rs. 87,719, being more than the charges in 1871-72 (Rs. 82,954) by Rs. 4,765 (5·74 per cent), and the net profit was Rs. 67,612, being more than the net profit in 1871-72 (Rs. 66,180) by Rs. 1,432 (2·16 per cent).

These facts are generally satisfactory. They show a smaller average amount for each order and an increased activity in the Department.

The larger proportionate increase of charges is explained to be due to sundry exceptional causes.

The amount paid again exceeded the amount received by a small sum (Rs. 15,913). But the total amount received from the beginning (Rs. 7,50,63,093) exceeds the total amount paid (Rs. 7,46,05,101) by a considerable sum (Rs. 4,57,992). This amount does not correspond, as it should do, with the grand total of orders shown as outstanding in Appendix XI (Rs. 4,22,220), and the President in Council trusts that every endeavour will be made to clear up the discrepancy. It is so far satisfactory that it is on the right side.

The average amount of an order in the Berars (Rs. 76) is very much larger than the general average of Rs. 48. Moreover, the average in the Berars has increased year by year since 1870-71. Some enquiry should be made into the causes of this.

The charges debited to the Department are clearly not exhaustive. They do not include rent of Government buildings, interest on capital employed, superintendence, cost of moving funds, or leave allowances and pensions.

In future returns twenty-five per cent. upon the cost of superior establishments and twelve per cent. upon that of inferior establishments should be added to cover the last item, and this adjustment should, next year, be made retrospectively in the 9th column of the table in para. 25 if it can be done without very much trouble.

It is not worth while to attempt to put the other items into figures, but if they are borne in mind, it will appear very doubtful whether it would be worth while to keep up the Department for the net revenue that it yields. The surplus in 10½ years without reckoning any of the omitted items is only Rs. 3,93,400, which is but a small set-off against the not inconsiderable risks involved in the operations of the Department. The annual profit is, however, constantly, though slowly, increasing.

The table in para. 25 shows in abstract the whole history of the Department in a small space; it exhibits a fairly steady rate of progress, which has only been checked owing to the increasing use of Currency Notes for remittances.

The Government of India regrets to observe that embezzlements still occur in the Department, and is prepared to authorise any additional expense which, by improving the efficiency of the Central Office, may tend to prevent such occurrences.

The amount of overland money orders issued in 1872-73 (six months) was Rs. 3,04,676; the amount paid was Rs. 11,368. It should be generally understood that the object of the Government in arranging for such orders, as for the inland money orders, is not to compete with bankers and agents for the profit upon exchange operations, but only to afford facilities for the safe remittance of small sums. Accordingly, the rate will be found, as a rule, slightly more expensive than bankers' rates.

The 5th December 1873.

No. 3461.—The following Resolution is published for general information:—

RESOLUTION.—On the 31st May 1861, the Government of India by an order in this Department, No. 6890,* directed that every Accountant-General and Deputy Accountant-General in independent charge should inspect every District Treasury within his circle of superintendence once at least in every three years.

* Page 1734 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 29th June 1861.

The duty thus imposed upon Accountants-General has been found incompatible wit[illegible] the demands upon their personal attention made by the duties of their own offices.

The Hon'ble the President in Council further observes that the duty of making effic[illegible] arrangements for the custody of the public money held at district treasuries, for provi[illegible] due accommodation to the public, for regulating the action of district officers under [illegible] Indian Coinage Act, 1270, and the Notifications of the Government of India affe[illegible] Coinage and Currency for securing the efficiency of the Account Branch of each d[illegible] treasury, including the strictest compliance with the demands made under the autho[illegible] the Government of India by Accountants-General for punctual submission on fixed [illegible] all periodical returns, for due maintenance, in prescribed form, of registers of depo[illegible]

for observance of checks on repayment of deposits, for inspection of accounts kept with officers of the Department of Public Works and others authorised to draw on district treasuries, and generally as to those matters that ordinarily engage the attention of Accountants-General in the course of their periodical inspections, rests primarily with the Superintending Officers of the local Governments.

It is believed that in all these respects Commissioners of Divisions and other Superintending Officers can effectively provide for all those objects that the Government of India has in view in the inspections of the Accountants-General.

The President in Council accordingly desires that the local Governments will arrange for the periodical inspection of all Revenue Treasuries by Commissioners of Divisions or other Superintending Officers, and that their observations on all matters connected with the accounts, and Treasury branches of Revenue Treasuries may be communicated to the Accountant-General of the province, together with any orders which on the occasion of such inspections they may give to the officers in charge of the Treasuries.

The Accountants-General will forward these reports with their remarks to the Comptroller-General, who will report to the Government of India in this Department the inspections made, with any remarks or suggestions which the circumstances may call for.

The periodical inspections by Accountants-General will be discontinued, but such officers may, with the approval of the local Government, either personally or by their Deputy, make a general inspection of particular Treasuries, or may, with the like approval, should circumstances make it desirable, depute a qualified officer of their establishment to examine and report on special matters requiring local and detailed investigation, either singly or in subordination to an officer of the local administration.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 1st December 1873.

No. 3448.—A second authorised edition of the Codes* of this Department, corrected to the 1st December 1873, has now been published.

* The Civil Pension Code.
The Civil Leave Code.
The Acting Allowance Code.

In this edition no changes other than verbal or unimportant alterations are made that have not been separately notified. From this date all previous rules and orders are superseded, and the second edition of the Codes only should be quoted.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

OPIUM.

No. 3536.—*The 5th December* 1873.—Opium revenue to date compared with the Estimate for the year 1873-74.

PRESIDENCY.	LATEST MONTH.			NINE SALES OF BENGAL OPIUM AND EIGHT MONTHS' DUTY ON MALWA OPIUM.		
	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bengal	420,000	459,160	39,160	3,780,000	3,958,654	178,654
Bombay	172,062	189,900	17,838	1,430,734	1,759,200	328,466
TOTAL ...	592,062	649,060	56,998	5,210,734	5,717,854	507,120

The following Orders issued by the Government of India, in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 1223 *of* 1873.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified :—

* * * *

Captain L. Blathwayt, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 1070 of 1873.—*Peshawur*, 21st November 1873, from Calcutta.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following are the Receipts into, and Payments out of, the Tre

Six Months, 1873-74 with 1872-73.		REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.					
			Budget Estimate, 1873-74.	Total Treasury Receipts.			
				To 30th September 1873.		Same time last y	
Increase.	Decrease.						
£	£		£	£	£	£	
.....	.....	Balance on 1st April 1873 ...	.....	.....	2,960,419	.....	2,5
.....	72,997	I. Land Revenue ...	4,020,000	1,331,038		1,404,055	
1,068	.....	III. Forest ...	14,500	6,288		5,170	
13,541	.....	IV. Excise ...	700,000	373,448		359,907	
.....	115,216	V. Assessed Taxes ...	3,500	3,467		118,688	
.....	87,348	VI. Customs ...	1,085,000	466,034		553,382	
.....	22,825	VII. Salt ...	2,650,000	1,404,458		1,427,283	
.....	414,594	VIII. Opium ...	5,277,000	2,723,273		3,137,867	
5,071	.....	IX. Stamps ...	835,000	471,109		466,038	
1,357	.....	XI. Post Office ...	.....	80,429		79,072	
4,311	.....	XIII. Law and Justice ...	92,000	54,701		50,390	
.....	4,682	XIV. Marine ...	123,800	50,968		55,650	
13,913	.....	XV. Interest ...	52,100	22,888		8,975	
1,280	.....	XVI. Pensions ...	1,600	1,747		467	
.....	37,229	XVII. Miscellaneous ...	106,200	40,769		77,998	
40,541	754,891	Total Revenue ...	14,960,700	.....	7,030,567	.....	

Decrease £714,350 in receipts.
Add increase ... £210,700 in expenditure.

£925,050 net decrease.

Miscellaneous Loans	8,582		.....
Service Funds	.....		.....
Political Stipend Fund	85,489		88,753
Provincial Services and Local Funds ...	926,984		907,896
Deposits	1,093,394		838,636
Savings Bank	182,529		154,790
Local Remittances	5,316,800		5,461,157
Advances Recoverable	940,518		919,308
Account Current with London ...	4,589		3,069
" " " India	2,348,036		2,167,019
" " " other Governments...	751,626		629,530
Electric Telegraph Remittances ...	40,791		46,84
Public Works	342,349		227,30
State Railway, Public Works Department...	26,860		10,87
Military and Marine Departments, Bengal	58,799		72,93
Military Departments, other Governments	127		1,48
Bill and Transfer Receipts, other Governments	17,281		17,79
		12,144,254	
Total £ ...		22,135,240	

CALCUTTA, OFFICE OF THE ACCTT.-GENL., BENGAL, the 6th December 1873.

gal between 1st April and 30th September 1873.

EXPENDITURE.						Six Months, 1873-74 with 1872-73.	
	Budget-Estimate, 1873-74.	Total Treasury Payments.				Increase.	Decrease.
		To 30th September 1873.		Same time last year.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
rest	14,000	12,455		563		11,892	.....
nds and Drawbacks ...	127,000	51,431		60,786		.....	9,355
l Revenue	348,400	166,554		167,318		.....	764
st	11,600	6,076		4,812		1,264	.....
se	31,500	16,717		15,270		1,447	.....
ssed Taxes	400	516		3,429		.....	2,913
oms	66,300	35,710		30,892		4,818	.....
... ...	8,500	4,955		2,083		2,872	.....
im	2,111,700	1,656,555		1,512,880		143,675	.....
nps	23,500	13,935		16,682		.....	2,747
t Office	.....	45,525		49,102		.....	3,577
ministration	171,300	90,538		82,030		8,508	.....
or Departments ...	20,750	11,455		15,382		.....	3,927
and Justice... ..	710,000	367,958		342,649		25,309	.....
ine	175,100	87,577		78,300		9,277	.....
esiastical	23,200	12,594		11,601		993	.....
ical Agencies ...	2,900	4,017		1,206		2,811	.....
vances (Treaty) ...	247,300	122,312		120,386		1,926	.....
rannuations... ...	71,000	35,554		35,040		514	.....
ellaneous	9,000	3,471		3,926		.....	455
ments for Provincial Services	1,270,100	635,977		616,845		19,132	.....
Total Expenditure ...	5,443,550	.....	3,381,882	.....	3,171,182	234,438	23,738

Increase ... £ 210,700.

ous Loans	131,316		.....		
nds	.....		.....		
inend Fund	63,442		67,495		
Services and Local Funds ...	922,453		771,052		
... ...	1,170,500		917,060		
k	138,267		117,292		
tances	5,314,973		5,478,325		
coverable	952,943		941,297		
ent with London	4		207		
,, India	6,855,786		7,209,349		
,, other Governments ...	39,829		16,286		
raph Remittances	27,670		22,388		
... ...	865,943		641,575		
Public Works Department ...	26,151		2,000		
arine Departments, Bengal ...	225,641		267,637		
ments, other Governments ...	8,886		9,922		
Receipts, other Governments ...	7,174		6,285		
on 30th September 1873 ...		16,750,928		16,468,170	
		2,002,430		2,242,870	
Total £ ...		22,135,240		21,882,222	

H. A. Mangles, *Offg. Acctt.-Genl., Bengal.*

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1997.

JUDICIAL.—*The 19th November* 1873.—The following persons are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the district of Rungpore, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

Baboo Jugumohun Poddar, Jotedar.
Moonshee Banwarilal, ditto.
,, Hafezuddin Sircar, ditto.
Baboo Lukhi Kant Sircar, Jotedar.
,, Dharma Narayan Das, ditto.

The 28th November 1873.—Mr. J. W. Mascyk has resigned his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate for the Jungypore Bench, in the district of Moorshedabad.

The 5th December 1873.—Baboo Bogola Prosunno Mozumdar, Sub-Registrar of Noakhally, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Baboo Gurudas Dhur has resigned his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate for the Jungypore Bench, in the district of Moorshedabad.

The 6th December 1873.—The following Munsifs are promoted in the vacancies caused by the deaths of Baboo Soorje Kant Banerjee, First Grade Munsif of Jessore, and of Moulvi Tumeezooddeen Ahmed, First Grade Munsif of Begoo Serai, in the district of Bhaugulpore:—

From the Second to the First Grade.

Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Sen, Mymensing.
,, Ram Chunder Dhur, Ghosegong in Mymensing.

From the Third to the Second Grade.

Baboo Khetter Prosad Mookerjee, B.L., Burrobaree in Rungpore.
,, Mohesh Chunder Roy, Nicklee in Mymensing.

Baboo Chuckro Dhur Persad is appointed to be a Munsif of the Third Grade, and to be Munsif of Kudba in Purneah, but to continue to act as Munsif of Mozufferpore till Baboo Burmah Dutt's return from leave.

Mr. T. F. Bignold, who has under separate orders of this date been appointed to act as Inspector-General of Jails, will exercise the powers of a Magistrate under Act II (B.C.) of 1864 and Act V (B.C.) of 1865 within the Jails under his control.

The 8th December 1873.—Baboo Kartick Chandra Pal, B.L., is appointed to act as Munsif of Deang in Chittagong during the absence on leave for two months, from the 25th December, of Baboo Kristo Chundra Chowdry, or until further orders.

Baboo Shoshi Bhoosun Banerjee, B.L., is appointed to act as Munsif of Culna, in East Burdwan, during the absence on leave of Baboo Rajrajeshur Bhuttacharjee, or until further orders.

Mr. George Eldon Manisty, who has under separate orders of this date been appointed to be an Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of Rajshahye, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 9th December 1873.—Baboo Rajkissore Narain, who has under separate orders of this date been appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector at Sewan, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

ERRATUM.—*The 9th December* 1873.—In the Notification dated 17th November 1873, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, regarding the formation of a new sub-district at Moheshrekha in the district of Howrah,

For

"The Sub-Divisional Officer at Moheshrekha will be *ex-officio* Sub-Registrar,"

Read

"The Sub-Divisional Officer at Moheshrekha will be *ex-officio* Sub-Registrar as a temporary arrangement."

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 4th December 1873.—It is hereby notified that under Section 83 of Act VII of 187[illegible] (The Indian Emigration Act), the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized Mr. F. H. Barrow, Assistant Magistrate in the district of Bhaugulpore, to perform the duties and exercise the powers of the Magistrate of the district under that Act.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 4th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Government of Bengal that the land, particulars of which are subjoined, is required for a public purpose, viz. the site for the police station of Kumarkhali, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land measuring 1 beegah 19 cottahs is required.

The land is situated in the district of Nuddea, Pergunnah Rokunpur, Thannah Kumarkhali, village Elangi; it is bounded on the north by the dwelling-house of Bhagirath Patni; on the east by the Suradoha jola; on the south by the School Street; and on the west by the dwelling-house of Kanie Changa, and is known as the late Peshkar and Hori Lall Chowdhri Mooktar's lodging.

This Declaration is made, under Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new sub-district to be attached to the District of Howrah, and to be conterminous with Thannahs Ooloberia, Shampore, Bagnan and Ampta, in the District of Howrah, and Thannah Khanakul, in the Registration Sub-district of Jehanabad, in the District of Burdwan, with Head-quarters at Moheshrekha.

The Sub-Divisional Officer at Moheshrekha will be temporarily *ex-officio* Sub-Registrar, and receive the usual commission of 25 per cent.

This notification will take effect on and after 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that under Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new sub-district in the district of Beerbhoom, comprising Thannahs Labhpore and Burwan, and having its head-quarters at Labhpore.

Munshi Ghulam Rossul is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Labhpore. This notification will take effect on and from 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of Section 2 of Act V (B. C.) of 1873, *the following plan for the future lighting of that area of the town of Howrah which is at present lighted with gas is hereby published for general information by order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.*

PLAN.

1. The portion of the Town which is lighted is bounded as follows:—

On the North by Hurrogunge Road, on the South by Ramkistopore Ghaut Road, on the East by the River Hooghly, and on the West by the Grand Trunk Road. A map of this portion is herewith submitted, on which is shown in blue lines the streets which are lighted, and in red lines those which the Commissioners propose to light on receipt of His Honor's sanction.

2. The following are the names of the streets and the number of lamps in each at present lighted, as also the names of the streets proposed to be lighted and the number of lamps in each.

Names of the Streets and the Number of Lamps in each at present lighted.

Grand Trunk Road	52
Ramkistopore Ghaut Road ..	7
Telkul Ghaut Road	12
Avenue Road	7
Church Road	5
Chandmarree Road	8
Tindal Garden Road	9
Lall Diggee Road	4
King's Road	4
Rosemarree Lane	3
Salt Gola Lane	3
Carried over ...	114

Brought forward ..	114
Ghoosery Road	4
Golabaree Road	5
Baptist Burial Ground Road ..	9
New Street	1
Ross Road	4
Seal's New Lane	2
Hurrogunge Road	12
Howrah Road	44
Howrah Ghaut Road	3
Total ...	201

Names of the Streets and the Number of Lamps in each proposed to be lighted.

Khelter Mitter's Lane	..	..	10
Watkins' Lane	..	..	5
Dobson's Lane	..	..	15
Strand Road	..	..	3
Carried over		..	33
Brought forward		..	33
Mackenzie's Lane	..	..	2
Ticoaparrah and Jelleaparrah Lane		..	4
Total		..	39

3. It will be observed from the map* that when the last named streets are lighted, *all* the public roads within the portion of the town described in para. 2 will be lighted; that is to say, all the highways which are vested in the Commissioners, and over which they have control.

* *Vide* note deposited in the Bengal Office.

4. The outlay in erecting the lamps at present lighted, numbering 201, was Rs. 10,628 and the estimated cost of erecting the 39 lamps, which are required to complete the lighted area, is Rs. 2,437-8.

5. The cost of erecting the existing lamps was met from general funds, and th Commissioners propose to pay for the erection of the extra lamps from the saving which w be effected in the allotment for lighting charges for the months of January, February, a March next. This of course is calculated on the principle that His Honor the Lieutena Governor will be pleased to authorize the Commissioners to levy the rate from the 4th quar of the current year 1873-74, viz. January to March 1874, the Commissioners, on their pa undertaking that the extra lamps shall be ready for lighting from 1st January.

6. The cost of lighting the 240 lamps will be Rs. 24,000 per annum. To this cost Commissioners are bound by the existing contract with the Gas Company from which t have no escape. The contract has still 18 years to run. To this is to be added a sur Rs. 1,200 for contingent charges of repairs to lamps, making a total of Rs. 25,200 per annum

7. The total valuation of buildings and lands situated within the area is Rs. 8,72,86 A rate of 3 per cent. on this valuation would yield Rs. 26,186 per annum, and if from th sum a deduction is made of, say, Rs. 486 on account of collection charges, there would rema a net income of Rs. 25,700, which would cover the expenses of lighting and maintaining th lamps within the portion of the town in which it is proposed to levy the rate for the present.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 24th November 1873.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that pending the appointment of th Board of Examiners for the examination of candidates for Pleaderships and Mooktearship notices from candidates for Mooktearships of their intention to appear at the next exami ation will be received at the office of Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Judici Department, up to the 15th December next.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that under Section 5 of the Ind Registration Act VIII of 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction formation of a new sub-district in the District of Beerbhoom, comprising Thannahs Kas and Sakulipore, and having its head-quarters at Soorool.

Baboo Hari Mohan Sarkar of Soorool is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Soorool.

This notification will take effect on and from the 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor ha pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office in the Distr Chittagong, with head-quarters at Raujan. The new Sub-Registrar will exercise, in a Thannah Raujan and Outpost Ranganiya only, concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registrar of Chittagong. Moonshi Mehr-ullah Chaudhuri is appointed to be Registrar of Raujan.

This notification will take effect on and from 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of B

[Third Publication]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Patiya, in the District of Chittagong. The Sub-Registrar of Patiya will exercise in and for Thannah Patiya concurrent jurisdiction with the Sudder Sub-Registrar of Chittagong.

Munshi Muinuddin Ahmed is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Patiya.

This notification will take effect on and from the 1st December 1873.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 20th November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a police station in the village of Golachipa, Pergunnah Chundra Dipa, Zillah Backergunge, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring more or less 4 beegahs, 14 cottahs, 10½ chittacks, bounded on the north by waste lands of Messrs. Togose and Golachipa Khall, on the west by waste lands and paddy fields, on the south by paddy fields, and on the east by paddy fields and Golachipa market, is required within the aforesaid village of Golachipa.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 3rd December 1873.

No. 420.—*Notification.*—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to remove the Ganges and Darjeeling Road from Carragolah Ghaut to the Mahanuddy River with the bridge across the latter river from the charge of the Executive Engineers, Purneah District of Public Works, and to form the same into a separate division, to be designated the Ganges and Darjeeling Road Division.

No. 421.—*Appointment.*—Mr. G. A. D. Anley, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, Purneah district, is transferred to the executive charge of the Ganges and Darjeeling Road Division.

The 6th December 1873.

No. 422.—*Notification.*—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to divide the Beerbhoom and Bancoorah districts into two separate districts, to be designated as follows:—

Beerbhoom district.	Bancoorah district.

No. 423.—*Transfers.*—Mr. J. T. Simpson, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Officiating Executive Engineer, from the Beerbhoom and Bancoorah to the Beerbhoom district.

No. 424.—Mr. W. B. Christie, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, from the First Calcutta Division to the executive charge of the Bancoorah district.

No. 425.—*Notifications.*—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to remove the works for the improvement of the navigation of the Nuddea (Bhaughiruttee, Jellinghee and Matabangha) Rivers and the works of the Nizamut Department from the Moorshedabad and Nuddea districts, and to form the same into a separate division, to be designated the Nuddea Rivers Division.

No. 426.—Mr. T. H. Wickes, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, Moorshedabad district, transferred to the Nuddea Rivers Division.

Mr. Wickes is also appointed Supervisor of the above rivers under Section XIII of Act of 1864, Bengal Legislative Council.

No. 427.—Mr. J. S. Cary, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, attached to the Moorshedabad district, to be Executive Engineer of that district.

No. 429.—Mr. R. G. Kennedy, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, joined the Third Division on the 21st November 1873, before noon.

No. 430.—Mr. C. A. Mills, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, joined the First Calcutta Division on the 19th November 1873, before noon.

No. 431.—The transfer* of Baboo Toyluckonath Chatterjee, Overseer, First Grade, from the Rungpore and Bograh to the Rajshahye and Pubna districts is cancelled.

* Government Public Works Notification No. 416 of the 1st December 1873.

No. 432.—The following order, issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 750 *of the 4th December* 1873.—Mr. W. deW. Peel, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, is posted to Bengal, instead of the Punjab Irrigation Branch, as previously notified."

The 8th December 1873.

No. 433.—*Posting.*—Mr. W. deW. Peel, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, is posted to the Presidency Circle.

No. 434.—*Erratum.*—In Notification No. 417 of the 29th November 1873, for "*Balasore*" read "*Lohardugga.*"

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 5th December 1873.

No. 553.—*Postings.*—Mr. C. Shelverton, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, transferr rom the Punjab to Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Upper Gunduck Embar ment Division.

No. 554.—Baboo Preonath Ghose, Apprentice Engineer, transferred from the No Western Provinces to the Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Upper Gunduc Embankment Division.

No. 555.—*Transfer.*—Mr. J. G. Pew, Sub-Engineer, First Grade, from the Behar Survey to the Upper Gunduck Embankment Division.

No. 556.—*Postings.*—Baboo Bhedhoo Bhosun Biswas, Apprentice Engineer, transferred from the North-Western Provinces to Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Lower Gunduck Embankment Division.

No. 557.—Sergeant T. Williams, Supervisor, Second Grade, who has been transferred from the Punjab, is posted to the Buxar Division of the Sone Circle, which he joined on the forenoon of the 28th November 1873.

No. 558.—Sergeant T. Gurd, Supervisor, Second Grade, who has been transferred from the Punjab, is posted to the Buxar Division of the Sone Circle, which he joined on the afternoon of the 27th November 1873.

No. 559.—*Notification.*—Mr. F. Taylor, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, assumed charge of the Hidgellee Division on the afternoon of the 25th November 1873.

The 8th December 1873.

No. 560.—*Notifications.*—Mr. H. P. Wylly, Deputy Revenue Superintendent, Orissa took charge of the Office of Canal Revenue Superintendent, Orissa, on the 1st December 187

No. 561.—Lance Corporal S. Crawshaw, Overseer, Second Grade, Pooree Survey Div sion, is remanded to Military duty at his own request.

No. 562.—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Wor Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 742, *dated 3rd December* 1873.—Mr. J. Norris is appointed to the Public Works Departmen a Temporary Sub-Engineer of the Third Grade, and posted to Bengal Irrigation Branch."

No. 563.—*Posting.*—Mr. J. Norris, Temporary Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, to the Bu Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 22nd November 1873.

No. 564.—*Notification.*—The following Notification of the Government of India, Mili Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 1214 *of* 1873, *dated 2nd December* 1873.—Third Class Hospital Assistant Abdool K (No. 81), attached to the Irrigation Branch, Public Works Department, at Waladed, whose admissi the service was notified in G. G. O. No. 968 dated 4th October 1870, is dismissed the service."

No. 565.—*Posting.*—Mr. W. Delahay, Overseer, First Grade, transferred from M Works Branch to Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Upper Gunduck Emba Division.

IRRIGATION.

The 8th December 1873.

No. 566.—*Notification.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor that land is likely to be required in the district of Balasore to be taken up by G at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a protective embankment bank of the River Salindi in connection with Range IV of the High Level hereby notified that for the above purpose a strip of land, 11 miles in length and breadth, more or less, is required, commencing at Mouzah Oogalpore in Pergun

Oorgurrah, and passing through that Mouzah and Mouzahs Govindpore, Oolung, Juhonga, Churcca, Bheempore, Teegurah, Naulongra and Kooreeamal in the same Pergunnah, and in Gurdehee, Burdah, Nalpore, Suhabpore, Mirzapore, Burdo, and Bhishtuoopore in Pergunnah Uddah Rupeeah, and Mouzah Etooah Koorsoonpore, ending in Mouzah Chuckraparee of Pergunnah Tuppah Poorseondah.

This notification is made under Section 4 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

A. J. HUGHES, *C. E.*,
for Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

The 9th December 1873.

No. 567.—*Notification*.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of the Chota Kopali Nullah under the High Level Canal, Section 3, and for a Catch Drain and Inspection Bungalow in connection with the same, it is hereby declared that for the above purposes two pieces of land 11,000 and 2,700 feet in length respectively, measuring 88 acres, more or less, are required within the villages f Ullahi and Andopalli, Pergunnah Sosoh, Zillah Balasore, and the village Beturah, Pergunnah Randia Oorgurah, Zillah Balasore. The first strip of land commences at the village Ullahi, passes through lands of the village of Andopalli, and terminates at the Kopalli aqueduct in the village of Beturah. The second strip of land commences at the 14th lestone of the High Level Canal, Section 3, and terminates at the Kopalli aqueduct, so in the village of Beturah.

This notification is made under the provisions of Section 4 of Act X of 1870 to all om it may concern.

H. W. GULLIVER, LIEUT.-COL., *R.E.*,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

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ort of leave granted to the Rural Sub-Registrar of Jhalokati and the temporary appointment made for carrying on his work.

e of Sub-Registrar on leave.	Name of Sub-Registrar appointed.	Nature and period of leave.	Date of making over charge.	REMARKS.
oulvie Syad Abdur Rub, Sub-Registrar of Jhalokati.	Moulvie Sadaruddin.	Sick leave for three months.	10th November 1873.	

CALCUTTA,
The 29th November 1873.

T. F. BIGNOLD,
Offg. Inspector-General of Registration

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port of leave granted to the Rural Sub-Registrar of Ghazipore and the temporary appointment made for carrying on his work.

Name of the Sub-Registrar on leave.	Name of the Sub-Registrar appointed.	Nature and period of leave granted.	Date of making over charge.	REMARKS.
lvie Azizuddin ydar, Sub-Registrar of Ghazipore.	Moonshee Abdussamad.	Leave on urgent private affairs for one month.	18th November 1873.	

CALCUTTA,
29*th November* 1873.

T. F. BIGNOLD,
Offg. Inspector-General of Registration.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Circular Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

No. 17.

Dated Calcutta, the 4th November 1873.

llowing Notification by the Government of India, Home Department, dated the 17th October last, is circulated for the information and guidance of all Judicial Officers, and the Court enjoins the strictest compliance with the instructions therein laid down.

OURT, &c.,
EPARTMENT.
al.

By order of the High Court,

W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

No. 3204.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

Public.

Simla, the 17th October 1873.

NOTIFICATION.—As there is reason to believe that the orders of this Department, dated the 15th June 1869, warning public officers to be careful in granting certificates to their subordinates, are not generally known or acted upon, those orders are here below republished for general information; and all officers of Government are required carefully to observe them:—

Circular to Local Governments and Administrations, dated the 15th June 1869.

"The Governor-General in Council has recently had under consideration a case in which a public officer, the Head of a Department, in granting a certificate to one of his subordinat suppressed the true reason for which the subordinate had been removed from his appoin ment. Such an omission may obviously be injurious to the interests of the public servi I am therefore directed to draw attention to the subject, and to request the issue of ord to all public officers, warning them to be careful in giving certificates to their subordinat to state the whole truth in respect of character and cause of dismissal or resignation appointment."

A. C. LYALL,
Secy. to the Govt. of India

No. 18.

Dated Calcutta, the 10th November 1873.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.
Civil.

All District Judges and Judicial Commissioners are hereby requested to obtain f their own offices, as well as from the Courts subject to t control, the particulars set forth in the annexed form regard compulsory sales of immovable property not conducted by th agency of the Collector, and submit the same to the High Cou for the information of Government. The return in question should embrace the official ye 1872-73, and should be similarly submitted in future years.

2. By the words "Great Zemindarees," in the first column of the form, are intend *zemindarees paying more than Rs.* 50,000 *revenue;* and by "Large Zemindarees," *those pay more than Rs.* 5,000 *revenue.*

By order of the High Court,

J. H. BELCHAMBERS,
Dy. Registrar, for Registrar

The 4th December 1873.

Register of transfers by compulsory sale.

Nature of tenure transferred.	Number of transfers recorded.	Average area in acres of each holding transferred.	REM
Great zemindarees, complete			
Shares in zemindarees, complete			
Large zemindarees			
Shares in ditto			
Small zemindarees			
Shares in ditto			
Villages owned by cultivating communities ...			
Shares in ditto			
Holdings of proprietary cultivators			
Intermediate holdings of a transferable character			
Holdings of ryots at fixed rates			
Holdings of ryots with right of occupancy ...			
Revenue-free tenures			

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Nurrail will hold sittings at Nurrail on the dates mentioned below, in order to clear off the accumulation of cases now on the dockets of that Court :—

Monday, the 22nd December 1873.
Tuesday, the 29rd " "

The 6th December 1873. J. W. WESTON, *Judge.*

TREASURY NOTICES.

MR. J. B. SHADWELL, Extra Assistant Commissioner, has been placed in charge of the Khasi and Jynteah Hills Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

HENRY HOPKINSON, *Agent, Governor-General, N. E. F., and Commr. of Assam.*

GOWHATTY, the 15th November 1873.

MR. A. BURODAH, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, has been placed in charge of the Sibsagor Treasury, and is authorised to draw Bills on other Treasuries.

HENRY HOPKINSON,
Agent, Governor General, North-East Frontier,
and Commissioner of Assam.

NOTICE is hereby given that Deputy Collector Baboo Sheetul Nath Bose has been placed in charge of the Sarun Treasury from the 21st ultimo, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

PATNA, COMMR.'s OFFICE, the 3rd December 1873. S. C. BAYLEY, *Commissioner.*

MR. EXTRA ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER J. ROWLAND has been placed in charge of the Dumka Treasury, and authorized to draw bills on all other Treasuries.—By order,

S. P. CHATTERJEE, *Persl. Asst. to the Commr.*

BHAUGULPORE, COMMR.'s OFFICE, the 4th December 1873.

NOTICE.

THE following dates of the Criminal Sessions during the year 1874 are published for general information :—

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
First	Wednesday	14th January.
Second	Monday	16th February.
Third	Wednesday	18th March.
Fourth	Thursday	23rd April.
Fifth	Ditto	28th May.
Sixth	Tuesday	30th June.
Seventh	Monday	3rd August.
Eighth	Ditto	14th September.
Ninth	Ditto	30th November.

By order,

The 20th November 1873. C. C. MACRAE, *Clerk of the Crown.*

Candidates who passed the Preliminary Junior Scholarship Examination, held in the Assam Circle in September 1873.

Masiat-ullá	Gowhatty High School.
Dhairjya Náráyan Dás	Goálpárá Zillah School.
Rádhá Náth	Gowhatty High School.
Gopál Chandra Dás	Ditto ditto.

The 27th November 1873. C. A. MARTIN, L.L.D., *Offg. Inspr. of Schools Assam Circle.*

NOTICE.

The following Candidates have passed the Examination in Surveying and Physical Geography, held, in accordance with the Junior Scholarship Rules, in the Dacca Division on the 16th September 1873:—

No.	Names of Successful Candidates.		Schools.
	First Division.		
	In order of Merit.		
1	Banga Chandra Bhattacharjya	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
2	Ananda Chandra Chackravarti	...	Dacca Jagarnath School.
3	Guru Gobinda Pattadar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
4	Kali Prasunna Rai	...	Ditto.
5	Jagach Chandra Rai	...	Ditto.
6	Govinda Chandra Das Gupta	...	Dacca Jagarnath School.
7	Mohim Chandra Mozumdar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
8	Rai Mohana Saha	...	Ditto.
9	Basanta Kumara Sena	...	Ditto.
10	Ishan Chandra Singha	...	Dacca Jagarnath School.
11	Harendra Kumar Das	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
12	Kamini Kantha Gupta	...	Ditto.
[13	Guru Nath Sena	...	Chittagong Government School.]
14	Surjya Kumar Das	...	Dacca Jagarnath School.
15	Hari Charan Dé	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
16	Tara Prosunna Das	...	Ditto.
17	Janoki Nath Biswas	...	Ditto.
18	Sitala Kantha Chattapadyay	...	Ditto.
19	Mothura Mohun Basu	...	Dacca Jagarnath School.
20	Ganga Govinda Gupta	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
21	Girischundra Lahiri	...	Furreedpore Government School.
22	Narendra Nath Dhur	...	Dacca Pogose School.
23	Moni Mohun Rai	...	Dacca Jagarnath School.
24	Khettro Mohun Mukopadyay	...	Sylhet Government School.
25	Rajani Kumar Gangopadyay	...	Dacca Jagarnath School.
26	Sandari Mohun Dass	...	Sylhet Government School.
27	Lucksmi Kantha Bhuttacharjya	...	Mymensing Government School.
28	Kalidas Dutta	...	Ditto.
29	Kunju Lall Nag	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
30	Huri Mohun Pal	...	Ditto.
	Second Division.		
	School by School.		
31	Asutosh Sarkar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
32	Syama Kanta Mitra	...	Ditto.
33	Rama Prosunna Roy	...	Ditto.
34	Akhil Chandra Ghosh	...	Ditto.
35	Govinda Chandra Sen	...	Ditto.
36	Novin Chandra Chackravarti, 2nd	...	Ditto.
37	Peari Mohun Dutta	...	Ditto.
38	Chandee Charan Soma	...	Ditto.
39	Sasi Bhusan Sinha	...	Ditto.
40	Nova Kumar Roy	...	Ditto.
41	Hara Doyal Nag	...	Ditto.
42	Ambika Charan Dutta	...	Ditto.
43	Syud Soudduddin	...	Ditto.
44	Prosunna Kumar Basu	...	Ditto.
45	Chinta Haran Basu	...	Ditto.
46	Boroda Kanta Aich	...	Ditto.
47	Prosunna Chandra Pal	...	Ditto.
48	Sosi Kumar Gupta	...	Ditto.
49	Kali Kumar Chattapadya	...	Ditto.
50	Parbati Charan Dé	...	Ditto.
51	Navadrip Chandra Laha	...	Ditto.
52	Sultan Ali	...	Ditto.
53	Jadu Nath Das	...	Ditto.
54	Dina Bandhu Das	...	Ditto.
55	Hemanto Kumar Ghosh	...	Ditto.
56	Sharrut Chandra Banerji	...	Ditto.
57	Novin Chandra Chakravarti, 1st	...	Ditto.

No.	Names of Successful Candidates.		Schools.
58	Pyari Mohun Ghosh	...	Dacca Collagiate School.
59	Charles E. Lefeuvre	...	Ditto.
60	Ram Kumar Chackravarti	...	Dacca Pogose School.
61	Ganga Mohun Mokhopadya	...	Ditto.
62	Prosunna Kumar Dutta	...	Ditto.
63	Shoshi Bhusan Dutta	...	Ditto.
64	Prokas Chandra Sen	...	Ditto.
65	Bhuban Mohun Sen	...	Ditto.
66	Hara Nath Chackravarti	...	Ditto.
67	Abhoya Coomar Ghosh, 1st	...	Ditto.
68	Hara Nath Banerji	...	Ditto.
69	Anandu Charan Das	...	Ditto.
70	Gopal Chandra Mozumdar	...	Ditto.
71	Behari Lal Chattopadhya	...	Ditto.
72	Krisna Sunder Das	...	Ditto.
73	Pran Choitanya Ghose	...	Ditto.
74	Dharani Nath Basack	...	Ditto.
75	Priya Nath Basack	...	Ditto.
76	Chandra Kishore Kar	...	Ditto.
77	Chandra Kisar Rai	...	Ditto.
78	Karuna Kumar Sen	...	Dacca Jagarnath School.
79	Ram Kisore Ray	...	Ditto.
80	Rahini Kumar Bysack	...	Ditto.
81	Beepin Behari Mittra	...	Ditto.
82	Naba Kumar Roy	...	Ditto.
83	Brija Nath Roy	...	Ditto.
84	Syud Uddin Ahamed	...	Ditto.
85	Raheday Chandra Nundy	...	Ditto.
86	Chandra Mohun Gangoly	...	Ditto.
87	Anath Bandhu Basak	...	Ditto.
88	Basanta Kumar Basu	...	Ditto.
89	Kashi Prosunno Das	...	Ditto.
90	Chandra Kishore Roy	...	Ditto.
	Krisna Chandra Das	...	Khaja Abdul Gunny's School, Dacca.
92	Kali Bhusan Roy	...	Ditto.
93	Sarath Chandra Basu	...	Ditto.
94	Juguth Chandra Gupta	...	Ditto.
95	Mohini Mohun Bysack	...	Ditto.
96	Sarath Kumar Chattapadhya	...	Dacca Branch School.
97	Jogish Chandra Guha	...	Ditto.
98	Satish Chandra Chowdhuri	...	Furreedpore Zillah School.
99	Sasi Kumar Sen	...	Ditto.
100	Hara Nath Ghose	...	Ditto.
101	Umesh Chandra Sen	...	Ditto.
102	Hrishi Kes Ray	...	Ditto.
103	Gopal Chandra Chackravarti	...	Ditto.
104	Muhammed Mobham	...	Ditto.
105	Devendra Chunder Bhomick	...	Ditto.
106	Keder Nath Dass	...	Burrisaul Zillah School.
107	Shasti Churn Ghosh	...	Ditto.
108	Priya Nath Mitter	...	Ditto.
109	Gunga Naran Sein	...	Ditto.
110	Tarinee Coomar Goopta	...	Ditto.
111	Bissessur Mookhopaddya	...	Ditto.
112	Nural Hosein	...	Ditto.
113	Kalisunkur Sukul	...	Mymensing Zillah School.
114	Hori Churn Sarkur	...	Ditto.
115	Anondu Mohun Dé	...	Ditto.
116	Taraku Chundru Chakravarti	...	Ditto.
117	Saroda Runjon Roy	...	Ditto.
118	Jamini Kanth Bose	...	Ditto.
119	Umas Chandra Lahiri	...	Ditto.
120	Mobendru Chundru Dutt	...	Ditto.
121	Mothora Nath Ghosh	...	Ditto.
122	Kaishiki Charan Gupta	...	Cachar Government School.
123	Gayan Chandru Nundi	...	Ditto.
124	Tara Kisar Gopta	...	Ditto.

OBHOY CHUNDER DOSS, *Personal Asst. to Commr.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 909B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for s by public auction in the year 1874, will consist of 26,2 chests of Behar, and 18,756 chests of Benares Opiu being of the two seasons 1871-72 and 1872-73 in t proportions marginally noted. The sales will be he on or about the dates specified below. The Member charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves himself the right of altering these dates should circum stances render it expedient to do so.

		Chests.	Chests.
BEHAR.			
Reserve of 1871-72	...	8	
Supply from 1872-73	...	26,236	
			26,244
BENARES.			
Reserve of 1871-72	...	16	
Supply from 1872-73	...	18,740	
			18,756
Total	...		45,000

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, abo Chests.
On or about Monday, 5th Jan. 1874	...	2,209	1,541	3,75
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,75
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,75
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,75
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,7
Total	...	26,244	18,756	45,0

The following are the conditions of Sale :—

1. The Opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will granted except to cover such export.

2. The Opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per ches and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which pro vision is made by Clause 12 of these Conditions of Sale. The bids must advance by Rs. at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous no fication, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M.; but if at that hour any of t lots advertized for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Memb in charge, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday) the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or, the whole quantity advertized shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Member in charg may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margi shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser i the sale-room, and before the lot is registered in the sale book and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this Office by Bank of Bengal receipts or by substitution of other public securities of the Govern ment of India, on or before 4 o'clock in the afternoon of th fifth day after the sale: or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts, or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Member in charge shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.

On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.

On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.

And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

6. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the last-mentioned condition, if remaining unredeemed at 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

7. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of Opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted.

8. The Opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 4 o'clock of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, and in case any lots of such Opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth Condition or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Member in charge shall think fit, and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the Opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale.

9. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of Opium after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots, or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests originally required to be included in each certificate or order.

10. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present Conditions will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale book or his authorized Agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

11. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall, on demand, tender at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal Receipts, or Government Securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these Conditions.

12. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually until a bid is obtained, and the first *bona fide* bidder for a lot after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these Conditions.

13. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same agency Opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the Opium to complete the said twenty-five.

14. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the Opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

15. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. No. 1, certificate of the Opium advertized for sale; No. 2, report of the examination of such Opium.

16. The public are hereby informed that, in providing the investment of the Behar and Benares Opium for the year 1872-73, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

17. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the Opium advertized for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Member in charge entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of Opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the Opium for shipment.

It is hereby further notified that under the 6th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March, 1815, quoted below, the Agents in India of the French Government, or persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that out of the quantities of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for sale at the twelve sales of the year 1874, there shall be delivered to them, at the average of the particular sale or sales to which the Opium so applied for may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make requisition specifying the quantity of Opium required by them at any particular sale, within thirty days from the advertisement of such intended sale, provided however that the Agents of the French Government may make such requisition for the whole quantity within thirty days from the publication of this notification. If the Agent of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time above mentioned, the entire quantity of about 45,000 chests of Behar and Benares, as above estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner; and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertized for sale at each or any of the twelve sales above mentioned, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

	Chests.
Behar	26,244
Benares	18,756
Total	45,000

Article of the Convention above referred to.

Article VI.—"With regard to the trade in Opium, it is agreed between the high contracting parties that at each of the periodical sales of that article, there shall be reserved for the French Government, and delivered upon requisition duly made by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty, or by the persons duly appointed by them, the number of chests so supplied for provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken on account of the French Government by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred chests hereinbefore mentioned. The requisitions for Opium, as aforesaid, are to be addressed to the Governor-General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended sales shall have been published in the *Government Gazette*."—By order of the Member in charge.

T. B. LANE,
Secretary.

BOARD OF REVENUE,
Fort William, the 8th November 1873.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 983B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, and 1872-73, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 5th January 1874, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,750 chests, viz.—

	1871-72.	1872-73.	Total.
Behar Opium ...	8	2,201	2,209
Benares " ...	16	1,525	1,541
Total	24	3,726	3,750

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1873, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th January respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 10th January 1874, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 20th January 1874.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the year 1874 on or about the

dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. 1874	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	..	24,035	17,215	41,250

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 2nd December 1873.

No. 1009B.

NOTICE.

APPLICATION for tickets of admission to the Opium Sale-room for the year 1874 should be made at the Office of the Board of Revenue on or after the 22nd instant.

Tickets for the year 1873 should be returned.

By order of the Member in charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 9th December 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1873.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned land, situate in the District of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Moorshedabad Collectorate on the 19th December 1873, corresponding with 5th Poos 1280.

2. The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, on issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plot will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders above the upset price.

Number of statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	77	A plot in Bajarpara, Mouzah Gopjan, Pergunnah Mahalandi, bounded on the east by a road in Chainpara; on the north by the land of Baboo Sheikh, a ryot of Chainpara; on the west by the lands of Mati Chain and Gopal Chain; and on the south by the land of Shiban Chain. Zemindar, Jogut Chunder Roy Chowdhoori. Ryots, Moti Chain and Gopal Chain and Shiban Chain ...	1 3 39	150 0 0	

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

জিলা মুরশিদাবাদ।

ইস্তাহারনামা কাছারি কালেক্টরী জেলা মুরশিদাবাদ এই যে,

ইহার দ্বারা সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে অত্র জেলার মধ্যস্থিত নিম্নলিখিত ভূমিখণ্ডে গবর্ণমেন্টে যে মালিকি স্বত্ব আছে তাহা অত্র জেলার কালেক্টরি কাছারিতে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ১৯ ডিসেম্বর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সালের ৫ পৌষ শুক্রবারে বিক্রয় হইবেক।

এই ভূমি যাঁহারা ক্রয় করিবেন তাঁহারদিগের নিম্নলিখিত নিয়মের অধীনে থাকিতে হইবে।

১। এক শত টাকার অনধিক পণ হইলে সেই সমুদয় টাকা তৎক্ষণাৎ দিতে হইবে।

২। একশত টাকার অধিক পণ হইলে ডাকপণের চতুর্থাংশের একাংশ তৎক্ষণাৎ দাখিল করিতে হইবে বিক্রয়ের দিবস এক দিন ধরিয়া গণনা করিলে বিক্রয়ান্তর পঞ্চদশ দিবসের মধ্যাহ্নকালে কিম্বা সেই দিন বন্দের দিন হইলে তৎপরে প্রথম যে দিন কাছারি খোলা যাইবে সেই দিনের মধ্যাহ্ন কালে যদি অবশিষ্ট টাকা দাখিল না হয় তবে বিক্রয় রহিত ও গচ্ছিত টাকা গবর্ণমেন্টে জব্দ হইবে প্রথম স্থলীয় বিক্রয়ের ন্যায় পুনর্ব্বার বিজ্ঞাপন প্রকাশ পূর্ব্বক ঐ ত্রুটিকারি ক্রেতার ঝুঁকিতে এই খ ভূমি পুনরায় বিক্রয় হইবে।

৩। নিম্নলিখিত ভূমি যে কেহ নিলামের প্রথম ডাক হইতে সর্ব্বাপেক্ষা অধিক ডাকিবেন তাঁহা নিকট ঐ ভূমি লাখেরাজরূপে বিক্রয় করা যাইবে ইতি। সন ১৮৭৩ সাল তারিখ ১৭ অক্টোবর মোতাব সন ১২৮০ সাল তারিখ ২ কার্ত্তিক।

রাজকীয় মাহালের কৈফিয়তের নম্বর।	জেলার বহিতে নম্বর।	মাহাল এবং পরগনা।	পরিমাণ যত একর।	ধার্য্য করা রাজস্ব।	নীলামের প্রথম ডাক।	মন্তব্য।
০	৭৭	পরগনে মহনন্দীর অন্তঃপাতি মৌজে গোপজানের সামিল বাজার পাড়ার মধ্যে চাক্রী পাড়ার রাস্তার পশ্চিম, চাক্রী পাড়ার প্রজা বাবু সেখের জমীর দক্ষিণ, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রীর জমীর পূর্ব্ব, শিবন চাক্রীর জমীর উত্তর জমীদার জগচ্চন্দ্র রায় চৌধুরির প্রজা শিবন চাক্রী, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রী	১।৩।৩৯	০	১৫০৲	

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in Zillah Gya, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Gya Collector's Office of that district, on the 15th December 1873, corresponding with 11th Poos 1281 Fusli, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Act in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1873:—

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Toujee number	Name of Mehal and Pergunnah.	Sudder Jumma.	Name of Proprietors.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.		
879	Jugdispur Arandi, Pergunnah Goh.	503 12 0	Mussamut Wajdey Bagam, *alias* Waldey Bagam, Meir Kader Ally, Raja Khan Bahadoor Khan Bahadoor, Ogar Singh, Bundho Singh, Gangoo Singh, Aject Singh, Deodhary Singh, Chadee Singh, Kashee Singh, Doorga Singh, Kishondhary Singh, Ahibran Singh, Ritbharan Singh, Umrit Singh, Khoob Lal Singh, Sonot Singh, Bichan Singh, Mussamut Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, Deonaraen Singh, Kashi Singh, Permashur Singh, proprietors and revenue-payers.	The share of Doorga Singh, Kishun Dhary Singh, Ahibran Singh, Ritbaran Singh, Umrit Singh, and Khoob Lal Singh, alone bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 68-4, accounts of which had been separated under Act XI of 1859, and in which there was a balance of Rs. 8-2, will be sold. The revenue with respect to the remaining shares have been paid.
896	Dundowan, Pergunnah Goh.	1,226 12 0	Gokhelanund Zemidar Singh, Bundhoo Singh, Pitamber Singh, Gangoo Singh, Ogar Singh, Doorga Singh, Kishindkary Singh, Ahibaran Singh, Rutharan Singh, Umrit Singh, Khoob Lal Singh, Permashur Singh, Mussamut Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, proprietors and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to shares bearing a sudder Jumma of Rs. 931-6 had been separated under Act XI of 1859. These have been paid up, but there remain a balance of 8 annas in the Ijmalee share of Bundhoo Singh, Pitamber Singh, Gangoo Singh, Agar Singh, Musst. Seeta Kuer, Ramlochan Singh, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 184; and a further balance of Rs. 15-5 remains in the share of Permashur Singh, whose accounts of a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 61-6 was separated under Act XI of 1859, total balance Rs. 15-13, for the recovery of which the shares specified above will be sold.
171	Gowhurpur, Sindbaree.	6,105 12 0	Deyanat Roy, Mussamut Jasoda Kuer, Moonshee Syed Ameer Ally, Mussamut Muscerrun Roop Chand Saha, Kalee Dutt, Paran Sing, Sham Lall Singh, himself and guardian of Chotoo Singh, Cousin, minor, Bhekdhary Singh, Jhuman Singh, proprietors, and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 2,693-4 were separated under Act XI of 1859, which has been paid. There now remains a balance of Rs. 325-9 in the Ijmalee share of Deyanat Roy, Moonshee Syed Ameer Ally, Mussamut Nasceran Roop Chand Saha and Kalee Dutt, and Paran Singh and Sham Lall, for themselves and as guardians for Chotoo Singh the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 3,412-8, and for the recovery of that balance the Ijmalee share above specified will be sold.
95	Binda, &c. Pergunnah Sherghotty.	1,278 15 0	Doorga Pershad, Bolbhadur Sahoy, Ram Narain, Het Narain, Goordyal Singh, Kishoon Sahoy, Hem Chunder Lal, Rutten Singh, Doarka Nath, Hurrehar Nath, Runjeet Singh, Moharaj Singh, Akbowree Moharaj Singh, Gowree Shunker, Dindyal Singh, Peehary Lall, Akhowree Bundoo Lall, Akhowree Beharee Lall Akhowree Jugdiss Sahoy, Akhowree Sheo Narain, Shunker Dyal, Ishur Dyal, Pudya *alias* Raja Padhya, Akhowree Sheo Persad, Mothura Persad, Ramanoograh Lall, himself and guardian of Akhowree Ramkissen Lall, *alias* Chadee Lall, minor, Rawlashur Dyal, Goomanee Lal, Akhowree Gajadhar Persad, Gooshee Sheo Sahoy, Geer Noonoo Padhya, Kissen Sahoy, Ram Chunder Lall, Mohant Roop Narain Geer, Akbowree Rambux Lall, proprietors and revenue-payers.	In this estate the accounts with respect to different shares bearing a Sudder Jumma of Rs. 746-1 have been separated under Act XI of 1859, and the revenue thereof paid up, this balance of Rs. 59-12 remains in the Ijmalee share of Doorga Sing, Bolbadhur Sahoy, Ram Narain, Het Narain Goordyal Singh, Ruttun Sing, Doarka Nath, Runjeet Singh, Moharaj Singh, Akhowree Moharaj Singh, Gowree Shunker, Dindyal Singh, Beharee Lall, Akhowree Bundoo Lall, Akhowree Beharee Lall, Akhowree Jugdiss Sahoy, Shunker Dyal, Noonoo Padhya, and Akhowree Rambux Lall, the Sudder Jumma of which is Rs. 532-14, and this share alone will accordingly be sold.

DHONESH C. ROY,
Deputy Collector in charge, for Collector on Tour.

GYA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873.

اشتہار نیلام بحکم انجارج کلکٹر بہادر ضلع ندیا

کچہری کلکٹری ضلع ندیا

اشتہار نامہ نیلام مطابق دفعہ ۶ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع

واضح باد کہ محال مندرجہ ذیل بابت باقی مالگذاری سرکار رو دیگر دعوی جو مطابق آئین و قانون صجاریہ کے موافق باقی مالگذاری سرکار کے بتاریخ ۸ ماہ اکتوبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع واجب الوصول ہے بتاریخ ۱۵ ماہ ۵ سمبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع مطابق ۱۱ ماہ پوس سنہ ۱۲۸۱ فصلی روز دوشنبہ کو کچہری میں صاحب کلکٹر اس ضلع کے بلا عذر سب کے سامنے نیلام ہوگا۔

نمبر توزیع	نام محال و پرگنہ	جمع صدر	نام مالکان	کیفیت
نمبر ۸۷۹	جکدیس پور ارندی پرگنہ گوہ	۵۰۳-۱۴	مسماہ واحدہ بیگم عرف والدہ بیگم و میرقادر علی و راجہ خان بہادر خان بہادر رواگرسنگہ و بندھو سنگہ و گنگو سنگہ رجپت سنگہ و دوندھاری سنگہ و چندی سنگہ و کاشی سنگہ و درگا سنگہ و کشن دھاری سنگہ و رھیرن سنگہ و رتیبرن سنگہ و امرت سنگہ و خوب لعل سنگہ و سوبیب سنگہ و بیکن سنگہ و مسماہ سیتا کنور و رام لوچن سنگہ و دیو نراین سنگہ و کاشی سنگہ و پرمیشر سنگہ مالکان مالگذاران	محال ھذا میں حصہ چندی سنگہ و کاشی سنگہ بجمع صدر ۳۷-۱۲ موجب ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع و حصہ سونپ سنگہ و بیکن بجمع صدر ۴۳-۲ بموجب ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع تحصیل وصول علیحدہ ہوتا ہے وہ دو نو حصہ بیباق ہے و حصہ مسماہ واحدہ بیگم عرف والدہ بیگم و میرقادر علی و راجہ خان بہادر خان بہادر رواگرسنگہ و بندھو سنگہ گنگو سنگہ و رجپت سنگہ و دیودھاری سنگہ و مسماہ سیتا کنور و رام لوچن سنگہ و دیو نراین سنگہ و کاشی سنگہ و پرمیشر سنگہ و بجمع صدر ۳۶۳-۱۰ بصیغہ اجمال تحصیل وصول ہوتا ہے وہ بھی بیباق ہے اور یہہ باقی ۸-۲ بحصہ درگا سنگہ و کشن دھاری سنگہ و رھیرن سنگہ و رتیبرن سنگہ و امرت سنگہ و خوب لعل سنگہ کہ جسکا جمع صدر ۶۸-۴ بموجب ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع ہے جاھیئے۔
نمبر ۸۹۶	دندانوان پرگنہ گوہ	۱۲۲۶-۱۲	گوکہلا نند و زمینداران سنگہ و بندھو سنگہ و تیمر سنگہ و گانگو سنگہ و اگرسنگہ و درگا	محال ھذا میں حصہ گوکہلا نند بجمع صدر ۲۶۰-۹ و حصہ

سنگه وکشن دهاري سنگه و
ورهبرن سنگه ورنبرن سنگه
وامرت سنگه وخوب لعل
سنگه وپرميشر سنگه ومسماة
سيتا کنور ورام لوچن سنگه
مالکان ومالگذاران

ز مبلغ ۱ ر سنگه
بجمع صدر ۹۸۰-۱
وحصه درکا سنگه
وکشن دهاري سنگه
ر رهبرن سنگه و
رنبرن سنگه وامرت
سنگه وخوب لعل سنگه
بجمع صدر ۳۴-۱۲
بموجب اکت اسنه ۱۸۵۹ع
تحصيل وصل عليحده
هے وه سب حصه دار
هے مگر مبلغ ۱۸ آنه دسه بذ
سنگه وتيمر سنگه وکانکه وصد
واگو سنگه ومسماة ميرا
کنور ورام لوچن سنگه
بصيغه اجمال بجمع صدر
۱۸۴ هے باقي چاهيئے
اور علاوه اسکے مبلغ ۵-۱
حصه پرميشر سنگه
کو جمع صدر ۶۱-۶
بموجب اکت ۱۱ اسنه
۱۸۵۹ع تحصيل عليحده
هوتا هے باقي چاهيئے
محال هذا مين حصه
جهمن سنگه به نسبت
حصه بنسور را بجمع
صدر ۴۹-۴ و حصه
مسماة جسوداکنور
بجمع مبلغ ۳۴
بموجب اکت ۱۱
۱۸۵۹ع تحصيل وصول
عليحده هوتا هے و
سب بيباق هے اور
باقي ۳۲۵-۹ بصيغه
اجمال ذمه دار Raja
راے ومنشي سيد اميرعلي ومسماة بصيرن
وروپ چند ساهو وکالي دت وپران سنگه
وشام لعل خودها وواليان جهوتو سنگه
براد رعموي حقيقي
وتيلکهه دهاري سنگه
جسکا جمع صدر مبلغ
۳۴۱۲-۸ هے چاهيئے

نمبر ۱۰۷ گوهرپور سندواري وغيره پرگنه کابر ۶۱-۵-۱۱ دياننت راے ومسماة
جسوداکنور ومنشي سيد
اميرعلي ومسماة بصيرن
وروپ چند ساهو وکالي
دت وپران وشام لعل
خودها وواليان جهوتو
سنگه براد رعموي حقيقي
وتيلکهه دهاري سنگه و
جهمن سنگه مالکان

نمبر				
۲۹۹۵	بند ا وغیرہ پرگنہ شہر گہاٹے	۱۲۷۸-۲۵	درگا پرشاد و بلبھدر سہاے و رام نرائن و سیب نرائن و گوردیال سنگھو و کشن سہاے و رام چندر لعل و رتن سنگھ و دوارکا ناتھ و ہرہرناتھ و رنجیت سنگھ و مہاراج سنگھ واگھوری مہاراج سنگھ و دیبند یال سنگھ و پیاری لعل واگھوری بند ہو لعل واگھوری بہاری لعل واگھوری جگدیب سہاے واگھوری شیو نرائن و شنکر دیال وایشر دیال پدھیا عرف راجا پدھیا واگھوری شیو پرشاد و متھورا پرشاد و رام انوگرہ لعل خود و والی اگھوری رام کشن لعل عرف چندی لعل نابالغ و کولیسر دیال و کالی لعل و اگھوری گجادھر پرشاد و گوسائین شیو سہاے کو و نونون پدھیا و کشن سہاے ۱۰۱۰ چندر لعل و مہنگہ و پ نرائن کو واگھوری رام بخش لعل مالکان و مالکذاران	سمال ہذا میں حصہ کشن سہاے و رام چندر لعل بجمع صدر ۳۸۰-۳ و حصہ اگھوری شیو نرائن بجمع صدر ۷۰۰-۹ و حصہ اگھوری شیو پرشاد و اگھوری متھورا پرشاد و رام انوگرہ لعل خود والی اگھوری رام کشن لعل عرف چندی لعل نابالغ بجمع صدر ۷۰-۲ و حصہ اگھوری گجادھر پرشاد بجمع صدر ۱-۳۱ و حصہ اگھوری کولیسر دیال و کالی لعل و ہرہرناتھ بجمع صدر ۹۳ و حصہ اگھوری کشن سہاے و رامچندر لعل بجمع صدر ۷۰-۲ و حصہ گوسائین شیو سہاے کو نسبت حصہ امہان بجمع صدر ۳۰-۳ و حصہ مہنگہ روپ نرائن کو بجمع صدر ۱۲-۵ و حصہ ابسر دیال پدھیا عرف راجہ پدھیا نسبت حصہ گمہرا بجمع صدر ۱۴-۸ بموجب اکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۸۵۹ ع تحصیل و عمول علیحدہ ہوتا ہے و سب حصہ بیباق ہے اور بہ ۱۲-۵۹ باقی بحصہ اجمال ذمہ درگا پرشاد و بلبھدر سہاے و رام نرائن و سیب نرائن و گوردیال سنگھ و رتن سنگھ و دوارکا ناتھ و رنجیت سنگھ و مہاراج سنگھ واگھوری مہاراج سنگھ و گوری شنکر و دیبند یال سنگھ و بہاری لعل واگھوری بند ہو لعل و اگھوری بہاری لعل و اگھوری جگدیب سہاے و شنکر دیال و نونون پدھیا واگھوری رام بخش لعل کہ جسکا جمع صدر ۳۲-۱۴ ہے چار ہیئے ہ	

تحریر ۱ ریخ پنجم ماہ نومبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ ع

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of January 1874, corresponding with Monday, the 22nd Poos 1280, B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 1-0.—Allumpore, Pergunnah Allumpore; recorded proprietors, Ramini Soondiree Chowdharani, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 42,638-13-6, and Police Rs. 482-4-5. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 18,564-12-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 241-2-1½ on account of Police.

No. 17-0.—Dehi Alpha, Pergunnah Bugwan; recorded proprietors, Shantiram Rai and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 4,046-2-2½, and Police Rs. 44-14-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 159-3-1½ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 117-0.—Chandi, Pergunnah Pauznour; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,123-1-4, and Police Rs. 64-9-2. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 619-11-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 242.—Dehi Hejoolee, Pergunnah Mamjoani; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 955-13-10, and Police Rs. 12. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 373-15-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 6 on account of Police.

No. 338-0.—Turuf Majrhud, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Goluck Chandra Mookerjea and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 799-5-3¾. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 1-12-10¼ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 438-0.—Turuf Ranaghat, Pergunnah Ranaghat; recorded proprietors, Issar Chandra Pal Choudhari and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 818-3-7, and Police Rs. 9-2-6. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 236-5-5 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 477-0.—Turuf Shampore, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Kala Chand Chakravarti and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 553-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 23-5-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estates.

No. 2179.—Chur Shamnuggur, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Mr. J. B. Mackintosh and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 523-9-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 43-10-9 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 2769-0.—Chur Notidanga, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Dinonath Mookerjee and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 517-3-10. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 5-13-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 3165.—Mouzah Mooralidanga, Pergunnah Ookrah; recorded proprietors, Jebonnessa Bibee and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 552-11-4. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 0-10-4 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

NUDDEA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 10th November 1873. C. C. STEVENS, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Jessore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 18th December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

No. 134.—Kismat Kooshaberia, Pergunnah Onoopampur; recorded proprietors, Fakeer-and Telee Mandal and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 2,369-3-6. The share of the estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to 304-9-6, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Kishto Chandra Ghose and others, and Bushtab Charan Telee Mandal and others, Sudder Jummas Rs. 239-12-2, and Rs. 499-4-10, respectively, with whom separate accounts have ben opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 273.—Kismat Sreepoor Moujab, Pergunnah Imadpore; recorded proprietors, Ananda Chundra Chowdhuri and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 3137-3-9. The first share of the entire estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 6-2-7, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Menoka Soondari Dassia and Uma Cantha Gooha, Sudder Jumma Rs. 25 and Rs. 221-12-7, respectively, with whom separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 4575.—Talook Pergunnah Bhatla; recorded proprietor, Rajah Baroda Kant Roy Bahadur; Sudder Jumma of the estate, Rs. 5087-1-7¾. To be sold for arrears of Rs. 47-0-10½.

No. 5041.—Dehi Karora, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor, Ananda Lall Chowdhury and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 934-7-6. The estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-6-9, after deducting the second, third, fourth, and fifth shares of the proprietors Ram Narain Chowdhury and others, Mothoora Nath Acharja and others, Mathoora Nath Acharja and others, and Brommo Roop Gossami, Sudder Jumma Rs. 194-10-10, 166-267-1-5½, and 167-14-8, respectively.

JESSORE COLLECTORATE, the 8th November 1873. A. SMITH, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6 of Act XI of 1859 and Section 3 of Act VII of 1862, that the under-mentioned estate in the district of Rungpore, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd Pous 1280 B.S. corresponding to 17th December 1873.

Class I.—Permanently settled estate.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue No. 7, Mouzah Monbhasa, &c., Chakla Futtehpore. The shares of the recorded proprietors, Tara Mohun Chaudhuree, Brojokissoree Dasya, Ishan Chunder Choudhuree, Hurro Soondaree Dabya, Chondhuranee, Muttecullla Kutcobulla, Bhyrub Chundra Choudhuree, Amirulla minor, Shona Bibee, Maharajah Nreependra Narain Bhoop Bahadur, Dhunnessuree Dasya, Nilkant Surmah, Joyanto Dabya, Mahamed Sadatulla, for himself and Sadatullah and Komoruddeen, on behalf of Anaitullah minors, Barada Sundaree Dabya and Bama Sundary Gupta Choudhuranee, having been separated under Sections 10 and 11 of Act XI of 1859 are exempted. The shares of Hurro Chundra Gossamee, Hurish Chundra Roy, Protab Mul Rakha *alias* Nanka Rok, Abeenessa Khatoon and Jadu Nath Shah Chowdry, are to be sold, the revenue of the shares to be sold is Rs. 746-8. The revenue of the entire estate is Rs. 6,554-13-8.

RUNGPORE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 3rd November 1873. E. G. GLAZIER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the under-mentioned estates in the District of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 22nd December 1873 corresponding with 8th Pous 1280, for arrears of revenue and for other demands, which by Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, which were due on the 8th October 1873 corresponding with 23rd Assin 1280, on which day the office re-opened after the Dasahara vacation.

No. 62.—Mehal Ghop Silunda, Pergunnah Sinduri, recorded proprietors, Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan Lahiry and others. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,859-10-2 of which Rs. 409-0-1 are to be deducted on account of the share of Annapurna Dasya, Hur Sundari Devya and others, with whom a separate account has been opened under the provisions of Section 10 of Act II of 1859, and the joint share of Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan, Lahiry Chundi Prosad Mozoomdar, Mahamed Ahasan, Gopi Nath Sanyal, Ram Nath Sircar, Kali Churan Singh and others, and Syama Soonduri Dassya, and others, and Golam Abbas, Nazaruddin Chandhari, Mahamed Esrail, Fakoruddin Mahamed Assan, *alias* Azimuddin Choudhari and Anandamoni Dasya, will be sold for Rs. 295-7-4, being the balance of Rs. 1,450-10-1, their share of the revenue.

No 1120.—The recently accreted chur of Taraf Bharara, Pergunnah Bajuras Nazirpur, recorded proprietors, Mahahutnissa Sagirannessa Bibi, Tarabali Khan, Azimunnessa Bibi, Sonajan Bibi—Santamoni Devya, Mothoora Nath and Jodu Nath Mozoomdar, Saroda Soondari Devya, Hari Mohan, Har Nath, and Krishna Nath Pal, Ram Dhan Saha Umarannissa and Elahibaksh Khan. Sudder Jumma Rs. 755-14-11, will be sold for Rs. 189-6, being the balance of Government revenue due.

PUBNA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873. R. PORCH, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the District of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 15th day of December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1873.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Ali Poholla, proprietor, Tripuracharan Roy. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs 994-0-6.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Baseer Hanif, proprietor Jafer Ali. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder jumma Rs. 173.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue.

No. 1279.—Taraf Joyram Chowdry, proprietor, Abdool Odood Furkhond Bakt, Jahirnepa, Mobarek Bakt, Nozumnepa, Taznepa, Karinnepa and Mafiznepa. The entire estate will be sold. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,420-5.

C. L. CLAY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Sylhet will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of this District on Monday, the 5th January 1874, corresponding with 22nd Pous 1280 (*B.S.*), for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September, but that day having fallen within the Dussarah Vacation, the arrears became due on the 8th October following, being the first open day after the holidays.

1st Class.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 27502.—Taluk Korban, Reza Zemindar, of Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Jadab Ram Sarmah; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 645-15-7. The share of Braja Mohan Das, bearing a Jumma of Rs. 110-2, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, is excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 535-13-7. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 35-0-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31185.—Taluk Adam, Raja Zemindar, Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietors, himself and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,335-4-1. The shares of Muluk Chandra Das, Raj Kisor Das, Madan Mohan Das, Naba Kisor Das, Sirprasad Dutta, Syad Ulla, Sarap Chand Banu, Mussamat Kamida Bibi, on behalf of her minor son Sadat Ali Khan, Sekh Mahomed Ali, Sekh Yaz, Mahomed Anchhar, Ayat Ulla, Radharam Mistari, Chandra Mistari, Durga Ram Mistari, Tara Chand Das, Sujat Ali, Mahomed Azim, Amzad Ulla, Mahomed, Ayin Ulla, Anwar Mahomed, Sukar Mahomed, Sekh Chand, Mahib Ulla, Mahomed, Nazar Mahomed, Joad Ulla, Sekh Biram, Raghu Nath Sarmah Bhatacharjea, Mahi Debya, and Radha Nath Sarma, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 235-8-8, having been separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, in the name of Naba Darga Baidani, Kasari Baidani, mother of Hara Nath Baida, and Kasi Nath Baida, to be sold for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 32. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 10-2-6 on account of the arrears of Government revenue; Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,067-11-5. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 383-1-7 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31186.—Taluk Kurban, Raja Zemindar, of Purgunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Aman Raza Zemindar; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,261-0-3. The shares of Syama Sundari Choudhurani, Dayalram Deb, Nazumun-nechha-banu, Mahomed Kalim, Sekh Arabdi, Sekh Jamai, Mahomed Abdul Rahaman, Braja Kisor Saha, Mirza Hamid Ali, Tara Chand Dev, Kunja Mohan Saha, Nil Chandra Dhar, Baida Nath Dev, Kula Chandra Dutta, Tara Chand Dev, Sachuram Saha, Kalika Prasad Sarma, Mahomed Kamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Amil Choudhuri, Mahomed Chhamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Jehhahak Choudhuri, Ganga Gobind Sar, Gupi Nath Sen, Ayn Ulla, Hiran Bibi, Pandab Ram Barai, Bhogirath Dev, Suntosh Ram Das, Ram Nath, Bharu Jugini, Nabin Chandra Sarmah, Sarna Bati Dasi, Jay Chandra Das, Pratinga Dasi, Lalita Dasi, Nihal Ram Das, Radhika Dasi, Mahes Chandra Dutta, Mirza Ibrahim Ali, Bisakha Dasi, Mufti Mahi, Jowda Ulla, Mussumut Sajina Banu, Arkan Uddin, Sekh Daim Ulla, Sekh Riaz Ulla, Pada Lochun Dutta, Manik Ram Dutta, Chandra Nath Datta, Rup Nath Dutta, Kadir Mahomed, Suruj Mia, Hamid Ulla, Sharif Mahomed, Prasash Ram Nai, Hafiza Bibi, and Sekh Shamai, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 316-1-1, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Sarba Nand Saha and Sada Nand Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-6. This share will be sold for the recovery of Re. 1-10 on account of the arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 942-9-2. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 154-2-8 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 40981.—Taluk Chaitanya Chand of Pergunnah Chaitan Nagar; recorded proprietor Umed Narayan Das; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 992-10-3. The shares of Gaur Prasad Aditta, Guru Prasad Aditta, Krishna Prasad Aditta, Raj Gobind Aditta, Ram Sunder Gopta, Goluk Chandra Gopta, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 144-14-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 847-12-0. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 59-9-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54726.—Hissah Syad Ahamed Raza, Pergunnah Jaraf; recorded proprietor, Purusram and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,509.

The shares of Dolgavind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Govind Palit, Ram Charan Raut, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Deb, Ram Narayan Anda, Ram Gobind Das, Lalita Dasi, Gabardi Mahi, Chhabadi Mahi, Joahid Mahi, Muzed Mahi, Ohad Mahi, Radha Charan Das, Chaitam Charan Das, Jasada Bati Dasi, Mohan Nath, Surja Nath, Shaik Kaim-uddin, Shaik Abdul Jabbar, Golak Chandra Singh, Abdul Aziz, himseaf and on behalf of his minor brother Abduchhchhobhan, Abdul Kadir, Mahomed Anwar, Sayeda Dhan Bibi, wife of Syed Saha Asraf Ulla, Sarat Chundra Dutta, Bharat Chundra Banika, Kunja Kisor Banika, Ram Sunder Banika, Ram Jay Banika, Ram Narayan Banika, Rajnarayan Banika, Ramlochan Banika, Syad Muzmil

Hasean, Syada Alam Chand Bibi, wife of Syad Saha Ahamed Ulla, Jugo Mohun Das, Sunatan Das, himself and on behalf of his minor brothers, Sudarsan Das, Badan Ram Das, Shaik Niamat Ulla, Shaik Asat Ulla, Syad Nimber Ali, Syad Muzmil Husain, Mussumat Bhaba Chand Bibi, wife of Kamil Baks, Lobha Mahi Choudhurani, Mahamed Khatir Tarafdar, and Arsad Ulla, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 662-1-11, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Jasa Dasi, wife of Jharu Ram Saha, and Nila Bati Dasi, wife of Nilchand Shaha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-0-10.

This share will be sold for the recovery Re. 1-3-6 on account of arrears of Governmen revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all th above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 844-13-3. This mehal will be sold for the recovery o Rs. 142-10-0 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54727.—Hissa Syad Madan Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Ra Bullabh Dev and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,784-3-2. The shares of Jasadabati Da Dolgobind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Gobind Palit, Mussumat Paran Jan B Rajkisor Dev, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Har Gobind Das, Mussumat Rabia B Sekh Abdul Aziz, Mussumat Nek Jan Bibi, Sekh Aynuddin, Mussumat Namiza B Mussumat Anchhar Bibi, Tarini Debya, wife of Kali Charan Sarmah, Parbati Nath Sarm Naba Chandra Sarmah, Ram Gobind Das, Achh Ali, Kali Kisor Gopta, Helim Ulla, A Mahamed, Chhabil Mohamed, Fazil Mohamed, Hazir Mohamed, Jasa Dasi, Nila Bati D Bhubanessari Dasi, widow of Munshi Raj Mohan Dev, Radha Mohan Dev, Jugul Kisor I Ram Kisor Das, Saday Gobind Nandi, Kalika Prasad Dev, Sarup Chandra Sarm Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Choudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudh Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Mussumat Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussumat Bibi, Fita Mahomed, Jasada Bati Dasi, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chandra Banika, M Sudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjoy Banika, Siri Charan Banika, Ram Ruttan B himself and on behalf of Bissambar Banika minor, Sekh Mahomed Hussain, Sekh Nyamat Ulla, Sekh Mohamed Arip, Gour Ram Chandra, Sumbhu Ram Chundra, Sekh Mohamed Chhami, Sekh Mulfat Ulla, Sekh Tarik Ulla, Sekh Anchhar, Sumbhoo Chandra Sarma, Jiban Krishna Das Choudhuri, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Ram Kisor Das Chouduri, Kasi Chundra Dev, Kailas Chandra Dev, Inai Nigari, Mussamat Amir Chand Banu, wife of Sekh Amzad Ulla, Kirti Chandra Sarma, Pukai Ram Pal, Pran Krishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chandra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Mazumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 443-3, having been separated unde Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jamma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name Brindabun Dutta, Kamal Charan Dev, Alizan Bibi, Sumbhu Nath Dutta, Kasi Nath Dev Gopal Krishna Saha, Brindaban Saha, Dasarath Saha, to be sold also for arrears of th Government demand thereon, Rs. 49-6-7.

This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 6-8-10 on account of arrears of Gover ment revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 2,291-9-7. This Mehal will be sold for t recovery of Rs. 181-14-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54729.—Hissa Syad Kaim Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Jay Gobi Ray and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,966-14-11. The shares of Hameda Bibi, on behalf her minor sons Mohamed Rahich, Mohamed Idrich, Mussamat Mayn Chand Bibi on beh of her minor son Mohamed Jachkim, Mohamed Abduchhamad, Mahamed Abdul Kadir, D Gobind Palit, Har Gopind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Kali Suran Dutta, Syada Abchl Nechha, Omaid Ulla, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Umatara Debya, Ram Gobind D Arnapurna Dasi, Mussamat Jarina Banu, wife of Shek Bachhir Mohamed, Saruf Chand Sarma, Golak Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussamat Ful Bibi, Kasalya Dasi, Parbati Dasi, Har Kumar Dutta, Kudrat Ulla Choudhuri, Sumbhu Chandra Sarma, Hare Krishna Das, Jiban Krishna Das, Ram Kisor Das Choudhuri, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of Mohamed Munsur; Abdul Subhan, Abdul Kadir, Subhadra Dasi, wife of Ratna Bullabh Das, Uttara Dasi, wife of Baida Nath Das, Naba Narayan Das, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chundra Banika, Mudhusudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjay Banika, Siv Charan Banika, Ramrattan Banika, himself and on behalf of his minor brotner Bisamber Banika, Kasi Ram Chung, Kirti Chundra Saha, Nitya Nanda Saba, Nimai Chand Saha, Dinno Nath Saha, Byda Nath Saha, Janaki Dasi, wife of Pran Krishna Gope, on behalf of her son Krishna Chandra Gope, Abdul Rasid on behalf of bis minor son Abdul Maiz, Abdul Latif, Sarat Chandra Dutta, Sekh Jabulla, Sekh Sarafat Ulla, Sekh Ulfat Ulla, Sekh Mayrdi, Pran Kishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chundra Muzumdar, Isban Chandra Muzumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, Pukairam Pal, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 429-2-10, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Tara Chund Kar, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 13-2-2. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 9-7-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for

sale, Rs. 1,524-9-11. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 75-8-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54937.—Taluk Saha Rezwan Uddin, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Syam Ram and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 722-3-2. The shares of Naba Kiser Deb, Jugal Kisor Deb, Ram Charan Pal, Abhoya Charan Deb, Amara Charan Deb, Uma Charan, Adyat Charan Deb, himself and on behalf of his brother Annada Charan Deb, minor, Ram Narayan Anda, Karuna Mayi Debya, Kalikisor Gopta, Rattana Bullath Das, Subhadra Dasi, Baidy Nath Das, and Uttama Dasi, Naba Narayan Das, Tas Mohamed, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 67-9-5, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 654-9-9. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 11-4-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 56509.—Taluk Syad Badardi Hasan, Pergunnah Gada Husain Nagar; recorded proprietor, Babrul Hasan and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 733-3-2. The shares of Ram Charan Raut, Saheb Ram Deb, Har Gobind Pal, Ram Kumar Deb, Sukha Mayi Dasi, wife of Ram Charan Raut, and Daya Mayi Choudharani, wife of Bisnu Prasad Banika, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 58-13-6, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 674-5-8. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 29-1-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

H. C. SUTHERLAND, *Officiating Collector.*

SYLHET COLLECTORATE, the 10th November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Tuesday, the 30th day of December 1873, corresponding with B 1280, 16th Pous, Umlee 1281, 17th Pous, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873:—

Class I.—Permanently-settled estates.

Number in the Register A.	Number on the Revenue Roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of Proprietors.	Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of land revenue for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	
1830	993	Moysarah *alias* Mysarah, Pergunnah Kismut Kasijorah.	Bepraprasad Berah, Sibaprasad Berah, Goorooprasad Berah, Srimatiah Doyamoi Dei, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykantnath Berah, Srimatiah Saresate Dei, mother of Bisumbhar Berah, Nobakrista Berah, Poornanund Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykantnath Berah and others, Pearimohun Berah, Narabár Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of deceased Bykantnath Berah, Poornanund Berah, Pearimohun Berah, son of deceased Bepraprasad Berah, Natubar Berah, son of Poornanund Berah, Nabakista Berah, and Srimutiah Kadambini Dassi, wife of Radhakisto Berah.	1,881 9 7	73 9 3	
823	1465	Shridhurpur, Pergunnah Moynachour.	Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed, Srimati Rajeshari Dei and Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wives of Fakirchandra Patlaik, Soondurnarain Mytee, Mothoor Mohan Mytee, Santoseram Mytee, Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son of Nabakista Berah. Deduct separate accounts of the undermentioned parties which have been realized in full and therefore not to be sold.—	929 14 2		
			Rs. As. P. Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed... 82 3 0 Srimati Rajeshari Dei ... ... 84 4 11 Soondurnarain and Mothoor Mohan Mytee .. ..210 12 4 Santoseram Mytee 42 2 5	419 6 8		
			Balance, Rupees	510 7 6	1 0 8	
			This balance is the joint share of the undermentioned parties which will be sold for the arrears of land revenue, Rs. 1-0-6: Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wife of Fakirchandra Patlaik and Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son of Nabakista Berah.			

W. OLDHAM, *Covenanted Deputy Collector for Collector.*

MIDNAPORE COLLECTORATE, the 22nd November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates, in the district of Sarun, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December 1873, corresponding with 6th Pooe 1281 F.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 8th day of October 1873 in lieu of 28th September 1873 :—

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

Serial No.	Towjee No.	
1	1751	Mehal Telpa Boozoorg, Pergunnah Chirand; recorded proprietors, Rai Babo Shewgholam Sah Bahadur and others; Sudder Jumma, exclusive of th for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 1,267-8.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

2	2294	Mehal Bajraha, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ramanugreh Opad and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for whi separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 172-0-1½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

3	2303	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raj Coomar Singh and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 640.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

4	2329	Mehal Bisemberpore, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Raghoonath Sahai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate account has been opened, Rs. 438-11-11½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

5	2411	Mehal Tarya, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Issardut and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 744-13-4¾.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

6	2433	Mehal Chhap Sudershurn, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Ritbarun Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 344-11-1.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

7	2523	Mehal Saguni, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Brijraj Kuer and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate Rs. 1,536.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

8	2615	Mehal Kewani, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Barumdeo Rai and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 626-10-2¼ deducting Rs. 261-14-9 for which separate accounts have been opened, and Rs 357-14-11¼, the share of the Ijmali proprietors for which revenue ha been paid, the share of Barumdeo Rai bearing a revenue of Rs. 6-12-6 f which separate account has been opened and in respect of which balan has accrued shall be sold.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

9	2664	Mehal Mushruk, Pergunnah Goa; recorded proprietors, Mussamut M Bibi and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for wh separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 250-10-6½.

To be sold for arrears of Government Revenue.

10	2813	Mehal Amnour Madur, Pergunnah Makair; recorded proprietors, Jobraj Sin and others; Sudder Jumma of the estate, exclusive of that for which separate accounts have been opened, Rs. 2,443-15-2¼.

SARUN COLLECTORATE, the 25th October 1873. G. G. DEY, *For Offg. Collector.*

اشتہار نیلام بابت بقیہ مالگذاري سرکار

واضح ہو کہ حسب دفعہ ۶ ایکٹ ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ع کے یہہ محالات مرقومہ ذیل ضلع سارن مین بابت بقیہ مالگذاري سرکار و دیگر دعوي جو از روے دستور رائج و قوانین مجاریہ موافق باقي مالگذاري سرکار کے بتاریخ ۸ اکتوبر بحساب سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع واجب الوصول هي بروز چارشنبہ تاریخ دہم ۵ دسمبر سنہ ۱۸۷۳ع مطابق ۶ پوس سنہ ۱۲۸۱ فصلي کچہري مین صاحب کلکٹر اوسي ضلع کے بلا عذر و عام نیلام مین رکہا جائیگا :—

نمبر توزیع	نام محال	قسم اول	قسم مطالبہ
۱۷۵۱	محال تیلپا براے پرگنہ چراند جنکي جمع صدر ۶۴۳۱ روپیہ ۸ آنہ ۱ پائي	باستثناے جمع ۹۷ روپیہ ۲ آنہ ۸ پائي	باقیمالگذاري سرکار

رول شدہ ۵ نمبر اداکت ۱۱ سنہ ۱۸۵۹ حصہ دہندان حصہ اجمالي راے بابو شیو غلام شاہ بہادر وغیرہ نادہندان جمعي ۷۶۲۱ روپیہ ۸ آنہ بعات باقي مبلغ ۹ روپیہ ۱۳ آنہ ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا۔

۶۶۹۴ محال بجراها پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۲۲۶ روپیه ۱۴ باستثناے ۰۵۴ روپیه ایضا
انه ۱۱ ½ پائي ۱۴۱ انه ۰۱ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ حصه دهندان کے حصه اجمالي
رام انوگره اوپدهیا وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۲۷۱ روپیه ۱ ½ انه بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۶ روپیه ۸ انه ۳ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۰۳ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۰۴۳ روپیه هي ایضا
وخانه مالگذار مین نام کمهار سنگه وغیره کالکها جاتا هي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۶ روپیه ۳ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۳۲۹ محال بسمرپور پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۱۳۵ روپیه ۱۴ انه باستثناے جمع ۳۹ ایضا
۵ ½ پائي روپیه ۱۱ انه ۶ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے حصه اجمالي
رگهوناتهه سهاے وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۸۳۴ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱۱ ½
پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۴ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۱۱ محال قریا پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۱۴۴ روپیه ۱ انه باستثناے جمع ۶۹۶ ایضا
۳ پائي روپیه ۳ انه ۸ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے حصه
اجمالي ایشردت وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۴۴۷ روپیه ۱۳ انه
۴ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۲۳ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۰۱ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۴۳۲ محال چهاب سودرشن پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۶۲۸ روپیه باستثناے جمع ۶۷۴ ایضا
۵ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۰۱ انه ۳ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان اجمالي رنیبرن
راے وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۴۴۳ روپیه ۱۱ انه ۱ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ
۱۳ روپیه ۸ انه ۷ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۵۲۳ محال سگونے پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۶۳۵ روپیه هي ایضا
وخانه مالگذار مین نام برج راج کنور وغیره کالکها جاتا هي بعلت
باقي مبلغ ۳ روپیه ۰۱ انه ۲ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۱۵ محال کیواني پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۶۲۶ روپیه ۰۱ باستثناے جمع ۱۶۲ ایضا
انه ۲ ½ پائي روپیه ۱۴ انه ۹ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۵۷ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۱۱ ½ پائي
جمع اجمالي حصه دهندان کے برهمدیوراے وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۶۳
روپیه ۱ انه ۶ پائي تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع ۷۵
بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱ روپیه ۱۴ انه ۶ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۶۶۴ محال مسرکه پرگنه گوه جنکي جمع صد ر۳۶۰۱ باستثناے جمع ۱۲۸ ایضا
روپیه ۱۷ انه ۴ پائي روپیه ۱۲ انه ۹ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے
حصه اجمالي مسماه متوبي بي وغیره نادهندان جمعي
۰۵۲ روپیه ۰۱ ۶ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۴ روپیه ۱۲ انه ۷ ½
پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

۲۸۱۳ محال اسوربانده پرگنه بکیر جنکي جمع صد ر ۱۲۴۸۵ باستثناے جمع ۱۰۰۴۱ ایضا
روپیه ۱ انه ۳ ½ پائي روپیه ۲ انه ۱ ½ پائي

تفریق رول شده بمراد اکت ۱۱ سنه ۱۸۵۹ع حصه دهندان کے
حصه اجمالي جوبراج سنگه وغیره نادهندان جمعي ۲۴۳۴ روپیه ۱۵
انه ۲ ½ پائي بعلت باقي مبلغ ۱۲۹ روپیه ۷ انه ۴ ½ پائي کے نیلام هوگا *

تحریر في التاریخ ۲۲ اکتوبر سنه ۱۸۷۳ع

G. G. DEY,
For Offg. Collector.

Register No. 46 of Sales of Waste Lands.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Number.	No. of entry in Register No. 41 under which the lands are included.	No. of the application in Register No. 40 and name of applicant.	Pergunnah, thannah or other sub-division in which situated.	Village or township.	Area in acres and boundaries of the plot as ascertained by survey.	Date of sale.	Name and residence of purchaser.	Date of possession being given.	Amount paid for survey, clearances and advertisement.	Price for which sold.	Dates of instalment of the price being paid with amounts. (N. B.—Interest payments not to be shown here.)	Date and amount of interest payments and period to which they refer.	Date on which the title became absolute by the payment of the purchase-money in full.	Remarks.
									Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.				
103	.....	James Davidson, Esq., of Debroogurh.	Mouzah Ekratoli	Ekratoli ...	2,000 acres ... ... North—Myjan River. South—Sissa Nuddi, and ryots' bustee lands. East—Nadin, a grant. West—Barra Bheel, Farlong Nuddi, and ryots' cultivated lands.	2nd May 1872	James Davidson, Esq., of Debroogurh.	2nd May 1872	Survey fees ... 500 0 Advertisement... 16 0	5,000 0 0 at Rs. 2-8 per acre.	15th May 1872 Rs. 500.			
104	.....	W. G. Wagentriber, Esq.	Mouzah Bogdong	Bogdong ...	513-1 acres ... ... North—Mori Dibroo. South—Grass jungle. East—Road to Rungajorah and Dinjan River. West—Lowjan and road to Debroogurh.	3rd June 1872	W. G. Wagentriber, Esq., of Debroogurh.	3rd June 1872	Survey fees ... 192 12 Advertisement... 16 0	1,283 2 0 at Rs. 2-8 per acre.	4th June 1872 Rs. 128-5.			
105	.....	H. G. Lindesay, Esq.	Kokoratoli ...	Kokoratoli..	157-2-8 acres ... ... North—Bissakoopi Jan and Suddiah Road. South—Hibkhagoori Jan. East—Road to Suddiah. West—Bissakoopi Jan.	3rd "	H. G. Lindesay, Esq., of Debroogurh.	3rd "	Survey fees ... 59 4 Advertisement... 16 0	393 14 0 at Rs. 2-8 per acre.	3rd June 1872 Rs. 39-8.			
106	.....	W. G. Wagentriber, Esq.	Rungajorah ...	Rungajorah	748-1-3 acres ... ... North—Mori Dibroo and Dibroo River. South—Forest jungle and grant No. I. West—Dinjan. East—Thekerah Disoy Jan.	3rd "	W. G. Wagentriber, Esq., of Debroogurh.	3rd "	Survey fees ... 280 14 Advertisement... 16 0	1,870 10 9 at Rs. 2-8 per acre.	4th June 1872 Rs. 187-3.			

DEBROOGURH, DEPY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 19th April 1873.

W. C. S. CLARKE,
Deputy Commissioner.

Government Horse Show—Calcutta 1874.

RULES.

1. *Opening of the Horse Show.*—The Horse Show will be formally opened by His Excellency the Viceroy on Monday, the 12th of January 1874, when the Judges will read their report and declare the awards; *but* the prizes will be delivered to the successful competitors by the Judges on the last day of the Show, which will close at sundown of Saturday, the 17th idem.

2. *Hours of Admission.*—From 7 A.M. to noon.
,, 2 P.M. to sundown.

The horses will be exercised on the premises morning and evening; and during some period of that time, to be fixed by the Judges, they will be without their clothing, for the purpose of inspection.

3. *Terms of Admission.*—

	Rs.	As.	P.
Exhibition single tickets ...	8	0	0
Do. family do. ...	12	0	0
Single tickets for Monday	3	0	0
And Tuesday, 13th January	2	0	0
Single tickets for Wednesday the 14th and Thursday the 15th January	1	0	0
Single ticket for Friday, 16th January	0	12	0
Do. Saturday, 17th January	0	8	0

Children on Saturday *half price.*

Soldiers and their families *free* on pass from their Commanding Officers.

Owners and Exhibitors of Horses free.

	Rs.
For every six Mares	50
For every Stallion	16

Admission of Stock other than for competition.—By special permission of the Managing Committee, persons desirous of exhibiting horse stock (not intended to compete for prizes) will be permitted to do so on a payment of Rs. 16 per head, provided stabling can be found for them.

4. Intending Exhibitors must apply for stalls by post in an envelope addressed—

"TO THE JOINT SECRETARIES,
Calcutta Horse Show, 1874."

so as to be received by them not later than the 15th December 1873. On receipt of such applications printed forms will be furnished to the Owners or Exhibitors, to be filled in by them and returned at once to the Joint Secretaries, who will then allot stalls or boxes for the horses described.

5. *Superintendent.*—A Superintendent and four European Assistants will be appointed by the Managing Committee to undertake the stable management of the Show-yard. It will be his duty to point out the stalls allotted to the Exhibitors, and to see that all orders issued by the Committee are thoroughly and promptly carried out.

6. *Date of receipt of Horses.*—Horses sent for exhibition will be received by a Veterinary Surgeon and the Superintendent of the Horse Show on Wednesday, the 7th of January 1874, any time before *noon* of that day.

7. *Health Certificate.*—A health certificate, signed by a Veterinary Surgeon, must accompany every horse when first brought to the Horse Show lines. The Veterinary Surgeon attending on the part of Government will also inspect each horse before being finally admitted.

8. *Grooms.*—Exhibitors are required to engage a reliable groom (syce) for each horse, and it is expected that either the attendant or a substitute will remain night and day at his post.

9. *Attention to Regulations.*—All attendants must conform to the rules and regulations issued by the Managing Committee; copies will be furnished to the Exhibitors, and will also be posted on the walls of the stables.

10. *Complaints.*—Complaints may be lodged at any time at the office of the Superintendent, either verbally or in writing, in a book to be kept for the purpose.

11. *Complaint Book.*—Persons able to read and write will have to enter their complaints in the book; minor complaints will be settled by the Superintendent on the spot; those of a more serious nature will be treated by the Managing Committee.

12. *Illness of Horses.*—In case of illness of any horse the Owner or Exhibitor must provide medical attendance.

13. All the horses will be daily inspected by a Veterinary Surgeon.

14. All possible care will be taken of horses exhibited, but the Superintendent cannot be held responsible for any injury or accident which may occur.

15. *Forage and Grain.*—Forage, grain, and water for the stock will be provided by the Exhibitors.

16. *Smoking prohibited.*—Smoking is strictly prohibited in the stables; particular attention is requested to this rule, which is considered imperatively necessary for the safety of the cattle.

17. *Stabling.*—A loose stall or box will be provided for each animal so exhibited.

18. *Location of Mares.*—Every lot of six mares will be stabled close to each other.

19. *Inspection by Judges.*—The Judges will inspect and examine horses entered for prize competition on Thursday 8th, Friday 9th, and Saturday 10th, of January 1874.

20. *Exclusion of Visitors during inspection by Judges.*—Under no circumstances will any person be permitted to be within the precincts of the premises at the time of inspection, except grooms (syces) who will be appointed by the Judges to bring up each horse for examination.

21. *Owners and Exhibitors similarly excluded.*—Owners and Exhibitors are debarred from the privilege of being present as much as the public generally.

22. *Horses how to be inspected.*—The horses will be brought up without clothing, so that they may not be recognized by any initials or distinctive marks.

23. *Judges how guided in arriving at decision.*—Exhibitors are informed that Judges in arriving at their decision will be guided by the following points:—

1st.—That under the terms of Military Department Government Notification of the 4th of February last, no prize will be given unless the horses exhibited come up to a high standard of excellence. Importers and competitors are informed that the Judges will be considerably guided by good measurement of girth and leg and blood, combined with power; animals wanting in such essential points will have no chance of obtaining a prize.

2nd.—The horses will be judged as to their merits under the several heads of:—

A. Soundness.
B. Blood and power.
C. General conformation.
D. Action.
E. Condition.

The maximum number of marks being 100.

3rd.—"*The best horse*" must be perfectly sound, but any serious blemish, the result of accident, will be weighed by the Judges.

4th.—Each mare of every lot must be sound for all working and brood purposes.

5th.—If any mis-information is furnished by an Exhibitor in respect of the animals owned or exhibited by him, the whole of his stock will be disqualified for prizes, and will be at once removed from the Show premises. Admission to the Show will be refused to any person coming within the terms of this rule.

6th.—The decision of Judges to be final.

24. *Judges' Report.*—The Judges' report of their inspection will be prepared and printed by Saturday evening, the 10th of January 1874, but will be confidential until read to His Excellency the Viceroy on the formal opening of the Show.

25. *Necessity of Exhibitors' servants attending to Rules.*—Particular attention must be given by all Exhibitors to the necessity of their servants carrying out all the rules which may be laid down for efficient sanitary arrangements.

26. *Fire Engine.*—A fire engine, and a party to work it, will be on the premises during the Exhibition.

27. *Police arrangements.*—The Commissioner of Police will arrange with the Managing Committee (Judges) for such number of Police as may be requisite for the protection of property and the preservation of order.

28. *Lights other than those supplied by Committee prohibited.*—Stable lanterns will be provided by the Committee and placed under the orders of the Superintendent. Other lights or lanterns or fire of any kind will not be permitted within the stabling.

29. *Removal of horses if attacked with disease.*—The Managing Committee are empowered, if they deem it necessary, to direct the removal of a horse attacked with any contagious disease.

30. *Removal of horses when prohibited.*—No horse brought for exhibition, even in the event of its having been sold, will be allowed to be removed until the Exhibition is closed.

31. *Final removal from Show.*—Horses must be removed the day following the closing of the Exhibition.

32. *Objections.*—Any objection to horses exhibited must be made and proved to the satisfaction of the Stewards the day before the prizes are awarded.

33. *Objection made after award of prize.*—Objections made after the award of prizes will not be attended to during the present Show, but will be recorded against future exhibition of the horses objected to.

34. *Onus of proving objection.*—The onus of proving an objection will be wholly and entirely on the person making it. All objections must be made in writing.

By Order of the Committee,

1st December 1873.

M. J. TURNBULL, *Colonel*,
J. A. CRAWFORD, } *Joint Secretaries.*

Monthly Stateme...

Names of Chowkeys.	Charcoal.			Wood Coal.			Piece-Goods, Native Produce.			Piece-Goods, Imported Fabrics.			Hides.			Cotton.			Castor Seed.			Castor Oil.			Indigo.			Jaggery.			Jute.			Lime.			Mustard Seed.			Mustard Seed Oil.		
	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.
Calcutta Canals																																										
Bamunghatta	...	...	...	10	2,400	1,000	...	...	* ...	...	...	* ...	6	1,200	† 7,500	3	1,000	* 600	8	4,000	3,000	...	...	...	6	2,190	‡ 602	70	12,700	8,300	355	6,06,130	* 3,62,500	70	73,200	65,300	62	12,400	8,300	...	...	...
Chitpore	116	1,24,625	62,520	5	8,000	2,500	40	12,000	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	10,400	290	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	20,000	10,200	15	6,900	2,000
Rajah's Khal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tolly's Nullah																																										
Samookpotta	...	...	...	13	5,400	1,560	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98	23,400	12,960	58	1,38,950	65,852	6	275	110	13	11,825	2,500	...	...	...
Russa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kidderpore	26	38,650	20,375	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	8,050	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	500	50	16	2,000	1,000	8	1,000	700	...	...	...	1	1,675	500	...	...	...

Names of Chowkeys.	Salt.			Sugar.			Tobacco.			Linseed.			Paddy.			Pulse.			Peas.			Rice.			Wheat.			Lentil.			Grain.			Sundries.		
	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Number of boats.	Maundage by canal measurement.	Maundage of cargo by estimate.	Total number of boats.	Total maundage by canal measurement.	Total maundage of cargo by estimate.
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Bamunghatta	...	...	...	15	4,000	3,200	8	3,400	1,600	72	14,200	11,200	18	4,000	2,800	18	4,000	2,700	8	2,000	1,500	657	2,85,820	1,03,700	40	15,400	10,260	4	2,000	1,400	8	2,400	1,600	5,412	15,36,400	...
Chitpore	839	5,54,575	3,02,636	...	...	...	30	8,000	4,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,826	3,52,325	...
Rajah's Khal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	95	2,400	...
Tolly's Nullah																																				
Samookpotta	...	...	...	2	350	225	1	*100	50	4	5,300	2,575	71	18,350	8,675	10	4,350	2,250	...	...	...	299	1,35,575	54,070	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,400	1,200	1,719	4,13,150	...
Russa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	200	250	...	...	...	...	...	...	121	21,275	24,000	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	402	18,150	...
Kidderpore	95	50,700	21,200	...	...	...	16	6,500	3,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,750	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,628	2,18,125	...

* Per bale. † Per hide. ‡ Per chest.

Dhappa, Toll Collector's Office;
The 2nd December 1873.

J. F. Galiffe,
Collector and Supervisor, Calcutta Canals.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the under-mentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Dec. 6th ...	2 Cases, C. D. & Co. E & F M ...	Cally Dass Dhur ...	Hindostan.
,, 6th ...	9 Cases, G F ...	A. John ...	Ditto.
,, 6th ...	53 Cases, K L D ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 6th ...	1 Case Excess, R C ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 2nd ...	1 Keg, [B B N] ...	Daby Churn Mullick	Aphrodita.
Nov. 29th ...	1 Bundle rod iron, no mark ...	Order ...	Bengal.
Dec. 2nd ...	1 Case, addressed ...	G. F. Flamsteed ...	Japan.
,, 6th ...	2 Drums, [230] A. B. & Co. ...	Order ...	Duleep Singh.

CALCUTTA, the *6th December* 1873. (456—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
4 China Pillows, no mark...	... Historian.
2 Tin Boxes, no mark	... Ditto.
1 Bundle Sundries, no mark	... Ditto.
1 Case, no mark	... Chaldea.
1 Case, [J. A. & Co., H] Calcutta	... Callirrhoe.
1 Case, [S C D] R B	... Ditto.
1 China Couch, no mark	... Hindostan.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 13th of December 1873.

1 Case, [83] McC. & Co.	... Callirrhoe.
1 Cask, K H, H. S. K. R. & Co., Calcutta ...	... Ditto.

N.B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 2nd day of January 1874.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 6th December 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Notification.

WANTED a Kanongoe or Surveyor of the Second Class on Rs. 25 a month for the District of Goalparah. Candidates who passed the last Native Civil Service Examination need only apply, with a certificate from the Commissioner of the Division to which he has been posted that there is no objection to his being appointed in this district.

POORNANUND BORODAH, *Extra Asst. Commr., in charge.*

GOALPARAH, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 9th November 1873.

Wanted.

THE following Clerks in the Patna Commissioner's Office. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned till the 13th December 1873. The appointments are for the present temporary, but there is a probability of their becoming permanent.

2nd	Clerk, General Department	... 80
3rd	,, Wards, ditto	... 70
	Clerk, ditto ditto	... 50

DULEELUDDEEN, *Offg. Personal Asstt. to Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, BANKIPORE, the 29th November 1873.

Notification.

IT is hereby notified for the information of the public that the Caragolah Fair, which is held annually at Caragolah, in the District of Purneah, on the day of full moon, in the month of Mágh (February), has, under the orders of Government, been put a stop to this year.

S. P. CHATTERJEE, *for Offg. Commissioner.*

BHAUGULPORE, COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 4th December 1873.

Notice.

THE Annual Chutia Fair will be held at Chutia near Ranchi, Chota Nagpore, commencing from 15th February 1874, and continuing for 15 succeeding days.

The 5th December 1873. G. C. MITTER, *Personal Asst. to Commr.*

Notice.

THE Cachar Melá will as usual be held at Silchar, commencing on Tuesday, the 30th December 1873, corresponding with 16th Pous, 1280 (B.S.), and continue for as many days as may be considered necessary.

E. Y. WALCOTT, *Asst. Commr. in charge of Dy. Commr.'s Office.*

CACHAR, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 23rd October 1873.

Notice.

THE Singhbum Annual Fair will be held as usual at Chyebassa during the last fortnight in December 1873.

C. H. GARBETT, *Captain, Offg. Dy. Commr., Singhbum.*

CHYEBASSA, the 22nd October 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the Least Depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, the 5th December 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Chourasea ...	12	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles ...	2	7	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles ...	2	10	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles ...	2	3	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles ...	2	6	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles ...	3	1	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 8th December 1873, above zero, 1 ft. 9¾ inches.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Moorshedabad District.*

BERHAMPORE, the 8th December 1873.

Matabhangah River.

Weekly Report showing the Least Depth of Water from the Entrance of the Matabhangah River to Kissengunge, the week ending on Friday, the 28th November 1873.

Names of Shoals.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance from the Ganges ...	3	0	
Tatarparah ...	2	9	
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia ...	2	9	
,, Hât Bolia to Cut No. 1 ...	11	0	
,, Cut No. 1 to Boalmaree ...	2	3	
,, Boalmaree to Alickdeah ...	2	9	
,, Alickdeah to Kissengunge ...	3	6	
Jellinghy River.			
Entrance ...	5	0	
,, to Jellinghy ...	0	3	
From Jellinghy to Teakatta ...	0	9	
,, Teakatta to Nuddea ...	2	1	

H. T. FORBES, *Major, R.A., Exe. Engineer, Nuddea District.*

KISHNAGHUR, the 2nd December 1873.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.*

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having those Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
6180	L/8 89115	100	John G. Womack.
6181	A/91 30482	100	The District Superintendent of Police, 24-Pergunnahs.
6182	A/89 67073	500	Jamnadas Oomed Sing.
6183	L/13 77650	20	Prosono Chundra Bose.
6185	A/89 16928	500	Dwarkanath Dutt.
6187	A/80 33864	100	Messrs. P. S. D'Rozario and Co.
	L/6 58476	100	
6188	L/19 27710	50	Dwarkanath Dutt.
6193	A/92 34254	50	Shaik Madenah.
	,, 34255	50	
	A/90 74219	100	
	,, 74277	100	
6198	L/9 39061	50	Rajendronath Chatterjee.
	L/36 02926	20	
	L/7 67074	20	
	A/79 42967	10	
	L/6 86826	10	
	,, 62982	10	
6204	L/19 20012	50	Messrs. Binoycanto Mitter and Co.
6205	A/57 81526	1,000	Nund Coomar Auddy.
6206	L/8 84374	100	Mirza Mohamud Ally.
	,, 84375	100	
	,, 84376	100	
	,, 84377	100	
	,, 84378	100	
	,, 84379	100	
	,, 84380	100	
	,, 84381	100	
	,, 84382	100	
	,, 84383	100	
6207	L/2 98138	10	Doorga Das Mookerjee.
6209	L/8 96642	100	Izzatud Dowlah Bahadoor.
	,, 54491	100	
6211	L/8 63219	100	G. Marklew, Superintendent of Police, Ekbalpore Thanna.
	,, 72061	100	
	,, 77874	100	
	,, 69478	100	
	,, 73886	100	
	,, 72797	100	
	,, 48454	100	
	,, 66943	100	
	,, 66942	100	
	,, 54118	100	
6212	L/16 88157	20	Soodursun Pandy.
	,, 88158	20	
6218	A/79 24784	10	Bishushurn Churun Chatterjee.
	L/2 97354	10	
6220	L/16 27200	50	Behariloll Datta.
	L/13 96739	20	
	L/11 07783	5	
6222	L/1 79032	10	Pursoo Ram Burrooah.
6224	A/87 98154	1,000	Nogendro Bhoosun Mitter.
	,, 89229	1,000	
6232	A/89 23259	500	Hayattoo Miah.
623	L/19 37878	50	Bhoyrub Chunder Dey.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

6177	L/3 43759	10	Prankisto Sadkhan.
6186	A/27 56976	20	Sarodaproshad Mookerjee.
6189	L/14 36027	20	Khetter Mohun Ghose.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6191	L/8 80130	10	Captain J. Homfray.
	,, 80128	10	
	,, 80133	10	
	L/8 80126	10	
	,, 80127	10	
	L/11 88917	5	
6192	L/8 36233	10	J. H. Herbert.
	,, 36234	10	
	,, 36235	10	
6194	A/98 07009	20	Ram Chunder Roy.
	A/91 65942	10	
	A/31 94543	10	
6196	L/8 09052	20	Dan Sing, Than Sing.
6197	L/88 22105	10	Ram Laul Ghose.
6200	L/6 80136	10	Captain G. B. Peart.
	,, 80137	10	
6201	,, 18732	10	G. Carry.
6202	L/14 16165	20	Charles Sheriffe Wiseman.
6203	L/9 16270	5	Khamance Singh.
	,, 83947	5	
	,, 62224	5	
6210	A/95 64270	10	Revd. A. Rust.
6214	A/91 09538	20	Messrs. W. L. Atkinson and Co.
6217	L/11 35177	5	Benud Lal Sete.
6218	L 88239	10	Juggut Chunder Dutt.
6223	L/8 03211	10	Mohendronath Mookerjee.
6228	A/98 74847	20	Roopram.
6230	L/8 37133	10	C. H. Guntt.
6231	L/8 08805	10	W. H. Nightingale.

Wrongly joined.

6176	A/98 46275	50	Madhub Chunder Dey.
	,, 46276		
6184	L/1 06661	10	Sreenath Ghose.
	,, 06660		
6190	L/9 36975	5	Messrs. F. and C. Osler.
	,, 36976		
	,, 11702	5	
	,, 11725		
6195	A/98 46236	10	Palamapa Setty.
	A/96 17509		
6219	A/77 17687	10	Janki Misser.
	A/95 96946		
6226	A/88 76094	10	F. Fergusson.
	,, 76364		
6227	L/8 44606	10	Woomachurn Bose.
	,, 44604		
6229	A/88 20812	20	Abdool Lotiff Boladina.
	A/91 21690		

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 8th December 1873.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Notice

Is hereby given that the undermentioned properties belonging to the Estate of the late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., will be put up for sale by auction on the 15th of December next, at the Judge's Kutcherry Compound, Purneah, if not previously disposed of by private sale:—

A pucka two-storied house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated on the Old Race Course, and renting monthly for Rs. 175.

A thatched bungalow, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in Mudbuni, in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly for Rs. 75.

A half-share of a pucka lower-roomed house, with out-houses and garden attached, situated in the station of Purneah, and renting monthly at Rs. 140.

For further particulars apply to Dr. Picachy, Executor, Estate late J. J. Shillingford, Esq., Purneah. (386—10)

Notice.

The Bank's Sub-Branch at Wardah, in the Central Provinces, has been re-opened for the season, under the management of Mr. Maxwell Logan, Accountant at Nagpore.

R. HARDIE, *Secy. and Treasurer.*

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, the 5th December 1873. (462—1)

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 2nd December 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		15,47,014	8	9
General Treasury, Balance at Head Office	Rs. 1,42,70,891 8 9	3,53,73,400	1	1
General Treasury, Balance at Branches	„ 2,11,02,508 8 4			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,84,36,127	0	9
Bank Post Bills, &c.		5,54,990	10	10
Sundries		6,98,706	7	10
Total		8,86,10,238	13	3

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,32,66,359	9	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		49,45,307	7	1
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		15,46,704	3	4
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		1,96,32,476	12	1
Dead Stock		11,57,100	13	10
Stamps		16,328	2	6
Balances with other Banks		7,92,455	8	2
Sundries		69,391	1	6
Bullion		2,95,162	4	0
		4,19,61,575	13	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office	Rs. 1,15,37,662 4 1	4,66,48,662	15	7
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches	„ 3,51,11,000 11 6			
Total		8,86,10,238	13	3

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 4th December 1873.*

F. A. GILLAM, *Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.*

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

(458—1)

TO BE peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale room in the Court House on Saturday the tenth day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy four at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, pursuant to a decree of the said Court, made in a suit No. 240 of 1872, wherein John Cameron McGregor as assignee of the estate and effects of Nolit Mohun Dass, an Insolvent is plaintiff, and Gungahurry Dey, and others are defendants, dated the first day of July one thousand eight hundred and seventy two the following property, that is to say—

All that upper roomed brick built messuage tenement or dwelling house together with the piece or parcel of land or ground thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation sixteen cottahs and one chittack be the same a little more or less situate lying and being on the North side of Tellaparrah Shampooker in the Town of Calcutta, and being No. 20 now No. 26 in the said lane and butted and bounded in manner following that is to say, on the North by the dwelling house of Rajkristo Ghose, on the South by the Tellaparah Lane aforesaid on the East by the dwelling house of Mutty Lall Sircar, and the Garden and Tank belonging to Khetter Chunder Roy, and on the West by the house of Chunder Seekur Goopto.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar of the High Court, Original Jurisdiction, or at the office of Messieurs Trotman, Chatterjee, and Walkins, Plantiff's Attorney's, at No. 2 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, and will be produced at the sale.

Intending purchasers are cautioned to satisfy themselves prior to the sale as to the title inasmuch as it is one of the conditions of sale that the purchasers shall accept such title as the vendors, that is to say, the Representative of the mortgagee and the mortgagors have.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

CALCUTTA, HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, The 24th November 1873. (449—2)

Calcutta Landing and Shipping Company, Limited.

NOTICE.

The Twenty-First Half-Yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Office, 2, Hare Street, on Saturday, 20th instant, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Director's report, passing the accounts for the half-year ended 31st October last, declaring a dividend, and transacting any other business which may be brought forward.

By order,

GEORGE LOWEN, *Manager.*

2, Hare Street, 8th December 1873. (461—2)

Notice.

CERTAIN effects, the property of late J. A. Emins, an Armenian, Wine Merchant and General Dealer, who died at Shillong on 20th November 1873, are under custody of the Civil Court, Khasi and Jynteah Hills.

J. B. SHADWELL, *Extra Asst. Commr. in charge.*

SHILLONG, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 29th November 1873. (455—3)

Notice

Is hereby given that a sum of Rs. 35-9-3, being balance of the estate of the late Mr. Mathew, Assistant Tea Planter in Cachar, formerly a Sergeant in the Army, who died intestate at Cherra Poonjee, in the Khasi and Jynteeah Hills, on 12th September 1873, is in deposit in this Court, and will be delivered to any person legally entitled to receive the same.

SHILLONG, the 15th November 1873. (440—3) H. S. BIVAR, *Dy. Commissioner.*

No. 1.

The Bengal Coal Company, Limited.

REGISTERED UNDER ACT X OF 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company, to confirm the Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 22nd November 1873, will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 27, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at 11 o'clock A.M., on Saturday, the 13th December 1873.—By order of the Directors,

T. M. ROBINSON, *Managing Director.*

No. 2.

The Bengal Coal Company, Limited.

REGISTERED UNDER ACT X OF 1866.

THE Half-yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 27, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at noon, on Saturday, the 13th December 1873.

The Books and Accounts of the Company duly audited will be open for the inspection of Shareholders seven days before the Meeting.—By order of the Directors,

(416—3) T. M. ROBINSON, *Managing Director.*

George Cox, deceased.

STATUTARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees' Powers Act, 1866, being Act No. XXVIII of 1866, of the Governor General of India in Council, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Cox, late of Penang (Prince of Wales's Island), Acting Superintendent of Police, deceased, who died at Penang, aforesaid, on or about the sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and letters of Administration (with a copy of the will of the said deceased set forth in the exemplification of probate, granted by the Registry of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of the Straits Settlement, in the division of Singapore, at Singapore, aforesaid annexed) of whose property and credits were duly granted to John Cave Orr, Esq., of Calcutta, Attorney, at-Law (the sole constituted Attorney of Susan Cox, the widow of the said deceased, and the sole executrix in the said will named), by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, in Bengal, in its Testamentry and Intestate Jurisdiction, on the sixteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned at their office situate at No. 6, Hastings Street, in the town of Calcutta, on or before the thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and notice is hereby also given that at the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said Administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said George Cox, deceased, or any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which the said Administrator has then had notice, and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Administrator has not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this sixth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

ROBERTSON, ORR, HARRIS, & FRANCIS, *Attornies for the Administrator.*

6, Hastings' Street, Calcutta, the 6th December 1873. (460—3)

Administrator-General's Office.

THE under-mentioned estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned :—

Mrs. Julia Oram, Widow of Mr. George Oram, formerly of Kishnaghur, died at Calcutta, on the 4th November 1873.

Daniel Walter Fergusson, a partner in the Firm of Messrs. Sherriffs and Fergusson, Chemists and General Merchants, Allahabad, died at Allahabad on the 8th July 1873.

William Mainwaring Sloane Bolton, a Lieutenant-Colonel in H. M.'s 106th Regiment of Foot, died at Morar on the 12th August 1873.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, Calcutta, 29th November 1873. (454—1)

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CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

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CALCUTTA, CUSTOM HOUSE, the 9th December 1873.

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Rangoon and Moulmein ...	7 ,, ...	14th ,, ...	*Dacca.*
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CALCUTTA, the 9th December 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.*

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Abdon, C. J.
Archibald and Co.
Augustine, Mrs. J.
Beettles, T.
Blake, R. E.
Boddy, J. F.
Bombay Burmah Trading Corporation, Ld.
Bradley, Mrs.
Brooke, W. L.
Broughton, E.
Browne, H.
Buke, P. V.
Burney, S.
Cooke, P. R.
Connor, Miss E.
Crighton, P.
Davidson, J.
D'Abreu, Mrs. M.
D'Cruze, H. B.
D'Rozario, Miss L.
D'Silva, O. J.
Ealwasser, F.
Edwards, Miss.
Faber, A. W.
Ferrier, T.
Ferris, J.
Frier, H.
Gean, Mr.
Gibson, A.
Goldenberg, F.
Gray, T.
Harding, H. E.
Head Master, Calcutta College.
Hughes, Mrs.
Jodoonath Condoo.
Lee, J.
Luke, P. V.
Malchus, Mrs.
Manuel, A.
Manuel.
Marshall, Mrs. H. A.
Martin, Miss K.
Mawson, W. P.
McKilligan, G.
M'Lean, J. W.
McLeod, Mrs. C.
Michael, J.
Morris, W.
Nightingale, G. E.
Pogose, N.
Rajah Tuggur Singh.
Reid, J.
Ross, D. R.
Ryan, C. W.
Speed, A. C.
Stewart, C. E.
Stewart, C. E.
Thomas, Miss.
Thomas, C. W.
Thornton, T. J.
Tisburg, T.
Travers, E. E.
Webb, J.
Welsh, Mrs.
Weskins, W.
Wilson, F. W. J.
Wilson, H. F.

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Becisley, Revd. E. M.
Carson, D.
Espy, G.
Franghidi, D.
Gartside, R. A.
Glennie, G.
Grove, F. H.
Inverurie, Lord.
Lady Sydney Inverurie.
Mahomed Yusul.
Menzies, Mr.
Oliphant, Mrs.
O'connor, Monsieur, A.
Phillips, F.
Scott, J. A. G.
Simpson, Mrs. W.
Sitgraphe, Monsieur E. J.
Stewart, W.
Turner, H. S.
Weir, T.

E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post-Master of Calcutta.*

INSOLVENCY NOTICE.

In the event of the following Dividends remaining unclaimed for six months from this day, the same will be paid into Court.

In the matter of MARCAR GREGORY, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 7 per cent., 1st February 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
3	Amicable Insurance Office	187	14	6	13	2	[illegible]
16	Ameerchund Setty	2,493	8	0	174	8	[illegible]
18	Angelo Brothers	12,532	11	0	877	4	[illegible]
21	Cohen, E. E.	50	0	0	3	8	[illegible]
34	Hurro Chunder Day and Co.	60	0	0	4	3	[illegible]
34½	Gyagarry Gurrazee	4,090	15	4	286	5	[illegible]
25	Mukunloll Ghose	42	4	6	2	15	[illegible]
17	Remedues, J. J. Doss	262	6	4	18	5	[illegible]
8	Sangchye and Co.	233	7	0	16	5	[illegible]
14	Swiss Lloyd Insurance Company	274	8	0	19	3	[illegible]
6	Tavasanutta Naidoo	1,291	14	7	90	6	[illegible]
10	Toulmin and Co., L. W.	256	4	3	17	15	[illegible]
26	Triton Marine Insurance Company	317	4	0	22	3	[illegible]
36	Takoordoss Sein and Rajnarain Dhur ...	48	0	0	3	5	[illegible]
24	Vardon, E. S., &c.	261	15	3	18	5	[illegible]

In the matter of FRANCIS JOHN DEELBOUX, (OR VINCENT AND CO.,) Insolvents.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 15 per cent., 1st February 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
17	Abdool Sumeed	20	0	0	3	0	0
23	Abbott and Co	15	0	0	2	4	0
5	Burgett, W.	120	0	0	18	2	5
13	Brojonauth Dutt	43	2	0	6	7	6
18	Bunkoobehary Day	14	5	0	2	2	4
4	Cones, A.	200	0	0	30	0	0
12	Debakur Day	26	9	6	3	15	10
22	Gobinesh Chunder Ghose	14	6	0	2	2	6
28	Gourhurry Sircar	12	1	0	1	12	10
7	Hunter and Co.	50	0	0	7	8	0
16	Justices of the Peace	15	0	0	2	4	0
15	Kallychurn Sadkhan	40	0	0	6	0	0
6	Lindsay, E.	175	0	0	26	4	0
9	Mendes, L.	54	1	8	8	1	9
14	Ramdhone Shaw	139	0	0	20	13	7
10	Smith, W.	11	0	0	1	10	5
11	Syed Ahmed	23	0	0	3	7	2
24	Shamchund Doss	35	0	0	5	4	0
25	Templeton, W. G.	90	0	0	13	8	0

In the matter of GEORGE WAKEFIELD MARRIOT, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 11 per cent., 1st February 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
2	Beresford, G.	1,006	0	0	110	10	7
8	Brown and Co., F. W.	200	0	0	22	0	0
13	Kunnyaloll	1,700	0	0	187	0	0
7	Lepage and Co.	150	0	0	16	8	0
9	Sturm, John	510	0	0	56	1	7
1	Vaughan, Captain J. Luther	1,915	9	2	210	11	5
11	Widdowson and Viale	700	0	0	77	0	0

In the matter of WOOMACHURN PAUL AND KADARNAUTH PAUL, Insolvents.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 1¼ per cent., 1st February 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
	SUGAR ACCOUNT.						
71	Anundomoye Dabee	142	8	0	1	12	6
9	Brojonauth and Purresnauth Dutt	7	14	0	0	1	7
14	Bholanauth Ghose	20	12	0	0	4	2
16	Byddonauth Dutt	377	1	0	4	11	5
22	Bydonauth Doss	53	4	0	0	10	8
23	Bissumber Roy	2,030	9	6	25	6	1
36	Bhuggobutty Churn Dey and Prosonnomoye Dossee	2,076	0	0	25	15	2
47	Bindabun Chunder Bannerjee	1,575	0	0	19	11	0
65	Bipprodoss Dey	5	0	0	0	1	0
6	Chooneyloll Baboo and Cossy Takoor	20	8	0	0	4	7
5	Goluck Chunder Sircar	25	0	0	0	5	0
12	Gobind Chunder Ghose	32	0	0	0	6	5
20	Greesh Chunder Coondoo and Co.	473	0	0	5	14	1
31	Gopaul Chunder Mookerjee	200	10	0	2	8	2
7	Hurris Chunder Bose	13	1	0	0	2	7
69	Hurry Doss Ghose and Gopaul Chunder Mookerjee...	16	0	0	0	3	2
2	Juggernauth and Gooroochurn Sing ...	89	1	0	1	1	10
13	Jogendronauth Ghose	3	0	0	0	0	7
53	Joygopaul Bannerjee	201	1	6	2	8	3
56	Juggessur Mansanto	1,134	0	0	14	12	10
10	Kissoredoss and Buhurrah Sing	17	13	9	0	3	7
11	Koylas Chunder Chatterjee	42	6	6	0	8	6
29	Kasseenauth Ruckheet	115	13	0	1	7	2
35	Kameeny Dossee	225	14	6	2	13	2
48	Kustoorchund and Ramgopaul	10,442	11	9	130	8	7
44	Lallchund Paul	160	13	0	2	6	2
30	Mohamaya Dossee	452	15	6	5	10	7
63	Modhoomundoss and Dwarkadoss	25	0	0	0	5	0
70	Mothoor Mohun Mookerjee	90	0	0	1	2	0
46	Neeharun Chunder Aush	1,048	0	0	13	1	7
4	Ootum Chunder and Mungle Chunder Ruckhitt ...	6	1	6	0	1	3
3	Rummunloll Ghosaul	9	2	9	0	1	10
8	Ramjeedoss and Fuckeerchund	6	3	6	0	1	3
28	Ramcomul Paul	732	8	0	9	4	6
34	Ramgopaul Paul	225	5	0	2	13	1
42	Ramtarun Gungopadhia	803	3	3	10	0	8
45	Ramkulpo Dutt	474	4	0	5	14	10
55	Ruttoo Sirdar (Estate)	800	0	0	10	0	0
62	Rajender Chunder Paul	25	0	0	0	5	0
1	Setulpersaud Kurgopersaud	21	0	0	0	4	2
17	Shibchunder Roy	5,012	5	6	62	10	6
21	Sreenauth Chunder Nundy	569	3	3	7	1	10
43	Shamchund and Pertaub Chunder Paul ...	1,029	8	0	12	13	11
27	Ulluckmoney Dossee	301	15	3	3	12	5
64	Ujoodheapersaud and Mothoorah Doss ...	5	0	0	0	1	0
18	Woomesh Chunder Mookerjee	7,805	3	3	97	9	1
	TWIST ACCOUNT.						
1	Boistubchurn Sreemaney	13	8	0	0	2	8
2	Brijomohun and Protabchund De	10	14	6	0	2	3
12	Bubboo Baboo	169	13	6	2	2	0
15	Bhuggyrut	6	10	0	0	1	4
36	Bholloye Sing	4	0	9	0	0	10
14	Cally Baboo	7	13	0	0	1	7
18	Cisteedhur Shaha	148	10	6	1	13	9
29	Cally Sunker Tarrachund Coondoo	235	0	0	2	15	0
32	Cally Churn Misser	10	10	6	0	2	2
33	Chottah Baboololl	5	9	0	0	1	1
34	Custoorchund	6	12	0	0	1	4
27	Denonauth Purramanik	148	1	6	1	13	7
31	Dwarkanauth Dutt	1,021	6	6	12	12	3
9	Goberdhone Baboo	7	15	9	0	1	9

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	As.	P.	2nd Dividend at 11 per cent., 1st February 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
21	Grant Smith and Co.	11,063	13	6	138	5	9
23	Graham and Co.	1,787	9	6	22	5	6
10	Joogy Mull	34	1	0	0	6	10
25	Juggemohun and Bissessur Doss	2,947	3	0	36	13	5
35	Juddoonauth Paul	4	8	6	0	0	11
8	Khaunchun Loll and Bubboo Baboo	26	11	6	0	5	6
37	Kistocoomary Dossee	38	8	0	0	7	8
24	Lyall Rainey and Co.	3,748	8	0	46	13	8
5	Mosely Hurst and Co.	201	0	3	2	8	2
19	Mohenchunder Shaha	14	0	0	0	2	1
11	Niccamull	90	0	0	1	2	[illegible]
38	Petumber Coondoo	3	0	0	0	0	[illegible]
7	Rampersad Baboo	111	4	0	1	6	[illegible]
17	Roopoll Khettry	14	11	0	0	2	1
28	Ramlochun Hurrischunder Paul	800	13	6	10	0	[illegible]
6	Shand, Fairly and Co.	34	14	3	0	7	[illegible]
13	Sreenauth Bose	20	15	3	0	4	[illegible]
20	Surroop Chunder Hurris Chunder Shaha ...	2	11	2	0	5	[illegible]
26	Shamchund and Pertaub Chunder Paul ...	425	2	0	5	5	[illegible]
4	Wheatenbeg and Co.	5,977	7	6	74	11	[illegible]
	LINSEED ACCOUNT.						
7	Boodbebarry	9	5	0	0	1	1
8	Baneymaudub Pattock	2	3	6	0	0	[illegible]
1	Chundernanth Dallaul	19	0	0	0	3	1
4	Echaram Muroololl	6	8	3	0	1	[illegible]
3	Nilmaudub Dey	4	0	0	0	0	1
2	Punchanun Mookerjee	18	5	9	0	3	[illegible]
6	Prosonno Chunder Chatterjee	2	2	0	0	0	[illegible]
10	Parbutty Churn Mitter	3	0	6	0	0	[illegible]
5	Ramjeebun Doss	172	10	6	2	2	[illegible]
9	Rampersaud Khottah	9	10	6	0	1	[illegible]

CALCUTTA, the 6th December 1873. (547—2) J. C. MACGREGOR, *Official Assignee.*

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of WILLIAM WOOLSTON GREEY, lately carrying on business as a General Trader, Auctioneer, and Commission Agent at Jubbulpore, in the Central Provinces of India, under the style of the Jubbulpore Trading Company, and also carrying on business in co-partnership with THOMAS MALTBY ROBINSON and EDWARD JAMES GREEY, under the style or firm of the Monghyr Slate Works at Monghyr, in the Province of Bengal, and also at Calcutta, an Insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Hon'ble the Presiding Commissioner had fixed Tuesday the sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of claims on the estate of the abovenamed Insolvent.

The 8th December 1873. (459—1) J. C. MACGREGOR, *Official Assignee.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of CECIL ROWLAND SMITH, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 28th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on the first Court day in January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of Rustomjee Byramjee, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 18th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on the first Court day in January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

M. Camell, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of JOHURLOLL MOOKEEN, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 18th day of November last, instant, it was ordered that the first Court day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day the said Insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after, acquired property from all liabilities for debts claims and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition, for relief.

M. Camell, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 2nd December 1873.

IN the matter of MUDDOOSOODUN DUTT, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the first day of April 1869 to the 30th day of November last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that the first Court-day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing."*

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of OMERTOLOLL DAW, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 23rd day of May 1873 to the 30th day of November last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that the first Court-day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing."*

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of AUGUSTUS FISHER, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 30th day of November last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that the first Court-day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing."*

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of KADARNAUTH DEY, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 5th day of September 1872 to the 30th day of November last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that the first Court-day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing."*

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of HARRIET ELIZA MURRAY, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of August 1869 to the 30th day of November last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that the first Court-day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing."*

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of JOHN PARKER, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 30th day of November last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that the first Court-day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ "*Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*"

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of NATHANIEL HUDSON, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 30th day of November last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that the first Court-day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ "*Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*"

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of EDWARD ROSTON BOLST, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until the first Court-day in January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. Heckle, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of CHARLES WALTER PEARSON SUNDER, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. 21, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of PERTAUB CHUNDER ROY, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 18th day of November last, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. 21, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

S. J. Leslie, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of ROBERT HENRY LOVING, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. 21, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of ANNA AMELIA SMYTH, of No. 64, Bowbazar, in the Town of Calcutta, late a Private Boarding House-keeper, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic., Chap. 21, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the second day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of ANNA AMELIA SMYTH, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on the first Court-day in February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of JAMES HILL, of No. 12, Lindsay Street, in the Town of Calcutta, carrying on business as a Book-seller and Stationer, at No. 13, Government Place, in Calcutta, in co-partnership with William Hogan, at present of Simla, in the Punjab, under the name and style of Barham, Hill and Co., an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. 21, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 5th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

W. F. Watson, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 8th December 1873.

In the matter of ROBERT CARR, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 30th day of May 1873 to the 30th day of November last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that the first Court-day in January next be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *"Any Creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing."*

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the Matter of JOHN ARMSTRONG CARRIE, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,151-11-10 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 1-8 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting and debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the several matters of Charles Mackay, Theodore Zorab Manuk, Hurrynarain Dutt, Hurrosunker Ghose, Manuk Malcolm Manuk, David Winter Fraser, Rajender Dutt, Charles Mottley, John Currie, Charles Robert Lackersteen and others, Charles Dupre Russell, Thomas Payne and Sons, Muttyloll Dey, and Samuel John Saunders, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Official Assignee of this Court do file fourteen several accounts of unclaimed dividend in the Office of the Chief Clerk.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of MANICK CHUND, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 2,381-4 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 4 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting and debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. C. Macgregor *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of FREDERICK PETER LINDEMAN, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,001-9-7 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 12 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of NICHOLAS MALCOLM GASPER, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 2,446-2-7 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 16 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts, and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of LUCKEYNARAIN PYNE, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 602-11-6 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 7 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of DOORGAPERSAUD AND GOOLZAREEMUL, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 784-6-5 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvents as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 1-2 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvents and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of CARAPIET POGOSE CARAPIET, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 760-12-2 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 3-8-0 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of PERTAUB CHUNDER ROY, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 4,744-6-1 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 6 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of EDWARD TEMPLER and JOHN KEYLAND, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 572-13-5 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvents as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 2 per cent. upon such of the debts admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvents and claims proved as have been duly substantiated in proportion to their several debts and upon the other debts admitted in the schedule when and so soon as such debts or any of them shall be duly substantiated upon affidavit filed in this Court from time to time for directions respecting and debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. C. Macgregor, *Official Assignee.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 9th December 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1873.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Fourth Publication.]

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in a month.

A Bill to provide for the Voluntary Registration of Mahomedan Marriages and Divorces.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the voluntary registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces within the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; and whereas it is expedient that Registrars of such marriages and divorces should be recognised and licensed by the Local Government, it is enacted as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to issue a license to any person being a Mahomedan, either by name or as holding any office for the time being, authorising him to act as Registrar of Mahomedan marriages and divorces.

2. Such licenses may be given on the recommendation of the Magistrate of the district, or in Calcutta, of the Commissioner of Police, to any member of any Mahomedan sect who can show that he is usually resorted to as a professional witness in such cases by his co-religionists, or that he has practised the duties of Kazi, and that he is well versed in Mahomedan law, provided always that satisfactory evidence is produced of his being a person of good moral character.

3. No Mahomedan marriage or divorce which would otherwise be valid shall be held to be invalid merely by reason of its not having been registered before a Registrar licensed under this Act.

4. Each licensed Registrar under this Act shall keep a Register Book in a form to be laid down by the Local Government in which he shall enter all marriages and divorces,—the parties to which shall desire to have them so registered. He shall also, if requested at the time, give an extract of any entry affecting them to either of the parties to such entry.

5. The entry of any marriage or divorce in the Register Book shall be signed by the Registrar, and signed, sealed, or marked by the persons married or divorced, and shall be attested by at least two credible witnesses who were present at the ceremony, and every such entry shall be made in order from the beginning to the end of the book, and any extract of any entry given to the parties shall be numbered to correspond with the number of the entry in the Register Book, and shall be authenticated by signature of the Registrar.

6. The Registrar shall keep safely the said Register Book until the same shall be filled, and shall then, or if he shall leave the district, make over the same to the District Registrar of Assurances for safe custody.

7. Any Registrar who shall discover any error to have been committed in the form or substance of any such entry may, within one month next after the discovery of such error, in the presence of the parties married, or divorced, or in case of their death or absence, in the presence of two other credible witnesses, who shall respectively

[illegible] the same, correct the erroneous entry according to the truth of the case by entry in the margin without any alteration of the original entry, and shall sign the marginal entry, and add thereunto the day of the month and year when such correction shall be made, and shall if possible give or cause to be delivered a corrected copy of the extract to the parties to the original entry.

8. Every Registrar shall at all reasonable times, and on the payment of such fees as may be agreed upon, search or permit search to be made in any such Register Books, and shall give a copy under his hand of any entry or entries in the same.

9. Every certified extract of any entry in any Register Book purporting to be signed by the licensed Registrar, shall be received as evidence of the marriage or divorce purporting to be so entered or of the facts purporting to be so certified therein, without further proof of such Register Book or extract, unless and until the genuineness of such entry or extract or the truth of the facts set out in it be disproved.

10. Whoever shall wilfully destroy or injure or cause to be destroyed or injured any such Register Book or any part thereof, or any such authenticated extract as aforesaid, or shall wilfully insert or cause to be inserted any false entry in any such Register Book or authenticated extract, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to seven years, and shall also be liable to fine.

11. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to draw up rules and prescribe forms for giving effect to the provisions of this Act, and to charge a fee not exceeding Rs. 2 for each license granted under the Act, provided always that no rule shall be laid down to interfere with the taking by any licensed Registrar from the parties to any marriage or divorce of any fee, which custom or his position may entitle him to demand.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The attention of the Government has for some time past been drawn to the increasing number of offences against marriage shown in the criminal returns, especially in the eastern and Mahomedan districts. The remarkably small number of convictions obtained in such cases taken together with their increasing numbers, seemed to indicate the existence of a grievance which the Criminal Courts are at present unable to redress. Inquiry has proved that this is in fact the case. The loose notions regarding the marriage tie prevalent among the lower orders of Mahomedans lead to the frequent institution of criminal charges, while the absence of any authorized system of registration of marriage and divorce (since the office of Kazi ceased to be recognized by law) makes it difficult to furnish the amount of proof which the Criminal Courts require to warrant their taking action.

It appears to the Government that the legal recognition of an authorized system of registering Mahomedan marriages and divorces will go far to supply the existing want, and this Bill provides such a system. The Registrar will, as regards such registration, take the place which was filled by the old Kazis, and certified copies of extracts from his register are made *primâ facie* proof of the facts recited therein. But the registration of marriages and divorces is left optional with the parties concerned, and all questions of remuneration are left to be settled between the Registrar and the parties who avail themselves of his services.

H. L. DAMPIER.

The 29th November 1873.

H. MILLETT,

Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Judicial and Legislative Depts.

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PART V.

Acts of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

THE following Act of the Governor-General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor-General on the 24th November 1873, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XVII OF 1873.

An Act to provide for the liquidation of the debts of the Nawáb Názim of Bengal, and for his protection against legal process.

Preamble.

Whereas divers large pecuniary claims have been made against Sayyid Mansur Alí, the present Nawáb Názim of Bengal, Behar, and Orissa, commonly called the Nawáb Názim, which he has not the means of satisfying, and for the purpose of recovering such claims divers suits have been brought against him, and divers attachments have been issued against his property in India:

And whereas, with respect to certain jewels and immoveable property, it is disputed whether they belong absolutely to the said Nawáb Názim or are held by the Government of India for the purpose of upholding the dignity of the Náwab Názim for the time being, and litigation has consequently arisen between the creditors of the present Nawáb Názim and the Government of India:

And whereas the Government of India is desirous of freeing the said Nawáb Názim and his property respectively from such suits and attachments, and of discharging such portions of the said claims as are proper to be paid: and of settling the said dispute as to the said jewels and immoveable property:

And whereas in the meantime and for the future, it is expedient to exempt the said Nawáb Názim, except as hereinafter mentioned, from the jurisdiction of the Civil Courts, and to render him incapable of contracting further pecuniary obligations;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Nawáb Nazim's Debts Act, 1873:"

Local extent.

It extends to all persons and places for whom and for which the Governor-General in Council has power to make laws;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Power to appoint Commission.

2. The Governor-General in Council may, from time to time, nominate and appoint such persons as he thinks fit to be a Commission for the purposes hereinafter mentioned.

All persons so nominated and appointed (hereinafter called "the Commissioners") shall continue to be members of the said Commission during the pleasure of the Governor-General in Council, and shall hold their sittings at such place or places and time or times as they think fit.

Notice to claimants.

3. The Commissioners shall publish thrice in the *Gazette of India* in English, and in the *Calcutta Gazette* in English, Urdú, and Bengálí, and in such other mode and languages as they think fit, a notice calling upon all persons having claims against the said Nawáb Názim or his property, whether moveable or immoveable, to notify the same in writing to the Commissioners within six months from the date of the earliest of such publications.

Bar of debts not duly notified.

4. Every debt or liability to which the said Nawáb Názim is subject, or with which his property, or any part thereof, is charged, and which is not duly notified to the Commissioners within the time and in the manner hereinbefore mentioned, shall be barred:

Proviso.

Provided that, on sufficient cause being shown to the Commissioners, they may admit such claim within the further period of six months from the expiration of the said period of six months.

Particulars of claim.

5. Every such claimant shall along with his claim present full particulars thereof.

Every document on which he founds his claim, or on which he relies in support thereof, shall be delivered to the Commissioners along with the claim.

Entries in books.

If the document be an entry in any book, the claimant shall produce the book to the Commissioners, together with a copy of the entry on which he relies. The Commissioners shall mark the book for the purpose of identification, and after examining and comparing the copy with the original, shall return the book to the claimant.

Exclusion of documents not produced.

If any document in the possession or under the control of the claimant is not delivered or produced by him to the Commissioners along with the claim, the Commissioners may refuse to receive such document in evidence on the claimant's behalf at the investigation of the case.

May call for or admit any further evidence.

The Commissioners may from, time to time, call for further and more detailed particulars of any claim preferred before them under this Act, and may, at their discretion, refuse to proceed with the investigation of the claim until such particulars are supplied.

Power of Commissioners to summon witnesses.

6. For the purposes of this Act, the Commissioners may summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses, and compel them to give evidence, and compel the production of documents by the same means, and, as far as possible, in the same manner as is provided in the case of a Civil Court by the Code of Civil Procedure.

Investigation to be a Judicial proceeding.

7. Every investigation conducted by the Commissioners, with reference to any claim preferred before them under this Act, or to any matter connected with any such claim, shall be deemed a judicial proceeding within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

And every statement made by any person examined by or before the Commissioners with reference to such investigation, whether upon oath or otherwise, shall be deemed to be evidence within the meaning of the same Code.

Expenses of witnesses.

8. Every witness required by the Commissioners, except at the instance of a claimant, to attend and give evidence under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to a reasonable sum (to be allowed by the Commissioners) for his expenses in travelling to and from, and remaining at, the place at which he is required to attend.

Commissioners to determine amount due to each claimant.

9. The Commissioners shall, by agreement with the claimant, or, in default of such agreement, after due and full enquiry, determine the amount which, on the consideration of all the circumstances, they may consider each claimant ought in fairness and justice to receive. And in coming to such determination, they shall not be bound by any previous agreement or judicial proceeding.

Sum found due to be certified to Government.

10. The Commissioners shall certify in each case the amount so determined, and upon the Governor-General in Council, within six months from the date of the certificate, paying or tendering to any claimant the amount so certified, all claims of such claimant against the Nawáb Názim or his property shall be satisfied and extinguished.

Bar of suits against Nawáb Názim.

11. No suit shall be commenced or prosecuted and no writ or process shall at any time be sued for, against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim, unless such suit be commenced, or such writ or process be sued for, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council first had and obtained.

Such consent shall be certified by the signature of one of the Secretaries to the Government of India, and every such signature shall be judicially noticed.

And any suit which at any time shall have been, or shall be, commenced, and any writ or process which at any time shall have been, or shall be, sued for, against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim shall be of no effect unless and until the consent of the Governor-General in Council, certified in manner aforesaid, is obtained.

Commissioners to ascertain the property held by Government for upholding the dignity of the Náwáb Nazim's family.

12. The Commissioners shall ascertain what jewels and immoveable property are held by the Government of India for the purpose of upholding the dignity of the Nawáb Názim for the time being, and shall certify the particulars of such jewels and property; and their finding thereon shall be binding and conclusive on all persons whomsoever.

Power to refer questions of law to High Court.

13. If any question of law, or as to the construction of a document, arises in any case under this Act, and the Commissioners think it necessary for the purposes of fairness and justice to obtain a judicial opinion thereon, they may draw up a statement of the case and refer it for the decision of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William; and the provisions of sections twenty-four and twenty-five and of the first sentence of section twenty-six of Act No. XI of 1865 shall apply as if, in section twenty-six, for the word "Court," the word "Commissioners" were substituted.

And if, in the opinion of the High Court, the statement is imperfectly framed, the High Court may return it for amendment; and the costs (if any) consequent on any such reference shall be dealt with as the Commissioners shall in each case direct.

Nawáb Názim to be incapable of contracting.

14. The said Nawáb Názim shall be incapable of entering into any contract which may give rise to any pecuniary obligation on his part.

Saving of Secretary of State in Council.

15. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to render the Secretary of State for India in Council, or the Government of India, liable for any debt heretofore contracted by, or on behalf of, the said Nawáb Názim, or in respect of any claim to be reimbursed, which may be made by any person supplying him with necessaries.

Bar of suits for acts done *bonâ fide*.

16. No suit or other proceeding shall be maintained against any person in respect of anything done by him in good faith under this Act.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

Saturday, the 6th December 1873.

Present:

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL, *Presiding*,
THE HON'BLE G. C. PAUL, *Acting Advocate-General*,
THE HON'BLE V. H. SCHALCH,
The Hon'ble H. L. DAMPIER,
THE HON'BLE LORD ULICK BROWNE,
THE HON'BLE C. E. BERNARD,
THE HON'BLE T. M. ROBINSON,
THE HON'BLE RAJAH JOTEENDRO MOHUN TAGORE, BAHADOOR,
THE HON'BLE BABOO DIGUMBER MITTER,
and
The Hon'ble B. D. COLVIN.

EMIGRATION TO THE LABOR DISTRICTS.

THE HON'BLE THE ADVOCATE-GENERAL moved that the report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service, be taken into consideration in order to the settlement of the clauses of the Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

THE HONOURABLE THE ADVOCATE-GENERAL also moved that the clauses of the Bill be taken into consideration in the form recommended by the Select Committee.

The motion was put and agreed to.

HIS HONOR THE PRESIDENT said that the first amendment on the paper stood in his own name. He said one, because, although the amendments were put in a tripartite form, they were really one. Before coming to the specific amendment, he might say one or two words as regarded the general position of the question. On the last occasion he had explained to the Council why it was desirable that this Council should deal with this Bill, and not leave it to be afterwards dealt with by another Council. He might add that the unfortunate scarcity which now prevailed, and the probability that many people would seek relief by emigration, rendered it peculiarly desirable that this Bill should be settled as soon as possible; and, therefore, he was quite sure that he should carry them with him when he asked the Council to apply to it their best energies. We should do what we could to make it a Bill that would really subserve the purposes for which it was intended. Perhaps he was going a little beyond the amendment before the Council; but he should like to allude to another amendment which was at one time upon the paper, but had since been removed. The Bill had now been for a very considerable time before the Council, and we owed to a committee of the Council, who were good enough to bestow upon it great care and great labor, that it had been put into mature shape; it would be, he believed, a great improvement upon the previous law, and also a great improvement upon the Bill as it was originally placed by the Government before the Council. The state of matters was this:—At our last meeting the question of the further amendment of the Bill was narrowed to two or three questions, which he had then submitted to the Council. The first of the proposals, which was then put upon the paper in his name, was that which no longer appeared upon the paper, namely this, that the districts of Cachar and Sylhet should be removed from the list of labor districts, and taken out of the operation of this Bill. Well, he would explain to the Council why we thought it right to give up that amendment. We had consulted the officials, the planters, the coolies, and other persons interested in the matter, and we found that opinions were far from being unanimous. So far as Cachar was concerned, he might say that a great majority of the planting interest were opposed to the entire excision of that district from the operation of the Bill. As regarded Sylhet, he thought the result of our enquiries was that the majority of the limited number of planters interested in that district were favorable to its being removed from the Bill. Still there were planters connected with that district, whose gardens were at remote and difficult situations, who were not in favor of the omission of Sylhet. The Commissioner of the Division, on considering the whole question, had thought fit to recommend that Sylhet should not be removed from the operation of this Bill. Taking, then, into consideration that it would not be possible to give a more prolonged consideration to this part of the question, and that it would be rash to act in this matter in a hurry, the Government had come to the conclusion that the time had not arrived to ask this Council to remove Cachar and Sylhet altogether from the operation of this Bill. His Honor was inclined to believe that things were tending that way. He was inclined to think that, sooner or later, that result might be attained. But in the meantime we did not propose to ask the Council to remove these districts from the operation of the Bill.

HIS HONOR now came to the amendments which still stood in his name. If the Council would allow him, he would take them in somewhat the reverse order in which they stood with regard to the numbering of the sections upon the notice paper. He proposed that Sections 15, 16, and 17, which rendered a penal offence the recruiting of laborers otherwise than under this Act, should be expunged from this Bill. We propose to say—We will no longer send you to jail for recruiting in the ordinary manner and under the ordinary law, and not under the special Act. That was a proposal which he thought no one would object to. The gentlemen of the tea interest would no doubt be content that

they would not be liable to punishment for recruiting outside the law. The result of the simple excision of these clauses would be to render lawful ordinary contracts for labor otherwise than under the Act. But we had considered that, seeing the caution that was necessary before people could be bound down to serve for long periods in countries and under conditions that were unknown to them, it would not be desirable to go so far as that. On a former occasion he had indicated to the Council that we might take for example the plan that had been adopted by the Government of India with regard to a Bill before the Legislative Council of India, with respect to British Burmah. The proposal that was made by the Hon'ble Member in charge of that Bill was that there should be no penal clauses to interfere with free emigration, but simply a clause to provide that no contract shall be binding upon a laborer unless it was made in accordance with the Act. Well, so the matter stood when the question was last before them; but since he had last addressed the Council regarding this Bill, a considerable change had taken place in consequence of the unhappy scarcity which afflicts the country at present, and which threatens to afflict it in the future. As he had said, the Government thought it probable that emigration might take place largely in consequence, and the Government had also indicated a desire to assist emigration as far as possible.

The Government had further suggested that persons who might be assisted to emigrate under this Bill, might fairly be expected to contract for one year, one year being the term for free labor contracts usual in the tea districts.

Accordingly the Members of the Government had decided to propose for the consideration of this Council the clause which stood in his name, and which was as follows:—"No contract to labor in the labor districts for more than one year shall be binding upon an emigrant, unless it is made in accordance with this Act; and no emigrant shall be bound to fulfil any contract of labor upon any estate or portion of an estate which has been declared unfit for the residence of laborers under the provisions of sections 119 and 120." He might explain that the latter part of this section was one which had been added for a reason which he thought the Council would consider very sufficient, namely this, inasmuch as these contracts were made by an emigrant before he reached the labor districts, it would not be fair and just that he should be forced to perform that contract in an estate which had been declared unfit for residence. Therefore, he had no doubt the Council would consider that we had justly inserted this clause.

Well, then, the only question which really required the full consideration of the Council was this, whether a system of free labor contract outside the provisions of the Act shall be allowed in these labor districts, or not. On that subject we were in the possession of a number of valuable opinions. He thought he might say the great majority of these opinions was in favor of the proposal which he had now submitted to the Council. He admitted, however, that there were some variations in the opinions we had received direct. First, there was the opinion which was received from Messrs. Young, Grey & Co., who looked upon the proposals of the Government as admirable, and would like to see them carried out entirely; then another from Balmer, Lawrie and Co., who took another view, and said—"We think it is desirable to let well alone;" then another gentleman, Mr. S. H. Robinson, who was strongly in favor of the free system of recruiting; then we came to another gentleman, Dr. C. W. Turner, who was of an opposite opinion, and did not think the free system was good. His Honor now came to more important documents, namely, the reports of the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and the Deputy Commissioner of Cachar, and the Magistrate of Sylhet, who had fairly collected and reported the opinions of the planters consulted, the opinions of the coolies consulted, and their own opinions. The result of these enquiries seemed to show that there was a very great majority of opinion in favor of permitting free recruiting. The Deputy Commissioner of Cachar tells us that he finds that in that district "the possibility of carrying out free recruiting side by side with the Coolies' Act is maintained by a large majority of the planters. Very few only have doubts about it."

9. In the matter of free emigration side by side with an Act, the general opinion of the planters, as far as expressed, is quite in favor of it; and the possibility of carrying it out side by side with the Coolies' Act is maintained by a large majority; a very few only have doubts on the subject.

Many planters characterize it as a great boon, whilst one gentleman of well-known influence informs me that he has always been averse to any special Acts, and is glad that signs are being now shown that before many years we shall see the last of them.

They say of course that certain remote gardens will not be able to use it for the present to any extent, but that others will avail themselves of the permission largely.

10. At the present moment there are free-recruited men working on many of the gardens; some of them, as the managers state, come up of their own free-will, paying their own expenses; others come up at the instigation of old garden coolies, who, when visiting their homes, and in some cases managers, have recruited outside the Act.

I visited a garden lately where, according to the manager's statement, there was hardly a coolie who had been imported by the garden. * * * *

"Now, these men are as healthy-looking and contented a set of coolies as I have seen, and their lines were a model of cleanliness. * * * *

In another flourishing and well-managed garden employing over 600 coolies, I found about 360 coolies recruited or re-engaged under the Act, about 140 under civil contract, and over 100 without any contract at all.

11. In a letter this instant received, the manager of a concern with more than 300 coolies under the Act alone, says: 'I would heartily welcome a system of free recruiting, and further, I believe that free labor is possible working alongside the contract plan, and on this garden as well as on many others *there are both kinds.*' * * *

12. One gentleman alone in alluding to this subject pronounced free recruiting to be (in his case) a failure; he got up some coolies who absconded one by one, he never being able to get an agreement from any of them. Now, this exactly bears out what has been stated by me, for the garden is placed in a comparatively remote part of the district, and not far from Monierkhall, which has had an unfortunate notoriety.

Even this gentleman 'as an experienced planter,' sees no reason why the system, (*i e.*, allowing free recruiting), should not work side by side and be tried for a time at least.

13. On this point the coolies also were generally of one opinion, viz., that 'free recruiting' should be allowed. One or two individuals said that men could not be brought from Calcutta without an agreement being obtained from them before they started, but almost all who gave an opinion alleged that a large number would come up if the movement once began; and some sirdars stated that if such permissions were granted, they would go down of their own accord, and bring up coolies at their own entire risk, and not for remuneration, only for such coolies as they furnished willing to work on the garden. * * * * *

14. My own views suggesting the propriety of free emigration being allowed side by side with the Act, have been expressed before, and the present inquiries fully confirm them, and I have little to add beyond pointing out that transit of coolies under the Act is necessarily more expensive and tedious than that which would result from free recruiting. Under the latter system also men of better physique would be selected, as the present contractors have not that amount of interest in obtaining healthy and strong laborers which a garden or other recruiter would have. Men who were not robust would seldom undertake the journey of their own motion. * * * * *

Some have proposed as a modification of the above that the agreement should be taken from the coolie on arrival here before the local Magistrate, who would compel its execution unless the garden was unfit for habitation."

Now that was exactly what we proposed to give, and something more. We proposed to say that local contracts made with coolies who had arrived in the district were lawful; and further, that up to the limit of one year the contract may be considered as binding, though made with an emigrant before he reaches the labor districts.

In Sylhet the tendency of opinion was still more favorable to the free system; and as regarded the coolies, His Honor found that the majority of the coolies also wanted to be free, and expressed a decided opinion to that effect, always excepting one especially intelligent cooly who made this sage remark—"What does it matter to us whether there be an Act, or no Act, so long as our bellies are filled." But it was reported that it was perfectly clear that to those gardens where free labor prevailed, the coolies went much more readily.

He thought then that he might say that the opinions of officials, non-officials, planters, and coolies, were such as to show a very large balance of argument in favor the optional free system. He thought the circumstances under which we were placed by the scarcity rendered it greatly desirable to assist laborers to proceed to the labor districts. And feeling that on the one hand,

it would not be fair to bind them down for too long a term, and on the other hand that if planters were to import coolies they must have some kind of contract to make a fair start. He trusted the Council would consider the amendment he had proposed as a fair compromise. He was sure they would give it a fair consideration, and would decide what they thought best. He would begin, then, by moving to omit sections, 15, 16, and 17, that was to say, the penal clauses of the Act.

THE HON'BLE MR. COLVIN said that, as he took occasion when the Labor Transport Bill was introduced to offer a few remarks on its general scope and some of its particular provisions, and as he had since had the opportunity in respect to the greater portion of the Bill of urging in Select Committee such alterations and amendments as appeared to him expedient or essential, he need not now occupy the time of the Council for more than a few minutes. But there were one or two general considerations to which he was anxious to draw attention before referring specially to the amendments of the Hon'ble President. He thought the Council would hear him out in believing that the anticipation which he ventured to express when the measure was first brought forward, that it would be found to involve important changes in the existing law, and to re-open the whole subject in the minds of those interested, to produce a good deal of comment and provoke a certain amount of criticism, had been fulfilled; and if at that time he had been somewhat distrustful of the effect of fresh legislation, he was now ready to admit that it had been attended with certain distinct advantages in addition to those which had been then adduced in its favor. For it had brought to bear upon the whole question a quantity of practical information and a number of valuable opinions, which had been of great service in enabling the Select Committee to frame the Bill in the form in which it was now submitted to the Council for consideration; it had also made public the declared purpose of the Bengal Government to aid and assist emigration to the tea districts, rather than to place difficulties and delays in the way; to encourage the great and growing industry of tea cultivation, rather than to burden it with any new restrictions; and further, it had placed beyond doubt that which had previously been imperfectly understood or believed, that in the great majority of instances, the relations between employers and laborers in the tea districts were consistent with the well being of the latter, and that both on the higher ground of humanity as well as on the lower one of self interest, the care of the cooly was not neglected by the planter, and that the present body of owners of gardens and planters generally might claim credit, not only for energy and enterprise in pushing their trade to its present state of prosperity through many difficulties and disappointments, but also for the strict and honorable observance of the conditions under which it had seemed good to the Government to favor the establishment and extension of the trade.

Passing on to the amendments proposed by the Hon'ble President, Mr. Colvin would say that although he had previously expressed an opinion which had then been shared in by all his hon'ble colleagues on the Select Committee, that complications were likely to arise from carrying out two separate systems of recruiting side by side, he had become on further consideration of the matter and of the opinions submitted upon it, less apprehensive of the effect of omitting the penal clauses of the Act, for he doubted whether the two systems would thereby be brought in practice into such close competition as to produce results inequitable to those who had previously been compelled to recruit solely within the provisions of the Act; that apprehension being thus to a great extent removed, he was quite ready to relinquish the ground of objection and to support the amendments of His Honor; and further he felt that being as they were almost within the shadow cast before the coming of a dreaded event in parts of the province, he could not but acquiesce in an arrangement to facilitate emigration from districts where there was likely to be lack of labor and scarcity of food supplies to places where employment and the means of subsistence were comparatively easy to obtain.

The Hon'ble President had explained to the Council why the suggestion for exempting a portion of the labor districts from the operation of the Act had been withdrawn. Mr. Colvin considered from his own knowledge of the

manner, and from the testimony of others that the experiment would have been in Sylhet desirable, in Cachar doubtful, and in Assam dangerous, and he was quite content that it should be left to some future time to decide when and where such exemption, if any, should take effect.

His Honor the President said, before he proceeded further, he might notice that the motion went further than it was intended to go. He had described it as removing the penal clauses of the Act. He found, however, that Section 17 went further than that. If the Council would allow him to change the motion, he would so far change it as to move the omission of Sections 15 and 16 only, leaving Section 17 for a separate motion.

The motion was put and agreed to.

His Honor the President said, if the Council would allow him he would put the motion with regard to Section 17 in a somewhat altered form, namely this—Omit the first six lines of Section 17, and the words "period which," and substitute these words:—"A contract registered under this Act." Section 17 would then read in this wise:—"A contract registered under this Act shall in no case exceed the term of three years from the date of the arrival of the emigrant in the estate of his employer in any labor district. Every such contract shall be in the form in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act, and shall be reduced to writing, and shall specify the monthly amount of wages in money, the period of service, the name of the district in which the service is to be performed, and the price at which rice is to be supplied to the laborer."

The motion was put and agreed to.

His Honor the President said, he would now put the question that after Section 8, the new section, of which notice had been given, be inserted. He would read it again:—"No contract to labor in the labor districts for more than one year shall be binding upon an emigrant, unless it is made in accordance with this Act, and no emigrant shall be bound to fulfil any contract of labor upon any estate or portion of an estate which has been declared unfit for the residence of laborers under the provisions of Sections 119 and 120."

The motion was put and agreed to.

His Honor the President said he would next propose the first clause of the amendment which stood in his name, which was a necessary sequence of the amendment which had just been passed, inasmuch as it was now possible for free laborers contracting under the ordinary law to be conveyed to the labor districts. And as it was at the same time necessary that those emigrants when proceeding to the labor districts should be subjected to certain sanitary regulations, it was proposed to alter the term "emigrants" so that it would include both emigrants under the law and ordinary emigrants proceeding under the ordinary law. If the Council accepted this proposal, it would be necessary to revise the section of the law relating to transport. When coolies proceeded in large numbers in crowded vessels, it would be necessary to subject them to certain sanitary regulations. If the principle of our present proposal was passed by the Council, we would then proceed to deal with the transport at the next meeting of the Council. The question was—In Section 3, clause 6, definition of "Emigrant," add after the word "recruiter" the words "or other person," and omit the words "and has been registered as hereinafter provided."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble the Advocate General said he had the honor to move that clauses 1 and 2 of Section 125 be omitted, and that the following be inserted after the present third clause:—"Upon complaint made to a Magistrate by an employer, or any person acting on his behalf, that a laborer has deserted from his employer's service, such Magistrate may issue a summons for the attendance of such laborer, or a warrant for his arrest, and appoint a day for the hearing of the complaint without previously examining the complainant." He understood that the Hon'ble Mr. Robinson wanted further time for the consideration of this amendment.

The Hon'ble Mr. Robinson begged to say that he received the notice of this amendment only yesterday evening, and it involved an alteration which

was of very considerable importance to planters. He recollected on a previous occasion His Honor having expressed an opinion adverse to the section as it stood; but his memory did not serve him to lead him to suppose that there was any proposal made to alter it. He thought it would be more convenient if the Council would allow the consideration of this change to be postponed.

His Honor the President said he was quite ready to accede to the proposition that had been made, as it seemed to be perfectly reasonable. He might say at once that it was a change in regard to which there was no doubt a great deal of difference of opinion. He found that the great majority of the planters were against a change of this kind, but the great majority of the coolies were in favor of it.

The consideration of the amendment was accordingly postponed.

POWERS OF MAGISTRATES.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier moved that the report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend Act XXI of 1856 of the Council of the Governor-General and Act II of 1866 of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, be taken into consideration in order to the settlement of the clauses of the Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier said as this Bill was a very short one, and had been some days in the hands of hon'ble members, and as the object of it was so pressing, that is to relieve the Magistrates of districts at this time of urgency from certain work which could be well done by others, he hoped the Hon'ble President would suspend the rules, and allow him to move that the clauses be considered for settlement in the form recommended by the Select Committee.

His Honor the President said he might mention to the Council that this Bill had its origin in a case in which a Magistrate, being desired to go out into the district to do what he could to assist the people to promote irrigation with a view of saving the crops, represented that he was very much tied down by the fact that petty cases of this kind could be disposed of by him only, and that he could not refer them to any subordinate Magistrate. On looking to this case, we found that it was really so. The Magistrates were very much tied in trying such petty cases, and we thought they should be relieved, and also on general principle that Magistrates of the second class should be entrusted with these cases. Seeing then the pressing nature of this small Bill, he thought he would not be wrong in suspending the rules, and allowing the hon'ble member to proceed with his motion. If any member should suggest any reason for delay he would be ready to give that reason full consideration. In the meantime he would suspend the rules.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier said he had now the honor to move that the clauses be considered for settlement in the form recommended by the Select Committee. He had simply to repeat what he had said in introducing this Bill to the Council, that in the two laws which were now amended, certain special restrictions were imposed in the trial of offences against the Abkaree law and offences against the Suburban Police law as regards the grades of officers who could deal with them. Really, there was no reason whatever why the powers of Magistrates of different classes should be differently restricted with regard to those particular offences than they were under the general law of the land in regard to offences in general. His hon'ble friend on the left (the Advocate General), was very anxious that professional character should be saved by explaining that both the members of the Select Committee were of opinion that section 2 of the Bill was absolutely unnecessary. They thought that when by section 1 the Council had repealed the two sections of the existing laws which placed special restrictions on the powers of Magistrates as regards these particular offences, they would as a matter of course fall under section 8 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Still some might raise the objection that section 8 of the Criminal Procedure Code would only apply to offences punishable under such special laws as at the time when the Criminal Procedure Code was passed contained no distinct provision as to the Court before which the offences were to be tried. It was in order to prevent any objection being raised on this head that the Select Committee

added the second clause of the Bill, which they themselves believed to be nothing more than declaratory of what the law would be if the Bill were to consist of the first section only.

His Honor the President said he was quite sure that the opinions of the members who had been good enough to put this Bill in shape in Committee would be quite enough for us; yet he dared say we would not be worse for having assurance doubly sure. He might mention that the effect of the alteration in the form of the Bill which the Hon'ble members of the Committee were good enough to undertake, was to make the scope of the Bill a little wider than the Government had originally intended. The proposal of the Government was to give certain powers to second-class Magistrates, whereas under the general form of the Bill as now put, third-class Magistrates would also have some powers. Still the Government felt that the proposal that was now made was in entire accordance with the spirit of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and as such we should not be wrong in adopting it.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier said it was strictly according to rule, as no Hon'ble member appeared to have any objection, to ask that this Bill should now be passed in the form in which it was presented by the Select Committee.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Council was adjourned to Saturday the 13th December next.

REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE SALT MARKET FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF 1873-74.

No. 558B.—Dated Fort William, the 22nd November 1873.

From—T. B. LANE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Revenue Department.

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I AM directed by the Member in Charge to submit the following report on the state of the salt market for the second quarter of 1873-74, comprising the months of July, August, and September last.

2. The quantity of salt consumed (*i.e.*, the quantity of total clearances of salt of all descriptions) in the quarter under report amounted to 2,579,340 maunds, against 1,714,507 maunds in the previous quarter, and 2,601,085 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year; and the total amount of duty levied was Rs. 83,82,855, against Rs. 55,72,148 and Rs. 84,53,526 in the previous and corresponding quarters, respectively.

3. The quantity of Government salt sold at the Presidency and Hidgellee under wholesale rowannahs amounted to 4,000 maunds, as shown in the margin, giving a monthly average of 1,333⅓ maunds, against 795 maunds in the previous quarter and 1,133⅓ maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

	Mds.
July	1,100
August	1,500
September	1,400
Total ...	4,000

4. The quantity of excise salt sold in Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree and the 24-Pergunnahs during the present quarter, from the stock of the different seasons, and the quantity which remained in store at the close of the quarter, are shown in the following table I:—

I.

	Cuttack.			Balasore.				Pooree.				24-Pergunnahs.	
	Manufactures of			Manufactures of				Manufactures of				Manufactures of	
	1869-70.	1870-71.	1871-72.	1869-70.	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1869-70.	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1871-72.	1872-73.
	Mds.	Mds. S.	Mds. S.	Mds. S.	Mds. S. C.	Mds. S. C.	Mds. S.	Mds. S.	Mds. S.	Mds.	Mds. S.	Mds.	Mds.
Balance at close of last quarter ...	9,554*	32,521 14	22,424 10	10,080 21	10,014 16 13	26,348 13 13	†93,914 0	289 3	705 5	36,995	120,906 20	4,289	17,126
Manufactured or added during the quarter	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 0	1175 37	.....	‡351	§49,203 0	.....	.....
Total ...	9,554	32,521 14	22,424 10	10,080 21	10,014 16 13	26,348 13 13	93,927 0	465 0	705 5	37,346	1,70,109 20	4,289	17,126
DEDUCT—													
Sales during the quarter ...	6,787-20	3,845 0	8,583 0	1,020 0	5,077 10 0	7,789 30 0	15,042 0	465 0	.....	34,338	10,147 0	3,851	3,066
Wastage ...	451	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 5	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	7,238-20	3,845 0	8,583 0	1,020 0	5,077 10 0	7,789 30 0	15,042 0	465 0	8 5	34,338	10,147 0	3,851	3,066
Balance at close of the quarter ...	2,315-20	28,676 14	13,841 10	9,060 21	4,937 6 13	18,558 23 13	78,885 0	.....	697 0	3,008	159,962 20	438	14,126

It will be seen from the above that the total clearances, or sales, of excise salt during the quarter under review amounted to 99,946 maunds, against 115,797 maunds in the previous quarter, and 101,438 in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

* This includes 451 maunds of Pooree-made salt in Futtehmookah Golah.

† The difference of 420 maunds between this and the figures shown in the Report for the 1st quarter 1873-74, is owing to revised figures submitted by Collector.

‡ These represent surplus ascertained on clearance of Golahs.

§ Of this 16,948 maunds is the difference between the quantity estimated as manufactured and the quantity actually stored.

5. The subjoined Table II shows, comparatively, the total importations into the port of Calcutta, and the total clearances of sea-imported salt during the quarter under notice, and the corresponding quarters of the previous two years:—

II.

Memorandum shewing the quantity of different kinds of foreign salt imported and cleared on payment of duty at the port of Calcutta during the 2nd quarter (July, August, and September) of the following years.

	2nd quarter of 1871-72.		2nd quarter of 1872-73.		2nd quarter of 1873-74.	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Pungah ...	15,49,526	17,74,626	14,29,215	18,08,556	10,60,785	18,18,274
Foreign Kurkutch ...	4,11,274	3,18,936	3,17,176	3,93,878	4,70,017	3,66,311
Indian ditto ...	1,16,564	2,40,721	2,43,537	2,42,143	3,00,446	2,52,841
Ceylon ditto ...	.....	8,116	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	20,77,364	23,42,399	19,89,928	24,44,577	18,31,248	24,37,426

6. The following are the details of the Indian Kurkutch salt shown above:—

III.

Memorandum shewing the detailed description of Indian Kurkutch.

	2nd quarter of 1871-72.		2nd quarter of 1872-73.		2nd quarter of 1873-74.	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Kurrachee	.....	91,737	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	34,824	85,210	154,149	169,520	169,110	184,069
Madras	65,060	63,774	62,388	72,623	18,000	59,706
Ennore	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,136	9,066
Covelong	16,680	.....	27,000	.....	86,200	.....
Total ...	1,16,564	2,40,721	2,43,537	2,42,143	3,00,446	2,52,841

7. Table IV shews the quantity of sea-imported salt remaining in the warehouses at the close of the quarter, as compared with the results of the previous four quarters:—

IV.

Where stored.	2nd quarter of 1872-73.	3rd quarter of 1872-73.	4th quarter of 1872-73.	1st quarter of 1873-74.	2nd quarter of 1873-74.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Sulkea Government Golahs	11,76,239	16,70,117	17,63,249	19,64,858	11,76,745
Ghoosery Golahs	19,682	5,603	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong Government Golahs	1,08,067	1,51,295	1,28,573	79,381	59,413
Total ...	13,03,988	18,27,015	18,91,822	20,44,239	12,36,158

8. Table V exhibits the despatches of salt from Calcutta by water and the three Railways, passing the several salt pass stations into the interior of the country; both east and west of the river Hooghly, during the quarter

under review, and the corresponding quarters of the previous two years. The quantity carried by the East Indian Railway again shows a large increase :—

V.

Period.	*Viâ* Ballikhal.	*Viâ* Sankrail.	*Viâ* Gewa-khalee.	*Viâ* Kidder-pore.	*Viâ* Bullia-ghatta.	By the East Indian Railway.	By the East-ern Bengal Railway.	By the Cal-cutta and S. E. Railway.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
2nd quarter of 1871-72 ...	12,07,222	1,36,267	1,01,413	90,094	3,91,108	2,97,363	6,431	34
Ditto 1872-73 ...	14,16,740	1,29,880	62,410	96,887	3,90,185	3,16,452	5,436	43
Ditto 1873-74 ...	13,25,962	1,30,165	65,954	1,08,331	4,41,068	4,76,542	12,304	.....

The quantity of salt despatched by the East Indian Railway to stations beyond Buxar in the quarter under review amounted to 15,262 maunds, as noted on the margin, against 17,446 maunds in the previous quarter, and 8,111 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

	Mds.
July ...	4,996
August ...	3,193
September ...	7,073
Total ...	15,262

9. The shipments of Liverpool salt for the port of Calcutta, according to published market reports, were as follows :—

	Tons.
July	20,766
August	28,897
September	20,388
Total ...	70,051

The shipments made during the quarter under report for the port of Chittagong amounted to 571 tons.

10. The market prices per 100 maunds of Liverpool and other descriptions of salt at the close of each fortnight during the quarter, as compared with those obtaining during the same period last year, are shewn in the following Table VI :—

VI.

Description of Salt.	Prices on 15th July		Prices on 31st July		Prices on 15th August		Prices on 31st August		Prices on 15th September		Prices on 30th September	
	1872.	1873.	1872.	1873.	1872.	1873.	1872.	1873.	1872.	1872.	1872.	1873.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Liverpool Pungah ...	78	92	76	84	75	84	74	88	77	73	74	78
French Kurkutch ...	70	71	82	68	82	65	79	65	79	50	68	44
Jeddah ditto ...	94	78	95	75	95	67	80	60	77	56	67	54
Ceylon ditto ...	65	...	63	...	63	...	63	...	63	...	63	...
Scinde ditto ...	38	...	38	...	38	...	38	...	38	...	38	...
Bombay ditto ...	51	42	59	34	62	36	57	36	56	35	49	36
Madras ditto ...	61	65	69	63	69	63	69	63	65	62	53	61

11. In Table VII are exhibited the total quantities of salt that were available for the private export trade at the several depôts in the Madras Presidency on the first day of each of the three months constituting the quarter under report, and the corresponding quarters of 1871-72 and 1872-73.

VII.

Months.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
July	5,39,789	6,23,677	1,83,980
August	6,76,096	6,18,619	1,00,000
September ...	7,81,896	6,50,396	1,00,000

12. The following table shows the quantities of sea-imported salt admitted into bond and cleared from bond and shipboard at Chittagong during the quarter under review, and the corresponding quarter of 1872-73, respectively :—

VIII.

Description of Salt.	Admitted into Bond.		Cleared.	
	2nd quarter of 1872-73.	2nd quarter of 1873-74.	2nd quarter of 1872-73.	2nd quarter of 1873-74.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Pungah	48,550	3,980	51,474	36,118
Madras Kurkutch	... ..	15,140	196	1,850
Total ...	48,550	19,120	51,670	37,968

No transactions in sea-imported salt have been reported for the quarter from any of the Orissa ports.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF OFFICERS ENGAGED IN THE CARRYING OUT OF RELIEF WORKS.

No. 428.—*The 6th December* 1873.—*Notification.*—The following is published for general information :—

No. 5718.

***Resolution by the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in the Public Works Department,—(General) Establishments,—under date the 3rd December* 1873.**

Read again the orders of the Government of India Nos. 248 to 259*I.* dated 24th September 1868 with annexures, relating to anticipated scarcity in Upper India, and to measures approved for adoption in time of Famine, which were circulated by endorsements of this Office Nos. 850 to 857*I.* of 6th October 1868,—being recorded in Proceedings A. of Bengal Government in Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, for October 1868, Nos. 1 to 3.

Read again Notification No. 173 of May 1872, being Rules "*for guidance* of District Magis-"trates and Heads of Departments, District Committees, and Engineers entrusted with "Local Works constructed from Local, Provincial or Imperial Funds," recorded in Proceedings A. of Bengal Government in Public Works Department, Establishments, for May 1872, Nos. 1 and 2.

Read Chapter XIII.-*A.* of the Public Works Code relating to "measures to be adopted in time of Famine."

Read Resolution by the Government of India in Public Works Department, No. 431 B. C. dated 28th October 1873, received in this Office, relative to the undertaking of Relief Works where urgently required in regard to the impending scarcity in parts of Bengal, and also referring to the above mentioned orders of 24th September 1868, and Chapter of the Public Works Department Code.

Read orders of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in the Financial Department (Scarcity and Relief,) contained in Resolution dated 3rd, Circular No. 80 dated 17th and Resolution dated 25th November 1873, relating to the works and measures to be carried out in the Civil and Public Works Departments of this Government for affording relief to people who may suffer from failure of crops in certain Districts.

RESOLUTION.—With reference to Chapter XIII.-*A.* of the Public Works Code and the instructions issued by the Government of India in September 1868, by which local Officers are now to be guided, subject to difference of practice which local circumstances may render necessary; and in reference to and continuation of the above mentioned Resolution dated 25th November 1873 by this Government in the Financial (Scarcity and Relief) Department, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to record the following observations and instructions for the information and guidance of all Officers concerned in carrying out Relief Works in the districts, which have been, or may be designated, Distressed Districts.

1. *General organization.*—The Commissioner of the Division has general control of all relief measures and works. He must be cognizant of all matters connected with relief, and, unless in instances specially excepted, all communications on the subject of relief from local Officers of every Department, as well as from Civil Officers, should be submitted through him.

(*a.*) The Magistrate is the local head of all relief measures and works, and will, subject to the Commissioner's orders, decide when works are to be undertaken or discontinued; how they are to be carried out; and whether wages are to be paid in coin or kind, or both. He will also have a general control in regard to the rate of wages, and other such matters. He will, in short, direct all relief operations.

(*b.*) Relief Works are to be considered District Works and dealt with under the rules published in the Notification No. 173 of May 1872, according to which they will be carried out, subject to any modifications ordered in this Resolution; and all District Works in distressed districts are to be considered Relief Works.

2. *Execution and control of works.*—The professional control of Relief Works will remain with the Superintending and District Engineers; and under the special circumstances of necessity and want of proper estimates,

which may possibly exist in many instances, it is necessary that these officers should be more than ever active in their supervision. The number of Superintending Engineers will be increased, and large and liberal assistance in Engineers is being granted to districts. The Lieutenant-Governor will expect that the Relief Works will be very efficiently carried on in every respect.

3. *Employment, classification, and tasking of Laborers.*—It is to be considered as a condition of employment on Public Works that every person shall give some labor in exchange for the wages given.

(*a.*) The work-people should be divided primarily into two classes—

I.—Those who can perform a full day's work at the usual rates.
II.—Those who cannot do so.

(*b.*) Class I. should receive full wages, or payment for full work, and if necessary should be retrenched for short work as usual; but not so as to bring them below the wages of Class II., which they should join if found habitually unable to give the proper amount of work.

(*c.*) Work-people of Class I. should be drafted off to the more important works which it is desired to carry out in the ordinary manner, where they can be under proper supervision, and where the proper amount of work can be ensured from them. This should only be done to the extent to which required for such works, and if there are more laborers in Class I. than there is proper work for, the surplus should be put into Class II.

(*d.*) Class II. will receive mere subsistence wages; but those who can render a tolerable return of work may be tasked, and paid according to the amount of work done. Such tasks must be fixed according to circumstances by the District Engineer, subject to approval by the Magistrate. The amount of the subsistence wages should be determined by the local Officer subject to the approval of the Commissioner with reference to local circumstances, and the result reported to Government in this Department.

(*e.*) Officers in charge of work-people must consider it a part of their duty to watch the condition of their work-people, and to bring it to the Magistrate's notice as necessary.

4. *Rate and payment of wages.*—The Lieutenant-Governor desires that, as a rule, there shall be but one rate of daily wage in each district or tract for each class of work-people, as already defined. This rate to be fixed, for Class I., at the ordinary rates of the district as at present prevailing. The rates for Class II. will be determined as above explained, but will generally be lower than those for Class I. and can never be higher.

(*a.*) These rates are to remain fixed; but when the market price of rice rises above 10 seers per rupee, the Government will sell rice or other food to the *work-people* at not less than 10 seers per rupee whatever may be the current district rate of food. The food will be sold under the rules contained in Appendix A. of this Resolution.

(*b.*) Ordinarily the payments on Relief Works should be made daily, especially in regard to Class II. But an interval of two days may be allowable or necessary; and when the times are not very bad, a longer time might, perhaps, be allowed, especially to Class I. On these matters the Magistrate will be the judge, and decide what may be done.

(*c.*) The payments must be made in the presence of a trustworthy person, and the working parties must be frequently visited by the supervising officers. This matter of payment must receive special attention.

5. *Payment of wages in kind and distribution of cooked food to the laborers.*—It is not anticipated that, with the arrangements for selling rice, which have been laid down in the preceding paragraph, there will be any necessity of payment of wages in kind, or of distribution of cooked food. Should this be necessary in special instances, special arrangements must be made under the orders of the Magistrate, and reported in due course. Should there seem likely to be any general necessity for payment in kind as time progresses, the matter will receive the attention of the Lieutenant-Governor, and special orders will be issued.

6. When large bodies of workmen are collected, or likely to be collected at a distance from markets, the Magistrate can sanction the Engineer's arranging for establishing one or more petty dealers at each work, who will sell food and firewood to the laborers. The cost of housing and establishing such dealers would be chargeable to the works; and the men could, when necessity arose, be employed as "Moodees" or depôt-holders under Appendix A.

7. *Hutting of laborers, &c.*—On any work where a large number of laborers will be for any number of weeks employed, it will be very necessary to provide for shelter, sanitation and water-supply; where jungle wood, bamboos and grass may be abundant the coolies may be left to build their own huts; where materials may be less abundant some small head money or allowance may have to be made; and where the country is all thoroughly open and cultivated it may be necessary for the Engineer to arrange shelter for the laborers. In any case the hutting space will have to be chosen and marked out with some regard to ventilation and sanitation. Attempt must be made to make the coolies of each camp foul the ground near their huts as little as possible, and the huts should be of light moveable materials. As one embankment or work is finished and the coolies move on to another, they would carry the bamboos or posts of their huts with them; and the necessity for such periodical moves will constitute a valuable security against the breaking out of epidemics. In most parts of Bengal water for drinking purposes will be available; but the places of supply will have to be fenced in or in some way guarded from pollution. In Behar it will often be necessary to dig temporary* wells for the supply of the laborers; where water is scarce this very important requirement will have to be provided for. The Magistrate will have full discretion to permit charges of the kind adverted to in this paragraph to be debited to the works.

* NOTE.—Even where kutcha wells may be insufficient, wells lined with matting or earthen cylinders would suffice. Masonry wells should not be sunk if it can possibly be helped.

8. *Progress of relief.*—In order to show clearly the amount of relief afforded by works, a daily report of the number of work-people employed will be submitted either in English or Vernacular by the person in charge of each work to the District or Sub-Divisional Engineer, who will submit a weekly report to the Magistrate showing the number of work-people employed and the wages paid them. From these returns, fortnightly returns for each principal work, and as regards petty works, for each Sub-Division of each district, will be submitted by the Magistrate to the Commissioner, and to the Public Works Department of this Secretariat.

(*a.*) Rules and forms for the preparation of these returns are contained in Appendix B. of this Resolution.

(*b.*) The Lieutenant-Governor will expect great care in the preparation of these returns, and the utmost exactness in their submission. To ensure this, and to avoid hampering the executive efficiency of officers by these returns, the rules contain provision for their being prepared and submitted by the Office Establishments of the Magistrate and District Engineer.

9. *Establishments.*—It seems undesirable in several respects, and also unnecessary, to carry on ordinary Relief Works under the ordinary Public Works system of Sub-Divisions and Sections, under Upper and Lower Subordinates. An efficient establishment of this nature could not be extemporized, and the ordinary Relief Works will probably be of such a simple nature that in general professionally trained men will not be indispensable. General laying out of work and instructions, with frequent inspection by the Engineer and his Assistant, will probably be all that will be professionally required in regard to the mass of work, which the Lieutenant-Governor thinks may be properly carried on by Mohurirs or Sircars, superintended by persons of intelligence and good character, under the general superintendence of the Engineer, as already noticed.

(*a.*) It is understood that in some districts planters, and other gentlemen of local influence and interest, will undertake a good deal of the minor Relief Works. The Lieutenant-Governor considers this an excellent arrangement which it is desirable to extend as far as possible, and he trusts that in districts

where they have not done so, gentlemen of local position will come forward and take a share in carrying out Relief Works for the benefit of their tenantry and poorer neighbours.

(*b.*) In furtherance of the views already expressed, the Lieutenant-Governor will provide an Engineer for the charge of each district, in cases where two districts are at present under one Engineer. The districts which will thus obtain a separate Engineer will be—

Chumparun	In the Patna	Division.
Purneah	„ Bhaugulpore	„
Bogra	„ Rajshahye	„
Pubna		
Maldah		
Bancoorah	„ Burdwan	„

(*c.*) An Assistant Engineer will also be given to each of the districts in the Patna and Bhaugulpore Commissionerships, an additional Assistant Engineer to the Patna, and for the present three additional Assistant Engineers to the Purneah District, in consequence of the heavy works in those districts. The bridges on the Ganges and Darjeeling Road will then be taken from the Purneah District, and made into a separate charge. Should this amount of assistance be considered likely to be insufficient, Commissioners will give early intimation thereof, and what additional assistance they will require. If at any time it should prove possible to give up any portion of these extra establishments, an immediate report should be made.

(*d.*) The Relief Works in the Rajshahye Commissionership will be partly cared for by Major Lindsay, R. E., and the staff of the Northern Bengal State Railway: the requirements of the remaining portion of the Division are not at present known, but will be disposed of as soon as the reports are received.

(*e.*) In the Circular No. 80 (read above) authority has been given to the local entertainment of extra establishments as required. As far as Relief Works are concerned, these establishments will be for the purposes indicated in paragraphs 4 and 9; and the Lieutenant-Governor will look to the local Officers to arrange for all establishments subordinate to the Engineers, except for really important professional works, when application may be made to Government for additional assistance, after the most has been made of the subordinates attached to districts. These applications must show clearly how existing Public Works Establishments are employed, and how it is proposed to employ those applied for.

10. *Tools.*—It is customary in many districts for the work-people to bring their own tools. The Lieutenant-Governor would wish this custom to be upheld as far as possible. Not only will the Government be thereby relieved of the necessity of providing a large number of tools; but the laborers will not part with their implements, and will have the tools ready to resume their ordinary occupations on leaving the Relief Works.

(*a.*) At the same time, it must be realized that destitute people are not to be refused work for want of tools. It will, in some instances, be a difficult and delicate duty to require tools from the people, and at the same time not to withhold them in cases where they cannot be brought. The Lieutenant-Governor must look to the tact and arrangements of the Commissioners, Magistrates and those engaged in the work to give the best effect possible to his wishes.

(*b.*) A depôt of tools will be formed at the Head-Quarters of each Commissioner, and the tools will be distributed under his orders to the different districts.

(*c.*) Commissioners will report what number of tools in excess of those available and procurable locally must be sent to the depots, in order to enable them to meet the cases in which it may be necessary to supply tools. In this report baskets should not be overlooked.

11. *Accounts.*—In order to keep the Government properly informed of the progress of the expenditure during the present emergency, it is necessary that the district accounts of expenditure should be submitted monthly. This has been already ordered in a separate Circular No. 5716 dated 3rd current; but it is again repeated here that Relief Work accounts must be submitted

in the form and under the procedure laid down for District Works accounts. It is extremely desirable that these accounts should be sent in punctually, as arrear accounts will greatly impair the executive efficiency of Engineer Officers: the District Engineer may, therefore, with the Commissioner's sanction, entertain extra Accountants and Clerks chargeable to Relief Works within reasonable limits.

(a.) In order to mark distinctly the extra establishments due to Relief Works, additional sub-heads should be entered in the extract from Register of Monthly Receipts and Expenditure, which is furnished to the Controller. These sub-heads should show separately—

a.—Superior Executive Establishment.
b.—Inferior ditto, such as Sircars and Mohurirs.
c.—Office Establishments.

(b.) The monthly accounts must be submitted punctually by the 20th of each month, as ordered.

ORDERS.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution with its Appendices, of the Resolution by the Government of India in Public Works Department dated 28th October 1873, (with copy of their previous Resolution of 24th September 1868), and of the Orders of the Lieutenant-Governor in the Financial Department (Scarcity and Relief) of 3rd, 17th and 25th November 1873 *read* above, be forwarded to the Superintending Engineers of all Public Works Circles in Bengal, to the Superintending Engineer of Northern Bengal State Railway, and to the Controller of Public Works Accounts in Bengal, for information and guidance.

ORDERED ALSO that a copy of this Resolution with its Appendices be forwarded to the Commissioners of all Divisions in Bengal and to the Officiating Joint Secretary to the Government of Bengal in Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, for information and guidance; and to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in Financial Department (Scarcity and Relief) for information.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in the under

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number	DISTRICTS.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, best sort. Present return.	Rice, best sort. Next preceding return.	Rice, best sort. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Bullush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Present return.	Bullush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Next preceding return.	Bullush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.															
	Western Districts.															
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan	11 0	10 8	12 12	20 0	16 0	22 0	13 8	13 6	19 0	15 4	15 0	23 4	A 15 0	5 0	20 0
2	Bancoorah*															
3	Beerbhoom	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	16 0	14 4	13 8	24 0	...	...	...
4	Midnapore	10 0	10 0	10 10	...	...	...	B 14 0	14 0	18 0	B 19 8	20 0	26 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly	10 12	11 0	12 8	...	...	...	9 4	9 0	13 0	12 8	11 8	18 0	...	...	...
	Howrah	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	10 10½	10 0	16 0	13 0	13 0	20 0	...	...	...
	Central Districts.															
	Calcutta†	11 0	...	...	18 0	...	...	8 14	...	...	12 13	...	...	...	...	...
6	24-Pergunnahs	...	...	12 0	...	...	20 0	8 12	8 12	8 0	C 11 14	D 13 5	18 12	...	...	...
7	Nuddea	11 7	11 7	14 8	20 0	20 0	32 0	11 7	11 7	16 0	D 15 3 12 3	13 5	17 12	...	...	...
8	Jessore	11 0	11 0	13 5	...	...	...	E 12 8	12 8	17 12	E 18 4	16 0	26 10	...	...	...
9	Moorshedabad	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	14 0	12 0	13 0	20 0	F 19 0	18 0	28 0
10	Dinagepore	11 0	11 0	12 0	14 8	16 0	22 8	12 8	12 8	20 0	14 8	14 8	27 8	...	...	...
11	Maldah	12 8	12 0	16 0	24 0	25 0	35 0	11 8	11 8	24 0	12 8	12 8	22 0	20 0	20 0	22 0
12	Rajshahye	10 8	11 4	15 0	24 0	24 0	30 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	13 8	13 8	24 0*	...	...	...
13	Rungpore	10 2	9 7	11 5	...	...	...	11 4	11 2	15 0	14 1	14 0	30 0	...	...	...
14	Bograh	12 8	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	19 0	G 15 0	15 12	34 0	...	...	...
15	Pubna	14 4	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	11 4	12 0	15 12	16 0	30 0	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling	5 0	5 0	0 0	3 0	4 0	10 0	5 0	5 0	12 0	10 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...
17	Dolpigoree	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	...	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...
	Cooch Behar.*															
	Eastern Districts.															
18	Dacca	10 8	10 8	13 5	21 8	13 0	20 0	12 0	13 0	21 0	14 0	14 0	32 0	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore	14 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	16 0	17 0	21 0	...	...	...
20	Backergunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 12	11 0	17 8	15 8	14 14	27 8	...	...	...
21	Mymensing	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	20 0	17 0 / B / 18 0	17 0	29 0	...	...	...
22	Sylhet‡	8 0	8 0	11 0	7 0	7 0	...	12 4	13 0	25 8	13 4	17 8	38 8	...	...	...
23	Cachar‡	8 10	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	17 12	17 12	29 1	...	...	...
24	Chittagong‡	8 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...	14 0	15 0	17 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	...	...	...
25	Noakhally‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	I 12 0	16 0	18 0	I 17 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...
26	Tipperah	9 0	9 0	12 0	...	...	...	14 8	16 0	20 0	15 to 16	17 12 to 18 13	32 8	...	...	...
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	18 12	14 8	13 13	16 0	16 0	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah‡	...	...	10 6	...	...	...	13 3	14 5	26 6	20 0	17 7	40 0	...	...	...

* Return not received.
† First return.
A In Jehanabad sub-division.
B New rice.
C Price of common rice on 3rd December in sub-division ranged from 12·8 to 18 seers per rupee.
D Coarse rice used by the poorest class.
E Price of best rice in the interior ranges from 11 to 14 seer per rupee and that of common rice from 13 to 20 seer per rupee.

mentioned districts of Bengal on the 6th December 1873.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa, and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Fire-wood.			Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 4	15 4	26 10	120 0	120 0	...	8 10½	8 10½	8 14	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 4	20 0	160 0	160 0	...	8 14	8 0	8 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	27 0	120 0	120 0	...	9 4	9 0	8 12	Moorshedabad.
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...	...	...	16 0	16 0	24 0	22 0	24 0	26 0	13 0	13 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	140 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Maldah.
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	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	16 5	128 0	107 0	120 0	7 8	7 6	7 6	Rungpore.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	14 0	280 0	280 0	...	7 8	7 8	8 0	Noakhally.‡
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	11 4	J 12 0	12 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hill Tipperah.‡

‡ Return for week ending 29th November 1873 received after the publication of the last *Gazette*.
F In Jungipore sub-division.
G Highest price of rice at outlying station was 12 seer and lowest price 14-14 per rupee.
H At sub-divisions and the interior.
I In the interior of this district the price of best rice ranges from 13 to 18 seers and of common rice 16 to 20 seers per rupee.
J Bundles.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in the undermentioned

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Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, best sort. Present return.	Rice, best sort. Next preceding return.	Rice, best sort. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Coarser Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Present return.	Coarser Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Next preceding return.	Coarser Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Corresponding return of last year.
	BEHAR.															
28	Patna ...	16 4	14 0	24 0	18 3	17 0	31 4	12 0	11 8	...	14 8	14 0	21 0	...	...	...
29	Gya ...	10 8	10 8	15 0	12 8	15 0	32 0	9 0	8 8	12 0	0 8	10 8	19 8	...	...	...
30	Shahabad ...	14 0	12 0	15 0	18 6	15 8	30 0	12 4	11 8	11 0	14 0	13 0	19 0	K 17 0	17 0	25 0
31	Tirhoot ...	10 0	10 0	14 0	18 0	16 0	20 0	10 8	10 8	16 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	...
32	Sarun ...	12 8	12 0	14 8	18 0	17 4	32 0	6 0	9 0	15 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	...	...	...
33	Chumparun ...	11 0	11 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	34 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	27 0	...	...	...
34	Monghyr ...	13 6	12 6	18 9	21 0	22 0	31 6	9 4	8 4	14 7	13 0	12 6	18 9	...	...	...
35	Bhagulpore ...	12 10	12 10	16 6	20 3	20 3	24 0	10 1	10 1	15 2	11 6	12 10	17 11	...	...	...
36	Purneah ...	11 0	11 0	17 0	...	...	B 10 0	12 10 9 0	9 0	25 0	13 4 10 0	9 5	27 0	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs...	11 0	11 0	14 0	K 18 0	18 0	29 0	12 8	11 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	20 0	20 0	30 0
	ORISSA.															
38	Cuttack† ...	13 2	13 2	15 12	...	...	...	17 1	17 1	19 11	23 10	23 10	34 2	...	...	...
39	Pooree† ...	11 13	11 13	17 1	...	...	...	18 6	21 0	23 10	24 4	27 9	32 13	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	32 0	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.															
	South-West Frontier Agency.															
41	Hazareebaugh ...	10 0	10 0	16 8	16 0	...	20 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	13 8	13 0	18 8	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	11 0	11 0	11 0	15 0	...	19 0	13 0	10 0	23 0	17 0	16 8	24 0	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom† ...	14 0	14 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	...	16 0	15 0	32 0	24 0	20 0	36 0	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	10 8	10 8	14 0	K 20 to 21	20 to 24	20 to 30	14 0	16 0	24 0	16 0	17 0	26 0	30 0	30 0	40 0
	ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.															
45	Goalpara† ...	10 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	12 0	13 0	12 0	20 0	...	...	...
46	Kamroop† ...	7 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	16 0	12 0	13 0	20 0	...	...	...
47	Durrung† ...	9 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	16 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...
48	Nowgong† ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...
49	Seebsaugor† ...	...	...	13 0	...	...	16 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	12 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...
50	Luckimpore† ...	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	5 8	6 0	7 0	11 0	10 0	13 8	...	...	...
51	Naga Hills.*															
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills† ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	12 0	13 0	10 0	13 8	...	...	...
53	Garo Hills.*															

B New rice.
K In the interior.
* Return not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 9th December 1873.

Districts of Bengal on the 6th December 1873.—(Continued.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa, and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Fire-wood.			Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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																		Garo Hills.*

K In the interior.
* Return not received.

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Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 6th December 1873.

	No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.				
		Western Districts.		
BURDWAN DIVISION.	1	Burdwan ...	.....	Return not received.
	2	Bancoorah, 6th Dec. 1873	Nil	Rather cloudy, but cold. The rice crop is still being reaped. In parts an eight-anna crop is hoped for, but in others not more than three or four annas can be expected. The cultivation of the cold weather crops is not trifling.
	3	Beerbhoom, 6th „ „	Nil	Cool and occasionally cloudy. Harvest of the late rice still in progress; cold weather crops being put in wherever water is procurable. Sugarcane promises fairly. Export by rail of week ending 29th November 7,212 maunds chiefly to Patna Division. Corrected return of the preceding week 15,130 maunds. Considerable export to Raneegunge by road. Prices slightly falling.
	4	Midnapore, 6th „ „	Nil	Seasonable weather; cold and clear, with a north breeze. The rice is being everywhere harvested a little earlier than the usual time for cutting. The little rain there was last week has done rather injury than good to what few mustard and radish crops there are.
	5	Hooghly, 6th „ „	Nil	Cloudy, otherwise clear throughout; wind from the north and north-east. The rice crop varies in different parts of the district from a three-anna to a twelve-anna crop; it is said that only a quarter of the usual area is under cold weather crop cultivation.
		Howrah, 6th „ „	0·13	More seasonably cold than hitherto. The nights cloudy, but no rain worth mentioning has fallen. The late rice is fast ripening, some is ripe already, and the harvest will begin at once. Now that the crop is nearly mature, it is admitted very generally that it is fuller than could have been hoped for; an eight-anna crop is confidently expected; a half crop would support all the inhabitants fairly for a year. Fever fast disappearing out of the town.
		Central Districts.		
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.	6	24-Pergunnahs, 9th* Dec. 1873.	Nil	Cloudy in the morning during the early part of the week; weather still warm for the time of the year. Such of the crop on high lands as has survived the drought is being harvested; that on the beel lands is not yet ripe. The outturn is poor. Prospects of cold weather crops very gloomy; sowings have only been made in patches and only where water was procurable. Fever still continues in portions of south Suburban Town and Baraset; in Bareepore it is not increasing, while in Baseerhat and Satkhirah it is reported to be abating.
	7	Nuddea, 6th „ „	Nil	Generally cloudy and extremely slight drizzling rain in several parts of the district on the 28th and 29th November. The state of things is very little changed. The late rice is still being cut. Prices are still moderate, though they are rising. The average price for the coarsest rice throughout the district, does not exceed two rupees eight annas per maund. Much distress is apprehended for want of drinking water this season.
	8	Jessore, 6th „ „	·02	Cloudy, with slight drizzling rain all over the district, not enough however to do any good. The late rice crop is being got in. The *chotan* paddy is scanty; the *baran* is promising well so far. The prospects of the winter crops have not improved. The attacks of insects on them have been favoured by the cloudy weather. The price of rice is generally rising, and exportation is going on from the Sudder, Jhenidah, and Magoorah sub-divisions.
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.	9	Moorshedabad, 6th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Thick clouds occasionally, but no rain. Rather cool and pleasant weather. The harvest of late rice is going on in all parts of the district, but no exact estimate of the general outturn can as yet be formed. It will probably be better than at first expected. The cold weather crops are however suffering very badly from the drought and insects. Mashkalai (pulse) and sesamum (oil-seed) are in a fair condition in the north; but mustard, wheat and barley are backward. The crops look well on the low lands only.
	10	Dinagepore, 6th „ „	Nil	Clear days; fresh cold nights and mornings. Paddy is being cut throughout the district. All signs of rain gone; a fall of rain just now would injure what there is of rice ready for cutting; it would also damage the mustard in flower. Sugarcane reported a fair crop. Prices are stationary.

* Report of the 9th December received on the same day. Shows rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

	No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)				
		Central Districts.—(Contd.)		
RAJSHAHYE DIVN.—(*Contd.*)	11	Maldah, 6th Dec. 1873	Nil	The heavy clouds of last week dispersed without any rain. The weather this week is fair and cold; direction of wind north-westerly. The prospect of rain seems as far off as ever. The amun or low land late rice crop in the north-west of the district is being reaped, but prices still continue very high there. The reaping of the hymnut (winter) crop on the high lands to the east of the district has also commenced, but prices generally have not lowered. The cold weather crops require rain. The health of the district is good. Work going on on district roads and new works being projected. It is noticed that the demand for work by local laborers is increasing.
	12	Rajshahye 6th „ „	Nil	There have been some cloudy days during the week, but no rains throughout the district. The late rice harvest is being carried on. More than half the crop is still standing, principally in the beels and on the lowest ground. The yield is of course poor in comparison with the crops of ordinary years, in consequence of the drought, even in the south-eastern corner of the district where the paddy has germinated and grown better than in other parts. New rice (present season's late rice) is in the market in many parts of the district. The state of the cold weather crops varies a good deal according to locality. Where sown on low lands, chur lands, or lands from which water has recently dried off, or where irrigation is practicable, the prospects of wheat, barley, pulses, and oil-seeds are not unfavorable. On high lands and where artificial watering is not practicable, the plants, which have grown to twelve or eighteen inches, are fast withering away, and unless rain falls soon will come to little or nothing. The mulberry crop is as good as in ordinary years, and there is a sugarcane crop quite as good as is usually seen. Mashkalai (pulse) is at present a fairly good crop, considering the absence of moisture, but must have rain to give good results. The cloudy weather has caused the appearance, in some parts, of insects which attack wheat and barley. On the 1st December rice was sold in Doorgapur hât (north of Bogra jurisdiction) for about ten seers for the rupee. This high price was more probably owing to there being an exceptionally small supply in the hât on that particular day, than to any other cause. Elsewhere prices have not varied except in Bagmara and its neighbourhood, where rice is dearer than it was. Cases of cholera continued to be reported chiefly from the neighbourhood of Charghat.
	13	Rungpore, 6th „ „	Nil	Fine; warm in the middle of the day. The late rice crop is being cut; the produce varies from one anna to four annas all near and about the station. In Dimlah and Fornbari the produce will be five to six annas: potatoes and winter crops generally are fair, and tobacco is in good condition, but it is somewhat backward from the dry state of the ground. Spring rice cut. Millet is being more largely sown than usual in hopes of rain. The demand for labor is more active as the harvest operations are on. No severe distress anywhere at present. Prices continue much the same. Rs. 3-8 to 4 for a maund of rice.
	14	Bograh, 6th „ „	Nil	Still dry. The late rice crops are being cut; a poor outturn is to be expected, though a certain amount of good has been done by irrigation. Sugarcane will yield a good outturn. Cold weather crops in parts are unfavorably reported upon. Price of ordinary rice at the Bograh market on the 6th December, 15 seers of 80 tolahs per rupee.
	15	Pubna, 6th „ „	Nil	Cool and somewhat cloudy, with heavy fogs. The diggah paddy is being reaped, and a seven anna crop is expected. The boro is still on the ground. Winter crops, except sugarcane and turmeric, becoming worse for want of rain. Here and there mashkalai and moog (pulses) doing fairly. Boro paddy is being sown but to a limited extent, the beels being too dry. Fever prevails throughout the district, and a considerable portion of the population has been invalided.
COOCH BEHAR DIVN.	16	Darjeeling, 6th „ „	Nil	No rain, a bright sun, but a hazy atmosphere; clear nights and frosty mornings. In the plains and in the hills also a ten-anna crop all round may, it is hoped, be reckoned upon. Bugrah or common rice has fallen in price throughout the district owing to the new rice having been partially gathered.
	17	Julpigoree, 6th „ „	Nil	The appearance of rain passed off, and the weather has been bright and clear, and sun unusually powerful. There is little to notice in the way of change. Prospects are as before. The late rice crop is now being cut and prices falling as new paddy comes into the markets. Cold weather crops generally promise well.
		Cooch Behar, 6th „ „	Nil	Mornings generally foggy. There are no signs of rain now. There is no change in the prospects of the crops since last report. Exportation to Rungpore and other districts still going on.
		Eastern Districts.		
DACCA DIVISION.	18	Dacca, 9th* Dec. 1873	Nil	Weather warm for the season; heavy dew. Winter crops very fair. A good deal of boro paddy planted. Fever slightly decreasing.
	19	Furreedpore, 6th „ „	0·02	At Furreedpore, mostly cloudy during the week, but on Monday and Tuesday bright sunshine at Goalundo; the clouds were heavy on Tuesday, but no rain. At Pangsha, cloudy on Thursday, but no rain. The cloudy weather is not perhaps on the whole injurious to the cold weather crops which are very stunted and want rain badly. By day the clouds shield them from the sun, but again by night they tend to moderate the dew. The cloudy weather has led people to hope for rain, and some ploughing has been going on. Reaping the late rice still continues, and the present weather is good for getting in the harvest.

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	No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)				
		Eastern Districts.—(*Contd.*)		
DACCA DIVN.—(*Contd.*)	20	Backergunge, 6th Dec. 1873.	1·10	Cloudy and rainy in the beginning of the week. It cleared up somewhat in the latter part. State and prospects of the crops have improved. The rain has dispelled the fears which were entertained of destruction by insects, though not before some damage was done in Dukhin Shabazpore. In Patuakhali the crops are good, and in the jurisdiction of Chalitabania, in the extreme south of the sub-division, the late rice is better than it was last year, and will yield 8 to 10 maunds a beegah. The Collector has seen the crops in portions of the Perozepore sub-division and of the Jhalokatti thannah. The former were good, and he was told that all over the Perozepore sub-division the crops were tolerably good. Near Jhalokatti some very fine crops were seen, but along side the road from Jhalokatti to Burisal the crops are bad, and will not yield more than eight or ten annas. The new rice is coming into the markets and prices have fallen. On the whole, it seems almost certain that there will be a twelve-anna crop all over the district, and that there will be no distress among the ryots if they have the self-restraint to keep sufficient paddy for their own consumption throughout the year. Many boats have come to take away rice, and probably prices will rise considerably, and thus persons with fixed incomes and the non-agricultural classes generally will suffer no small amount of distress.
	21	Mymensing, 6th „ „	Nil	The first three days of the week cloudy, since then clear and cold; there has probably been rain somewhere. No change in the state and prospects of the crops.
	22	Sylhet, 29th Nov. „	Nil	Very cloudy since Thursday. Barometer has fallen. Rain expected. The recent blight at Baniachung has done a great deal of damage to the crops which promised so well before. The large exportations lately have made the non-agricultural classes very uneasy. Upwards of 3,000 maunds of rice have been exported from Balagunge from 19th to 26th November, 2,706 maunds to Calcutta, 625 maunds to Naraingunge, and 702 maunds of paddy to Calcutta. From Bahadurgunge during the same time 100 maunds of rice and over 7,000 maunds of paddy have been exported. 100 maunds of rice and 1,100 maunds of paddy to Patna, and the rest to Calcutta, Dacca, and Naraingunge. There was a marked fall in the sudder bazar on the 28th November, and a slight fall in all the bazars in the district. This will probably check exportation for the present.
	23	Cachar, „ „	Nil	Cooler, but very cloudy; rain still keeps off. Smart shock of earth-quake at 2-30 on the 29th November. The state of the crops is much the same as last week. The late rice crop is being cut.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.	24	Chittagong, „ „	Few drops.	Since Wednesday, the 26th November, the weather has been dull and unseasonably warm. On the night of the 28th and morning of the 29th idem, a few drops of rain fell. No special change in the state of the crops. Paddy-cutting has commenced all over the district. Cholera cases are reported from Meerkaserai, Seetacoond, Sudder and Juidee Stations.
	25	Noakhally, „ „	Nil	Warm during the week; cloudy and cool, with a little rain, in the interior on the 29th November. Reports of the late rice crops not yet reaped are favorable, except from Hatra, where injuries done by the "Mayah" and "Sani" insects are still reported.
	26	Tipperah, 6th Dec. „	1·14	Very gloomy and oppressive up to the night of the 4th December, since when the weather has cleared. Rain fell during Saturday and Wednesday nights. The weather however is still hot for December. Some rain has fallen throughout the district, and heavy rain to the south-west is reported also. The cold weather small crops have on the whole benefited by the rain, but the mustard in flower has been injured. The rice crop has not suffered. The price of rice continues high, but there is no occasion for alarm in this respect.
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts, 29th Nov. 1873.	Nil	Very cold throughout the whole week. Cloudy on the 29th November. The cotton is now being diligently gathered; mustard and other cold weather crops are being sown. The prospects of the former crop are good. The outturn of the paddy crop has been tolerable. There is no reason to apprehend distress.
		Hill Tipperah, 29th Nov. 1873.	0·02	Cloudy and threatening rain; a few drops fell on the 27th and 28th November at the head-quarters. Reaping has fairly commenced. No change in the prospects of the rice crop. Mustard looks well about Agurtollah.
BEHAR.				
PATNA DIVISION.	28	Patna, 8th* Dec. 1873	Nil	Weather very cold in the mornings and evenings; no rain has fallen, and consequently no change in the prospects of the crops. Insects are still reported to be doing considerable damage to the young plants of the cold weather crops. Health of the district good.
	29	Gya, 6th „ „	Nil	Weather fine and cold; no rain has fallen in any part of the district. The cold weather crop is suffering for want of rain. The opening of Soane Canal has done much good; about 3,000 beegahs of land along its banks have already been irrigated, and it is expected that about 10,000 beegahs more will be irrigated in the course of the next week.

* Telegram of the 8th December received on the 9th. Shows rainfall during the seven days including the 8th idem.

No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)			
PATNA DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)			
30	Shahabad, 6th Dec. 1873	Nil	Weather clear and cool, with heavy dews at night. The irrigated rice in the Sasseeram Pergunnah is looking well and will be shortly harvested. The cold weather crop is also promising that had been watered; that part of the crop which has not been watered requires rain to ensure a fair crop, although at present it is growing favorably. In Bhubhooah sub-division the state of the crop is as much the same. Irrigation, wherever possible, is being carried on. In the Buxar and Arrah sub-divisions, the prospects of the cold weather crops that have been sown and come up have not changed for the worse, although they much require rain. In parts of the district the rice crop is beginning to be cut, and the "bajra" millet crop towards the west and south has yielded a good outturn in the few places where it has been sown.
31	Tirhoot, 6th " "	Nil	Weather cold and seasonable, with occasional foggy mornings. The prospects of the crops in the Seetamarhee sub-division have not materially changed during the past week. In some parts the paddy is being cut and stocked. New rice is coming into the market, but is sold at nearly the same rate as old rice, viz. from 11-8 to 12-8 seers per rupee. The prices of all grains have remained almost stationary for the last three weeks. The cold weather crops which have come up still thrive, but without rain in this month it is very doubtful if they will come to much. The Deputy Collector of Durbhangha, who has now been through his sub-division, believes that about two annas of the rice crop have been saved. Mustard is said to be looking not badly; Janera, fair; and rahur (pulse), very fair. The utmost proportion of the cold weather crop lands sown is only one-eighth of the usual area, and even in this limited space the seed has not always germinated, while in some places the young crops are suffering from want of rain. Though the land is not being prepared for the cold weather crops, it is thought that if rain falls before January, large sowings will be made. In the Mudhoobani sub-division the cold weather crops are languishing and dying for want of rain. There is no change in the prospects of the rice crop. In the Tajpore sub-division everything is almost at a standstill except on the Dearah. Four annas of the cold weather crops have still to be sown, and rain is required in the course of fifteen or twenty days to secure even an eight or nine-anna harvest. The root crops are giving a very poor yield, and tobacco is very backward. Prices have fallen slightly. In the Hajeepore sub-division the cold weather crop still holds out well and is in no present danger. Recent inquiries in the sudder sub-division show that cold weather crop has been sown to a greater extent than in ordinary years, and that a four-anna crop will probably be obtained under any circumstances. If rain falls within a fortnight there may be a six-anna crop.
32	Sarun, 6th " "	Nil	Seasonable and cold; west wind prevailing. The rice harvest has begun; the cold weather crop is still doing well, though rain is much wanted. Irrigation is steadily going on where practicable, but in the unirrigated fields the plants are looking sickly and of a yellowish green. Sugarcane is being cut and brought into the mills. People are being largely employed on the district local roads and relief works. Prices of food-grains on the whole steady.
33	Chumparun, 6th " "	Nil	Weather cool; west winds. The prospect of the late rice has changed for the worse rather than for the better. Twelve annas of the cold weather crop land have been cultivated with wheat, barley, gram, pulses, and oil-seeds. The seed on half of the said area has germinated and the plants are looking healthy, but of the rest some have been destroyed by insects and others did not germinate at all. The young plants will die if it does not rain soon. The people have cultivated cucumbers, melons, and other vegetables of the like nature on banks of rivers and khals and on low lands on a larger scale with the object that in case they have no food-grains to live on, they would at last resort to these vegetables for support.
BHAGULPORE DITTO			
34	Monghyr, 6th " "	Nil	The last week's desponding report was written up by hearsay during the Collector's absence in the district and is incorrect. The cold weather crops are looking generally very well, and with a little rain during the month there should be at least a good average crop. The exertions made by the Government to afford food and labor to those who need it is removing the general feeling of despondency which prevailed, and the grain-dealers have discovered that hoarding grain is not so profitable as selling their present stock and getting fresh supplies.
35	Bhaugulpore, 9th* Dec. "	Nil	Weather fine and cold. Rice-cutting becoming general. Probable outturn not yet ascertainable. Cold weather crops still promise well. General health very good.
36	Purneah, 6th " "	Nil	No change in the character of the weather. The cutting of the winter rice crop has commenced all over the district. All along the north the crop has been much better than was expected, and importation has commenced from Nepal. The outturn in the four northern thannahs will not be less than six annas. All down the east, in the land usually flooded by the Mohanudi and Panar, the rice has failed. In Kusbah Amour and Kudbah, parts of the Sudder and Bulrampore, one-anna crop only has been cut. In Kishengunge, parts of Bulrampore and the Sudder, in Manihari and Goudwarah, about four annas. All along the Kosi in thannahs Dhamdaha and Raneegunge the yield has been good. Great loss has been caused here by rats and wild pigs which swarmed here this year; a ten-anna crop may be reaped. The mustard everywhere is fair. In the south of the district it is excellent. This is the great cold weather crop of the district. The koorthi pulse is good, also janera (millet) and arhur (pulse). Estimates of the quantity of wheat sown vary very much. Most has been sown in Goudwarah, Manihari, the sudder thannah, and Raneegunge. The seed has germinated fairly in most parts except Raneegunge, where it is said one-third has failed. The soil is here very sandy; on the whole fourteen annas has germinated; the north-east part of the district, where it is scarcely ever sown, it has been put down this year but in no

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BEHAR.—(Concld.)			
Bhaugulpore Div.—(Concld.)			great quantity. The area cultivated with food-grains other than rice is probably half as much again as in ordinary years. Of this, if rain falls, a twelve-anna and, if none falls, a four-anna crop may be expected. The Collector does not consider that more than 100,000 acres have been sown with cold weather food-grains. Prices have fallen slightly since last week in the station, but in the interior rice is daily harder to get. It is brought to the hâts in very small quantities; most people now only take one meal a day. The Kosi crop has been exported both to the other districts and to the east of this. In Kusbah Amour and Kudbah the scarcity is beginning to be scarcely felt.
	37 Sonthal Pergunnahs, 6th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Getting colder; everywhere dew reported very scanty. In Deoghur the weather is normal. Nothing of importance is reported from Rajmehal sub-division. Cold weather crop short. In the Dumka Daman about half the aghanee or late rice has been cut; half is on the ground still, and a best authority, with whom the Deputy Commissioner quite agrees, says that the best half is still to cut. The cold weather crop will be little or nothing except the *kodo* and the bajra, which is very good,—both a much better crop than was expected and a much more valuable addition. Teel (oil-seed) and mustard very bad. Surgooja (oil-seed) worse a good deal than expected. The late Agrahain and Poush crop is a good deal better than hoped.
ORISSA.			
Orissa Division.	38 Cuttack, 9th* Dec. 1873	·28	Slight drizzling rain general but not sufficient to affect crops, prospects of which remain good. Public health good.
	39 Pooree, 29th Nov. „	·32	Cloudy and rainy. Slight rain continued to the 29th November. Nearly three-fourths portion of the loghu or second rice crop has been reaped with fair yield. Late rice crop ripening well and prospects are good. Average outturn expected. Cold weather crops growing and progressing, and will be improved by the light rain which has fallen and still continues, but heavy rain would seriously injure the ripening late rice as well as damage the promising cold weather crops. Purchases of rice for export to Calcutta and the south have commenced, and prices are consequently rising rapidly. Stocks good. Public health generally good. Fever continues to a small extent.
	40 Balasore, 6th Dec. „	·6	Cloudy and cold weather, drizzling rain. A good deal of paddy has already been cut, probably about eight annas. The present weather not considered favorable for cold weather crops at Jellasore and Babapal. Prices rising throughout the district. Bhudruck sub-division.—Harvesting of paddy crop continues; the crop in some places is thin, with the exception of Sosah and parts of Dhammigore; the outturn will be on the whole moderate. Price of coarse rice has risen to Rs. 1-9 per maund.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
	41 Hazareebaugh, 6th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Weather variable; sometimes overcast at other times clear and cold. No rain is reported to have fallen in any part of the district during the past week, notwithstanding the threatening aspect of the clouds. Crops much the same as last week; continued complaints of the want of rain from all parts are being received, and in addition to the fear from the drought, insects are reported to be injuring the young plants in the western portion of the district.
	42 Lohardugga, 6th „ „	Nil	The clouds reported in last week have all dispersed, and it has been bright and clear, but not so cold as usual at this season. About one-fourth of the low land rice crop still remains to be cut; the outturn generally is estimated at from ten to eleven annas. The crops to the west and south have been better than those to the east. In some parts the surgoojah (oil-seed) crop promises very well and in others very badly off, but on the whole there will be a fair crop. The latest reports from Palamow show that the rice crop is now being cut, and it is hoped that a six-anna crop generally may be obtained. The prospects of the cold weather crop are unfavorable; a very inconsiderable portion of land has been sown, and that sown urgently requires rain.
	43 Singbhoom, 29th Nov. 1873.	Nil	Cloudy since the last three days, giving promise of rain; days cool and pleasant, nights cold. Colehan.—The harvest in this portion of the district has now been almost entirely reaped. The uplands all round have given about half a crop, but the outturn from the low lands has been more or less good. The extent of upland cultivation in the Colehan, however, greatly predominates over the low land. In Seraikeyla, Porahat, and Kursewah, the greater part of the paddy has been already cut. In all these places the outturn taken all round will be, it is expected, from 8 to 10 annas; in some few places more, up to 12 annas. In Dhalbhoom also a good deal of the paddy has been cut; the outturn all round is expected to be from 8 to 10 annas; in some parts much less, 4 to 6 annas; whilst in some places it will be up to 12 annas. The cold weather crops in the Colehan have turned out very badly. The mustard and surgoojah (oil-seed) have been very great failures. The reports from Dhalbhoom and Seraikeyla also regarding the cold weather crops are very bad. The yield is not expected to be more than one-fourth. If rain falls now, it will do good to the grain crops.
	44 Maunbhoom, 6th Dec. „	Nil	Cloudy, with every appearance of coming rain, but no rain has fallen; mornings and evenings cold, with a little dew. The late rice has now been about half cut, and the outturn appears to be slightly better than was previously expected, probably a nine-anna crop all round may be housed. Sugarcane and koorthi (pulse) looking well in the western pergunnahs. Barley and potatoes are coming up well.

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ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS			
45	Goalparah, 20th Nov. 1873	Nil	Cloudy, with cool breeze on the 27th and 29th November; the rest of the week clear, with strong north-easterly wind. No improvement in the state of the late rice crop. The harvest of the paddy in progress, but the outturn on the average is not likely to exceed seven annas. The ploughing of land for the cultivation of Assu or early crops is retarded for want of rain. The state of mustard and other cold weather crops also is not good.
46	Kamroop, 8th* Dec. „	Nil	Mornings raw and misty; days clear, with cool north-east wind; nights clear, with heavy dews. Late rice is being reaped, but owing to the want of rain a full outturn is not expected. Sugarcane and mustard crops progressing favorably. Public health good.
47	Durrung, 29th Nov. „	Nil	No rain. Daily range of temperature very high; strong north-east wind during the first half of the week; calm, cloudy, and threatening rain during the latter part. No change in the state of the crops since last week. Rice crop being reaped; certainly an eight-anna crop all round. Prices little affected as yet. A good deal of fever about.
48	Nowgong, „ „	Nil	Weather warm. Sky clouded over and every indication of approaching rain before full moon. The late rice crop has commenced to be cut and stored. The crop will on the whole be about an average one. Pulse crop poor. Mustard doing fairly. Tea operations nearly over for the season. Two or three cases of small-pox of a mild form.
49	Seebsaugor, „ „	Nil	The weather continues unchanged. The prospects of the rice crop continues the same as before. Harvesting has commenced, and should heavy rain fall, it will not do the rice crop any good, but rather injure it. Mustard is backward for want of rain.
50	Luckimpore, „ „	Nil	No rain during the week; weather much colder. Rain has been threatening for the last three days, but holds off. The late rice crop is being reaped; probable outturn will be about two-thirds of an average year. The crops in the North Luckimpore sub-division are excellent. The cold weather crops continue promising. Public health much the same as last week.
51	Naga Hills, 22nd Nov. 1873.	Nil	Weather delightfully cool and pleasant, although the midday sun is very fierce. The joom crops of the Rengmah Nagas have been cut and gathered in, and the outturn is said to be a very fair one indeed. The joom crops towards "Dwar Dissa" Mekir Hills are said to be as good as in the previous years if not better.
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills, 29th Nov. 1873.	Nil	Bright sun in the early part of the week and cloudy for the last three days. The whole of the rice crop in the upper hills has been gathered. The people are now busy getting in their Job's tears or corn crop. Murwah—millet, is doing well. It would benefit by a little rain.
53	Garo Hills, 29th Nov. 1873.	Nil	Generally cloudy both night and day since 24th November, and chilly, but no rain has fallen. In the village of Rongdugiri, situated in the valley of the Kalu river, the outturn of both cotton and rice is said to be far below the average; in Cheparagiri the pods, though small, were still numerous. The paddy throughout the hills has been stored. No report of actual scarcity of food in any particular locality has been received. Vegetables seem unaffected by the drought, as large quantities are brought for sale, and those seen in cultivation, especially at Dalmagiri (on the Kalu river) seem thriving well. Price of rice is said to have fallen along the Mymensing and Garo Hills boundary. A greater quantity of rice has been brought to Tura by the inhabitants near the foot of the hills during the week.

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Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 14th to 22nd Nov. 1873.	Rain from 23rd to 29th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
	WESTERN DISTRICTS.						
BURDWAN.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	Nil	Nil	57·52	29th Nov.	
		Cutwa ...	Nil	Nil	39·37	ditto.	
		Culna ...	Nil	Nil	46·18	ditto ...	Not received 9th to 15th Nov.
		Bood-Bood ...	Nil	Nil	48·30	ditto.	
		Rancegunge ...	Nil	Nil	44·85	ditto.	
		Jehanabad ...	Nil	Nil	43·72	ditto.	
	Bancoorah ...	Bancoorah ...	Nil	Nil	47·27	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom ...	Sooree ...	Nil	Nil	53·45	ditto.	
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore ...	Nil	Nil	44·77	ditto.	
		Tumlook ...	Nil	Nil	47·51	ditto.	
		Gurbetta ...	Nil	Nil	46·36	ditto.	
		Contai ... Dy. Collr.'s Office ...	Nil	0·28	46·35	ditto.	
		Contai ... Exe. Engr.'s Office ...	Not rec.	0·20	51·22	ditto ...	Not rec. 16th to 22nd Nov.
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly ...	Nil	0·10	38·89	ditto.	
		Serampore ...	Nil	0·11	43·24	ditto	
	Howrah ...	Howrah ...	Nil	0·07	46·73	ditto.	
	CENTRAL DISTRICTS.						
PRESIDENCY.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Sangor Island ...	Nil	0·40	48·92	ditto.	
		Calcutta ...	Nil	0·07	44·39	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	Nil	0·08	45·44	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	Nil	Nil	44·31	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut ...	Nil	Nil	43·62	ditto.	
		Barasat ...	Nil	0·05	40·23	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour ...	Nil	0·20	51·04	ditto.	
		Barripore ...	Nil	0·24	52·29	ditto.	
		Satkherah ...	Nil	0·02	47·74	ditto.	
		Barrackpore ...	Nil	0·07	46·04	ditto.	
		Dum-Dum ...	Nil	0·03	48·80	ditto.	
	Nuddea ...	Kishnaghur ...	Nil	Nil	46·80	ditto.	
		Bongong ...	Nil	Nil	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore ...	Nil	Nil	52·41	ditto.	
		Chooadangah ...	Nil	0·03	46·02	ditto.	
		Kooshteah ...	Nil	Nil	38·66	ditto.	
		Ranaghat ...	Nil	Nil	34·51	ditto.	
	Jessore ...	Jessore ...	Nil	Nil	44·49	ditto.	
		Nurrail ...	Nil	Not rec.	66·71	22nd Nov.	
		Khoolnea ...	Nil	0·10	59·36	29th Nov.	
		Jenadah ...	Nil	Nil	43·15	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut ...	Nil	0·01	55·43	...	
		Magoorah ...	Nil	0·02	47·72	29th Nov.	
RAJSHAHYE.	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore ...	Nil	Nil	31·61	29th Nov.	
		Kamporehaut ...	Nil	Nil	28·71	ditto.	
		City Moorshedabad ...	Nil	Nil	27·21	ditto.	
		Jungipore ...	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Azimgunge ...	Nil	Nil	35·38	ditto.	
		Lalgolla ...	Nil	Nil	41·51	ditto ...	From 1st Feb.
	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore ...	Nil	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah ...	Maldah ...	Nil	Nil	27·02	ditto.	
	Rajshahee ...	Beauleah ...	Nil	Nil	32·13	ditto.	
		Nattore ...	Nil	Nil	43·78	ditto.	
	Rungpore ...	Rungpore ...	Nil	Nil	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge ...	Nil	Nil	47·28	ditto.	
		Titalya ...	Nil	Not rec.	82·72	22nd Nov.	
	Bograh ...	Bograh ...	Nil	Nil	36·74	29th Nov.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna ...	Nil	Nil	43·18	ditto.	
		Serajgunge ...	Nil	Nil	35·26	ditto ...	Not. rec. 26th Oct. to 1st Nov.
COOCH BEHAR.	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling ... Telegraph Office ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	93·66	15th Nov.	
		Darjeeling ... Hospital ...	Not rec.	Nil	77·74	29th Nov ...	Not rec. 9th to 22nd Nov.
	Julpigoree ...	Julpigoree ...	Nil	Nil	88·20	ditto.	
		Fallacotta ...	Nil	Nil	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah ...	Nil	Nil	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar ...	Nil	Nil	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars ...	Buxa ...	Nil	Not rec.	176·64	22nd Nov.	

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BENGAL—(Continued.)							
	EASTERN DISTRICTS.		Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
DACCA.	Dacca	Dacca ... Telegraph Office ...	Nil	0·03	61·23	29th Nov.	
		Dacca ... Hospital ...	Nil	0·01	59·23	ditto.	
		Moonsheegunge ...	Nil	Nil	62·47	ditto.	
		Manickgunge ...	Nil	Nil	48·86	ditto.	
	Furreedpore	Furreedpore ...	Nil	Nil	50·55	ditto.	
		Goalundo ...	Nil	Nil	42·08	ditto.	
	Backergunge	Burrisaul ...	Nil	0·10	60·74	ditto.	
		Perozepore ...	Nil	0·20	56·49	ditto.	
		Madaripore ...	Nil	Nil	60·35	ditto.	
		Patoakhally ...	Nil	Nil	90·02	ditto.	
		Dowlat Khan ...	Nil	Nil	100·76	ditto.	
	Mymensing	Mymensing ...	Nil	Nil	61·39	ditto.	
		Jamalpore ...	Nil	Nil	48·62	ditto.	
		Attcah ...	Nil	Nil	44·11	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge ...	Nil	Nil	67·94	ditto.	
	Sylhet	Sylhet ...	Nil	Nil	126·72	ditto.	
	Cachar	Cachar ...	Nil	Nil	102·85	ditto.	
		Hylakandy ...	Nil	Not rec.	88·25	22nd Nov.	
		Koyah ...	Nil	0·25	85·87	29th Nov.	
CHITTAGONG.	Chittagong	Chittagong Telegraph Office ...	Nil	Nil	84·69	ditto.	
		Chittagong Jail ...	Nil	0·12	85·56	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar ...	Nil	Nil	152·47	ditto.	
	Noakhally	Noakhally ...	Nil	0·01	135·77	ditto.	
	Tipperah	Comillah ...	Nil	Nil	72·20	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah ...	Nil	Nil	58·82	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill ...	Nil	Nil	73·85	ditto.	
	Hill Tipperah	Hill Tipperah ...	Nil	0·02	57·59	ditto.	
BEHAR.							
PATNA.	Patna	Patna ...	Nil	Nil	30·49	ditto.	
		Behar ...	Nil	Nil	38·14	ditto.	
		Barh ...	Nil	Nil	33·30	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Jail ...	Nil	Nil	34·16	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Cantonment ...	Nil	Nil	34·75	ditto.	
	Gya	Gya ...	Nil	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah ...	Nil	Nil	41·03	ditto.	
		Arungabad ...	Nil	Not rec.	33·04	22nd Nov.	
		Jehanabad ...	Nil	Not rec.	38·73	29th Nov.	
	Shahabad	Arrah ...	Nil	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram ...	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar ...	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhuboonh ...	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozuffer pore ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	29·03	8th Nov.	
		Durbhangah ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	31·46	ditto.	
		Hajeepore ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·36	ditto.	
		Mudhubani ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	27·61	ditto.	
		Seetamaree ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	37·10	ditto.	
		Tajpore ...	Nil	Nil	31·11	29th Nov. ...	Not rec. 9th to 15th Nov.
	Sarun	Chuprah ...	Nil	Nil	33·83	ditto.	
		Sewan ...	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Champarun	Motechari ...	Nil	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah ...	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
BHAUGULPORE.	Monghyr	Monghyr ...	Nil	Nil	38·22	ditto.	
		Begooserai ...	Nil	Not rec.	35·95	22nd Nov.	
		Jamooie ...	Nil	Not rec.	43·09	ditto.	
	Bhaugulpore	Bhaugulpore ...	Nil	Nil	28·68	29th Nov.	
		Soopool ...	Nil	Nil.	26·73	ditto.	
		Mudheypoorah ...	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka ...	Nil	Nil	26·42	ditto.	
		Sanborsa ...	Nil	Nil	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah ...	Nil	Not rec.	39·86	22nd Nov.	
		Kishengunge ...	Nil	Not rec.	37·69	ditto.	
		Arrareah ...	Nil	Not rec.	35·00	ditto.	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Deoghur ...	Nil	Nil	44·94	29th Nov.	
		Jamtara ...	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto ...	Not rec. 1st June to 5th July
		Rajmehal ...	Nil	Nil	23·00	ditto.	
		Moheshpore ...	Nil	Nil	25·24	ditto ...	From 15th June, and not recorded 21st Sept. to 4th Oct.
		Nya-Doomka ...	Nil	Nil	53·00	ditto.	
		Godda ...	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto.	

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ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack .. Telegraph Office ...	Nil	0·20	33·70	29th Nov.	
		Cuttack .. Hospital ...	Nil	0·27	38·20	ditto.	
		Jajipore	Nil	0·20	35·53	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	Nil	Nil	57·50	ditto.	
		Jagutsingpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	41·38	1st Nov.	
		False Point	Nil	0·50	58·35	29th Nov.	
	Pooree	Pooree	Nil	0·69	55·71	ditto.	
		Khurdah	Not rec.	0·29	49·22	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	Nil	Not rec.	47·87	22nd Nov....	From 1st April.
		Bhuddruck	Nil	0·20	35·68	29th Nov. ...	Ditto.
		Jellasore	Nil	Not rec.	48·75	22nd Nov....	Ditto.
		Sorah	Nil	Not rec.	36·56	ditto.	
		Chandbally	Nil	Not rec.	35·25	ditto.	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sambalpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	51·25	25th Oct.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebaugh ...	Hazareebaugh ... Jail ...	Nil	Nil	59·04	29th Nov.	
		Hazareebaugh ... Dispensary ...	Nil	Nil	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba	Nil	Nil	51·80	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah ...	Ranchee	Nil	Nil	49·95	ditto.	
		Palamow	Nil	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	Nil	Nil	38·54	ditto.	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	Nil	Nil	40·70	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Goalparah ...	Goalparah	Nil	Not rec.	68·21	22nd Nov....	Not received 9th to 15th Nov.
		Dhoobree	Nil	Not rec.	91·42	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Kamroop ...	Gowhatty	Nil	Nil	49·11	29th Nov.	
		Burpettah	Nil	Not rec.	70·78	22nd Nov.	
	Durrung ...	Tezpore	Nil	Not rec.	65·89	ditto.	
		Mungledye	Nil	Not rec.	53·20	ditto.	
	Nowgong ...	Nowgong	Nil	Not rec.	70·61	ditto.	
	Seebsaugor ...	Seebsaugor ...	Nil	Not rec.	72·71	ditto.	
		Golaghat	Nil	Not rec.	66·72	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	Nil	Not rec.	59·52	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	Nil	Not rec.	75·27	ditto.	
	Luckimpore ...	Debrooghur	Nil	Not rec.	90·94	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	Nil	Not rec.	101·55	ditto.	
		Suddya	Nil	Not rec.	83·19	ditto.	
	Naga Hills ...	Samoogoodting	Not rec.	Not rec.	43·74	15th Nov.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills ...	Shillong	0·20	Not rec.	53·57	22nd Nov.	
		Jaowai	Nil	Not rec.	71·49	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	Nil	Not rec.	293·84	ditto.	
	Garo Hills ...	Tura	Nil	Nil	85·22	ditto.	
		Benares	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·83	15th Nov.	
		Akyab	Nil	Nil	202·60	29th Nov.	

CALCUTTA,
The 6th December 1873.

H. F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 30th Nov. to 6th Dec. 1873.

Station	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity.*	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather intervals.
Calcutta.	Nov. 30th	10	30·077	30·096	69·3	63·8	72	N W	...	0·06	.....	o
		16	30·002	30·021	74·0	67·0	65	E N E	...	...	.....	o
	Dec. 1st	10	30·074	30·092	75·3	69·3	72	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·925	29·943	80·0	71·5	64	E N E	...	...	.....	b
	2nd	10	30·056	30·074	77·5	71·3	73	E by N	...	...	C	
		16	29·930	29·948	81·3	72·3	62	E N E	...	...	K	
	3rd	10	30·077	30·096	73·6	67·0	69	N E	...	...	.....	o
		16	29·957	29·975	77·3	66·3	53	N	...	...	.....	o
	4th	10	30·072	30·091	74·2	63·2	51	N E	...	...	CK, C	
		16	29·931	29·949	79·5	66·4	47	N	...	...	C	
	5th	10	30·049	30·063	74·0	64·0	55	N E	...	...	C, CS	
		16	29·950	29·968	78·8	64·5	42	N by W	...	...	C, CS	
	6th	10	30·092	30·111	74·0	63·5	53	N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·983	30·001	79·0	66·5	48	N E	...	...	C, CK	
Saugor Island.	Nov. 30th	16	30·098	30·104	68	65	79	N E	6·5	0·20	N	d, m, o
		16	30·012	30·018	71	68	85	N W	6·1	0·10	N	d, m, o
	Dec. 1st	10	30·075	30·081	74	70	81	N N W	7·0	0·20	N	m, o
		16	29·945	29·951	80	72	66	E	8·0	...	KS	b, o
	2nd	10	30·063	30·069	73	70	78	N	7·7	...	C	b, o
		16	29·941	29·947	80	73	70	E N E	13·9	...	KS	b, o
	3rd	10	30·063	30·091	72	69	85	N E	5·4	...	N	d, m, o
		16	29·975	29·981	74	70	81	N E	8·8	...	N	m, o
	4th	10	30·079	30·085	75	64	51	N N E	9·4	0·20	N	m, o
		16	30·058	30·064	77	66	53	N	12·0	...	N	m, o
	5th	10	30·057	30·063	75	65	55	N E	8·5	...	N	o, v
		16	29·925	29·958	78	67	52	N	14·1	...	N	o, v,
	6th	10	30·082	30·088	74	71	85	N N E	9·6	...	N	m
		16	29·983	29·989	77	68	63	N	16·2	...	N	m
Chittagong.	Nov. 30th	10	30·034	30·129	69	67	89	N N W	5·0	0·10	N	d, g, m
		16	29·944	30·039	70	68	89	N	5·0	0·10	KS	n, g
	Dec. 1st	10	29·994	30·089	70	68	89	N E	5·4	...	KS	n, g
		16	29·966	30·060	75	71	81	N N E	3·9	...	KS	n, g
	2nd	10	30·018	30·112	74	71	85	N N E	4·0	0·10	KS	g, m
		16	29·898	29·992	77	72	77	N N E	6·6	...	K, KS	o
	3rd	10	30·060	30·100	73	72	95	N	4·0	0·10	N	d, g
		16	29·913	30·007	73	71	90	N	4·6	...	N	d, g
	4th	10	29·986	30·080	75	73	90	N	2·6	0·50	N	d, g
		16	29·880	29·974	75	73	90	N	1·9	...	KS	g
	5th	10	29·950	30·044	77	72	77	N E	3·0	...	CK, K	b, m
		16	29·892	29·985	79	74	77	W N W	3·3	...	C, CK	b, v
	6th	10	29·990	30·083	79	73	73	N	4·9	...	CK	b, v
		16	29·907	30·000	80	74	74	W S W	4·9	...	C	b, v
Madras.	Nov. 29th	10	29·884	29·914	75	72	85	N W by N	15	3·76	.....	o
		16	29·801	29·831	76	72	81	N N W	14	...	.....	o
	30th	10	29·958	29·988	75	72	85	N W by N	14	0·10	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·857	29·887	77	73	81	N N W	12	...	.....	cloudy.
	Dec. 1st	10	29·969	29·999	73	72	95	N	6	2·97	.....	o
		16	29·870	29·900	73	72	95	N N E	5	3·54	.....	o
	2nd	10	29·944	29·974	79	76	86	N by W	8	1·05	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·841	29·871	77	75	90	N by W	4	0·91	.....	cloudy.
	3rd	10	29·963	29·993	78	75	86	N	6	0·11	.....	o
		16	29·862	29·892	78	76	90	N	10	0·11	.....	o
	4th	10	29·931	29·961	79	75	82	N W by N	11	0·01	.....	cloudy.
		16	29·846	29·876	79	72	69	N by W	13	...	.....	o
	5th	10	29·935	29·965	81	75	74	N W by N	10	...	.....	o
		16	29·846	29·876	81	73	66	N N W	11	...	.....	o
Cuttack.	Nov. 30th	10	30·005	30·080	60	64	74	N	2·3	0·10	N, C	
		16	29·909	29·993	71	64	66	N N E	6·3	...	N, C	
	Dec. 1st	10	29·979	30·068	74	67	67	N N E	1·2	...	C, CK, C	
		16	29·849	29·932	82	71	65	E N E	3·4	...	CK, S	b
	2nd	10	29·971	29·054	78	69	61	N N E	1·1	...	CK	b
		16	29·813	29·926	82	69	48	N N E	5·8	...	CK, S, C	
	3rd	10	29·999	30·082	76	66	56	N N E	2·2	...	N	g
		16	29·876	29·959	78	67	53	N N E	7·5	...	N, C	
	4th	10	29·961	30·045	75	63	47	N N E	2·6	...	N	g
		16	29·869	29·952	76	64	48	E N E	7·6	...	N, C	
	5th	10	29·957	30·041	73	61	46	N N E	3·4	...	CK, N, C	
		16	29·889	29·922	77	66	53	N N E	8·3	...	N, C	
	6th	10	29·949	30·033	70	59	48	N N E	5·7	...	N, C	
		16	29·857	29·943	67	64	84	E N E	5·6	...	N	d
Akyab.	Nov. 30th	10	30·032	30·054	80	74	74	N E	1·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·924	29·945	84	75	64	N N E	5·0	...	.....	b, g
	Dec. 1st	10	30·020	30·042	79	73	73	N E	3·0	...	.....	b
		16	29·909	29·931	80	75	78	N E	3·5	...	.....	g
	2nd	10	30·022	30·044	77	74	86	N E	2·7	...	.....	g
		16	29·944	29·966	79	75	82	N N E	4·6	...	.....	d, g
	3rd	10	30·014	30·066	82	76	74	E	2·4	...	.....	b
		16	29·949	29·971	81	74	70	S	2·6	...	.....	b
	4th	10	29·992	30·014	81	76	78	N E	1·6	...	.....	b
		16	29·916	29·958	82	75	70	S W	3·3	...	.....	b
	5th	10	29·984	30·006	81	76	78	E N E	1·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·916	29·938	82	75	70	S S W	3·0	...	.....	b
	6th	10	30·024	30·046	81	76	78	E N E	1·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·944	29·966	82	75	70	S W	2·3	...	.....	b, g

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 6th December 1873.

H. F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 1st to 7th December 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer. Highest reading.	Thermometer. Lowest reading.	Thermometer. Max. solar radiation.	Mean dry bulb.	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew-point.	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Max. pressure.	Wind. Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Remarks.
		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	°			Lb.	Miles	In.		
Dec. ...	1st	30·002	81·5	66·8	125·0	73·1	63·2	64·3	0·75	E N E	...	44·2	...	...	Cirri and clear. Slightly foggy at 6 & 7 A.M.
	2nd	29·990	82·7	66·5	132·8	74·4	69·7	66·4	·77	E by N & E N E	...	97·9	...	...	Clear, cirrocumuli, and cirri.
	3rd	30·013	78·6	70·4	102·0	73·9	67·4	62·8	·70	E N E & N E	...	151·6	...	...	Chiefly overcast. Drizzled at 3 P.M.
	4th	29·996	80·4	67·5	123·0	72·8	64·5	57·9	·61	N E	0·5	174·6	...	○	Cirrostrati, cirrocumuli, & cirri.
	5th	·990	80·5	63·1	130·0	71·9	63·1	56·1	·59	N E & N	...	168·2	...	...	Cirri and cirrostrati.
	6th	30·019	80·0	64·8	124·2	71·8	63·6	57·0	·61	N N E & N E	...	175·3	...	...	Cirri.
	7th	·024	80·8	66·5	129·0	72·8	64·6	58·0	·61	N E	...	127·0	...	...	Cirrocumuli and cirri.

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means, are derived from the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represent the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of the lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of the ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noon.

		°
The extreme variation of temperature during the past seven days	...	19·6
The maximum temperature during the past seven days	...	82·7
The maximum temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	...	83·7
The mean humidity during the past seven days	...	0·66
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·78
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 1st to 7th ... by lower rain gauge	...	Nil
The total fall of rain from 1st to 7th ... by anemometer gauge	...	Nil
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	0·06
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 7th December	...	44·45
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	69·28

GOPEENAUTH SEN,

In charge of the Observatory.

The 8th December 1873.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—IRRIGATION BRANCH.

KHUREEF SEASON 1873, COMMENCING ON THE 1ST JUNE 1873.

Irrigation Operations of Lower Bengal during the month of October 1873.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Supply of water in the Canals.		Rice irrigation.				Sugarcane and other perennial crop irrigation.			Grand total of area leased up to the end of the month (total of columns 9 & 12).	Grand total of corresponding period of last year.	Rainfall.			Remarks.
			Estimated full discharge in cubic feet per second.	Average discharge in cubic feet per second throughout the month.	Area leased on or before the 1st June 1873.	Area leased subsequent to the 1st June 1873 and up to the 1st of the month.	Area leased during the month.	Total area leased up to date (total of columns 6, 7 & 8).	Area leased up to the 1st of the month.	Area leased during the month.	Total area leased up to date (total of columns 10 & 11).			Inches during month.	Inches during khureef season.	Average of ten previous years for the same period.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
Orissa ...	Cuttack ...	Kendraparah ...	1,269	337	2,776	763	912	4,451	42	23	65	4,516	3,446	2·17	32·57	36·71	a Details of column 9— At the rate of Rs. 1 ... 4,576 acres, " " Rs. 1-8 ... 2,848 " Total ... 7,424
		High Level ...	675	107·24	1,202	331	824	2,357	.....	.....	.....	2,357	226				
		Taldundah ...	1,300	161·66	74	61	136	271	22	.....	22	293	30				b The details of column 12— Sugarcane ... 82 acres. Huldi ... 38 " Garden produce ... 11 " Total ... 131
		Machgong ...	650	36	124	59	162	345	39	5	44	389	69				
		Total ...	.....	.....	4,176	1,214	2,034	a 7,424	103	28	b 131	c 7,555	3,770	...	...	.....	c In addition to this, 224 acres have been assessed at double water-rates under Section 14, Act VIII of 1867, B. C.
South-Western ...	Midnapore ...	Midnapore ...	875	285·53	1,380	10,619	14,278	26,277	.....	.....	.....	26,277	8,628	.....	32·35	9 years 58·95	d The details are— At the rate of Rs. 1-8 ... 12,936 acres, " " Rs. 1-12 ... 258 " " " Rs. 2 ... 6,015 " " " Rs. 2-4 ... 12,308 " Total ... 31,517
	Howrah ...	Panchcoorah ...	240	97·42	.....	3,223	2,017	5,240	.....	.....	.....	5,240	2,564	0·25	46·03	8 years 46·75	
		Total ...	.....	.....	1,380	13,842	16,295	d 31,517	.....	.....	.....	31,517	12,192	.....	.....	.....	
		Grand total...	.....	.....	5,556	15,056	18,329	38,941	103	28	131	39,072	15,962	.....	.....	.....	In addition to this, 259 acres have been assessed for illicit irrigation at Rs. 8 per acre.

The 27th November 1873.

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Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th November 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	1,186	999 0 0	99 18 0	4,032 0	336 0 0	33 0 0	132 18 0
Or per mile of railway	44	37 0 0	3 14 0	150 0	12 0 0	1 4 0	4 18 0
For previous 19 weeks of half-year	24,308	18,931 0 0	1,893 2 0	66,923 0	6,257 6 0	625 14 0	2,518 16 0
Total for 20 weeks ...	25,494	19,930 0 0	1,993 0 0	71,005 0	6,587 0 0	658 14 0	2,651 14 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,219	1,079 8 3	107 19 0	2,568 0	256 10 3	25 13 4	133 12 4
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	45	39 0 10	3 19 3	94 10	9 6 8	0 18 10	4 18 1
Total to corresponding date of previous year	24,967	18,812 3 8	1,881 4 5	80,684 11	7,301 15 6	730 4 0	2,611 8 5

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd November 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	1,274	994 0 0	99 8 0	8,083 0	606 0 0	60 12 0	160 0 0
Or per mile of railway	47	36 0 0	3 12 0	297 0	22 0 0	2 4 0	5 16 0
For previous 20 weeks of half-year...	25,494	19,930 0 0	1,993 0 0	71,005 0	6,587 0 0	658 14 0	2,651 14 0
Total for 21 weeks ...	29,768	20,924 0 0	2,092 8 0	79,088 0	7,193 0 0	719 6 0	2,811 14 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,429	1,179 2 8	117 18 4	2,475 0	310 4 9	31 0 7	148 18 11
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	52	43 4 4	4 6 7	90 33	11 6 2	1 2 9	5 9 4
Total to corresponding date of previous year	26,396	19,991 6 4	1,999 2 9	83,159 11	7,612 4 3	761 4 7	2,760 7 4

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd November 1873, on 158¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	29,775	20,438 5 9	1,873 10 4	120,827 35	28,503 0 11	2,612 15 7	4,486 5 11
Or per mile of railway	188	129 2 5	11 16 10	764 0	180 1 10	16 10 2	28 7 0
For previous 20 weeks of half-year...	567,130¼	3,61,268 14 6	33,116 13 10	2,380,498 16	7,99,620 8 8	73,298 12 9	106,415 6 7
Total for 21 weeks	596,905¼	3,81,707 4 3	34,990 4 2	2,501,376 11	8,28,123 9 7	75,911 8 4	110,901 12 6
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	34,132¼	26,239 14 10	2,405 6 6	122,481 14	44,528 2 4	4,081 14 11	6,487 1 5
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	218	167 10 8	15 7 4	783 0	284 6 5	26 1 8	41 9 0
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,079,861¼	3,60,939 15 1	33,086 4 0	8,238,971 28	8,98,406 13 11	82,353 19 2	115,440 2 2

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th November 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	8,211	1,108 0 0	110 16 0	10,689 0	345 9 0	34 10 0	145 6 0
Or per mile of railway	293	39 8 0	3 19 0	382 0	12 8 0	1 5 0	5 4 0
For previous 21 weeks of half-year	1,06,272	17,026 0 0	1,702 16 0	369,797 0	12,269 0 0	1,226 18 0	2,929 14 0
Total for 22 weeks	1,14,483	18,136 0 0	1,813 12 0	380,486 0	12,614 0 0	1,261 8 0	3,075 0 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,844	2,103 6 0	110 6 9	26,218 0	798 10 0	79 17 3	190 4 0
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	280	39 7 0	3 18 10	936 0	28 8 0	2 17 0	6 15 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,17,280	18,215 8 1	1,821 11 1	292,027 17	9,058 8 9	905 17 2	2,727 8 3

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th November 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	113,123	1,86,552 0 9	17,100 12 1	1,140,473 10	* 5,47,028 9 6	50,143 16 7	67,244 8 8
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	145 11 11	13 7 2	.....	427 5 9	39 3 9	52 10 8
For previous 21 weeks of half-year	2,220,941	29,73,788 0 6	272,597 4 9	13,802,494 0	61,20,602 9 9	561,055 3 9	833,652 8 6
Total for 22 weeks	2,343,064	31,60,340 1 3	289,697 16 10	14,942,973 10	66,67,625 10 3	611,199 0 4	900,896 17 2
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	105,212	1,82,574 12 0	16,736 0 4	623,420 10	3,84,874 6 8	35,280 3 1	52,016 3 5
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	142 10 2	13 1 6	.....	300 10 11	27 11 3	* 40 12 9
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,165,264	29,51,115 8 1	270,518 18 5	10,485,744 20	57,14,286 13 10	523,809 12 7	794,328 11 0

* Rs. 76,168-10 added on account of estimated proportion of freight on food-grains due from Government for this week.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th November 1873, on 223½ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	4,480	16,212 3 3	1,486 2 7	56,238 30	* 17,718 1 0	1,624 3 2	3,110 5 9
Or per mile of railway	.....	72 8 7	6 13 0	.....	79 4 5	7 5 4	13 13 4
For previous 21 weeks of half-year...	82,882	2,34,260 13 9	21,473 12 3	922,181 30	2,87,338 14 0	26,339 7 11	47,812 6 2
Total for 22 weeks... ...	87,362	2,50,473 3 0	22,959 0 10	978,420 20	3,05,056 15 0	27,963 11 1	50,923 11 11
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,331	34,090 1 10	3,124 18 7	50,620 10	10,467 0 8	959 9 7	4,084 8 2
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	152 8 5	13 19 8	.....	46 13 4	4 5 10	18 5 6
Total to corresponding date of previous year	96,827	2,84,171 13 3	26,049 1 11	768,995 10	2,34,410 15 10	21,487 13 6	47,536 15 5

* Rs. 795-2 added on account of estimated proportion of freight on food-grain due from Government for this week.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 2051.

GENERAL.—*The 11th December* 1873.—Mr. Nathaniel Stuart Alexander, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, returned from furlough, is posted temporarily to the 24-Pergunnahs.

The 12th December 1873.—Captain Malcolm Ogilvie Boyd, Assistant Commissioner of Mungledye, is vested with the powers of a Deputy Commissioner in Durrung during the absence on duty of Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Graham.

Mr. George Toynbee, C.S., assumed charge of his special duties in connection with Famine and Scarcity on the forenoon of the 13th November 1873.

The 15th December 1873.—Mr. Nathaniel Stuart Alexander, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred to Tipperah.

The 16th December 1873.—Mr. Augustus Rivers Thompson, C.S., reported his arrival at Bombay on the 12th December on his return from furlough, and is allowed subsidiary leave for a period not exceeding thirty days from the 13th idem, to enable him to join his appointment.

Mr. Charles Dickenson Field, M.A. and LL.D., is re-appointed to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge of the 24-Pergunnahs and Hooghly.

Mr. Trevor John Chichele-Plowden is appointed to be an Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs, and to act as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in that district.

Mr. Alonzo Money, C.S., is appointed to be President of the Central Examination Committee.

Mr. Thomas Walton, Magistrate-Collector, Fourth Grade, is posted to the district of Chittagong.

Mr. John Geoghegan, Magistrate-Collector, Fourth Grade, is posted to Beerbhoom.

Mr. Charles Bazett Garrett, Magistrate-Collector, Fourth Grade, is posted to Dacca.

Mr. John Berney Worgan, Magistrate-Collector, Third Grade, is posted to Hooghly.

POLICE.—*The 15th December* 1873.—Mr. Arthur Blair, District Superintendent of Police, is allowed the usual subsidiary leave from the 28th November 1873, the day following the date of his arrival at Bombay on his return from leave, to enable him to join his appointment.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 11th December* 1873.—Baboo Kandura R. Smith, of Gowhatty, is licensed, under Clause 5, Section 5, Act XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage between Native Christians.

The 13th December 1873.—The Reverend J. Stephenson, Junior Chaplain, having returned to India, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 5th November 1872 is cancelled, and he is allowed subsidiary leave from the 19th to the 30th October 1873, inclusive, to enable him to join his appointment.

EDUCATION.—*The 11th December* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the District School Committee of Singbhoom :—

The Reverend A. Nottrott. The Reverend W. Luther.

Mr. A. W. Garrett, M.A., is appointed to act as Principal of the Dacca College, in the Third Class of the Bengal Educational Service, until further orders.

Mr. James Willson, M.A., is appointed to be a Professor in the Dacca College.

Dr. George Watt is appointed to be a Professor in the Hooghly College.

The 15th December 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the District School Committee of the 24-Pergunnahs :—

The Reverend J. Welland, B.A. Baboo Kedarnath Mookerjee.
Surgeon-Major R. Moir, M.D.

The 16th December 1873.—Mr. G. Bellett, M.A., is appointed to be a Professor in the Presidency College.

MEDICAL.—*The 10th December* 1873.—The privilege leave which was granted to Sub-Assistant Surgeon Gooroodyal Das Gupta, of the Tangail Dispensary in Mymensing, under orders of the 21st November 1873, is cancelled at his own request.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Umesh Chunder Sen is appointed to be a Resident Sub-Assistant Surgeon to the Sealdah Medical School. This cancels the orders of the 21st November appointing him to have temporary charge of the Tangail Dispensary.

Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Brojonath Shaha is appointed to be a Resident Sub-Assistant Surgeon to the Sealdah Medical School.

The 11th December 1873.—The Services of Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Poorno Chunder Das, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

Surgeon-Major James Fawcus Norton Wise, M.D., Civil Surgeon of Dacca, is allowed two months' privilege leave under Section 21, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code, from the date on which he may have taken it.

Surgeon-Major David Boyes Smith, M.D., is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Dacca during Surgeon-Major Wise's absence, or until further orders.

The 13th December 1873.—Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Hurrymohun Bose, attached to the Sasseram Dispensary, is appointed to have charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Arrah.

In supersession of the orders of the 5th December, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th idem, Third Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon Brojendro Coomar Datta is appointed to have medical charge of the Sasseram division, and of the Charitable Dispensary there.

The 15th December 1873.—Mr. Vincent Blair Stork, Medical Officer, Political Agency, Hill Tipperah, is allowed privilege leave for three months from the 5th December, under Section 21, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code.

OPIUM.—*The 16th December* 1873.—Mr. Henry Matthews, who was appointed in orders of the 21st June 1873 to act as Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Bareilly during the absence of Mr. C. M. Armstrong on three months' leave, was transferred to Lucknow in the same capacity on the 12th July 1873, and continued to act for Mr. Armstrong as Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Lucknow during the remainder of Mr. Armstrong's leave.

FORESTS.—*The 12th December* 1873.—Mr. W. Shakespear, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Third Grade, is posted to the Cooch Behar Division.

ROAD CESS.—*The 10th December* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the Branch Road Cess Committee at the Satkhirah division in the 24-Pergunnahs district under Section 76, Act X (B.C.) of 1871 :—

Mujib Khan, Ryot. Laddy Mohun Sircar, Gantidar.

The 15th December 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the Branch Road Cess Committee, at the Gobindpore Division, in the Maunbhoom District, under Section 76, Act X (B C.) of 1871 :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer		Chairman.
Baboo Damoodur Chowbey,	Pleader	Vice-Chairman.
,, Roghunath Ghose,	ditto	Members.
,, Doorga Churn Sircar,	ditto	
,, Nirmul Chunder Dutta,	Independent Gentleman	
,, Andoyta Churn Roy,	Agent, Labor Transport Company	
,, Sonatun Das,	Mohajan and Cultivator	
,, Rashbehary Lal Sing,	Zemindar	
,, Keshub Lal Miser,	Dewan of Rance of Pandra	

ERRATUM.—*The 13th December* 1873.—In the orders of the 8th October last, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, appointing certain Members of the Branch Road Cess Committee at Barrackpore,—

For "Baboo Umbica Churn Mookerjee, School Master," *read* "Baboo Umbica Churn Mookerjee, Head Assistant, Military Store-Keeper's Office."

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

RELAXATION OF LAND IMPROVEMENT ADVANCE RULES.

IN continuation of notification of the 20th November 1873, it is notified that the relaxation of the above rules therein published will have effect in the districts of the Chota Nagpore Division as well as in the districts mentioned in that notification.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

PURCHASE OF RICE BY GOVERNMENT.

IT has been decided by the Government that 950,000 maunds of Government grain shall be provided in this country before the 31st January next for distribution to relief works in the distressed districts of Bengal. Of this amount it is the wish of Government that 400,000 maunds in all should be obtained from Calcutta and the eastern districts. About 160,000 maunds of rice have already been bought by Government; the Commissioner of Dacca is trying to arrange for 100,000 maunds in the eastern districts; and there remain about 150,000 maunds still to be provided; up to this amount the Lieutenant-Governor invites tenders for the supply of ballam, moonghee, kajla, common ballam, or other kinds of Bengal clean rice of fair quality, sound and fit to keep. Each tender to be in the form below, and to be delivered to Mr. G. Toynbee, No. 39, Strand, with samples, not later than 3 P.M. on Wednesday, the 17th December. Notice of accepted tenders will be given in writing by Mr. Toynbee at the above address at noon on Saturday, the 20th December.

Other things being equal, those tenders will be preferred which agree to deliver the grain at the earliest date.

FORM OF TENDER FOR SUPPLY OF RICE TO GOVERNMENT.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF FIRM OR PERSON TENDERING.	QUANTITY OF EACH KIND TENDERED FOR.		Quality or kind of Rice.	Price per bazaar maund.	Price of the whole amount tendered for, inclusive of bags.
	Bags.	Maunds.			

I make this tender subject to all the conditions published in the Government Notice of the 10th December 1873.

CALCUTTA,
The December 1873.

(Signature.)

CONDITIONS OF TENDER.

1. No tender will be accepted for less than 10,000 maunds; tenders above that amount must be in even thousands.

2. The rice must be delivered in well sewn bags of good quality before noon on Tuesday, the 7th January 1874, at the Howrah or Chitpore Station as Mr. Toynbee may direct; each bag must contain two bazaar maunds net.

3. The price per maund is to include cost of bags and delivery at the railway stations of Howrah, Chitpore and Sealdah.

4. Payment will be made by the Accountant-General on bills countersigned by Mr. Toynbee, on the completion of delivery of the whole amount of each accepted tender. For any portion of such amount not delivered by the latest date, specified in Condition 2, the Government shall be entitled to deduct 25 per cent. of the cost of such undelivered portion from the price of the portion already delivered, and to decide whether it shall take delivery of the overdue portion or not.

5. In case of any dispute as to the quality of any rice tendered for delivery, the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, shall decide whether or not the rice is according to sample; and his decision shall be binding both on Government and on the person tendering.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 10th December 1873.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 12th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of a road from Sewan to Busuntpore, in Pergunnahs Barrah and Barrai, Zillah Sarun, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 25 miles in length and 100 feet in breadth, and partly occupied by an old tract, is required.

This Declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Acting Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 10th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for straightening the Boal Khali Canal in the district of Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land is required measuring 2 acres, 2 roods, 21 poles, and 2½ yards, more or less, and bounded as follows:—

North by the surveyed lands of Mouzah Halim Khar Chur, plots 1051, 1052, 1029, 1030, and 1025, and of Mouzah Chur Khizirpoor, plots 238, 239, and 240.

South by the surveyed lands of Mouzah Chur Khizirpoor, plots 241, 242, 243, 244, 239, and 238, and of Mouzah Halim Khar Chur, plots 1205, 1026, 1028, 1055, and 1056, and the tank in possession of Konoo Sing, plot No. 1054.

East by Boal Khali Canal.

West by Boal Khali Canal, situated west of plot No. 241 of the surveyed land of Mouzah Chur Khizirpoor.

This Declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 of the Government of India, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 22nd November 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for protection of river-banks in the village of Bunarpore, Pergunnah Chowsa, Zillah Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring 2 acres 2 roods 34 poles, bounded on the north, east, and south by the village of Bunarpore, and on the west by the River Kurmunassa, is required within the aforesaid village of Bunarpore.

This Declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th November 1873.—In supersession of the Notification of the 25th October 1873, published at page 1249 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th November 1873, the following revised Notification is published :—

COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

THE Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta hereby give notice, with the approval of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, that the following scale of charges will be levied on certain classes of goods landed or shipped at the Jetties on and after this date, in supersession of the scale of landing charges published in the *Gazette* of the 9th and 16th October 1872, item No. 21, and in supersession of the scale of shipping charges published in the *Gazette* of 13th September 1871, items Nos. 51, 52, and 111 :—

SCHEDULE OF LANDING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

Revised scale of charges and rent to be paid by Owners, Importers or Consignees, in respect of the undermentioned goods landed at the Jetties, and for their removal when not cleared within forty-eight hours.

ITEMS.	Landing charges at the jetties.	For removal of goods not claimed within 48 hours to the Custom House or import warehouse.	Rent per month to be charged at the import warehouse, at wharf, and at jetty sheds, on all goods not claimed within 48 hours.
21. Bottles, empty; per dozen	0 0 6	0 0 3	0 8 0

SCHEDULE OF SHIPPING CHARGES AT THE JETTIES.

Revised scale of charges and rent to be paid by Owners, Importers or Consignees, in respect of the undermentioned goods shipped at the Jetties, and for their removal when not shipped within forty-eight hours.

ITEMS.	Shipping charges.	Removal charges.	Wharf rent.
51. Machinery in pieces or cases over 2 tons	See charges by weight.		
52. " " under 2 tons			
Charges by Weight.			
111. On all goods not enumerated, chargeable by weight, and not exceeding 2 tons, per cwt.	0 1 6	0 0 9	0 8 0
112. On all goods exceeding 2 tons, and not exceeding 4 tons, per cwt.	0 2 0	0 0	0 8 0
113. Exceeding 4 and not exceeding 8 tons, per cwt.	0 4 0	0 2 0	0 8 0
On all weights over 8 tons, per cwt.	0 7 0	0 4 0	0 8 0

By order of the Commissioners,

W. D. BRUCE,
Vice-Chairman.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 3714.—*Fort William, the* 12*th December* 1873.—*Public.*—The services of Mr. T. J. Chichele-Plowden, Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the 8th instant.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information :—

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

Fort William, the 11*th December* 1873.

No. 3564.—In supersession of the orders of this Department, No. 4792, dated 14th July 1862, and No. 1486, dated 11th August 1862, the President in Council is pleased to rule that, when a public officer on transfer from one station to another claims travelling allowance, he shall submit with his bill for the allowance a certificate signed by himself that he did not apply for the transfer, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief it was not made for his private advantage, but on public grounds only.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 12th December 1873.

No. 3574.—*Erratum.*—The Civil Pension Code, second edition—In the foot-note on page 55, for "30th September 1873," read "30th September 1863."

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 1233.—*Fort William, the 8th December* 1873.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officers have reported their return from England :—

* * * * * * * *

Surgeon-Major N. Chevers, M.D., of the Medical Department, Principal and Professor of Medicine, Calcutta Medical College, and *ex-officio* First Physician, College Hospital,—date of arrival at Bombay, 27th November 1873.

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Surgeon-Major J. Duncan, M.D., of the Medical Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th November 1873.

No. 1240.—*The 10th December* 1873.—The following extracts from lists Nos. 19 and 20, dated 31st October and 7th November 1873, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave received from the India Office, are published for general information :—

Permitted to return.

Colonel E. H. C. Wintle.

* * * * *

No. 1241.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

* * * * *

Surgeon-Major Theodore Duka, M.D., of the Medical Department,—for two years, under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 1251.—*The 12th December* 1873.—The services of Surgeon W. E. Griffiths, attached to the Presidency General Hospital, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2052.

JUDICIAL.—*The 10th December* 1873.—The following Sub-Deputy Collectors in the Patna Division are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

Moonshee Abdool Rezak, Patna.
Baboo Dwarka Pershad, ditto.
" Gunganath Rai, Shahabad.
" Shama Churn Das, ditto.
" Ram Churn Lall, Gya.
Moonshee Mahomed-ul-Nobi, Gya.
Baboo Raghoonundun Pershad, Tirhoot.
" Nobin Chunder Mitter, ditto.
Moonshee Sadiq Ali, ditto.
" Attur Hossein, Chumparun.

Baboo Manick Chunder Dutt has resigned his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate for the Kandi Bench in the district of Moorshedabad.

Mr. Cecil Jackson, Barrister-at-Law, has been appointed to be Secretary to the Board for conducting the Examination of Candidates for Pleaderships and Mooktearships.

The 11th December 1873.—Mr. W. Charles Loraine, Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Hylakandy division in Cachar, is vested with the powers of a Moonsif.

Mr. Nathaniel Stuart Alexander, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, who has been posted temporarily to the 24-Pergunnahs under separate orders of this date, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, and with the powers described in Sections 142, 157, 417, and 521 of the Criminal Procedure Code. Mr. Alexander is also vested with powers to try summarily the offences mentioned in Section 222 of the Code.

The following Officers are vested with powers under Section 266 of the Criminal Procedure Code to hear appeals from convictions by any Magistrate of the Second or Third Class :—

Mr. John Ward, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, Rajshahye.
" Alfred Corbyn Brett, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, Dinagepore.
" Reginald Porch, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, Pubna.
" Charles Deslandes Church Winter, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Second Grade, Moorshedabad.

The 15th December 1873.—Babee Teelok Ram Chowdhoory, Zemindar, is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate in the district of Goalparah, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Mr. Henry James Newbery, B.A., Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, Monghyr, is vested with powers under Section 266 of the Criminal Procedure Code to hear appeals from convictions by any Magistrate of the Second or Third Class.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]
NOTIFICATION.

The 16th December 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to notify the following amendment in the rules for the election of Municipal Commissioners in the Town of Serampore under Section I of Act II of 1873 of the Bengal Council, published at page 1145, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 1st October 1873:—

In rule 6, *for* "25th December," *read* "27th December."

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]
NOTIFICATION.

The 4th December 1873.—It is hereby notified that under Section 83 of Act VII of 1871 (The Indian Emigration Act), the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized Mr. F. H. Barrow, Assistant Magistrate in the district of Bhaugulpore, to perform the duties and exercise the powers of the Magistrate of the district under that Act.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]
DECLARATION.

The 4th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Government of Bengal that the land, particulars of which are subjoined, is required for a public purpose, viz. the site for the police station of Kumarkhali, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land measuring 1 beegah 19 cottahs is required.

The land is situated in the district of Nuddea, Pergunnah Rokunpur, Thannah Kumarkhali, village Elangi; it is bounded on the north by the dwelling-house of Bhagirath Patni; on the east by the Suradoha jola; on the south by the School Street; and on the west by the dwelling-house of Kanie Changa, and is known as the late Peshkar and Hori Lall Chowdhri Mooktar's lodging.

This Declaration is made, under Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Fourth Publication.]
NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of Section 2 of Act V (B. C.) of 1873, *the following plan for the future lighting of that area of the Town of Howrah which is at present lighted with gas is hereby published for general information by order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.*

PLAN.

1. The portion of the Town which is lighted is bounded as follows:—

On the North by Hurrogunge Road, on the South by Ramkistopore Ghaut Road, on the East by the River Hooghly, and on the West by the Grand Trunk Road. A map of this portion is herewith submitted, on which is shown in blue lines the streets which are lighted, and in red lines those which the Commissioners propose to light on receipt of His Honor's sanction.

2. The following are the names of the streets and the number of lamps in each at present lighted, as also the names of the streets proposed to be lighted and the number of lamps in each:—

Names of the Streets and the Number of Lamps in each at present lighted.

Grand Trunk Road	52	Brought forward	114
Ramkistopore Ghaut Road	7	Ghoosery Road	4
Telkul Ghaut Road	12	Golabaree Road	8
Avenue Road	7	Baptist Burial Ground Road	9
Church Road	5	New Street	1
Chandmarree Road	8	Ross Road	4
Tindal Garden Road	9	Seal's New Lane	2
Lall Diggee Road	4	Hurrogunge Road	12
King's Road	4	Howrah Road	44
Rosemarree Lane	3	Howrah Ghaut Road	3
Salt Gola Lane	3		
Carried over	114	Total	201

Names of the Streets and the Number of Lamps in each proposed to be lighted.

Khetter Mittey's Lane	10	Brought forward	33
Watkins' Lane	5	Mackenzie's Lane	2
Dobson's Lane	15	Ticcaparrah and Jelleaparrah Lane	4
Strand Road	3	Total	39
Carried over	33		

3. It will be observed from the map* that when the last named streets are lighted, *all* the public roads within the portion of the town described in para. 2 will be lighted; that is to say, all the highways which are vested in the Commissioners, and over which they have control.

* *Vide* note deposited in the Bengal Office.

4. The outlay in erecting the lamps at present lighted, numbering 201, was Rs. 10,628, and the estimated cost of erecting the 39 lamps, which are required to complete the lighted area, is Rs. 2,437-8.

5. The cost of erecting the existing lamps was met from general funds, and the Commissioners propose to pay for the erection of the extra lamps from the saving which will be effected in the allotment for lighting charges for the months of January, February, and March next. This of course is calculated on the principle that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be pleased to authorize the Commissioners to levy the rate from the 4th quarter of the current year 1873-74, viz. January to March 1874, the Commissioners, on their part, undertaking that the extra lamps shall be ready for lighting from 1st January.

6. The cost of lighting the 240 lamps will be Rs. 24,000 per annum. To this cost the Commissioners are bound by the existing contract with the Gas Company from which they have no escape. The contract has still 18 years to run. To this is to be added a sum of Rs. 1,200 for contingent charges of repairs to lamps, making a total of Rs. 25,200 per annum.

7. The total valuation of buildings and lands situated within the area is Rs. 8,72,867. A rate of 3 per cent. on this valuation would yield Rs. 26,186 per annum, and if from this sum a deduction is made of, say, Rs. 486 on account of collection charges, there would remain a net income of Rs. 25,700, which would cover the expenses of lighting and maintaining the lamps within the portion of the town in which it is proposed to levy the rate for the present.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 24th November 1873.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 13th December 1873.

No. 435.—*Transfers.*—Sergeant J. A. Wilson, Overseer, First Grade, from the Balasore to the Dinagepore District.

No. 436.—Baboo Hemchunder Chatterjee, Overseer, First Grade, from the Dinagepore and Maldah to the Darjeeling and Julpigoree District.

No. 437.—Mr. J. Caldwell, Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, from the Darjeeling and Julpigoree to the Burdwan District.

No. 438.—Mr. W. McCullagh, Sub-Engineer, First Grade, from the First Calcutta Division to the Bhaugulpore District.

No. 439.—Mr. J. A. Price, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, from the Third to the First Calcutta Division.

No. 440.—*Notifications.*—Baboo Jodonath Roy, Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, joined the Third Calcutta Division on the 24th November 1873 before noon, on return from privilege leave.*

* Bengal Government, Public Works Department Notification No. 344, dated 22nd September 1873.

No. 441.—Baboo Kally Comul Sircar, Accountant, Fourth Grade, from the Cuttack Workshop Division to the Central Office of Accounts, Bengal.

No. 442.—Baboo Panch Cowrie Gupto, Accountant, Fourth Grade, from the Central Office of Accounts, Bengal, to the Cuttack Workshop Division.

No. 443.—*Transfer.*—Baboo Radha Mohun Doss, Accountant, Fourth Grade, from the Nuddea to the Midnapore District.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th December 1873.

No. 568.—*Postings.*—The under-mentioned Upper Subordinates, transferred from the North-Western Provinces, are posted to the Gunduck Circle :—

Sergeant T. Greening } Supervisors of the Second Grade.
Sergeant W. Ritchie }

No. 569.—Sergeant J. Chapman, Supervisor, Second Grade, to the Buxar Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 27th November 1873.

No. 570.—Conductor W. Wilson, Supervisor, First Grade, to the Buxar Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 27th November 1873.

No. 571.—Mr. E. E. Oliver, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, transferred from the Punjab to Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Eastern Sone Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 3rd December 1873.

No. 572.—The under-mentioned Upper Subordinates, transferred from the North-Western Provinces to Bengal Irrigation Branch, are posted to the Buxar Division, which they joined on the dates specified against their names:—

Mr. J. G. Midford, Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, afternoon of 4th December 1873.
Sergeant R. Jackson, Overseer, First Grade, afternoon of 1st December 1873.
Corporal T. Tuer, Overseer, First Grade, forenoon of 29th November 1873.
Mr. J. Callaghan, Overseer, Second Grade, forenoon of 29th November 1873.
Mahomed Musseeoollah, Overseer, Third Grade, forenoon of 3rd December 1873.

No. 573.—*Transfer.*—Notification No. 512, dated the 21st November 1873, transferring Mr. C. Low, Temporary Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, to the Behar Survey, is cancelled, and Mr. Low is transferred to the Pooree Survey Division, which he joined on the 1st December 1873.

No. 574.—*Posting.*—The under-mentioned Upper Subordinates, transferred from the Punjab to Bengal Irrigation Branch, are posted to the Eastern Sone Division, which they joined on the dates specified against their names:—

Quarter-Master Sergeant F. Robinson, Supervisor, Second Grade, forenoon of 2nd December 1873.
Sergeant G. Douglas, Overseer, First Grade, forenoon of 2nd December 1873.

The 15th December 1873.

No. 575.—*Notifications.*—Mr. S. Street, Probationary Supervisor, First Grade, joined the Arrah Division on the forenoon of the 5th December 1873.

No. 576.—Baboo Jodoonath Seal, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 10th December 1873, and joined the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, to which he has been posted.

No. 577.—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

"*No.* 760, *dated the* 11*th December* 1873.—The orders of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, appointing Mr. D. G. Caddy to the Public Works Department as a Sub-Engineer of the Third Grade on probation, and posting him to the Irrigation Branch, are confirmed."

No. 578.—*Posting.*—Mr. D. G. Caddy, Probationary Sub-Engineer, Third Grade, to the Lower Gunduck Embankment Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 9th December 1873.

No. 579.—*Transfer.*—Baboo Kedarnath Mookerjee, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, from the Western Sone Survey to the Debree Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 8th December 1873.

The 16th December 1873.

No. 580.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, for a line of embankment at the commencement of the Kana Nuddee in the villages of Selimabad and Jamalpore, Pergunnah Havillee, Zillah Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land, about 2,300 feet long and 180 feet wide, containing more or less 9½ acres, is required. The land is nearly parallel to the eastern side of the River Damoodah, and distant therefrom about 400 feet.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

H. W. GULLIVER, LIEUT.-COL., *R.E.*,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

The 16th December 1873.—Syed Ahmedoollah, Moonsiff of Sasseram, district Shahabad, for one month from the 1st December 1873, on medical certificate.

Baboo Bhagavan Chunder Chatterjee, B.L., Additional Moonsiff of Tipperah, for three months, under Section 21, Chapter VI, of the Civil Leave Code, from the date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

By order of the High Court,
H. J. S. COTTON,
Offg. Registrar.

HIGH COURT, &c., the 16th December 1873.

Circular Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

No. 24.

Dated Calcutta, the 25th November 1873.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
Civil.

IN supersession of such portion of Circular Order No. 32, dated 8th November 1870, as declares the Statements named on the margin* to be no longer necessary, the Court is pleased to direct the preparation of those Statements for the year 1873, and for future years, in accordance with the instructions contained in Circular Order No. 6, dated 9th March 1870, which should be carefully observed.

* 6 and 6 A Statement showing the average duration of suits and appeals.

2. Those instructions should also guide the local Courts in filling up columns 19 and 20 of Judicial Statement No. 8 (Circular Order No. 32, dated 8th November 1870), which provide for the exhibition of the average duration of suits contested and uncontested.

3. The Court desire also that, in calculating the duration of cases, whether original suits or appeals, the reckoning be made from the date of institution, and not from that of transfer.

No. 19.

Dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1873.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
Civil.

THE attention of District Judges is again called to the necessity of showing in their Quarterly Returns the number of days they devoted to civil work during the period embraced by those Returns, the Court having observed that the requirements of Circular Memorandum No. 3, dated 28th February last, have been very frequently overlooked.

By order, &c.,

W. M. SOUTTAR,
Registrar.

NOTIFICATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under Section 14, Act XI of 1865, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes of Hooghly, Serampore and Howrah, will, subject to the orders of Government, sit in the Hooghly Court in addition to the dates of his sittings fixed for that Court, on the following dates in the month of December 1873:—

Wednesday, the 17th December 1873, and Wednesday, the 24th December 1873.

DOORGAPERSAUD GHOSE, *Judge.*

SERAMPORE SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 11th December 1873.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, it is hereby notified, in supersession of the notification of the 18th May 1872, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes of Hooghly, Serampore and Howrah, will, subject to the orders of Government, hold sittings each month from the 1st January 1874 in the three different courts on the dates mentioned below:—

In the Small Cause Court at Hooghly, from the 1st to the 12th of each month.
In the Small Cause Court at Howrah, from the 13th to the 17th of each month.
In the Small Cause Court at Serampore, from the 18th to the 25th of each month.
In the Small Cause Court at Howrah, from the 26th to the 30th of each month.

And in the months which will end on the 31st, the sitting of the Judge on that day will be held in the Hooghly Court.

DOORGAPERSAUD GHOSE, *Judge.*

HOWRAH SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 12th December 1873.

TREASURY NOTICES.

Mr. A. BURODAH, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, has been placed in charge of the Sibsagor Treasury, and is authorised to draw Bills on other Treasuries.

HENRY HOPKINSON, *Agent, Governor-General, N.-E. F., and Commr. of Assam.*

NOTICE is hereby given that Deputy Collector Baboo Sheetul Nath Bose has been placed in charge of the Sarun Treasury from the 21st ultimo, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

S. C. BAYLEY, *Commissioner.*

PATNA, COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 3rd December 1873.

OFFICIATING DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO OKHOY COOMAR CHATTERJEE has been placed in charge of the Bograh Treasury, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

E. W. MOLONY, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHYE DIVN., BERHAMPORE, *the 6th December* 1873.

Sheriff's Office, the 16th December 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Criminal Sessions of the year 1874, of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the fourteenth day of January next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Session be then and there to prosecute.

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস সন ১৮৭৩ সাল ১৬ ডিসেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৪ সালের ১৪ জানুআরি বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যেপর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৪ সালের প্রথম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারায় প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

The List of Candidates who have passed successfully the Minor Scholarhsip Examination for Orissa Division held in November 1873.

No.	Grade or class in which passed.	Name of Candidate.	Name of School.	Total marks obtained. Maximum 900.
1	I Class	Natber Dass ..	Khurdha A. V. School ..	507
2	,,	Juggo Mohun Ghose ..	Bhudruk School ..	502
3	,,	Gunonidhi Dass* ..	Cuttack A. V. School ..	496
4	,,	Gurudas Chaterjee ..	Bhudruk School ..	480½
5	II Class	Prankisto Mookerjee ..	Ditto ..	444
6	,,	Banchanidhi Naik* ..	Cuttack A. V. School ..	407½
7	,,	Rajmohun Singh ..	Ditto ..	398
8	,,	Radhanath Chakerbutty* ..	Srikistopore School ..	353
9	,,	Gour Bulhub Mitter ..	Jajpore School ..	341
10	III Class	Mahamed Ally ..	Ditto ..	317½
11	,,	Koonjo Behary Putnaik ..	Khurdha A. V. School ..	313½
12	,,	Kasinath Dass ..	Srikristopore School ..	289
13	,,	Mahamed Athar ..	Cuttack A. V. School ..	285
14	,,	Gobind Prosad Doss ..	Ditto ..	278
15	,,	Dwarkanath Sen ..	Kendraparrah School ..	276
16	,,	Jamaswar Kautrya ..	Khurdha A. V. School ..	261
17	,,	Juggobundhu Doss ..	Jajpore School ..	249
18	,,	Tassady Ally ..	Cuttack A. V. School ..	238½
19	,,	Amernath Banerjee ..	Bhudruk School ..	236½

* These boys have been awarded with the Minor Scholarships assigned to Cuttack District.

S. AGAR, *Jt.-Inspr. and Presdt. of the Examinatian Committee.*

The List of Candidates who have passed successfully the Vernacular Scholarship Examination for Orissa Division held in November 1873.

No.	Grade or class in which passed.	Name of Candidate.	Name of School.	Total marks obtained. Maximum 700.
1	I Class	Bhim Charan Panda	Bagurai School	477
2	,,	Damoodar Nanda*	Mahasingpore School	418
3	,,	Shib Chander Bal	Dolesahi School	399½
4	,,	Harihar Tripati	Ditto	365½
5	,,	Damoodar Satpasti*	Mahasingpore School	358½
6	II Class	Sada Shibo Dass	Khurdha Vernacular School	345
7	,,	Bidiadhar Mahanty*	Dhenkanal School	326½
8	,,	Rajkishore Mahanti*	Cuttack Vernacular School	321½
9	,,	Narayan Mahanti	Soro School	320
10	,,	Moti Lall Singh	Khurdha Vernacular School	317½
11	,,	Guddadher Mahanti	Dhenkanal School	312½
12	,,	Guddadhar Dûrbidi	Soro School	303
13	,,	Damudar Putnaik	Dhenkanal School	394
14	,,	Bhagyarattie Das*	Krishnanandpore School	283
15	,,	Balkisto Nando	Soro School	281½
16	,,	Nanda Mahapater	Balasore Mission School	279½
17	,,	Artatram Tripati	Nimapara School	276
18	,,	Durga Charu Mahanti	St. Joseph's School	274
19	,,	Ram Kisto Putnaik	Cuttack Vernacular School	274
20	,,	Saul Naik	Balasore Mission School	267
21	,,	Guddadhur Sahu	Cuttack Vernacular School	266½
22	,,	Raikishore Mahanti*	Patamoondi School	264
23	,,	Jadu Moni Mahanti	Krisnanandpore School	264
24	,,	Nitianand Rayoot	Dehurda School	263
25	III Class	Annodo Mahanti	Dhenkanal School	261½
26	,,	Durga Charn Saringhi	Soro School	258½
27	,,	Radha Mohun Mookerjee	Barobati School	249½
28	,,	Annodo Lall Bose	Pohorajpore School	245½
29	,,	Kenaram Lalla	Cuttack Vernacular School	236½
30	,,	Abhoy Charn Dass	Barobati School	232½
31	,,	Joggomohun Pall	Bansodihi School	229½
32	,,	Radhakisto Dass	Cuttack Vernacular School	226½
33	,,	Satiabadi Mahanti	Nimapara School	224
34	,,	Nobokeshore Ghosal	Dehurda School	221
35	,,	Parmanand Dass	Rambag School	220
36	,,	Bidiadhur Dass	Mohasingpore School	219½
37	,,	Raghu Nath Dass	Barobati School	210½
38	,,	Banchanidhi Mahanti	Asserasur School	207½
39	,,	Madhubanand Mahanti	Pooree School	206½
40	,,	Harrakristo Tripati	Mohasingpore School	203
41	,,	Lakhan Panda	Ditto	202½
42	,,	Kunai Lall Acharjee	Pooree School	199½
43	,,	Sham Chand Dass	Remma School	193½
44	,,	Jonokiram Singh	Asswaraswar School	192
45	,,	Ram Prosad Nandi	Remma School	191
46	,,	Bisonath Putnaik	Dhenkanal School	189½
47	,,	Annodo Chander Mahapater	Janla School	188½
48	,,	Gobind Prosad Dass	Rambag School	188
49	,,	Krisno Prosad Singh	Tracote School	179½
50	,,	Gopo Bundhu Putnaik	Angul School	178½
51	,,	Troyalokya Nath Bhunzo	Bansdilie School	178
52	,,	Sanatan Datto	Pooree School	176½

* These boys have been awarded with Vernacular Scholarships assigned to Cuttack District.

S. AGAR, *Jt.-Inspr. and Presdt. of the Examination Committee.*

THE following candidates have passed the examination in physical geography, surveying and drawing held, in accordance with the Junior Scholarship Rules in, the Bhaugulpore Division on 22nd and 23rd September 1873:—

In Order of Merit.

No.	Names of Candidates.	School.
1	Sakhawat Hossain	Bhaugulpore School.
2	Utul Chundra Mookherjee	Ditto.
3	Kuldip Sahaie	Purneah School.
4	Kurim Bukhsh	Monghyr School.
	Kunja Behari Banerjee	Ditto.
5	Edward Henry Birk	Purneah School.
	Mohamed Azizuddin	Monghyr School.
6	Mohamed Baqur	Ditto.
7	Prosannanath Biswas	Bhaugulpore School.
8	Gopalnarain Rai	Ditto.
9	Mohamed Ibrahim	Monghyr School.
10	Sorwswor Ditto	Ditto.
11	Judoo Nath Gangoolee	Bhaugulpore School.
	Sosi Bhoosan Sein	Monghyr School.
	Heera Lall Chatterjee	Ditto.
	Darsan Misra	Ditto.
12	Brija Nundun Sahai	Purneah School.
	Hori Nath Ghosal	Monghyr School.
	Ali Hossain	Ditto.
13	Aughor Nath Ghosal	Ditto.
14	Jogendra Nath Basu	Bhaugulpore School.
	Kunjo Lall Sinha	Ditto.
	Jogendra Nath Sircar	Ditto.
15	Jugudessur Proshad	Ditto.
16	Bepin Behari Dass	Monghyr School.
	Jogendra Nath Rai	Ditto.
	Bhola Nath Nundi	Ditto.
17	Bhawani Sahai	Bhaugulpore School.
18	Protab Chundra Sinha	Ditto.
19	Shirish Chunder Mookherjee	Ditto.
	Srihuri Lahory	Monghyr School.
	Ram Churan Lall	Ditto.
20	Bhudur Mundul	Bhaugulpore School.
	Sheeb Chunder Bhuttacharjea	Monghyr School.
	George Frank	Ditto.
21	Aughore Nath Mookherjee	Bhaugulpore School.
	Mohendra Nath Basu	Monghyr School.
22	Benode Behari Moitra	Purneah School.
	Rajone Kanta Rai	Bhaugulpore School.
	Sree Nath Lahory	Monghyr School.
23	Protab Narain	Purneah School.
24	Muttee Lall Misra	Bhaugulpore School.

BHAUGULPORE, the 10th December 1873. S. P. CHATTERJEE, *Personal Asst. to the Commissioner.*

NOTICE.

No. 1043 B.

Opium.

AN examination of the Provision Opium of 1872-73 from the Behar and Benares Agencies, from such despatches as have arrived, will take place at the Presidency Opium Godowns within the Custom House premises on Tuesday, the 23rd December 1873, at 11 o'clock, to which the public are invited.

By order of the Member in charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 15th December 1873.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 909B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1874, will consist of 26,244 chests of Behar, and 18,756 chests of Benares Opium, being of the two seasons 1871-72 and 1872-73 in the proportions marginally noted. The sales will be held on or about the dates specified below. The Member in charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

		Chests.	Chests.
BEHAR.			
Reserve of 1871-72	...	8	
Supply from 1872-73	...	26,236	
			26,244
BENARES.			
Reserve of 1871-72	...	16	
Supply from 1872-73	...	18,740	
			18,756
Total	...		45,000

Dates.				Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday,	5th Jan.	1874	...	2,209	1,541	3,750
On or about Wednesday,	4th Feb.	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday,	5th Mar.	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday,	6th April	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday,	4th May	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday,	4th June	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday,	6th July	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday,	5th Aug.	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday,	7th Sept.	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday,	7th Oct.	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday,	6th Nov.	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday,	3rd Dec.	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
		Total	...	26,244	18,756	45,000

The following are the conditions of Sale :—

1. The Opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The Opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by Clause 12 of these Conditions of Sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M.; but if at that hour any of the lots advertized for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Member in charge, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday) at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or, if the whole quantity advertized shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Member in charge may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room, and before the lot is registered in the sale book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this Office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale: or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts, or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Member in charge shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT.
When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

6. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the last-mentioned condition, if remaining unredeemed at 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

7. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of Opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted.

8. The Opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 4 o'clock of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, and in case any lots of such Opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth Condition or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Member in charge shall think fit, and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the Opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale.

9. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of Opium after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots, or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests originally required to be included in each certificate or order.

10. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present Conditions will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale book or his authorized Agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

11. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall, on demand, tender at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal Receipts, or Government Securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these Conditions.

12. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually until a bid is obtained, and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these Conditions.

13. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same agency Opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the Opium to complete the said twenty-five.

14. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the Opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

15. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. No. 1, certificate of the Opium advertized for sale; No. 2, report of the examination of such Opium.

16. The public are hereby informed that, in providing the investment of the Behar and Benares Opium for the year 1872-73, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

17. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the Opium advertized for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Member in charge entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of Opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the Opium for shipment.

18. It is hereby further notified that under the 6th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March, 1815, quoted below, the Agents in India of the French Government, or persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that out of the quantities of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for sale at the twelve sales of the year 1874, there shall be delivered to them, at the average of the particular sale or sales

to which the Opium so applied for may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make requisition specifying the quantity of Opium required by them at any particular sale, within thirty days from the advertisement of such intended sale, provided however that the Agents of the French Government may make such requisition for the whole quantity within thirty days from the publication of this notification. If the Agent of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time above mentioned, the entire quantity of about 45,000 chests of Behar and Benares, as above estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner; and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertized for sale at each or any of the twelve sales above mentioned, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

	Chests.
Behar	26,244
Benares	18,756
Total	45,000

Article of the Convention above referred to.

Article VI.—"With regard to the trade in Opium, it is agreed between the high contracting parties that at each of the periodical sales of that article, there shall be reserved for the French Government, and delivered upon requisition duly made by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty, or by the persons duly appointed by them, the number of chests so supplied for provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken on account of the French Government by the Agent of His Most Christain Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred chests hereinbefore mentioned. The requisitions for Opium, as aforesaid, are to be addressed to the Governor-General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended sales shall have been published in the *Government Gazette*."—By order of the Member in charge.

T. B. LANE,
Secretary.

BOARD OF REVENUE,
Fort William, the 8th November 1873.

NOTICE.

No. 1009B.

APPLICATION for tickets of admission to the Opium Sale-room for the year 1874 should be made at the Office of the Board of Revenue on or after the 22nd instant.

Tickets for the year 1873 should be returned.

By order of the Member in charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 9th December 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 983B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, and 1872-73, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 5th January 1874, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,750 chests, viz.—

	1871-72.	1872-73.	Total.
Behar Opium ...	8	2,201	2,209
Benares ,, ...	16	1,525	1,541
Total	24	3,726	3,750

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual; they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1873, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th January respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 10th January 1874, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 20th January 1874.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the year 1874 on or about the

dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. 1874	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	..	24,035	17,215	41,250

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 2nd December 1873.

Statement showing the importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on the River Hooghly, subject to Customs Duty, on the 30th November 1873.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	809,160	.....	296,564	1,105,724
French Kurkutch...	10,710	.....	.....	10,710
Italian ,, ...	29,326	.....	.....	29,326
Bombay ,, ...	91,592	.....	2,127	93,719
Madras ,, ...	99,201	.....	1,668	100,869
Arabian and Persian Gulfs' Kurkutch and Muscat Rock	464,724	.....	63,467	528,191
Total ...	1,504,713	.....	363,826	1,868,539

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA, CUSTOM HOUSE, the 10th December 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1873.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government to the undermentioned land, situate in the District of Moorshedabad, will be put up to sale at the Moorshedabad Collectorate on the 19th December 1873, corresponding with 5th Poos 1280.

2. The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3rd.—The plot will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders above the upset price.

Number of statement of Government estate.	Number on the District Roll.	Name of Estate and Pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...	77	A plot in Bajarpara, Mouzah Gopjan, Pergunnah Mahalandi, bounded on the east by a road in Chainpara; on the north by the land of Baboo Sheikh, a ryot of Chainpara; on the west by the lands of Moti Chain and Gopal Chain; and on the south by the land of Shiban Chain. Zemindar, Jogut Chunder Roy Chowdhoori. Ryots, Moti Chain and Gopal Chain and Shiban Chain ...	1 3 39	150 0 0	

W. WAVELL, *Offg. Collector.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th October 1873.

জিলা মুরশিদাবাদ।

ইস্তাহারনামা কাছারি কালেক্টরী জেলা মুরশিদাবাদ এই যে,

ইহার দ্বারা সম্বাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে অত্র জেলার মধ্যস্থিত নিম্নলিখিত ভূমিখণ্ডে গবর্ণমেন্টের যে মালিকি স্বত্ব আছে তাহা অত্র জেলার কালেক্টরি কাছারিতে সন ১৮৭৩ সালের ১৯ ডিসেম্বর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সালের ৫ পৌষ শুক্রবারে বিক্রয় হইবেক।

এই ভূমি যাঁহারা ক্রয় করিবেন তাঁহারদিগের নিম্নলিখিত নিয়মের অধীনে থাকিতে হইবে।

১। এক শত টাকার অনধিক পণ হইলে সেই সমুদয় টাকা তৎক্ষণাৎ দিতে হইবে।

২। একশত টাকার অধিক পণ হইলে ডাকপণের চতুর্থাংশের একাংশ তৎক্ষণাৎ দাখি করিতে হইবে বিক্রয়ের দিবস এক দিন ধরিয়া গণনা করিলে বিক্রয়ান্তর পঞ্চদশ দিবসের মধ্যাহ্নকা কিম্বা সেই দিন বন্দের দিন হইলে তৎপরে প্রথম যে দিন কাছারি খোলা যাইবে সেই দিনের মধ্যা কালে যদি অবশিষ্ট টাকা দাখিল না হয় তবে বিক্রয় রহিত ও গচ্ছিত টাকা গবর্ণমেন্টে জব্দ হইবে ও প্রথম স্থলীয় বিক্রয়ের ন্যায় পুনর্ব্বার বিজ্ঞাপন প্রকাশ পূর্ব্বক ঐ ক্রটিকারি ক্রেতার ঝুঁকিতে এই খণ্ড ভূমি পুনরায় বিক্রয় হইবে।

৩। নিম্নলিখিত ভূমি যে কেহ নিলামের প্রথম ডাক হইতে সর্ব্বাপেক্ষা অধিক ডাকিবেন তাঁহার নিকট ঐ ভূমি লাখেরাজরূপে বিক্রয় করা যাইবে ইতি। সন ১৮৭৩ সাল তারিখ ১৭ অক্টোবর মোতাবক সন ১২৮০ সাল তারিখ ২ কার্ত্তিক।

রাজকীয় মাহালের কৈফিয়তের নম্বর।	জেলার বহিতে নম্বর।	মাহাল এবং পরগনা।	পরিমাণ যত একর।	ধার্য্য করা রাজস্ব।	নীলামের প্রথম ডাক।	মন্তব্য।
০	৭৭	পরগনে মহলন্দীর অন্তঃপাতি মৌজে গোপজানের সামিল বাজার পাড়ার মধ্যে চাক্রী পাড়ার রাস্তার পশ্চিম, চাক্রী পাড়ার প্রজা বাবু সেখের জমীর দক্ষিণ, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রীর জমীর পূর্ব্ব, শিবন চাক্রীর জমীর উত্তর জমীদার জগচ্চন্দ্র রায় চৌধুরির প্রজা শিবন চাক্রী, মতি চাক্রী গোপাল চাক্রী	১।৩।৩৯	০	১৫০৲	

W. WAVRLL, *Offg. Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6 of Act XI of 1859 and Section 3 of Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, that the under-mentioned estate in the district of Rungpore, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd Pous 1280 B.S., corresponding to 17th December 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estate.

To be sold for arrears of Government revenue No. 7, Mouzah Monbhasa, &c., Chakla Futtehpore. The shares of the recorded proprietors, Tara Mohun Chaudhuree, Brojokissoree Dasya, Ishan Chunder Choudhuree, Hurro Soondaree Dabya, Choudhuranee, Mutteeulla Kutoobulla, Bhyrub Chundra Choudhuree, Amirulla minor, Shona Bibee, Maharajah Nreependra Narain Bhoop Bahadur, Dhunnessuree Dasya, Nilkant Surmah, Joyantee Dabya, Mahamed Sadatulla, for himself and Sadatullah and Komoruddeen, on behalf of Anaitullah minors, Barada Sundaree Dabya and Bama Sundary Gupta Choudhuranee, having been separated under Sections 10 and 11 of Act XI of 1859 are exempted. The shares of Hurro Chundra Gossamee, Hurish Chundra Roy, Protab Mul Rakha *alias* Nanka Rokha Abeenessa Khatoon and Jadu Nath Shah Chowdry. are to be sold, the revenue of the shares to be sold is Rs. 746-8. The revenue of the entire estate is Rs. 6,554-13-8.

RUNGPORE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 3rd November 1873. E. G. GLAZIER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Sylhet will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of this District on Monday, the 5th January 1874, corresponding with 22nd Pous 1280 (*B.S.*), for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September, but that day having fallen within the Dussarah Vacation, the arrears became due on the 8th October following, being the first open day after the holidays.

1st Class.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 27502.—Taluk Korban, Reza Zemindar, of Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Jadab Ram Sarmah; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 645-15-7. The share of Braja Mohan Das, bearing a Jumma of Rs. 110-2, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, is excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 535-13-7. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 35-0-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31185.—Taluk Adam, Raja Zemindar, Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietors, himself and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,335 4-1. The shares of Muluk Chandra Das, Raj Kisor Das, Madan Mohan Das, Naba Kisor Das, Sivprasad Dutta, Syad Ulla, Sarap Chand Banu, Mussamat Kamida Bibi, on behalf of her minor son Sadat Ali Khan, Sekh Adai Mahomed Ali, Sekh Yaz, Mahomed Anchhar, Avat Ulla, Radharam Mistari, Chandra Nath Mistari, Durga Ram Mistari, Tara Chand Das, Sujat Ali, Mahomed Azim, Amzad Ulla, Batir Mahomed, Ayin Ulla, Anwar Mahomed, Sukar Mahomed, Sekh Chand, Mahib Ulla, Pir Mahomed, Nazar Mahomed, Joad Ulla, Sekh Biram, Raghu Nath Sarmah Bhatacharjea, Dina Mahi Debya, and Radha Nath Sarma, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 285-8-8, having been separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, in the name of Naba Durga Baidani, Mahessari Baidani, mother of Hara Nath Baida, and Kasi Nath Baida, to be sold for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 32. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 10-2-6 on account of the arrears of Government revenue; Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,067-11-5. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 383-1-7 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31185.—Taluk Kurban, Raja Zemindar, of Purgunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Aman Raza Zemindar; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,261-0-3. The shares of Syama Sundari Choudhurani, Dayalram Deb, Nazumun-nechha-banu, Mahomed Kalim, Sekh Arabdi, Sekh Samai, Mahomed Abdul Rahaman, Braja Kisor Saha, Mirza Hamid Ali, Tara Chand Dev, Kunja Mohan Saha, Nil Chandru Dhar, Baida Nath Dev, Kula Chandra Dutta, Tara Chand Dev, Sachuram Saha, Kalika Prasad Sarma, Mahomed Kamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Amil Choudhuri, Mahomed Chhamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Jehhahak Choudhuri, Ganga Gobind Dhar, Gupi Nath Sen, Ayn Ulla, Hiran Bibi, Pandab Ram Barai, Bhogirath Dev, Suntosh Ram Das, Ram Nath, Bharu Jugini, Nabin Chandra Sarmah, Sarna Bati Dasi, Jay Chandra Das, Pratinga Dasi, Lalita Dasi, Nihal Ram Das, Radhika Dasi, Mahes Chandra Dutta, Mirza Ibrahim Ali, Birakha Dasi, Mufti Mahi, Jowda Ulla, Mussumut Sajina Banu, Arkan Uddin, Sekh Daim Ulla, Sekh Riaz Ulla, Pada Lochun Dutta, Manik Ram Dutta, Chandra Nath Datta, Rup Nath Dutta, Kadir Mahomed, Suruj Mia, Hamid Ulla, Sharif Mahomed, Harash Ram Nai, Hafiza Bibi, and Sekh Shamai, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 316-1-1, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Sarba Nand Saha and Sada Nand Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-6. This share will be sold for the recovery of Re. 1-10 on account of the arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 942-9-2. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 154-2-8 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 40981.—Taluk Chaitanya Chand of Pergunnah Chaitan Nagar; recorded proprietor Umed Narayan Das; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 992-10-3. The shares of Gaur Prasad Aditta, Guru Prasad Aditta, Krishna Prasad Aditta, Raj Gobind Aditta, Ram Sunder Gopta, Goluk Chandra Gopta, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 144-14-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 847-12-0. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 59-9-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54726.—Hissah Syad Ahamed Raza, Pergunnah Jaraf; recorded proprietor, Purusram and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,509.

The shares of Dolgavind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Govind Palit, Ram Charan Raut, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Deb, Ram Narayan Anda, Ram Gobind Das, Lalita Dasi, Gabardi Mahi, Chhabadi Mahi, Joahid Mahi, Muzed Mahi, Ohad Mahi, Radha Charan Das, Chaitam Charan Das, Jasada Bati Dasi, Mohan Nath, Surja Nath, Shaik Kaim-uddin, Shaik Abdul Jabbar, Golak Chandra Singh, Abdul Aziz, himseaf and on behalf of his minor brother Abduchhchhobhan, Abdul Kadir, Mahomed Anwar, Sayeda Dhan Bibi, wife of Syed Saha Asraf Ulla, Sarat Chundra Dutta, Bharat Chundra Banika, Kunja Kisor Banika, Ram Sunder Banika, Ram Jay Banika, Ram Narayan Banika, Rajnarayan Banika, Ramlochan Banika, Syad Muzmil

Hassan, Syada Alam Chand Bibi, wife of Syad Saha Ahamed Ulla, Jugo Mohun Das, Sunatan Das, himself and on behalf of his minor brothers, Sudarsan Das, Badan Ram Das, Shaik Niamat Ulla, Shaik Ayat Ulla, Syad Nimber Ali, Syad Muzmil Husain, Mussumat Bhaba Chand Bibi, wife of Kamil Baks, Ichha Mahi Choudhurani, Mahamed Khatir Tarafdar, and Arsad Ulla, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 662-1-11, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Jasa Dasi, wife of Jharu Ram Saha, and Nila Bati Dasi, wife of Nilchand Shaha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-0-10.

This share will be sold for the recovery Re. 1-3-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 844-13-3. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 142-10-0 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54727.—Hissa Syad Madan Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Ram Bullabh Dev and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,784-3-2. The shares of Jasadabati Dasi, Dolgobind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Gobind Palit, Mussumat Paran Jan Bibi, Rajkisor Dev, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Har Gobind Das, Mussumat Rabia Bibi, Sekh Abdul Aziz, Mussumat Nek Jan Bibi, Sekh Aynuddin, Mussumat Namiza Bibi, Mussumat Anchhar Bibi, Tarini Debya, wife of Kali Charan Sarmah, Parbati Nath Sarmah, Naba Chandra Sarmah, Ram Gobind Das, Achh Ali, Kali Kisor Gopta, Helim Ulla, Adil Mahamed, Chhabil Mohamed, Fazil Mohamed, Hazir Mohamed, Jasa Dasi, Nila Bati Dasi, Bhubanessari Dasi, widow of Munshi Raj Mohan Dev, Radha Mohan Dev, Jugul Kisor Das, Ram Kisor Das, Saday Gobind Nandi, Kalika Prasad Dev, Sarup Chandra Sarmah, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Choudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Mussumat Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussumat Ful Bibi, Fita Mahomed, Jasada Bati Dasi, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chandra Banika, Madhu Sudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjoy Banika, Siri Charan Banika, Ram Ruttan Banika, himself and on behalf of Bissambar Banika minor, Sekh Mahomed Hussain, Sekh Nyamat Ulla, Sekh Mohamed Arip, Gour Ram Chandra, Sumbhu Ram Chundra, Sekh Mohamed Chhami, Sekh Mulfat Ulla, Sekh Tarik Ulla, Sekh Anchhar, Sumbhoo Chandra Sarma, Jiban Krishna Das Choudhuri, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Ram Kisor Das Chouduri, Kasi Chundra Dev, Kailas Chandra Dev, Inai Nigari, Mussamat Amir Chand Banu, wife of Sekh Amzad Ulla, Kirti Chandra Sarma, Pukai Ram Pal, Pran Krishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chandra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Mazumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 443-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jamma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Brindabun Dutta, Kamal Charan Dev, Alizan Bibi, Sumbhu Nath Dutta, Kasi Nath Dev, Gopal Krishna Saha, Brindaban Saha, Dasarath Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 49-6-7.

This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 6-8-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 2,291-9-7. This Mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 181-14-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54729.—Hissa Syad Kaim Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Jay Gobind Ray and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,966-14-11. The shares of Hameda Bibi, on behalf of her minor sons Mohamed Rahich, Mohamed Idrich, Mussamat Mayn Chand Bibi on behalf of her minor son Mohamed Jachkim, Mohamed Abduchhamad, Mahamed Abdul Kadir, Dul Gobind Palit, Har Gopind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Kali Suran Dutta, Syada Abchhar Nechha, Omaid Ulla, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Umatara Debya, Ram Gobind Das, Arnapurna Dasi, Mussamat Jarina Banu, wife of Shek Bachhir Mohamed, Saruf Chandra Sarma, Golak Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussamat Ful Bibi, Kasalya Dasi, Parbati Dasi, Har Kumar Dutta, Kudrat Ulla Choudhuri, Sumbhu Chandra Sarma, Hare Krishna Das, Jiban Krishna Das, Ram Kisor Das Choudhuri, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of Mohamed Munsur; Abdul Subhan, Abdul Kadir, Subhadra Dasi, wife of Ratna Bullabh Das, Uttara Dasi, wife of Baida Nath Das, Naba Narayan Das, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chundra Banika, Mudhusudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjay Banika, Siv Charan Banika, Ramrattan Banika, himself and on behalf of his minor brother Bisamber Banika, Kasi Ram Chung, Kirti Chundra Saha, Nitya Nanda Saba, Nimai Chand Saha, Dinno Nath Saha, Byda Nath Saha, Janaki Dasi, wife of Pran Krishna Gope, on behalf of her son Krishna Chandra Gope, Abdul Rasid on behalf of his minor son Abdul Maiz, Abdul Latif, Sarat Chandra Dutta, Sekh Jabulla, Sekh Sarafat Ulla, Sekh Ulfat Ulla, Sekh Mayrdi, Pran Kishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chundra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Muzumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, Pukairam Pal, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 429-2-10, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Tara Chund Kar, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 13-2-2. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 9-7-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for

sale, Rs. 1,524-9-11. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 75-8-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54937.—Taluk Saha Rezwan Uddin, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Syam Ram and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 722-3-2. The shares of Naba Kiser Deb, Jugal Kisor Deb, Ram Charan Pal, Abhoya Charan Deb, Amara Charan Deb, Uma Charan, Adyat Charan Deb, himself and on behalf of his brother Annada Charan Deb, minor, Ram Narayan Anda, Karunu Mayi Debya, Kalikisor Gopta, Rattana Bullath Das, Subhadra Dasi, Baidy Nath Das, and Uttama Dasi, Naba Narayan Das, Tas Mohamed, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 67-9-5, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 654-9-9. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 11-4-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 56509.—Taluk Syad Badardi Hasan, Pergunnah Gada Husain Nagar; recorded proprietor, Babrul Hasan and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 733-3-2. The shares of Ram Charan Raut, Saheb Ram Deb, Har Gobind Pal, Ram Kumar Deb, Sukha Mayi Dasi, wife of Ram Charan Raut, and Dava Mayi Choudharani, wife of Bisnu Prasad Banika, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 58-13-6, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 674-5-8. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 29-1-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

H. C. SUTHERLAND, *Officiating Collector.*

SYLHET COLLECTORATE, the 10th November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Tuesday, the 30th day of December 1873, corresponding with B 1280, 16th Pous, Umlee 1281, 17th Pous, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873:—

Class I.—Permanently-settled estates.

Number on the Register A.	Number on the Revenue Roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of Proprietors.	Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of land revenue for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	
1830	993	Moysarah *alias* Mysarah, Pergunnah Kisunt Kasijorah.	Bepraprasad Berah, Sibaprasad Berah, Gooroopraasad Berah, Srimatiah Doyamoi Dei, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykantnath Berah, Srimatiah Saresate Dei, mother of Bisumbhar Berah, Nobakrista Berah, Poornanund Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykantnath Berah and others, Pearimohun Berah, Natabar Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of deceased Bykantnath Berah, Poornanund Berah, Pearimohun Berah, son of deceased Bepraprasad Berah, Natubar Berah, son of Poornanund Berah, Nabakista Berah, and Srimutiah Kadambini Dassi, wife of Radhakisto Berah.	1,881 9 7	73 9 3	
2623	1466	Shridhurpur, Pergunnah Moynachour.	Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed, Srimati Rajeshari Dei and Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wives of Fakirchandra Patlaik, Soondurnarain Mytee, Mothoor Mohan Mytee, Santoseram Mytee, Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son of Nabakista Berah.	929 14 2		
			Deduct separate accounts of the undermentioned parties which have been realized in full and therefore not to be sold—			
			Rs. As. P.			
			Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed... 82 3 0			
			Srimati Rajeshari Dei 84 4 11			
			Soondurnarain and Mothoor Mohan Mytee 210 12 4			
			Santoseram Mytee 42 2 5			
				419 6 8		
			Balance, Rupees	510 7 6	1 0 6	
			This balance is the joint share of the undermentioned parties which will be sold for the arrears of land revenue, Rs. 1-0-6: Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wife of Fakirchandra Patlaik and Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son of Nabakista Berah.			

W. OLDHAM, *Covenanted Deputy Collector for Collector.*

MIDNAPORE COLLECTORATE, the 22nd November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of Nudden will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of January 1874, corresponding with Monday, the 22nd Poos 1280, B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 1-0.—Allumpore, Pergunnah Allumpore; recorded proprietors, Ramini Scoundree Chowdharani, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 42,638-13-6, and Police Rs. 482-4-5. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 18,564-12-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 241-2-1½ on account of Police.

No. 17-0.—Dehi Alpha, Pergunnah Bugwan; recorded proprietors, Shantiram Rai and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 4,046-2-2½, and Police Rs. 44-14-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 159-3-1½ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 117-0.—Chandi, Pergunnah Pauznour; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,123-1-4, and Police Rs. 64-9-2. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 619-11-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 242.—Dehi Hejoolee, Pergunnah Mamjoani; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 955-13-10, and Police Rs. 12. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 373-15-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 6 on account of Police.

No. 338-0.—Turuf Majrhud, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Goluck Chandra Mookerjea and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 799-5-8¾. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Re. 1-12-10¼ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 438-0.—Turuf Ranaghat, Pergunnah Ranaghat; recorded proprietors, Issar Chandra Pal Choudhari and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 818-3-7, and Police Rs. 9-2-6. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 236-5-5 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 477-0.—Turuf Shampore, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Kala Chand Chakravarti and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 553-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 23-5-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estates.

No. 2179.—Chur Shamnuggur, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Mr. J. B. Mackintosh and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 523-9-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 43-10-9 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 2769-0.—Chur Notidanga, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Dinonath Mookerjee and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 517-3-10. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 5-13-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 3165.—Mouzah Mooralidanga, Pergunnah Ookrah; recorded proprietors, Jebonnessa Bebee and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 552-11-4. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Re. 0-10-4 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

NUDDEA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 10th November 1873. C. C. STEVENS, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Jessore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 18th December 1873, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

No. 134.—Kismat Kooshaberia, Pergunnah Onoopampur; recorded proprietors, Fakeerchand Telee Mandal and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 2,369-3-6. The first share of the estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 304-9-6, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Kishto Chandra Ghose and others, and Bushtab Charan Telee Mandal and others, Sudder Jummas Rs. 239-12-2, and Rs. 499-4-10, respectively, with whom separate accounts have ben opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 273.—Kismat Sreepoor Moujab, Pergunnah Imadpore; recorded proprietors, Ananda Chundra Chowdhuri and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 3137-3-9. The first share of the entire estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 6-2-7, after deducting the second and third shares of the proprietors Menoka Soondari Dassia and Uma Cautha Gocha, Sudder Jumma Rs. 25 and Rs. 221-12-7, respectively, with whom separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

No. 4575.—Talook Pergunnah Bhatla; recorded proprietor, Rajah Baroda Kant Roy Bahadur; Sudder Jumma of the estate, Rs. 5087-1-7¾. To be sold for arrears of Rs. 47-0-10½.

No. 5041.—Dehi Karora, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor, Ananda Lall Chowdhury and others; Sudder Jumma of the entire estate, Rs. 934-7-6. The estate will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-6-9, after deducting the second, third, fourth, and fifth shares of the proprietors Ram Narain Chowdhury and others, Mothoora Nath Acharja and others, Mathoora Nath Acharja and others, and Brommo Roop Gossami, Sudder Jumma Rs. 194-10-10, 166-267-1-5½, and 167-14-8, respectively.

JESSORE COLLECTORATE, the 8th November 1873. A. SMITH, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the under-mentioned estates in the District of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on the 22nd December 1873 corresponding with 8th Pous 1280, for arrears of revenue and for other demands, which by Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, which were due on the 8th October 1873 corresponding with 23rd Assin 1280, on which day the office re-opened after the Dasahara vacation.

No. 62.—Mohal Ghop Silunda, Pergunnah Sinduri, recorded proprietors, Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan Lahiry and others. Sudder Jumma Rs. 1,859-10-2 of which Rs. 409-0-1 are to be deducted on account of the share of Annapurna Dasya, Hur Sundari Devya and others, with whom a separate account has been opened under the provisions of Section 10 of Act II of 1859, and the joint share of Rajkrishna Mozoomdar, Dhurmo Narayan, Lahiry Chundi Prosad Mozoomdar, Mahamed Ahasan, Gopi Nath Sanyal, Ram Nath Sircar, Kali Churan Singh and others, and Syama Soonduri Dassya, and others, and Golam Abbas, Nazaruddin Chandhari, Mahamed Esrad, Fakoruddin Mahamed Assan, *alias* Azimuddin Choudhari and Anandamoni Dasya, will be sold for Rs. 295-7-4, being the balance of Rs. 1,450-10-1, their share of the revenue.

No 1120.—The recently accreted chur of Taraf Bharara, Pergunnah Bajuras Nazirpur, recorded proprietors, Mahabunissa Sagirannessa Bibi, Tarabali Khan, Azimunnessa Bibi, Sonajan Bibi—Santamoni Devya, Mothura Nath and Jodu Nath Mozoomdar, Saroda Soondari Devya, Hari Mohan, Har Nath, and Krishna Nath Pal, Ram Dhan Saha Umarannissa and Elahibaksh Khan. Sudder Jumma Rs. 755-14-11, will be sold for Rs. 189-6-7 being the balance of Government revenue due.

PUBNA COLLECTORATE, the 5th November 1873. R. POWER, *for Collector.*

Notice.

IT is notified for general information that a fair will be held at Dutma in the Eastern Dooars in the month of February next (1874). It will be opened on the 5th, and continue for five days, and if desirable, its duration will be lengthened by as many days as circumstances may render necessary. Sheds and accommodation will be provided. On the north bank of the Berhampooter there is a road leading straight on to Dutma. This road is now under repairs, and will be open for traffic for wheeled conveyance. On the road huts will be erected for shelter to travellers and every possible arrangement made to facilitate traffic.

During the continuance of the mela prizes will be offered to the winners in elephants, horses, foot-races, &c.

POORNANUND BOROOAH, *Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge.*

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, GOALPORE, the 10th December 1873.

Notice.

THE Annual Chutia Fair will be held at Chutia near Ranchi, Chota Nagpore, commencing from 15th February 1874, and continuing for 15 succeeding days.

The 5th December 1873. G. C. MITTER, *Personal Asst. to Commr.*

Notice.

THE Cachar Melâ will as usual be held at Silchar, commencing on Tuesday, the 30th December 1873, corresponding with 16th Pous, 1280 (B.S.), and continue for as many days as may be considered necessary.

E. Y. WALCOTT, *Asst. Commr. in charge of Dy. Commr.'s Office.*

CACHAR, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 23rd October 1873.

Notice.

THE Singhbum Annual Fair will be held as usual at Chyebassa during the last fortnight in December 1873.

C. H. GARBETT, *Captain, Offg. Dy. Commr., Singbhum.*

CHYEBASSA, the 22nd October 1873.

Notification.

IT is hereby notified for the information of the public that the Caragolah Fair, which is held annually at Caragolah, in the District of Purneah, on the day of full moon, in the month of Mágh (February), has, under the orders of Government, been put a stop to this year.

S. P. CHATTERJEE, *for Offg. Commissioner.*

BHAUGULPORE, COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 4th December 1873.

Government Horse Show—Calcutta 1874.

RULES.

1. *Opening of the Horse Show.*—The Horse Show will be formally opened by His Excellency the Viceroy on Monday, the 12th of January 1874, when the Judges will read their report and declare the awards; *but* the prizes will be delivered to the successful competitors by the Judges on the last day of the Show, which will close at sundown of Saturday, the 17th idem.

2. *Hours of Admission.*—From 7 A.M. to noon.
„ 2 P.M. to sundown.

The horses will be exercised on the premises morning and evening; and during some period of that time, to be fixed by the Judges, they will be without their clothing, for the purpose of inspection.

	Rs.	As.	P.
3. *Terms of Admission.*—Exhibition single tickets ...	8	0	0
Do. family do. ...	12	0	0
Single tickets for Monday	3	0	0
And Tuesday, 13th January	2	0	0
Single tickets for Wednesday the 14th and Thursday the 15th January	1	0	0
Single ticket for Friday, 16th January	0	12	0
Do. Saturday, 17th January	0	8	0

Children on Saturday *half price.*
Soldiers and their families *free* on pass from their Commanding Officers.
Owners and Exhibitors of Horses free.

	Rs.
For every six Mares	50
For every Stallion	16

Admission of Stock other than for competition.—By special permission of the Managing Committee, persons desirous of exhibiting horse stock (not intended to compete for prizes) will be permitted to do so on a payment of Rs. 16 per head, provided stabling can be found for them.

4. Intending Exhibitors must apply for stalls by post in an envelope addressed—

"To the Joint Secretaries,
Calcutta Horse Show, 1874."

so as to be received by them not later than the 15th December 1873. On receipt of such applications printed forms will be furnished to the Owners or Exhibitors, to be filled in by them and returned at once to the Joint Secretaries, who will then allot stalls or boxes for the horses described.

5. *Superintendent.*—A Superintendent and four European Assistants will be appointed by the Managing Committee to undertake the stable management of the Show-yard. It will be his duty to point out the stalls allotted to the Exhibitors, and to see that all orders issued by the Committee are thoroughly and promptly carried out.

6. *Date of receipt of Horses.*—Horses sent for exhibition will be received by a Veterinary Surgeon and the Superintendent of the Horse Show on Wednesday, the 7th of January 1874, any time before *noon* of that day.

7. *Health Certificate.*—A health certificate, signed by a Veterinary Surgeon, must accompany every horse when first brought to the Horse Show lines. The Veterinary Surgeon attending on the part of Government will also inspect each horse before being finally admitted.

8. *Grooms.*—Exhibitors are required to engage a reliable groom (syce) for each horse, and it is expected that either the attendant or a substitute will remain night and day at his post.

9. *Attention to Regulations.*—All attendants must conform to the rules and regulations issued by the Managing Committee; copies will be furnished to the Exhibitors, and will also be posted on the walls of the stables.

10. *Complaints.*—Complaints may be lodged at any time at the office of the Superintendent, either verbally or in writing, in a book to be kept for the purpose.

11. *Complaint Book.*—Persons able to read and write will have to enter their complaints in the book; minor complaints will be settled by the Superintendent on the spot; those of a more serious nature will be treated by the Managing Committee.

12. *Illness of Horses.*—In case of illness of any horse the Owner or Exhibitor must provide medical attendance.

13. All the horses will be daily inspected by a Veterinary Surgeon.

14. All possible care will be taken of horses exhibited, but the Superintendent cannot be held responsible for any injury or accident which may occur.

15. *Forage and Grain.*—Forage, grain, and water for the stock will be provided by the Exhibitors.

16. *Smoking prohibited.*—Smoking is strictly prohibited in the stables; particular attention is requested to this rule, which is considered imperatively necessary for the safety of the cattle.

17. *Stabling.*—A loose stall or box will be provided for each animal so exhibited.

18. *Location of Mares.*—Every lot of six mares will be stabled close to each other.

19. *Inspection by Judges.*—The Judges will inspect and examine horses entered for prize competition on Thursday 8th, Friday 9th, and Saturday 10th, of January 1874.

20. *Exclusion of Visitors during inspection by Judges.*—Under no circumstances will any person be permitted to be within the precincts of the premises at the time of inspection, except grooms (syces) who will be appointed by the Judges to bring up each horse for examination.

21. *Owners and Exhibitors similarly excluded.*—Owners and Exhibitors are debarred from the privilege of being present as much as the public generally.

22. *Horses how to be inspected.*—The horses will be brought up without clothing, so that they may not be recognized by any initials or distinctive marks.

23. *Judges how guided in arriving at decision.*—Exhibitors are informed that Judges in arriving at their decision will be guided by the following points:—

1*st.*—That under the terms of Military Department Government Notification of the 4th of February last, no prize will be given unless the horses exhibited come up to a high standard of excellence. Importers and competitors are informed that the Judges will be considerably guided by good measurement of girth and leg and blood, combined with power; animals wanting in such essential points will have no chance of obtaining a prize.

2*nd.*—The horses will be judged as to their merits under the several heads of:—

A. Soundness.
B. Blood and power.
C. General conformation.
D. Action.
E. Condition.

The maximum number of marks being 100.

3*rd.*—"*The best horse*" must be perfectly sound, but any serious blemish, the result of accident, will be weighed by the Judges.

4*th.*—Each mare of every lot must be sound for all working and brood purposes.

5*th.*—If any mis-information is furnished by an Exhibitor in respect of the animals owned or exhibited by him, the whole of his stock will be disqualified for prizes, and will be at once removed from the Show premises. Admission to the Show will be refused to any person coming within the terms of this rule.

6*th.*—The decision of Judges to be final.

24. *Judges' Report.*—The Judges' report of their inspection will be prepared and printed by Saturday evening, the 10th of January 1874, but will be confidential until read to His Excellency the Viceroy on the formal opening of the Show.

25. *Necessity of Exhibitors' servants attending to Rules.*—Particular attention must be given by all Exhibitors to the necessity of their servants carrying out all the rules which may be laid down for efficient sanitary arrangements.

26. *Fire Engine.*—A fire engine, and a party to work it, will be on the premises during the Exhibition.

27. *Police arrangements.*—The Commissioner of Police will arrange with the Managing Committee (Judges) for such number of Police as may be requisite for the protection of property and the preservation of order.

28. *Lights other than those supplied by Committee prohibited.*—Stable lanterns will be provided by the Committee and placed under the orders of the Superintendent. Other lights or lanterns or fire of any kind will not be permitted within the stabling.

29. *Removal of horses if attacked with disease.*—The Managing Committee are empowered, if they deem it necessary, to direct the removal of a horse attacked with any contagious disease.

30. *Removal of horses when prohibited.*—No horse brought for exhibition, even in the event of its having been sold, will be allowed to be removed until the Exhibition is closed.

31. *Final removal from Show.*—Horses must be removed the day following the closing of the Exhibition.

32. *Objections.*—Any objection to horses exhibited must be made and proved to the satisfaction of the Stewards the day before the prizes are awarded.

33. *Objection made after award of prize.*—Objections made after the award of prizes will not be attended to during the present Show, but will be recorded against future exhibition of the horses objected to.

34. *Onus of proving objection.*—The onus of proving an objection will be wholly entirely on the person making it. All objections must be made in writing.

By Order of the Committee,

1*st December* 1873.

M. J. TURNBULL, *Colonel*, } *Joint Secretaries.*
J. A. CRAWFORD,

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the under-mentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Dec. 13th ...	1 Case, [XXX]	.. G. F. Kelner & Co....	Howrah.
,, 13th ...	1 Case, [XX]	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 13th ...	1 Case, L.	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	6 Crates, M N M	.. Order ..	City of Ningpo.
,, 10th ...	15 Casks [M N] B	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	4 Casks, no mark	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	4 Casks, [W] or no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	2 Packages, addressed	.. A. G. Apcar ...	Japan.
,, 8th ...	3 Bales, [126] A. B. & Co.	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	4 Cases, [126] A. B. & Co.	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Case, B L D	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	4 Packages, [C22]	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	18 Cases, D F	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Case, D S M	.. ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	2 Cases, addressed	.. Sir W. Herschell, Bart., care of C. Cowie & Co.	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	95 Round Bar no mark or [W]	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	4 Cases, addressed	.. Officers' Mess, P. A. O. Hussars.	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	11 Packages, [B N] A. B. & Co...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	2 Cases, B. S. M. & Co.	... Steel McIntosh & Co.	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Sample Truss, G S C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Sample Parcel, [G G V] [GSH]	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Sample Parcel, [4 O H B G H B]	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Sample Case, 506] W L H C...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	1 Cask, [A M M]	... ,, ...	Arcturus.
,, 10th ...	1 Case, D S M	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	6 Cases, addressed	... Revd. W. M. Lethbridge, care of Grindlay & Co., F. T. Brooks & Co.	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	1 Bale, [E L V J]	... Kettlewell, Bullen & Co.	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	2 Cases, addressed	... J. A. Miley, Bengal Staff Corps, care of Manager, Anglo-Indian Carrying Company.	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	2 Cases, R N P	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	2 Cases, S & C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	5 Cases, S H	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	1 Sample Truss, L C C B	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	1 Sample Parcel, I E C	... John Elliot & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	1 Sample Case, addressed	... R. S. Aikman, care of G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 10th ...	1 Sample Case, J N F C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	4 Cases, B K D	... ,, ...	City of Manchester.
,, 8th ...	1 Case, [C31]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	4 Cases, addressed	... Dr. Duggan, Dinapore, care of Grindlay & Co.	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Case, [108]	.. Order ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Case, G C or no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	5 Bundles round iron, [illegible] white or no mark	,, ...	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1873.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Dec. 8th ...	7 Round bars	... ,,	...City of Manchester.
,, 8th ...	1 Bundle Tube, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Bundle Steel, III white or no mark.	,,	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	8 Pieces fire bars, no mark	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	8 Packages, [J]	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Cask, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Case, N K C	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	3 Cases, [P]	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	6 Kegs, [R J] or no mark	... B. Dass Vissenjee	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	7 Packages, S K C	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Bale, S. P. & Co.	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Richard Sunders	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	93 Cases, W L A	... Order	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Truss, no mark	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Sample Parcel, O [B] or	... G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Sample Parcel, addressed	... ,,	... Ditto.
,, 8th ...	1 Sample Truss, addressed	... J. L. Bryden	... Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 13th December 1873. (469—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
1 Parcel, [B] D V E	... Venetia.
1 Case, D V C Calcutta	... Ditto.
2 Cases, N D	... Bates Family.
2 Cases, [F] C. M. & Co.	... Ditto.
1 Case, C. H. Wood, Esq.	... Hindostan.
10 China Cups, no mark	... Historian.
2 Boxes, no mark	... Ditto.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 7th of January 1874.

4 Cases, B W 658 ... ... The Bruce.

N.B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 14th day of February 1874.

CALCUTTA, CUSTOM HOUSE, the 13th December 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Notice.

AT 1 P.M., on Thursday next, the 18th December current, Messrs. Mackenzie, Lyall and Company will sell, at the Exchange Hall, by public auction, about 27,000 (twenty-seven thousand) tolahs of assorted corals, taken over on account of Government under Section 27 of Act VI of 1863.

J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA, CUSTOM HOUSE, the 11th December 1873.

Wanted

A CLERK who has a competent knowledge of English and Bengali, can draft letters, &c., and writes a good hand. Salary Rs. 30. But if promotion be given to the juniors in the office, Rs. 20 per mensem. Applications to be received up to 31st December 1873 by the undersigned.

RAM COOMAR BOSE, *Deputy Magistrate, Culna.*

SUB-DIVISIONAL OFFICE, CULNA, the 15th December 1873.

Notification.

WANTED a Kanongoe or Surveyor of the Second Class on Rs. 25 a month for the District of Goalparah. Candidates who passed the last Native Civil Service Examination need only apply, with a certificate from the Commissioner of the Division to which he has been posted that there is no objection to his being appointed in this district.

POORNANUND BORODAH, *Extra Asst. Commr., in charge.*

GOALPARAH, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 9th November 1873.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	Nos. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6207	L/8 98138	10	Doorga Das Mookerjee.
6209	L/8 96642	100	Izzatud Dowlah Bahadoor.
	,, 54491	100	
6211	L/8 63219	100	G. Marklew, Superintendent of Police, Ekbalpore Thanna.
	,, 72061	100	
	,, 77874	100	
	,, 69478	100	
	,, 73886	100	
	,, 72797	100	
	,, 48454	100	
	,, 66943	100	
	,, 66942	100	
	,, 54118	100	
6212	L/13 88157	20	Soodursun Pandy.
	,, 88158	20	
6213	A/95 24784	10	Bishushurn Churun Chatterjee.
	L/2 97354	10	
6220	L/19 27200	50	Behariloll Datta.
	L/15 96739	20	
	L/17 07783	5	
6222	L/1 79032	10	Pursoo Ram Burrooah.
6224	A/87 98154	1,000	Nogendro Bhoosun Mitter.
	,, 89329	1,000	
6232	A/89 23259	500	Hayattoo Miah.
6233	L/15 37878	50	Bhoyrub Chunder Dey.
6235	L/38 00330	100	H. F. Wilson.
6245	L/15 10411	50	Pittamber Prolad Chunder Shaw.
6250	L/8 22711	100	Messrs. Juggobundho, Nidho Churn Podar.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	Nos. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
6210	A/95 64270	10	Revd. A. Rust.
6214	A/94 09538	20	Messrs. W. L. Atkinson and Co.
6217	L/11 35177	5	Benud Lal Sein.
6218	L/1 88239	10	Juggut Chunder Dutt.
6223	L/8 03211	10	Mohendronath Mookerjee.
6228	A/94 74847	20	Roopram.
6230	L/1 37133	10	C. H. Guntt.
6231	L/8 08805	10	W. H. Nightingale.
6237	A/80 98548	10	Hurry Mohun Bannerjee.
	,, 98549	10	
6238	A/56 94830	50	Bhurut Chunder Ghose
	A/41 43408	10	
	A/52 78162	10	
	L/10 26246	5	
6239	A/76 27270	10	Sreedhur Mookhopadhya.
6241	L/11 84551	5	Umbica Churn Roy.
	,, 84552	5	
	,, 84553	5	
	,, 84554	5	
6247	L/4 29697	10	Lieutenant James Wallace.
6248	L/12 86855	10	O. W. Palmer.
	L/19 19825	5	
6249	L/9 40840	5	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation, Calcutta.

Wrongly joined.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6219	A/77 17687 A/76 96946	10	Janki Misser.
6226	A/98 76094 ,, 76364	10	F. Fergusson.
6227	I/4 44606 ,, 44604	10	Woomachurn Bose.
6229	A/83 20812 A/11 21690	20	Abdool Lotiff Boladina.
6236	I/14 11345 ,, 11349	20	Motheora Das Nalorbhoy.
6240	A/8 64347 ,, 64492	10	Ramkisto Goopto.
6246	I/5 74832 ,, 74842	10	F. C. Rogers.
6249	A/87 23749 ,, 23746	10	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation, Calcutta.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 15th December 1873.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Matabhangah River.

Weekly Report showing the Least Depth of Water from the Entrance of the Matabhangah River to Kissengunge, the week ending on Friday, the 5th December 1873.

Names of Shoals.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance from the Ganges ...	3	0	
Tatarparah ...	2	3	
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia	2	0	
,, Hât Bolia to Cut No. 1	10	6	
,, Cut No. 1 to Boalmaree	2	6	
,, Boalmaree to Alickdeah ...	2	6	
,, Alickdeah to Kissengunge	2	6	
Jellinghy River.			
Entrance ...	4	6	
,, to Jellinghy ...	0	3	
From Jellinghy to Teakatta ...	0	6	
,, Teakatta to Nuddea ...	2	0	

H. T. FORBES, *Major, R.A., Exe. Engineer, Nuddea District.*

KISHNAGURH, the 10th December 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the Least Depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, the 12th December 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Chourasea ...	12	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles	2	9	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	2	10	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	1	3	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles	2	6	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles	2	4	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 15th December 1873, above zero, 1 ft. 5½ inches.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Nuddea's River Division.*

BERHAMPORE, the 15th December 1873.

Notice

Is hereby given that in consequence of the construction of the new road from Giridi on the Kachrarbari Branch of the East Indian Railway to Hazaribaugh, all goods can most conveniently be sent to Hazaribaugh by that route instead of by the railway to Barakar only. The undersigned therefore invites all Government officers, tradesmen and other gentlemen who may not be specially instructed to the contrary by their consignees, and who do not avail themselves of the Government parcel post, to send their consignments and goods to the care of the Station Master, Giridi

This request is made as the transport agency has been removed from the Barakar, and the route by Giridi is shorter and less expensive.

HAZARIBAUGH, the 9th December 1873. HENRY BEADON, *Offg. Dy. Commissioner.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 9th December 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		15,47,004	8	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... Rs.	1,48,79,067 8 3	3,70,55,098	15	11
General Treasury Balance at Branches ... „	2,21,76,031 7 8			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		2,71,62,842	8	8
Bank Post Bills, &c.		4,24,172	9	4
Sundries		7,27,570	12	7
Total ...		8,89,16,689	5	3

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,29,49,224	9	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		51,89,707	7	1
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		21,67,827	8	5
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,16,01,458	2	6
Dead Stock		11,57,727	13	10
Stamps		15,165	0	6
Balances with other Banks		7,70,437	6	8
Sundries		57,212	4	6
Bullion		2,90,708	5	4
		4,41,99,468	9	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... Rs.	1,10,46,890 11 7	4,47,17,220	11	6
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... „	3,36,70,329 15 11			
Total ...		8,89,16,689	5	3

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 11th December 1873.* F. A. GILLAM, *Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.* R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

(467—1)

George Cox, deceased.

STATUTARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees' Powers Act, 1866, being Act No. XXVIII of 1866, of the Governor General of India in Council, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Cox, late of Penang (Prince of Wales's Island), Acting Superintendent of Police, deceased, who died at Penang, aforesaid, on or about the sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and letters of Administration (with a copy of the will of the said deceased set forth in the exemplification of probate, granted by the Registry of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of the Straits Settlement, in the division of Singapore, at Singapore, aforesaid annexed) of whose property and credits were duly granted to John Cave Orr, Esq., of Calcutta, Attorney, at-Law (the sole constituted Attorney of Susan Cox, the widow of the said deceased, and the sole executrix in the said will named), by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, in Bengal, in its Testamentry and Intestate Jurisdiction, on the sixteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned at their office situate at No. 6, Hastings Street, in the town of Calcutta, on or before the thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and notice is hereby also given that at the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said Administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said George Cox, deceased, or any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which the said Administrator has then had notice, and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Administrator has not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this sixth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

ROBERTSON, ORR, HARRIS, & FRANCIS, *Attornies for the Administrator.*

6, Hastings' Street, Calcutta, the 6th December 1873. (460—3)

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th November 1873.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS							5 per cent. loan of 1864-65.	4½ PER CENT. LOANS			5½ per cent. loan of 1859-60.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURES FOR		Total amount.
														10 years.	15 years.	
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.		of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1879.		Repayable June 1877.	Repayable June 1882.	
Balance of 15th November 1873	54,100	33,173	2,346	16,83,626	34,37,700	1,35,45,700	1,15,00,300	1,19,48,100	12,500	38,72,800	3,59,000	3,21,83,000	4,45,58,700	36,26,000	30,28,000	12,98,13,513
ADD—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 30th November 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	2,000	500	.....	.....	2,500
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 30th November 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	3,400	...	.....	.....	2,00,000	1,50,000	.....	.....	3,54,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th November 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	700	67,300	18,900	2,41,800	...	.....	.....	15,000	45,000	.....	.....	3,88,700
TOTAL ...	54,100	33,173	2,346	16,83,626	34,38,400	1,36,13,000	1,15,19,800	1,21,93,300	12,500	38,72,300	3,59,000	3,23,99,000	4,47,54,200	36,26,000	30,28,000	13,06,88,745
DEDUCT—																
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	.....	.....	11,800	20,400	40,500	28,000	...	.....	.....	4,500	2,50,800	.....	.....	3,56,000
Balance on 30th November 1873	54,100	33,173	2,346	16,83,626	34,26,600	1,35,92,600	1,14,79,300	1,21,65,300	12,500	38,72,300	3,59,000	3,23,94,500	4,45,03,400	36,26,000	30,28,000	13,02,32,745

NOTE.—From 3th June 1867 to 30th Sept. 1873—Enfaced from India 1,767 lakhs, re-transferred from London 1,911 lakhs.
" 1st Oct. 1873 to 15th Oct. " ditto ditto 0 " ditto ditto 3 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " ditto ditto 5 " ditto ditto 5 "
" 1st Nov. " to 15th Nov. " ditto ditto 24 " ditto ditto 5 "
" 16th " " to 30th " " ditto ditto 7 " ditto ditto 3 "

1,803 — 1,827
1,803
Balance against India ... 24 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 5th December 1873.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(405—1)

Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bank of Bengal, General Treasury, and Public Debt Office, will be closed for the Christmas Holidays on Thursday, the 25th, Friday, the 26th, and Saturday, the 27th instant, and also Thursday, the 1st January 1874, being New Year's day.

By order of the Directors,

CALCUTTA, the 12th December 1873. (468—1). R. HARDIE, *Secy. and Treasurer.*

Notice.

CERTAIN effects, the property of late J. A. Emins, an Armenian, Wine Merchant and General Dealer, who died at Shillong on 20th November 1873, are under custody of the Civil Court, Khasi and Jynteah Hills.

J. B. SHADWELL, *Extra Asst. Commr. in charge.*

SHILLONG, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 29th November 1873. (455—3)

Calcutta Landing and Shipping Company, Limited.

NOTICE.

The Twenty-First Half-Yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Office, 2, Hare Street, on Saturday, 20th instant, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Director's report, passing the accounts for the half-year ended 31st October last, declaring a dividend, and transacting any other business which may be brought forward.

By order,

GEORGE LOWEN, *Manager.*

2, Hare Street, 8th December 1873. (461—2)

Administrator-General's Office.

THE under-mentioned estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned :—

Mrs. Julia Oram, widow of Mr. George Oram, formerly of Kishnagurh, died at Calcutta on the 4th November 1873.

Daniel Walter Fergusson, a partner in the firm of Messrs. Sherriffs and Fergusson, Chemists and General Merchants, Allahabad, died at Allahabad on the 8th July 1873.

William Mainwaring Sloane Bolton, a Lieutenant-Colonel in H. M.'s 106th Regiment of Foot, died at Morar on the 12th August 1873.

Nusseem Raphael Isaac, a Hebrew inhabitant of the Town of Calcutta, died at Calcutta on the 11th October 1873.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, Calcutta, the 6th December 1873. (463—1)

Administrator-General's Office.

THE undermentioned estate having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said estate, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned :—

Nusseem Raphael Isaac, a Hebrew inhabitant of the Town of Calcutta, died at Calcutta on the 11th October 1873.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, CALCUTTA, the 13th December 1873.

Administrator-General's Office.

NOTICE.

Admitted Claims against the undermentioned Estates are payable on Tuesday and Friday as usual.

Estates.	Claims or Dividend.	Rates of Dividend per Rupee.
Connell, Owen, late of Mooltan, a Contractor ...	1st Dividend	at 6-3¼ pie.
Jones, R. C., late Officiating Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Lahore ...	Claims	in full.
Tracy, C. L., late an Assistant in the Firm of Charles Nephew & Co.	Ditto	ditto.

Persons presenting receipts for payment are requested at the same time to produce the registry certificates which have been granted to them from this Office.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, CALCUTTA, the 16th December 1873. (473—1)

PURSUANT to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, made in a certain suit No. 262 of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, wherein Chotailell, otherwise called Chotaimull Tambee, is plaintiff, and Bhoyrubdoss Johurry is defendant, and bearing date the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, the creditors of Dhoomeemull Johurry, late of Burtollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, deceased, who died on or about the fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, are, on or before the seventeenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, to come in and prove their debts or claims before the Honorable William Markby, one of the Judges of the said Court, at the Court House, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Saturday, the twenty-fourth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, at eleven o'clock, in the forenoon, at the said High Court, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the said claims.

W. W. LINTON, *Plaintiff's Attorney.* R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, the 15th day of December 1873. (471—2)

Notice under Section XLII of "the Trustees' and Mortgagees' Powers Act, 1866."

Estate of James Hills, late of Nischindipore, in the district of Kishnagore, Indigo Planter, deceased.

ALL creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the deceased above-named are required to send in the same with vouchers to R. S. Hills, of Mission Row, Calcutta, Esquire, an executor of the deceased, on or before the 15th day of January next, immediately after which date such executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased according to law, and will not be liable to any person of whose claims he shall not then have had notice.

BERNERS, SANDERSON AND UPTON, *Attornies.*

Dated the 15th day of December 1873. (466—2)

The Bengal Coal Company, "Limited."

PROCEEDINGS OF THE HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE BENGAL COAL COMPANY, "LIMITED."

Held at the Office of the Company, No. 27, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Saturday, the 13th day of December 1873.

H. BERNERS, ESQ., *Chairman.*

W. B. BALDWIN, ESQ.
L. P. D. BROUGHTON, ESQ.
FRANCIS D'CRUZ, ESQ.
F. J. FERGUSSON, ESQ.
H. LEONARD, ESQ.
T. M. ROBINSON, ESQ.
J. WALKER, ESQ.
A. T. T. PETERSON, ESQ. } by their Attorney,
R. V. DOYNE, ESQ. } H. BERNERS, ESQ.
C. SANDERSON, ESQ. }

THE Advertisement under which the Meeting was held having been read, as also the Directors' Report, which had been previously circulated to the Shareholders, the following Resolutions were proposed and carried unanimously :—

1st.—"That the Report of the Directors for the half-year ending the 31st October last, now submitted, be received and adopted."

Proposed by L. P. D. Broughton, Esq.
Seconded by H. Leonard, Esq.

2nd.—"That the Accounts, as audited, be passed as satisfactory, and that the Books be closed accordingly."

Proposed by J. Walker, Esq.
Seconded by W. B. Baldwin, Esq.

3rd.—"That a Dividend at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, or Rs. 40 per share, be now declared for the half-year, payable on or after the 22nd instant.

Proposed by Francis D'Cruz, Esq.
Seconded by F. J. Fergusson, Esq.

4th.—"That Messrs. H. Berners, F. J. Fergusson, and J. W. Lowe be re-elected Directors of the Company for the ensuing year."

Proposed by W. B. Baldwin, Esq.
Seconded by J. Walker, Esq.

5th.—"That Messrs. G. L. Kemp and Francis D'Cruz be re-elected Auditors of the Company for the ensuing year."

Proposed by F. J. Fergusson, Esq.
Seconded by L. P. D. Broughton, Esq.

After a vote of thanks to the Chair, the Meeting separated

H. BERNERS, *Chairman.*

The Bengal Coal Company, "Limited."

PROCEEDINGS OF AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE BENGAL COAL COMPANY "LIMITED."

Held at the Office of the Company, No. 27, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Saturday, the 13th December 1873.

PRESENT:

HENRY BERNERS, ESQ., *Chairman.*

W. B. BALDWIN, ESQ.
FRANCIS D'CRUZ, ESQ.
F. J. FERGUSSON, ESQ.
H. LEONARD, ESQ.
T. M. ROBINSON, ESQ.

J. WALKER, ESQ.
R. V. DOYNE, ESQ.
A. T. T. PETERSON, ESQ.
C. SANDERSON, ESQ.,
} by their Attorney, H. BERNERS, ESQ.

THE Advertisement under which the Meeting was held having been read, it was—

Resolved—"That the Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on "the 22nd ultimo, be now confirmed, viz.—

"That the Articles of Association of the said Company be amended, by substituting the following Clauses in lieu of the existing Clauses No. XVIII and XXII, viz.—

"CLAUSE XVIII.—The Directors shall in every half-year out of the nett profits of the said Company, before any declaration of Dividend, set apart a percentage of not less than five per cent., and not more than ten per cent., on such nett profits, and place the sum so set apart to the credit of an Account in the Books of the Company, to be styled "The Wear and Tear Account." Such monies shall form a fund to cover all ordinary and extraordinary repairs and replacements of all plant and machinery, and for sinking and opening new pits and shafts, and mines to replace those existing on any portion of the property of the Company, and for making and maintaining proper ways, leads, and approaches thereto; and for improving the ways, leads, and approaches of any shafts or pits; and for otherwise improving the workings and means of communications of any of the Collieries of the said Company, provided always that when and so often as such Wear and Tear Account shall at the close of any half-year exhibit a balance of not less than Rs. 50,000 to credit thereof, the Directors shall not be bound to set apart any sum of money out of such nett profits, anything hereinbefore contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

"CLAUSE XXII.—The Company shall not be obliged to register the transferee under the Regulations mentioned above unless he be approved of by the Directors, nor so long as the transfer or is indebted to the Company, or is under any liability to or engagement with the Company which may eventuate in a debt."

"That the following additions be made to the Articles of Association, viz.—

"CLAUSE XXIIIA.—The Company shall have a lien upon the shares of each Shareholder, and upon the dividends due or accruing due thereon for the amount in which he may be indebted to them, and the said Company may, upon giving three months' notice of their intention so to do, proceed in default of payment to enforce such lien by the sale of the shares of such indebted and defaulting Shareholder, and many apply the sale proceeds thereof, and also the dividends due or accruing due on such shares, in payment or reduction of the debt of such Shareholder, without suit or other proceeding at law.

"CLAUSE XXIIIB.—In the event of any sale being effected under the last preceding clause of these Articles, the Directors shall, if they approve of the purchaser, register his name in the share register of the Company in the place of that of the indebted and defaulting Shareholder, and in respect of the shares purchased by such purchaser shall issue to such purchaser certificates in respect of such shares in cancelment and supersession of those held by the indebted and defaulting Shareholder and bearing the same number."

Proposed by H. Leonard, Esq.
Seconded by W. B. Baldwin, Esq.

(472—1) H. BERNERS, *Chairman.*

Insolvency Notice.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of PERTAUB CHUNDER ROY, an Insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Hon'ble the Presiding Commissioner has fixed the first court-day in January next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the proof of claims in the above estate. Dated this 3rd day of December 1873.

(464—1) J. C. MACGREGOR, *Official Assignee.*

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Byme, E. S.
Cook, J. W.
Cook, J. W.
Crowe, H. M.
Craik, Mrs.
Dacosta, D. W.
Davenport, J.
Daniell, Mrs. L.
DeSilva, Mrs. A.
D'Cruze, A.
Dookus, W.
D'Souza, Mrs. C.
Duddy.
Forster, W. L.
Gregory, Mrs. M.
Griffiths, W. E.
Guise, C. A.
Guyon & Eck, Messrs.
Gwyther, Mrs. F.
Harris, J. L.
Hayes, Messrs. A. J.
Huckett, C. A.
Hall, Mrs. C. E.
Harper, Mrs. E.
Harris, Rev. Bishop.
Hind, Master.
Hodgkinson, G. I. S.
Jackson, Mrs. H.
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Jim Crow.
Jones, J. H. W.
Jouguet, Monsieur H. H.
Johnson, Miss.
Jordan, A. P.
Kessage Damgee.
Kennedy, Mrs. M.
King, Mrs. W. H.
Knight, G.
Knowleys, H. B.
Lambert, Mrs.
Landemen, I. C.
Lawson, C. E.
Lee, Mrs. R.
Linde, F.
Lindsay, H.
Lusini, Sergt. A.
Mannel, E.
Mahomed Yasuf.
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Pucill, T.
Rajendernath Bose.
Raban, E. S.
Reid, Miss.
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Samuel, Mr.
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Simson, Miss E.
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Stirling, J. B.
Steele, Pte. A.
Voss, C.
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INSOLVENT ESTATES.

QUARTERLY STATEMENT MADE UP TO 31ST OCTOBER 1873.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	Whole Disbursements.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Portion of balance invested in Government Securities.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Alexander and Co. ...	2,90,537 12 0	2,31,659 13 4	48,537 7 8	10,340 7 0	9,722 11 7	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Adam, Scott and Co. ...	1,29,704 11 8	1,04,491 12 0	22,431 4 8	2,781 11 0	0 0 0	2,299 10 [illegible]	Ditto ditto. A policy of insurance for Rs. 4,000.
Anderson and Co., William ...	2,499 12 8	0 0 0	1,843 11 6	656 1 2	0 0 0	441 7 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Allan, Deffell and Co. ...	1,56,593 9 1	1,25,806 10 5	30,318 13 3	468 1 5	833 8 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. A policy of insurance for Rs. 2,000.
Asiatic Marine Insurance Office	8,36,471 1 7	6,75,633 6 11	1,37,716 2 9	23,121 7 11	0 0 0	21,173 15 5	The final dividend of 7 per cent. is in course of payment.
Allhusen, William ...	1,629 14 6	685 12 9	846 7 7	97 10 2	22 12 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Allport, Rowland ...	13,930 1 8	11,816 2 9	1,382 2 9	231 12 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Agabeg Brothers ...	29,080 0 7	23,516 0 10	5,370 10 10	193 4 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Adams, Thomas ...	13,107 9 11	7,612 1 5	5,180 10 11	314 13 7	33 5 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Agabeg, Joseph ...	19,082 3 4	16,316 15 2	2,415 9 8	349 10 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Azeemun Nessa Begum ...	14,521 4 0	1,787 0 0	8,808 13 8	3,925 6 4	3,500 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Ajoodeapersad Bindapersad ...	19,781 12 7	7,416 9 1	10,830 2 6	1,485 1 0	1,448 0 6	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery. Insolvent finally discharged.
Andrews, John ...	1,171 14 3	950 12 10	107 0 6	114 0 11	97 8 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent dead.
Auscarun and Okhoyram ...	278 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	278 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Anund Chunder Bannerjee ...	1,786 10 0	0 0 0	1,485 8 8	301 1 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Albert Brothers ...	1,131 6 3	0 0 0	922 0 0	209 6 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Arnold and Co., Aga Mahomed Hossen Sheerazie, and T. S. M. Brewer ...	6,640 12 1	0 0 0	3,072 0 6	3,568 11 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Anstruther and Co. ...	7,217 4 6	2,557 5 0	1,904 2 1	2,755 13 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Abendroth, J. C. R. (Durrschmidt, Grob and Co.) ...	1,919 10 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	1,919 10 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Abendroth, J. C. R. ...	2,423 0 6	861 0 0	763 7 0	798 9 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Balfour and Co. ...	5,55,409 13 6	2,87,498 3 1	2,53,660 12 1	14,250 14 4	12,980 3 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Boyd and Co. ...	29,620 7 4	10,561 9 2	13,235 11 5	5,823 2 9	5,719 14 3	1,700 11 10	Further recoveries doubtful.
Bruce, Shand and Co. ...	8,36,491 13 11	4,96,447 11 1	3,32,211 3 0	7,832 15 10	7,669 1 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.

Brunet, Saliz, and Latapie ...	15,235 0 0	7,411 12 8	5,431 6 7	2,391 13 2	2,391 13 2	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Bischoff, Beer and Co. ...	2,640 5 8	0 0 0	2,056 3 5	584 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Braddon and Co. ...	14,086 6 7	5,530 14 4	7,760 13 4	744 10 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Brightman and Co. ...	82,530 14 11	23,845 6 10	8,391 8 10	293 15 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Birch, F. W. ...	17,059 8 3	14,026 15 0	2,826 4 3	206 5 0	89 0 4	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	Insolvent dead.
Bodelio, L. H. ...	377 14 4	0 0 0	109 0 0	268 14 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Brojonath Dhur (1st) ...	10,468 0 10	4,820 5 11	5,325 6 4	322 4 7	226 0 10	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Barnfield, William ...	1,285 15 6	0 0 0	1,065 4 0	220 11 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Burge, A. B. ...	4,806 2 0	3,300 0 1	608 11 11	897 6 0	833 3 7	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Burkinyoung, Robert ...	8,040 0 6	5,303 10 11	2,392 8 6	343 13 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Bykuntnath Dutt ...	2,252 1 0	0 0 0	1,740 0 0	512 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Bodry, John, (1st) ...	1,399 13 6	0 0 0	474 0 0	925 13 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
Betts, C. G. D. ...	800 0 0	0 0 0	556 10 6	243 5 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Beharrylall Dheechut ...	2,785 0 0	1,493 7 8	1,060 10 9	230 13 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Baxter, W. G. ...	12,949 12 6	6,036 14 2	6,517 9 9	395 4 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
Baneymadhub Day ...	436 9 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	436 9 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Bryant, A. L. ...	3,620 14 0	1,930 10 2	1,431 3 2	259 0 8	246 7 5	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Bhowanypersad Gone ...	6,534 0 0	3,513 0 5	2,663 9 6	322 6 1	21 5 8	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
Bagot, W. N. ...	4,149 4 9	0 0 0	3,439 4 0	710 0 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Bluett, James ...	873 0 0	0 0 0	48 0 0	825 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Bhoobun Mohun Mitter ...	4,000 0 0	0 0 0	2,163 7 9	1,836 8 3	1,794 12 6	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Baboolall Shaw and others ...	1,12,548 14 5	71,523 2 4	24,927 0 11	16,098 11 2	5,143 14 8	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.	Large zemindaries as yet unsold. Insolvent finally discharged.
Bodry, John (3rd) ...	4,396 5 9	689 12 4	2,295 13 4	1,410 12 1	147 4 10	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	Insolvent dead.
Behrends, G. F. ...	1,641 5 0	383 15 3	415 3 0	842 2 9	715 1 6	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Bijohn, C. S. (2nd) ...	240 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	240 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Buldeo Doss ...	3,395 9 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	3,395 9 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	A small sum further recoverable.	
Colvin and Co. ...	1,72,972 2 4	1,30,838 13 6	30,374 1 1	11,759 3 9	11,444 9 9	0 0 0	Further recoveries doubtful.	
Cruttenden, Mackillop and Co. ...	93,846 2 8	72,436 13 9	19,943 2 4	1,466 2 7	463 11 7	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Cantor and Co. ...	2,11,423 11 5	1,37,462 15 2	67,864 0 5	6,096 11 10	6,053 8 8	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Cockerell and Co. ...	17,19,419 1 7	3,86,102 12 10	13,26,584 4 11	6,731 15 10	6,701 5 10	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Colville, Gilmore and Co. ...	8,972 5 1	2,535 0 0	3,507 14 2	2,929 6 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Callydass Chatterjee ...	294 2 3	0 0 0	47 0 0	247 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	
Connylall Burral and Kissenmohun Burral ...	5,361 3 9	3,057 5 0	1,868 1 5	455 13 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
Crompton, G. T. ...	5,397 2 7	2,654 1 0	2,070 5 3	672 12 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Campbell, Colin ...	1,864 12 7	688 3 8	938 8 8	238 0 3	179 12 2	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
Cook, Henry ...	12,387 7 5	7,079 11 6	4,733 7 9	574 4 2	453 3 5	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Currie, J. A. (2nd) ...	16,504 11 6	5,040 5 9	10,126 0 10	1,338 4 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Campbell, N. H. A. ...	347 1 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	347 1 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Curnin, Ellen ...	1,403 0 0	0 0 0	913 0 0	490 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Carberry, R. J. ...	255 13 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	255 13 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Corcoran, J. F. ...	7,210 3 10	5,984 12 0	437 13 0	787 10 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Carrapiet, C. P. ...	2,250 0 0	0 0 0	1,347 0 6	902 15 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Campbell, J. W. H. ...	96,676 0 2	26,597 7 1	69,780 10 10	297 14 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	Whole Disbursements. Dividends paid.	Whole Disbursements. Other payments.	Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Portion of balance invested in Government Securities.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Curran, J. L. ...	1,696 15 0	13 10 5	455 7 1	1,227 13 6	1,157 13 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Conyers, Z. E. ...	1,176 0 0	0 0 0	144 13 4	1,031 2 8	927 9 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Cator, A. C. ...	2,514 7 2	0 0 0	2,288 7 0	226 0 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Carberry, Anne, and R. J. ...	5,877 11 10	3,172 8 10	2,317 10 2	387 8 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Chunder Mohun Bose ...	1,305 12 1	0 0 0	947 9 0	358 3 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Cameron, John (2nd) ...	28,398 4 9	21,918 11 0	5,603 5 2	876 4 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Cockell, W. J. ...	16,461 3 8	13,635 6 2	2,246 14 9	578 14 9	448 7 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Callychurn Dutt ...	426 10 0	0 0 0	39 5 3	387 4 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Cones, W. V. ...	2,158 7 1	0 0 0	1,244 0 0	914 7 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Calder, David ...	1,602 15 0	0 0 0	887 9 6	715 5 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Connyram and Chooneelall ...	9,623 9 3	5,676 2 8	2,212 5 4	1,735 1 3	1,523 9 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Chogmull Muddun Chund ...	686 9 3	0 0 0	193 7 3	493 2 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Charles Nephew & Co. ...	4,89,930 0 0	3,60,247 12 7	94,595 1 7	35,087 1 10	22,139 12 3	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery. Insolvent Parke Pittar finally discharged.
Chundernath Shaw and another	7,101 5 9	3,895 1 8	1,562 2 3	1,644 1 10	1,297 15 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Castello, M. G. ...	3,201 7 9	2,227 5 6	212 3 11	761 14 4	112 10 6	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Child, W. C. ...	21,719 5 3	13,130 0 8	4,553 0 11	4,036 3 8	3,687 15 10	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Cohen, F. A. ...	929 8 6	240 0 0	460 3 8	229 4 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Collins, B. S. ...	2,373 14 3	941 4 0	1,002 1 4	430 8 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Carr, Robert ...	1,854 10 2	0 0 0	20 0 0	1,834 10 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Dutts, Linzie and Co. ...	14,690 7 0	9,796 10 2	4,540 4 6	353 8 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvents finally discharged.
Dickson, William ...	658 11 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	658 11 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Dawes, W. T. ...	906 9 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	906 9 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
DeMello, A. H. ...	4,637 13 6	2,225 3 3	1,196 0 1	1,216 10 2	727 4 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Dove, J. M. ...	12,402 15 11	8,622 13 6	2,040 7 9	1,739 10 8	1,551 8 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Dorrett Brothers ...	2,164 9 6	0 0 0	1,283 7 3	881 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
DeSilva, John Emanuel ...	13,643 11 3	11,131 11 3	851 8 9	1,660 7 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
DeSouza, John ...	1,334 0 3	0 0 0	805 9 0	528 7 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Dumat, Alfred ...	6,224 5 6	1,051 12 9	2,024 3 5	3,148 5 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Delanougerede, Edwin ...	304 13 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	304 13 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Dinnonath Dutt ...	467 0 0	0 0 0	87 0 0	380 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Durrant, Edward ...	3,223 1 6	1,749 5 4	833 12 6	639 13 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Doorgapersad Goolzareemull ...	1,006 6 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	1,006 6 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.

Duggan, Alexander ...	1,088 3 2	0 0 0	651 7 0	381 12 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Dennison, G. R. ...	29,546 0 0	26,967 6 10	1,007 6 4	971 2 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
DeBrunner, Jules ...	65,912 4 7	57,434 3 2	7,074 11 1	1,383 6 4	164 7 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Duff, David ...	1,582 12 9	126 15 5	410 5 8	1,045 7 8	915 6 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Insolvent finally discharged.
Dodd, Richard ...	1,000 0 0	0 0 0	761 11 0	238 5 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Insolvent dead.
Deburrooddeen and Kuberroodeen Sircars ...	1,747 14 6	0 0 0	1,341 15 3	405 15 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Dinnonath Paul ...	834 4 3	0 0 0	109 12 9	714 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Dowlut Roy ...	1,448 5 9	0 0 0	1,205 7 0	242 14 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Dwarkanath Mitter ...	5,922 12 0	0 0 0	4,581 9 1	1,341 2 11	1,179 3 7	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.	Insolvent finally discharged.
Dinnonath Day ...	11,506 7 7	3,320 4 11	1,928 13 9	5,757 4 11	2,566 12 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Dhunput Sing ...	4,273 7 0	0 0 0	1,191 7 9	3,081 15 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Doorgachurn Dutt and another	1,157 15 9	0 0 0	715 11 0	442 4 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Schedule not yet filed.
Doss Brother ...	1,573 9 9	0 0 0	282 4 9	1,291 5 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	Insolvent finally dischared.
Ewing, Aird, and Anderson ...	3,11,150 10 2	58,589 14 7	2,42,022 15 9	10,537 11 10	10,537 11 10	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Edwards, C. L. ...	815 0 0	0 0 0	100 0 0	715 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto
Elias, M. B. ...	7,233 3 6	3,428 10 7	1,263 5 10	2,541 3 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.	Schedule not yet filed.
Eagleton, F. A. ...	2,544 4 0	0 0 0	607 14 9	1,936 5 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Further recoveries doubtful.	Insolvent finally discharged.
Fergusson and Co. ...	1,82,301 1 4	1,28,486 0 2	32,199 10 8	21,615 6 11	21,042 14 3	9,836 10 2	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Fergusson Brothers and Co. ...	1,47,614 13 0	68,489 9 1	75,040 10 2	4,084 9 9	3,909 3 11	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Foster, Rogers and Co. ...	6,328 3 10	857 3 7	2,292 5 11	3,173 10 4	3,173 10 4	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	Ditto.
Fraser, D. W. ...	2,233 4 11	0 0 0	970 13 1	1,262 7 10	1,116 4 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Insolvent dead.
Fabian, E. D. ...	775 8 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	775 8 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Fraser, W. T. ...	1,623 15 9	0 0 0	490 9 0	1,133 6 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Fisher, A. ...	2,065 1 5	0 0 0	1,110 13 0	954 4 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Insolvent finally discharged.
Ferris, G. R. ...	2,650 0 0	54 15 6	813 2 3	1,781 14 3	1,304 9 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Fanshaw, R. F. ...	876 0 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	876 0 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.	Ditto.
Fornaro and Huni ...	26,454 8 7	8,589 7 7	8,522 15 1	9,342 1 11	2,252 2 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Fraser, J. R. ...	318 9 9	0 0 0	16 0 0	302 9 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	
Gordon, Collie and Co. ...	16,803 14 11	7,265 10 1	9,292 3 7	246 1 3	0 0 0	2,637 13 8	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Gilmore and Co. ...	46,422 11 0	23,186 11 8	19,706 2 3	3,529 13 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Griffiths, Curtis and Co. ...	49,455 13 8	23,262 15 3	19,199 5 0	6,993 9 5	6,993 9 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Gordon, Stuart and Co. ...	74,260 3 11	36,476 0 3	35,117 13 0	2,666 6 8	2,666 6 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Goberdhone Mullick ...	2,880 14 9	1,296 3 2	912 11 0	672 0 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Gilbert, W. H. (Guest & Co.) ...	269 6 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	269 6 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Gibson & Co. ...	453 7 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	453 7 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Greedhur Mullick ...	1,111 3 8	0 0 0	397 0 0	714 3 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Gregory, G. G. ...	2,590 5 2	1,599 10 3	642 10 5	348 0 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Greenstreet, E. S. ...	1,508 3 9	0 0 0	1,090 9 4	417 10 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Goorco Churn Sen ...	1,09,756 8 1	82,808 3 10	24,985 4 9	1,962 15 6	1,545 12 4	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	Whole Disbursements. Dividends paid.	Whole Disbursements. Other payments.	Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Portion of balance invested in Government Securities.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Gubboy, A. J. ...	9,055 7 0	5,179 12 11	1,966 5 11	1,909 4 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent finally discharged.
Gocool Chund Goramull ..	807 8 6	0 0 0	363 10 3	443 14 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Gordon, G. J. ...	570 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	570 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Gocooldas Soonderjee ...	18,266 14 1	11,533 9 3	5,760 12 11	972 7 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Golabchund Hemchund ..	1,506 2 0	0 0 0	120 9 0	1,385 9 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Golaum Hossein Virgee ...	1,26,756 14 4	40,875 0 8	85,314 2 4	567 11 4	371 7 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Grant and Sons, G. ...	5,900 6 11	3,326 15 7	2,011 4 10	562 2 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Gopal Chunder and Issen Chunder Banerjee ...	420 0 0	0 0 0	45 0 0	375 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Ghasseeram ...	30,536 7 5	6,030 3 5	19,161 2 11	5,345 1 1	472 15 4	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Ghose and Co., R. G. ..	26,848 9 2	14,577 2 4	7,735 8 5	4,535 14 5	1,327 2 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Gilmore, J. A. G. ...	512 8 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	512 8 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Gregory, M. ...	17,165 10 6	10,753 14 7	4,005 9 8	2,406 2 3	1,594 1 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Gubboy E. S. ...	33,575 7 3	28,819 0 0	3,324 4 6	1,432 2 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Greey, W. W. ...	17,880 9 2	11,142 13 11	1,178 1 11	5,559 9 4	4,060 13 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Gasper, N. M. ...	3,250 0 0	450 0 0	45 11 0	2,754 5 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ordered to pay Rs. 250 per mensem for two years from August 1872.
Gobind Dass Mullick ...	1,460 13 3	40 0 0	557 8 9	863 4 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Hodgkinson and Co., G. F. ...	25,209 0 0	0 0 0	22,219 10 7	2,989 5 5	0 0 0	2,100 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvents finally discharged.
Hurry, W. C. ...	2,593 2 8	0 0 0	1,936 5 11	656 12 9	0 0 0	449 11 11	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Hoffmann and Co. ...	25,170 12 11	6,933 13 9	17,650 8 0	586 7 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Hughesdon Brothers ...	2,43,857 5 7	27,264 4 9	2,03,971 8 3	12,621 13 7	8,273 1 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Hudson, Natheniel ...	2,225 11 3	0 0 0	307 12 0	1,917 15 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Hurrosunker Ghose ..	1,786 2 2	10 8 0	489 6 0	1,286 4 2	1,196 4 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Hullodhur Day ...	1,047 8 9	0 0 0	196 4 0	851 4 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Harrowell, James ...	542 7 6	0 0 0	146 0 0	396 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Harvey, Benjamin ...	336 15 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	336 15 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Hoppe, William ...	1,346 8 6	0 0 0	616 1 10	730 6 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Hughes and Templar ...	12,099 14 4	5,179 4 11	6,085 15 3	834 10 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Harvard, J. H. M. ..	1,612 0 0	0 0 0	1,112 9 2	489 6 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.

Huffnagle and Co., Charles ...	1,820 4 7	0 0 0	217 12 10	1,102 7 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Hurdeodass Lutchmeenarain ..	240 3 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	240 3 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Heeralall Hunnoomontaram ..	752 14 3	0 0 0	61 0 0	691 14 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Hollway, William ...	1,050 0 0	0 0 0	219 4 0	830 12 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Hollway, William (2nd), Milliner	3,396 12 7	0 0 0	2,293 11 9	1,123 0 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
Harvey, Andrew, (2nd) ..	979 2 8	205 0 10	86 7 5	687 10 5	639 8 1	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Hemchunder Chowdry ..	1,195 0 0	0 0 0	846 2 0	348 14 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Hughes, J. G. ..	741 6 8	0 0 0	232 0 0	509 6 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Honigberger, William ...	1,001 5 6	0 0 0	344 0 0	657 5 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Hadjee Jaffer Moosah ...	3,919 13 0	3,176 12 0	485 8 5	251 8 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Hadjee Ahmed Soloman ...	15,570 7 3	0 0 0	15,153 1 8	417 5 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Heeralall (Rutteeram Kissenchund) ...	1,869 9 0	0 0 0	1,422 6 6	447 2 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Harvey, Andrew (1st) ...	1,859 15 11	207 13 1	139 7 11	1,512 10 11	1,452 15 5	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Hair, W. F. ...	406 13 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	406 13 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Hickie, William ...	536 15 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	536 15 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Hurjeebun Doss ..	500 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	500 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Heeralall (Monololl) ...	19,528 4 7	6,017 3 0	6,110 9 5	7,400 8 2	4,217 15 1	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Heeranund Choutmull ...	13,020 4 3	11,140 12 10	1,251 0 1	628 7 4	171 0 8	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.	Insolvent finally discharged.
Hurrynarain Dutt ...	1,425 13 6	198 14 10	654 10 11	572 3 9	504 12 9	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Herring, Martha ...	5,916 8 6	2,14 7 10	2,979 7 8	722 9 0	557 1 2	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Haulon, E. ..	2,069 9 0	0 0 0	477 9 6	1,591 15 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Howard Brothers ...	8,883 7 9	0 0 0	1,355 8 6	7,527 15 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto
Heeralall Seroughee ...	280 14 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	280 14 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Janssen and Co., J. ...	20,002 10 9	0 0 0	15,872 5 0	4,130 5 9	3,906 0 6	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Jeebunkissen Bose ..	924 14 0	0 0 0	103 10 0	821 4 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	
Joysookroy Sungumlall ...	5,079 4 5	2,897 9 7	1,443 14 7	737 12 3	554 10 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
John Lackersteen and Brothers	3,32,942 12 9	1,52,132 0 0	1,77,194 5 4	3,616 7 5	3,216 8 7	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Juggeshur Laha ..	33,311 15 3 and Co.'s Paper for Rs 1,000.	16,325 5 9	15,213 2 7	1,773 6 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvents finally discharged.
Jadub Chunder Seal ...	2,094 6 7	0 0 0	754 3 0	1,340 3 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Jordon, J. S. ...	5,376 8 0	3,537 15 6	915 9 9	922 14 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Jugenpersad ...	960 8 9	0 0 0	223 9 0	736 15 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Jacob, Charles ...	933 8 0	0 0 0	367 14 9	565 9 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Judah, S. E. ...	2,186 15 0	0 0 0	1,392 15 0	794 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Kemp, H. C. (T. Hyde Gardiner and Co.) ...	33,705 12 9	27,374 0 2	5,897 5 1	574 7 6	135 0 4	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
Kelly, W. S. ...	1,603 5 3	0 0 0	615 6 2	987 15 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Khemjee Jootaa Hurrydas Natha	1,281 10 4	0 0 0	160 1 1	1,121 9 3	976 9 3	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
King, W. J. ...	6,750 9 10	5,051 3 8	1,279 9 10	419 12 4	324 4 2	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Kemp, H. C. ...	2,469 15 10	168 12 6	436 2 5	1,865 0 11	1,600 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Kelly, C. F. ...	500 0 0	0 0 0	72 0 0	428 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	Whole Disbursements. Dividends paid.	Whole Disbursements. Other payments.	Balance remaining.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Portion of balance invested in Government Securities.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Kunnoolall Baneyram and Choteelall ...	1,160 13 11	0 0 0	72 0 0	1,088 13 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
King, F. F. ...	273 3 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	273 3 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Kadarnath Pal and Woomachurn Pal ...	53,610 10 0	35,905 8 5	16,329 3 7	1,375 14 0	916 1 11	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Kullooram Ramsook ...	2,433 13 6	0 0 0	425 0 0	2,008 13 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Kallydas Dutt ...	16,549 0 0	9,533 3 4	5,187 3 7	1,828 9 1	1,560 2 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Khan Mahomed Dhurrumsee ...	55,247 9 1	29,778 10 10	10,647 6 0	14,821 8 3	9,871 5 2	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Kaisree Chund Isreechund ...	3,285 5 4	341 8 1	118 15 9	2,824 13 6	1,154 15 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Kissen Dass Khettry ...	11,123 0 3	6,722 0 3	4,076 4 7	324 11 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Kistodas Day ...	983 0 0	0 0 0	448 1 0	534 15 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Kissorymohun Ruckit ...	9,405 15 3	4,896 0 4	3,483 6 8	1,026 8 3	243 10 1	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Kadarnath Day ...	2,243 11 3	0 0 0	241 15 0	1,901 12 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Lucas, W. (C. W. Carr and Co.)	15,104 6 10	3,604 4 0	1,092 2 9	10,498 0 1	8,279 4 11	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Lyall, Matheson and Co. ...	3,68,202 6 0	2,81,648 14 7	84,758 5 2	1,795 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Larpent, Saunders and Co. ...	78,818 9 0	41,454 3 6	22,809 15 5	14,554 6 1	14,078 0 6	7,052 14 0	Ditto ditto.
Langlois and Co. ...	33,383 2 8	1,823 14 3	23,389 0 8	8,170 3 9	8,170 3 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
LeTourneux, Labadie and Co. ..	7,483 10 3	0 0 0	5,399 7 8	2,084 2 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Latapie, E. D. (1st) ...	3,982 6 2	0 0 0	3,011 4 3	971 1 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Lake, Hamill and Co. ...	5,930 6 2	0 0 0	2,036 3 5	3,894 2 9	0 0 0	1,722 1 4	Ditto ditto.
Leighton, Henry J. ...	1,480 0 0	0 0 0	107 4 10	1,372 11 2	1,262 12 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Lazarus, B. W. ...	823 10 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	823 10 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Landeman, J. V. ...	1,008 10 1	231 0 0	192 4 0	585 2 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Ledlie, A. H. (2nd) ...	1,654 8 7	0 0 0	602 2 6	1,052 6 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Lackersteen, C. R. and Co. ...	13,673 12 11	6,504 11 7	2,007 9 7	5,161 7 9	5,013 4 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Lindsay, D. B. ...	1,430 3 0	0 0 0	557 4 0	872 15 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Lord Brothers ...	6,406 9 0	4,277 2 2	1,687 5 7	441 1 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Limond, Campbell ...	12,578 1 10	11,077 14 5	850 12 11	649 6 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Lindstedt, Edward ...	1,114 12 9	0 0 0	582 4 0	532 8 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Llewelyn, W. T. ...	2,100 0 0	1,528 0 0	168 4 6	403 11 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Lutchmeenarain Khettry ...	1,726 9 9	0 0 0	477 8 0	1,249 1 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Langlois, J. P. ...	1,448 12 0	0 0 0	532 0 0	916 12 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Low, Isabella Sarah ...	1,554 12 1	0 0 0	781 12 9	672 15 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.

Lindeman, F. P. ...	2,241 2 0	0 0 0	1,059 8 0	4,181 10 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Lowen, George ...	751 1 0	0 0 0	486 0 0	264 11 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Lokenath Shaw ..	8,323 8 6	5,069 1 8	2,359 1 7	895 5 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Lawson, T. M. ..	3,228 0 3	1,885 4 0	1,126 4 11	216 7 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Insolvent finally discharged.	
Latapie & Co., E. D. ...	2,419 10 6	0 0 0	322 8 8	2,097 1 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Latapie, E. D. (2nd) ...	1,414 3 9	384 11 6	800 3 2	229 5 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Legh, A. ...	600 0 0	57 6 2	198 1 10	344 8 0	338 3 4	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Luckeenarain Pyne ...	1,101 1 6	0 0 0	332 10 0	768 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Lepage, R. C. (junior) ...	2,122 13 3	1,397 8 6	322 13 1	402 7 8	235 6 9	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Mackintosh & Co. ...	2,12,903 3 7	1,22,721 13 0	73,440 15 2	16,740 7 5	5,913 4 9	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Macleod, Fagan & Co. ...	17,594 12 7	3,720 5 2	10,148 12 5	3,725 11 0	3,129 9 6	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
MacGregor, Hunter & Co. ...	10,719 11 10	0 0 0	9,875 11 3	844 0 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Mackey & Co., D. C. ...	1,17,353 10 2	58,372 14 3	41,914 6 8	17,066 5 3	17,066 5 3	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Martin, Pillans & Co. ...	96,126 13 10	19,123 12 4	71,921 2 4	5,081 15 2	5,081 15 2	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Minto & Co., William ..	9,560 5 4	3,938 0 5	2,759 2 7	2,863 2 4	2,863 2 4	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Mackenzie, R. (J. A. Currie & Co.)	3,047 6 8	436 8 10	1,096 0 3	1,514 13 7	1,254 3 11	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Macdonald, R. C. ..	38,187 4 0	30,698 4 11	3,372 4 11	4,116 10 2	3,721 2 7	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Insolvent dead.	
Macdonald, R. B. ...	5,077 8 6	346 11 1	628 4 9	4,102 8 8	3,647 15 7	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Macvitie, R. F. ...	5,450 7 4	4,822 0 3	544 11 5	83 11 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Insolvent finally discharged.	
Maclean, L. A. ...	885 4 9	0 0 0	294 8 0	590 12 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Melville, William ..	1,699 2 4	0 0 0	244 9 4	1,454 9 0	0 0 0	441 14 9	Ditto	ditto.	Insolvent dead.	
Manuk, M. M. ...	8,799 9 2	5,616 2 7	1,822 1 7	1,361 5 0	1,161 5 3	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Morris, James ..	653 13 10	0 0 0	146 0 0	507 13 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Magniac, Lane ..	951 15 6	0 0 0	117 0 0	834 15 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Manick Chunder Khan ...	469 11 6	0 0 0	216 4 0	253 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Monteath, John ..	821 0 3	20 12 0	189 4 0	611 0 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Macleod, A. D. ..	1,110 0 0	0 0 0	72 0 0	1,038 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Murdoch, Mackenzie & Co. ...	5,596 15 9	0 0 0	4,988 6 8	608 9 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Macfarlane & Co. ...	6,526 7 2	3,990 14 0	948 13 8	1,586 11 6	1,487 6 6	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Moorallydhur Newgy ...	1,385 0 8	0 0 0	208 0 0	1,177 0 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Meyer, F. ..	747 9 2	0 0 0	139 0 0	608 9 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Mottley, Charles (2nd) ..	7,000 0 0	4,782 5 4	717 0 11	1,500 9 9	1,410 12 9	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Muddun Mohun Bose ..	545 5 6	0 0 0	192 2 3	353 3 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Modhoosoodun Addy ..	2,904 13 8	1,512 9 3	1,029 0 8	363 3 9	323 3 2	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Macdonald, Daniel ..	1,510 5 11	0 0 0	522 14 4	987 7 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Moore, Robert ...	5,679 3 5	3,784 10 11	1,401 10 1	492 14 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Martin, William ...	2,106 11 8	0 0 0	526 2 9	1,580 8 11	1,500 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
Michael, J. C. (2nd) ...	7,760 12 8	5,358 3 5	1,869 3 4	533 5 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Insolvent finally discharged.	
Moore, W. J. ..	4,142 15 2	368 0 0	312 0 11	3,462 14 3	3,314 15 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.		
Middleton, J. R. ...	1,500 0 0	336 0 0	156 4 5	1,007 11 7	886 2 7	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Insolvent dead.	
Muir, Thomas ..	1,415 0 0	620 7 3	548 10 6	245 14 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	
McGilvray, Alexander ..	8,474 0 8	3,067 12 4	4,242 15 10	1,163 4 6	1,064 6 8	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.	Ditto.	

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		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Marks, C. H. ...	2,234 7 3	0 0 0	1,850 6 0	384 1 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent dead.
Madhub Chunder Bysack ...	11,366 9 5	7,702 11 11	2,599 3 9	1,064 9 9	853 12 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Musgrave, William (1st) ...	5,845 15 11	4,211 9 10	1,265 12 9	368 9 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Middlecoat, J. H. ...	441 7 2 and Co.'s Paper for Rs. 500.	0 0 0	27 10 11	413 12 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Mahomed Fukeerooddeen, Prince	1,788 0 0	1,128 11 6	251 14 3	417 6 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Moheschunder Chunder and Bholanath Chunder ...	4,718 1 3	818 12 0	3,515 0 6	684 4 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Mowjee Hurry Dass ...	1,528 11 7	0 0 0	1,208 0 0	320 11 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Merces, G. D. ...	326 0 0	0 0 0	40 4 0	285 12 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
McCarthy, William ...	4,244 13 3	1,229 3 5	2,544 1 3	471 8 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Mungle Chund and Pertab Chund Ruckit ...	1,182 14 3	0 0 0	642 3 0	540 11 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Mitchell, W. A. ...	10,242 6 9	5,205 15 3	4,835 5 4	201 2 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Murray, H. E. ...	10,437 4 9	1,802 2 3	6,193 5 0	2,441 13 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery. Insolvent dead.
Meyer, A. J. ...	8,876 3 6	4,248 9 10	2,804 7 10	1,823 1 10	1,623 9 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Marriott, G. W. ...	1,480 12 10	319 8 0	162 1 4	1,009 3 6	756 15 7	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent dead.
Modhoosoodun Dutt ...	931 4 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	931 4 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Meer Dawood Ally ...	3,044 0 2	0 0 0	173 11 6	2,870 4 8	2,650 15 2	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Mohabeerpersaud ...	440 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	440 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Moreino, Samuel ...	1,803 12 1	0 0 0	209 12 0	1,594 0 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	A small sum further recoverable. Insolvent dead.
Monoolall ...	1,410 4 3	0 0 0	647 10 0	762 10 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Meyer, J. H. ...	732 11 0	0 0 0	513 12 6	218 14 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Manuk, T. Z. ...	3,121 13 0	1,355 3 8	734 15 5	1,031 9 11	670 15 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Muddunjee Dhurrumsee ...	880 0 2	0 0 0	16 0 0	864 0 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Mothoor Mohun Ghose ...	982 5 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	982 5 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Manick Chund ...	3,642 5 3	0 0 0	519 1 0	3,123 4 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto
Muttylall Day ...	3,750 0 0	2,146 12 6	341 9 11	1,261 9 7	1,213 14 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Musgrave and Son ...	2,237 6 6	51 14 0	7 2 0	2,178 5 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Musgrave, W. (2nd) ...	657 6 3	110 10 6	303 12 3	242 15 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nursing Chunder Bose ...	1,030 0 0	0 0 0	202 11 0	827 5 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Ditto.

Nyss, John ...	750 2 11	0 0 0	171 4 0	578 14 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Nilmadub Mookerjee ...	616 13 10	0 0 0	193 4 0	423 9 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Nilrutton Haldar, (2nd) ...	370 2 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	370 2 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Norton, C. P. ...	1,099 9 9	0 0 0	620 6 6	479 3 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nilkaunt Sircar ...	574 14 11	0 0 0	168 4 0	406 10 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Nilrutton Haldar, (1st) ...	1,396 13 0	1,037 10 10	109 15 4	249 2 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Nemy Churn Bysack ...	1,210 13 0	0 0 0	366 0 0	844 13 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Norman Brothers ...	19,569 14 7	9,267 15 3	5,906 1 4	4,395 14 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Newson, John ...	505 6 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	505 6 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Nobo Coomar Poddar ...	6,200 0 0	3,892 11 2	2,202 15 0	104 5 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nobinkristo Ghose ...	2,450 0 0	0 0 0	299 0 0	2,151 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nilmoney Mookerjee ...	2,754 2 0	0 0 0	1,596 9 0	1,157 9 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nundolall Shaw and Anuntolall Shaw ...	1,950 0 0	0 0 0	249 6 6	1,700 9 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nobinkissen Law (Law & Co.)	881 13 7	0 0 0	363 15 6	517 14 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Newson, William (Coutner, Newson & Co.) ..	307 15 0	0 0 0	2 12 2	305 2 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Narain Sing and Co. ...	31,879 5 1	7,432 0 4	8,914 7 4	15,532 13 5	12,528 3 6	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery. Insolvent finally discharged.
Nundomull Bheemmull ..	12,242 15 2	8,936 8 6	2,043 12 0	1,262 10 8	1,246 6 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Newton, Walter ..	672 2 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	672 2 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Nolit Mohun Dass ...	18,126 8 0 and Co.'s Paper for Rs. 500.	0 0 0	1,615 7 0	16,511 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Schedule not yet filed.
Owen, Allhusen and Co. ...	28,930 0 1	0 0 0	25,482 2 11	3,447 13 2	0 0 0	2,546 4 7	Nothing further recoverable.
Oliva, L. B. ...	23,729 2 7	17,569 15 0	5,445 11 5	713 8 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Ogle and Co., John ...	2,02,843 13 3	1,55,952 9 5	31,295 2 4	15,596 1 6	15,514 2 7	887 15 10	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Oomachurn Bannerjee ...	8,605 1 1	6,956 10 0	1,295 5 6	353 1 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Obhoy Churn Dutt ...	1,127 0 6	487 9 9	137 0 0	502 6 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Obhoy Churn Mullick and others ...	725 4 5	0 0 0	206 4 0	519 0 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Obhoyram Budreechund ...	1,910 9 0	0 0 0	372 14 6	1,537 10 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Ord, W. K. ...	666 13 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	666 13 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Ord, William (Murdock & Co.)	3,507 10 3	0 0 0	2,916 6 6	591 3 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Oochobanund Shaw ...	1,996 3 3	0 0 0	20 0 0	1,976 3 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Omertolall Daw ...	2,702 12 9	0 0 0	366 0 0	2,336 12 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Palmer and Co. ...	5,63,832 8 11	3,86,454 0 2	1,67,301 1 5	10,077 7 4	0 0 0	4,814 6 11	Nothing further recoverable.
Pehmoller and Co., G. ...	29,930 10 5	6,652 1 8	21,320 8 11	1,947 15 10	1,868 0 9	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Patrick, William ...	1,548 4 5	0 0 0	229 8 7	1,318 11 10	0 0 0	441 14 6	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Pittis, Edward ...	2,323 14 0	1,662 11 5	395 15 4	265 3 3	22 3 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Palmer, John ...	7,707 11 7	4,003 14 9	761 0 4	2,942 12 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Parbutty Churn Bose ...	613 14 1	0 0 0	141 14 1	472 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Palmer, Thomas ..	1,473 0 0	0 0 0	887 4 9	585 11 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent finally discharged.
Pew, P. L. ...	51,299 3 0	33,963 5 7	12,739 14 8	4,594 14 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Panioty, C. ...	614 1 0	0 0 0	146 0 0	468 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Parry, John ...	4,996 8 11	1,597 6 10	1,504 13 0	1,894 5 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Petre, Martin ...	1,201 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	1,201 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Payne, Thomas and Sons ...	19,549 12 9	11,436 15 10	7,039 1 10	1,073 11 1	783 1 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvents finally discharged.
Palmer, W. S. ..	4,408 12 9	3,074 5 0	885 14 2	448 9 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Peary Mohun Sett ...	600 0 0	0 0 0	97 0 3	502 15 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Price, Henry ...	15,380 1 3	0 0 0	14,585 12 3	794 5 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Paterson, G. A. ...	1,182 1 6	0 0 0	888 14 0	293 3 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Pittar, W. J. of J. Corfield & Co.	5,612 2 0	4,177 1 11	1,007 14 9	427 1 4	137 8 10	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Pritchard, C. J. A. ...	1,150 5 6	244 15 0	623 2 9	282 3 9	210 2 9	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent finally discharged.
Parke Pittar ..	3,59,005 5 10	1,83,709 12 1	1,60,599 14 11	14,695 10 10	9,395 3 8	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Posner, J. ...	7,075 8 6	2,028 4 9	2,842 15 6	2,204 4 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery. Ditto.
Pertab Chunder Roy ...	6,783 1 6	0 0 0	645 14 6	6,137 3 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Payne & Co., (Bombay Firm) ..	4,500 0 0	0 0 0	245 0 0	4,255 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Quillet, DeGaye & Co. ...	6,539 10 4	3,148 1 11	2,380 4 6	1,011 3 11	1,011 3 11	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Runtz, Rees and Co. ..	19,490 12 2	3,468 11 5	10,021 4 8	6,000 12 1	6,000 12 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Railey, G. F. (W. Newson & Co.)	11,476 7 5	7,095 7 8	2,865 9 0	1,515 6 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Russell, C. D. ...	8,785 14 2	5,875 12 11	1,024 6 4	1,885 10 11	1,308 1 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Rugghoonath Bose ...	1,778 13 4	517 12 5	377 14 6	883 2 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Rogers, Alexander ...	10,642 14 5	5,963 0 4	4,136 10 9	543 3 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Rozario, John ...	373 15 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	373 15 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Rajkissore Dutt ..	4,337 12 0	0 0 0	661 12 9	3,675 15 3	0 0 0	883 13 3	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Roussac, A. G. ...	12,304 10 3	8,940 2 5	1,063 11 3	2,300 12 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Rushton, William ...	933 13 3	426 12 0	181 4 0	385 13 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Ramdhone Mitter ...	828 0 7	0 0 0	158 0 0	670 0 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Rustomjee, Cowasjee & Co. ...	9,414 4 5	0 0 0	5,653 14 3	3,760 6 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvents finally discharged.
Rustomjee, Cowasjee ...	1,812 4 7	0 0 0	165 0 0	1,647 4 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Ramsabuck Misser and two others	68,418 3 2	0 0 0	9,916 13 6	58,501 5 8	25,436 0 10	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.

Rajkissen Bysack ...	850 0 0	0 0 0	409 12 0	440 4 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable. Insolvent finally discharged.
Robinson, S. H. ...	1,129 10 9	0 0 0	132 0 0	997 10 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Ramnarain, Sreemany ...	2,164 4 6	0 0 0	1,513 9 9	650 10 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Ritchie A. S. ...	573 14 7	0 0 0	169 10 0	404 4 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Robinson, J. J. (Wallace & Co.)	3,052 8 8	0 0 0	1,976 1 0	1,076 7 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Romanath Gossain ...	2,521 12 0	1,019 6 1	523 12 10	978 9 1	891 10 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Roop Chand Dutt ...	3,619 0 0	1,695 5 5	1,351 10 11	571 15 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Randolph, Henry Jobb ...	590 7 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	590 7 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Rajender Dutt ...	1,975 15 1	1,196 12 9	292 7 4	486 11 0	340 11 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Ramanund ...	1,028 2 3	0 0 0	572 0 0	456 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Roose, H. C. B. ...	1,443 5 0	0 0 0	993 2 0	450 3 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Ramruttun Radhakissen ...	14,901 10 1	9,396 7 2	5,451 5 2	53 13 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Ramnath Janokepersad and Mohanundloll Brojolall ...	5,296 4 9	0 0 0	2,792 3 0	2,504 1 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Rooplall Nundun, Mohindernath Nundun, and Issur Chunder Mitter ..	3,024 0 0	852 13 1	1,914 15 2	256 3 9	209 1 4	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Ross, C. (2nd) ...	233 4 9	0 0 0	325 8 0	207 12 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ordered to pay Rs. 250 per month from June 1873.
Saunders, May, Fordyce and Co.	4,02,725 6 10	3,21,706 9 10	68,892 6 2	12,126 6 10	11,999 6 7	1,909 13 6	Nothing further recoverable.
Stewart and Co., W. C. ...	5,757 8 7	1,876 6 7	770 3 11	3,110 14 1	1,816 4 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Saunders, S. J. ..	15,319 13 2	11,347 9 5	1,534 8 9	2,437 11 0	2,227 2 4	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Senaes, W. DeM. ..	1,287 14 10	0 0 0	8 0 0	1,279 14 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Smith, W. S. ..	3,620 13 5	2,635 15 6	471 0 8	513 13 3	471 11 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Stocquelar, J. H. ...	7,132 1 6	0 0 0	5,425 3 1	1,706 14 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Schlatter, Michael ...	20,294 14 10	13,948 6 9	2,325 5 7	4,021 2 6	1,388 14 4	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto
Sumbhoonath Mullick ...	612 10 5	0 0 0	203 12 0	408 14 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Smoult, W. H. ..	1,813 5 5	0 0 0	218 7 7	1,594 8 10	0 0 0	441 7 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Sheppard, G. A. .	5,583 14 0	4,014 4 5	594 5 8	975 3 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Sarkies and Co., P. J. ...	52,610 10 9	5,924 2 9	45,295 11 3	1,390 12 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Sarkies, P. J. ...	10,227 7 7	5,824 6 7	3,013 13 5	1,389 3 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Smith, C. R. ..	2,286 2 3	586 12 9	681 1 1	1,018 4 5	919 9 6	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Scott, C. C. J. .	7,723 13 9	4,659 10 11	2,002 0 10	1,062 2 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Shaw, David ...	396 7 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	396 7 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Simpson, James ..	365 14 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	365 14 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Smith, Huffnagle and Co. ..	24,626 12 2	13,828 7 4	10,669 9 1	128 11 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Stubbs, W. V. G. ..	3,486 13 7	0 0 0	1,604 7 11	1,882 5 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Snook, J. V. ...	775 10 0	0 0 0	158 0 0	617 10 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Smith, G. M. G. ..	1,000 0 0	0 0 0	501 8 6	498 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Sumbhoonath Mullick ...	1,139 0 6	0 0 0	821 3 6	317 13 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Ditto.
Sutherland, Thomas ..	1,108 11 1	0 0 0	410 0 0	698 11 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto. Insolvent dead.
Saunders, J. O'B. ..	1,200 0 0	0 0 0	721 0 3	478 15 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	Whole Disbursements.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Portion of balance invested in Government Securities.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.	
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.					
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Sreegopaul Misser ..	1,951 0 0	0 0 0	507 1 0	1,443 15 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable	Insolvent dead.
Sumbhoo Chunder Chuckerbutty	1,798 2 0	0 0 0	1,525 12 9	272 5 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Sheeburne, Nathaniel ...	8,624 3 11	2,186 10 10	5,949 7 8	488 1 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Solamon, Maladina ...	64,023 6 10	40,621 13 10	16,912 0 1	6,459 8 11	6,278 2 2	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Stewart, W. M. ...	24,989 4 9	12,513 15 1	6,325 15 7	6,149 6 1	5,610 9 8	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Sanneeram and Sreeram ...	9,183 13 0	4,365 14 6	4,299 12 10	518 1 8	460 10 11	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Sandeman, D. ..	2,817 0 0	0 0 0	91 0 0	2,726 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Smith, William ..	1,221 15 6	0 0 0	855 5 0	366 10 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Sreenath Mullick ..	17,782 7 7	11,886 7 10	3,126 3 2	2,769 12 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
Shaik Meheerwoollah ..	470 10 2	160 0 0	71 4 10	239 5 4	200 7 8	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Sheppard, W. A. ..	3,402 0 9	2,365 8 2	837 0 0	199 8 7	98 7 9	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Savigny, Henrietta ..	796 4 3	0 0 0	508 13 0	287 7 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Sewnundun Pawray ...	32,083 9 9	16,745 0 9	7,271 7 9	8,067 1 3	5,137 7 4	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.	
Slack, G. W. ..	1,680 0 0	603 1 0	847 12 8	229 2 4	39 1 11	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	
Smith, William, (2nd) ..	1,661 4 0	717 8 0	675 15 6	267 12 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.	Insolvent finally discharged.
Smith, A. M. ...	2,800 10 7	0 0 0	538 0 0	2,262 10 7	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Tulloh and Co., (1st) ...	1,20,561 10 6	68,596 14 0	50,617 7 9	1,347 4 9	1,158 6 6	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	
Tulloh and Co., (2nd) ...	19,207 10 6	7,964 9 2	9,587 1 3	1,656 0 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Thomas and Co. ...	4,51,432 8 3	3,81,251 1 9	49,460 6 2	20,721 0 4	1,741 8 2	2,706 14 0	Ditto	ditto.
Thomas, Robert, (1st) ...	631 4 1	0 0 0	214 4 0	417 0 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.
Turton, John ...	358 7 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	358 7 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Trower, Charles ...	2,177 9 0	240 0 0	72 0 0	1,865 9 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Thomas, G. P. ...	2,690 1 7	1,776 3 4	806 14 1	107 0 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Twentyman and Co. ..	628 11 6	0 0 0	152 2 1	476 9 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Ditto.
Thomas, John ...	740 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	740 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Tarachund Kurramull and Dowlutchund ..	22,970 1 11	6,210 6 9	14,187 12 0	2,571 15 2	2,199 13 3	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Teitkins, A. H. ...	5,671 12 10	3,819 12 0	1,248 0 5	604 0 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent finally discharged.
Tomkins, W. ...	938 15 9	0 0 0	702 1 6	236 14 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto.
Turton, Sir T. E. M. ...	2,49,940 13 4	1,48,439 0 10	1,00,388 13 6	1,112 15 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto	ditto. Insolvent dead.

Toyluckanath Roy and Rycharn Roy ..	24,293 7 0	0 0 0	1,015 0 3	23,278 6 9	0 0 0	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.	
Tareeney Churn Ghose ..	580 4 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	580 4 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Vandenberg, J. B., (1st) ..	6,214 4 6	2,327 15 7	2,732 5 4	1,153 15 7	925 3 11	0 0 0	Small annual interest on a Trust Fund.	
Vandenberg, J. B., (2nd) ..	4,807 13 0	3,365 12 8	311 15 0	1,130 1 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	
Vincent and Co. (F. J. D'Elbaoux)	938 5 3	214 10 4	496 15 5	226 11 6	187 4 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Wills, F. F. ...	7,102 7 11	892 13 4	2,906 1 7	3,303 9 0	3,303 9 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Willis, Joseph ..	1,19,690 7 6	87,428 9 8	29,841 10 4	2,420 6 3	841 9 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Insolvent dead.
Wood, Olliffe and Co. ...	3,276 6 10	0 0 0	1,427 4 6	1,849 2 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Whyttenbach and Co., E. ...	3,209 1 10	2,103 1 10	623 10 5	482 5 7	453 1 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Walker and Fournier ...	2,805 3 5	0 0 0	2,333 1 7	472 1 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Wallace, Alexander and Co. ...	23,959 8 0	9,151 1 10	5,883 4 5	8,925 1 9	8,865 8 7	959 9 1	Ditto ditto.	
Waring, E. S. S. ...	3,066 8 8	1,769 2 9	469 6 3	827 15 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Williams, Stephen .	20,504 1 5	17,226 4 11	2,148 2 5	1,129 10 1	457 14 7	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Wright, Charles ...	265 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	265 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Wilton, G. B. ..	1,589 15 1	0 0 0	115 8 5	1,474 6 8	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Wilton, T. C. ...	400 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	400 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Watson and Co. and Gibbon and Co. ...	1,06,516 3 11	86,129 10 5	15,806 4 2	4,580 5 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Insolvent finally discharged.
Wood, H. W. J. ..	2,539 13 0	0 0 0	709 10 9	1,830 2 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Williams, William ..	500 0 0	0 0 0	55 0 0	445 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Winser and Co. ...	31,049 3 8	24,648 5 7	6,126 5 11	274 8 2	172 15 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Ditto.
Wilson, A. ...	920 3 6	0 0 0	16 0 0	904 3 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Wiseham, William ...	967 3 6	0 0 0	32 0 0	935 3 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Walker, Archibald ...	827 13 0	0 0 0	40 11 9	787 1 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Webb, John ..	4,457 8 3	1,781 12 1	1,028 3 11	1,647 8 3	655 6 11	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	Insolvent dead.
Wilcox, H. C. .	710 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	710 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Wood, D.	1,414 3 0	0 0 0	698 4 9	715 14 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	
Wood, John ..	513 11 0	0 0 0	64 0 0	449 11 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto	
Wallis, C. B. ..	8,433 12 10	6,592 2 1	1,411 4 3	430 6 6	120 11 5	0 0 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.	Insolvent finally discharged.
Young, Joseph ..	500 0 0	0 0 0	258 10 0	241 5 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.	
Zuccani, E. ..	427 2 0	0 0 0	0 7 0	426 11 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.	

In addition to the above, there are 330 estates with balances under Rs. 220 each, aggregating Rs. 25,859-8-9, the particulars of which may be learnt at the Official Assignee's Office.

The Official Assignee has received for remuneration for the last quarter Rupees five thousand three hundred and thirty-seven, five annas and eleven pie.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st November 1873.

J. C. MACGREGOR,
Official Assignee.

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INSOLVENCY NOTICE.

In the event of the following Dividends remaining unclaimed for six months from this day, the same will be paid into Court.

In the matter of MARCAR GREGORY, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	As.	P.	1st Dividend at 7 per cent., 1st February 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
3	Amicable Insurance Office	187	14	6	13	2	5
16	Ameerchund Setty	2,493	8	0	174	8	9
18	Angelo Brothers	12,532	11	0	877	4	7
21	Cohen, E. E.	50	0	0	3	8	0
34	Hurro Chunder Day and Co.	60	0	0	4	3	2
34½	Gvagarry Gurrazee	4,090	15	4	286	5	10
25	Mukunloll Ghose	42	4	6	2	15	4
17	Remedues, J. J. Doss	262	6	4	18	5	11
8	Sangchye and Co.	233	7	0	16	5	5
14	Swiss Lloyd Insurance Company	274	8	0	19	3	5
6	Tavasanutta Naidoo	1,291	14	7	90	6	11
10	Toulmin and Co., L. W.	256	4	3	17	15	0
26	Triton Marine Insurance Company	317	4	0	22	3	4
36	Takoordoss Sein and Rajnarain Dhur ...	48	0	0	3	5	9
24	Vardon, E. S., &c.	261	15	3	18	5	5

In the matter of FRANCIS JOHN DEELBOUX, (OR VINCENT AND CO.,) Insolvents.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	As.	P.	1st Dividend at 15 per cent., 1st February 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
17	Abdool Sumeed	20	0	0	3	0	0
23	Abbott and Co	15	0	0	2	4	0
5	Burgett, W.	120	0	0	18	2	5
13	Brojonauth Dutt	43	2	0	6	7	6
18	Bunkoobeharry Day	14	5	0	2	2	4
4	Cones, A.	200	0	0	30	0	0
12	Debakur Day	26	9	6	3	15	10
22	Gunnesh Chunder Ghose	14	6	0	2	2	6
28	Gourhurry Sircar	12	1	0	1	12	10
7	Hunter and Co.	50	0	0	7	8	0
16	Justices of the Peace	15	0	0	2	4	0
15	Kallychurn Sadkhan	40	0	0	6	0	0
6	Lindsay, E.	175	0	0	26	4	0
9	Mendes, L.	54	1	3	8	1	9
14	Ramdhone Shaw	139	0	0	20	13	7
10	Smith, W.	11	0	0	1	10	5
11	Syed Ahmed	23	0	0	3	7	2
24	Shamchund Doss	35	0	0	5	4	0
25	Templeton, W. G.	90	0	0	13	8	0

In the matter of GEORGE WAKEFIELD MARRIOT, an Insolvent.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	As.	P.	2nd Dividend at 11 per cent., 1st February 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
2	Beresford, G.	1,006	0	0	110	10	7
6	Brown and Co., F. W.	200	0	0	22	0	0
13	Kunnyaloll	1,700	0	0	187	0	0
7	Lepage and Co.	150	0	0	16	8	0
9	Storm, John	510	0	0	56	1	7
1	Vaughan, Captain J. Luther	1,915	9	2	210	11	5
11	Widdowson and Viale	700	0	0	77	0	0

In the matter of WOOMACHURN PAUL AND KADARNAUTH PAUL, Insolvents.

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 1½ per cent., 1st February 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
	SUGAR ACCOUNT.						
71	Anundomoye Dabee	142	8	0	1	12	6
9	Brojonauth and Purresnauth Dutt	7	14	0	0	1	7
14	Bholanauth Ghose	20	12	0	0	4	2
16	Byddonauth Dutt	377	1	0	4	11	5
22	Bydonauth Doss	53	4	0	0	10	8
23	Bissumber Roy	2,030	9	6	25	6	1
36	Bhuggobutty Churn Dey and Prosonnomoye Dossee	2,076	0	0	25	15	2
47	Bindabun Chunder Bannerjee	1,575	0	0	19	11	0
65	Bipprodoss Dey	5	0	0	0	1	0
6	Chooneyloll Baboo and Cossy Takoor	20	8	0	0	4	7
5	Goluck Chunder Sircar	25	0	0	0	5	0
12	Gobind Chunder Ghose	32	0	0	0	6	5
20	Greesh Chunder Coondoo and Co.	473	0	0	5	14	1
31	Gopaul Chunder Mookerjee	200	10	0	2	8	2
7	Hurris Chunder Bose	13	1	0	0	2	7
69	Hurry Doss Ghose and Gopaul Chunder Mookerjee...	16	0	0	0	3	2
2	Juggernauth and Gooroochurn Sing ...	89	1	0	1	1	10
13	Jogendronauth Ghose	3	0	0	0	0	7
53	Joygopaul Bannerjee	201	1	6	2	8	3
56	Juggessur Mausanto	1,134	0	0	14	12	10
10	Kissoredoss and Buhurrah Sing	17	13	9	0	3	7
11	Koylas Chunder Chatterjee	42	6	6	0	8	6
29	Kasseenauth Ruckheet	115	13	0	1	7	2
35	Kameeny Dossee	225	14	6	2	13	2
48	Kustoorchund and Ramgopaul	10,442	11	9	130	8	7
44	Lallchund Paul	190	13	0	2	6	2
30	Mohamaya Dossee	452	15	6	5	10	7
63	Modhoomundoss and Dwarkadoss	25	0	0	0	5	0
70	Mothoor Mohun Mookerjee	90	0	0	1	2	0
46	Neebarun Chunder Aush	1,048	0	0	13	1	7
4	Ootum Chunder and Mungle Chunder Ruckhitt ...	6	1	6	0	1	3
3	Rummunloll Ghosaul	9	2	9	0	1	10
8	Ramjeedoss and Fuckeerchund	6	3	6	0	1	3
28	Ramcomul Paul	732	8	0	9	4	6
34	Ramgopaul Paul	225	5	0	2	13	1
42	Ramtarun Gungopadhia	803	3	3	10	0	8
45	Ramkulpo Dutt	474	4	0	5	14	10
55	Ruttoo Sirdar (Estate)	800	0	0	10	0	0
62	Rajender Chunder Paul	25	0	0	0	5	0
1	Setulpersaud Kurgopersaud	21	0	0	0	4	2
17	Shibchunder Roy	5,012	5	6	62	10	6
21	Sreenauth Chunder Nundy	569	3	3	7	1	10
43	Shamchund and Pertaub Chunder Paul ...	1,029	8	0	12	13	11
27	Ulluckmoney Dossee	301	15	3	3	12	5
64	Ujoodheapersaud and Mothoorah Doss ...	5	0	0	0	1	0
18	Woomesh Chunder Mookerjee	7,805	3	3	97	9	1
	TWIST ACCOUNT.						
1	Boistubchurn Sreemaney	13	8	0	0	2	8
2	Brijomohun and Protabchund De	10	14	6	0	2	3
12	Bubboo Baboo	169	13	6	2	2	0
15	Bhuggyrut	6	10	0	0	1	4
36	Bholloye Sing	4	0	9	0	0	10
14	Cally Baboo	7	13	0	0	1	7
18	Cisteedhur Shaha	148	10	6	1	13	9
29	Cally Sunker Tarrachund Coondoo	235	0	0	2	15	0
32	Cally Churn Misser	10	10	6	0	2	2
33	Chottah Baboololl	5	9	0	0	1	1
34	Custoorchund	6	12	0	0	1	4
27	Denonauth Purramanik	148	1	6	1	13	7
31	Dwarkanauth Dutt	1,021	6	6	12	12	3
9	Goberdhone Baboo	7	15	9	0	1	9

Numbers.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	As.	P.	2nd Dividend at 1½ per cent., 1st February 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
21	Grant Smith and Co.	11,068	13	6	138	5	9
23	Graham and Co.	1,787	9	6	22	5	6
10	Joogy Mull	34	1	0	0	6	10
25	Juggomohun and Bissessur Doss	2,947	3	0	36	13	5
35	Juddoonauth Paul	4	8	6	0	0	11
8	Khaunchun Loll and Bubboo Baboo	26	11	6	0	5	6
37	Kistocoomary Dossee	38	8	0	0	7	8
24	Lyall Rainey and Co.	3,748	8	0	46	13	8
5	Mosely Hurst and Co.	201	0	3	2	8	2
19	Mohenchunder Shaha	14	0	0	0	2	10
11	Niccamull	90	0	0	1	2	0
38	Petumber Coondoo	3	0	0	0	0	7
7	Rampersad Baboo	111	4	0	1	6	3
17	Roopoll Khettry	14	11	0	0	2	11
28	Ramlochun Hurrischunder Paul	800	13	6	10	0	2
6	Shand, Fairly and Co.	34	14	3	0	7	0
13	Sreenauth Bose	20	15	3	0	4	2
20	Surroop Chunder Hurris Chunder Shaha ...	2	11	2	0	5	5
26	Shamchund and Pertaub Chunder Paul ...	425	2	0	5	5	0
4	Wheatenbeg and Co.	5,977	7	6	74	11	6
	LINSEED ACCOUNT.						
7	Boodbebarry	9	5	0	0	1	10
8	Baneymaudub Pattock	2	3	6	0	0	5
1	Chundernanth Dallaul	19	0	0	0	3	10
4	Echaram Muroololl	6	8	3	0	1	4
3	Nilmaudub Dey	4	0	0	0	0	10
2	Punchanun Mookerjee	18	5	9	0	3	8
6	Prosonno Chunder Chatterjee	2	2	0	0	0	5
10	Parbutty Churn Mitter	3	0	6	0	0	7
5	Ramjeebun Doss	172	10	6	2	2	6
9	Rampersaud Khottah	9	10	6	0	1	7

CALCUTTA, the 6th December 1873. (547—2) J. C. MACGREGOR, *Official Assignee.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of ANNA AMELIA SMYTH, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on the first Court-day in February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 8th December 1873.

IN the matter of RAYMOND COLES DUNSFORD of No. 22, Elliot's Road, in the Town of Calcutta, carrying on business of Photographer at Wellesley Place, in the said Town of Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice that the Petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. Chap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, on Thursday, the 11th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Ghose and Bose, *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of RAYMOND COLES DUNSFORD, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Ghose and Bose, *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of HURRAN CHUNDER CHUCKERBUTTY of Ahreetollah, in the Town of Calcutta, carrying on trade and business as a Produce Merchant, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of December instant, it was on the petition of Omrao Shah and Sewram, creditors of the said Insolvent, adjudged that the said Hurran Chunder Chuckerbutty hath committed an act of Insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI. Vic. Chap. XXI., and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

G. Gregory, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of BEHARY LALL MITTER of No. 19, Noyan Chund Dutt's Street, Simlah, in Calcutta, out of employ, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. Chap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

J. Hart, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of BEHARY LALL MITTER, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 10th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. Hart, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of FRANCIS ARTHUR EAGLETON, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 10th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. Hechle, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of KRISTOLOLL GOSSAIN, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 20th day of November last, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until the first Court day in January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Kedarnauth Mitter, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of ARRATOON JOHANNES SARKIES and GREGORY ARRATOON SARKIES, Insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad-interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvents, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 6th day of January next, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ *"Any Creditor of the said Insolvents desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid."*

M. Camell, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of ARRATOON JOHANNES SARKIES and GREGORY ARRATOON SARKIES, Insolvents.

On Monday, the 15th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

M. Camell, *Attorney*.

In the matter of ARRATOON JOHANNES SARKIES and GREGORY ARRATOON SARKIES, both respectively of No. 106, Old China Bazar Lane in the Town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as house-builders and contractors, formerly at No. 36, Wellington Square in the Town of Calcutta, and subsequently at No. 106, Old China Bazar aforesaid, under the name and style of A. J. Sarkies and Son, Insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 15th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

M. Camell, *Attorney*.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 16th December 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1873.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Fifth Publication.]

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in a month.

A Bill to provide for the Voluntary Registration of Mahomedan Marriages and Divorces.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the voluntary registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces within the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; and whereas it is expedient that Registrars of such marriages and divorces should be recognised and licensed by the Local Government, it is enacted as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to issue a license to any person being a Mahomedan, either by name or as holding any office for the time being, authorising him to act as Registrar of Mahomedan marriages and divorces.

2. Such licenses may be given on the recommendation of the Magistrate of the district, or in Calcutta, of the Commissioner of Police, to any member of any Mahomedan sect who can show that he is usually resorted to as a professional witness in such cases by his co-religionists, or that he has practised the duties of Kazi, and that he is well versed in Mahomedan law, provided always that satisfactory evidence is produced of his being a person of good moral character.

3. No Mahomedan marriage or divorce which would otherwise be valid shall be held to be invalid merely by reason of its not having been registered before a Registrar licensed under this Act.

4. Each licensed Registrar under this Act shall keep a Register Book in a form to be laid down by the Local Government in which he shall enter all marriages and divorces,—the parties to which shall desire to have them so registered. He shall also, if requested at the time, give an extract of any entry affecting them to either of the parties to such entry.

5. The entry of any marriage or divorce in the Register Book shall be signed by the Registrar, and signed, sealed, or marked by the persons married or divorced, and shall be attested by at least two credible witnesses who were present at the ceremony, and every such entry shall be made in order from the beginning to the end of the book, and any extract of any entry given to the parties shall be numbered to correspond with the number of the entry in the Register Book, and shall be authenticated by signature of the Registrar.

6. The Registrar shall keep safely the said Register Book until the same shall be filled, and shall then, or if he shall leave the district, make over the same to the District Registrar of Assurances for safe custody.

7. Any Registrar who shall discover any error to have been committed in the form or substance of any such entry may, within one month next after the discovery of such error, in the presence of the parties married, or divorced, or in case of their death or absence, in the presence of two other credible witnesses, who shall respectively

at least the same, correct the incorrect entry according to the truth of the case by entry in the margin without any alteration of the original entry, and shall sign the marginal entry, and add thereunto the day of the month and year when such correction shall be made, and shall if possible give or cause to be delivered a corrected copy of the extract to the parties to the original entry.

8. Every Registrar shall at all reasonable times, and on the payment of such fees as may be agreed upon, search or permit search to be made in any such Register Books, and shall give a copy under his hand of any entry or entries in the same.

9. Every certified extract of any entry in any Register Book purporting to be signed by the licensed Registrar, shall be received as evidence of the marriage or divorce purporting to be so entered or of the facts purporting to be so certified therein, without further proof of such Register Book or extract, unless and until the genuineness of such entry or extract or the truth of the facts set out in it be disproved.

10. Whoever shall wilfully destroy or injure or cause to be destroyed or injured any such Register Book or any part thereof, or any such authenticated extract as aforesaid, or shall wilfully insert or cause to be inserted any false entry in any such Register Book or authenticated extract, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to seven years, and shall also be liable to fine.

11. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to draw up rules and prescribe forms for giving effect to the provisions of this Act, and to charge a fee not exceeding Rs. 2 for each license granted under the Act, provided always that no rule shall be laid down to interfere with the taking by any licensed Registrar from the parties to any marriage or divorce of any fee, which custom or his position may entitle him to demand.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The attention of the Government has for some time past been drawn to the increasing number of offences against marriage shown in the criminal returns, especially in the eastern and Mahomedan districts. The remarkably small number of convictions obtained in such cases taken together with their increasing numbers, seemed to indicate the existence of a grievance which the Criminal Courts are at present unable to redress. Inquiry has proved that this is in fact the case. The loose notions regarding the marriage tie prevalent among the lower orders of Mahomedans lead to the frequent institution of criminal charges, while the absence of any authorized system of registration of marriage and divorce (since the office of Kazi ceased to be recognized by law) makes it difficult to furnish the amount of proof which the Criminal Courts require to warrant their taking action.

It appears to the Government that the legal recognition of an authorized system of registering Mahomedan marriages and divorces will go far to supply the existing want, and this Bill provides such a system. The Registrar will, as regards such registration, take the place which was filled by the old Kazis, and certified copies of extracts from his register are made *primâ facie* proof of the facts recited therein. But the registration of marriages and divorces is left optional with the parties concerned, and all questions of remuneration are left to be settled between the Registrar and the parties who avail themselves of his services.

H. L. DAMPIER.

The 29th November 1873.

H. MILLETT,

Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Judicial and Legislative Depts.

[First Publication.]

THE following Bill, as settled by the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal on the 13th December 1873, is, by orders of the President, published for general information :—

A Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law regulating the emigration of native inhabitants of India from or through the provinces subject to the Government of Bengal to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and the manner of engaging and contracting with native inhabitants of the said provinces to proceed to the said districts, and providing for the protection of the persons so proceeding, and for the enforcement of the contracts of service entered into by them; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Chapter I.—Application and Miscellaneous.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Labor Districts Emigration Act."

Repeal of Act II of 1870.

2. Bengal Act II of 1870 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to the transport of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and their employment therein*) is hereby repealed. All contracts entered into, appointments made, and licenses granted, under the said Act, or any of the Acts thereby repealed, shall be deemed to have been respectively entered into, made, and granted under this Act.

Interpretation clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

India.

"India" means the territories for the time being vested in Her Majesty by the Statute 21 and 22 Vic., cap. 106, entitled "*An Act for the better government of India,*" other than the settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore, and Malacca.

Labor Districts.

"The Labor Districts" means the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and "a labor district" means one of those districts.

Magistrate.

"Magistrate" includes a magistrate of a district or of a division of a district, and any magistrate of the first and second class, and any magistrate of police for the town of Calcutta.

Employer.

"Employer" means the chief person for the time being in charge of any lands upon which laborers may be employed.

"Garden Sirdar" means any person authorized by certificate by an employer to engage natives of India to proceed to a labor district under a contract to be made and executed according to the provisions of this Act.

Garden Sirdar.

"Recruiter" means any person licensed under the provisions of this Act as a recruiter.

Recruiter.

"Contractor" means any person licensed under the provisions of this Act as a contractor.

Contractor.

"Emigrant" means any native of India above the age of sixteen years who has engaged with any garden-sirdar or recruiter or any other person to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring men for hire.

Emigrant.

"Laborer" means any emigrant who has been conveyed to a labor district in accordance with a contract made under the provisions of Bengal Act III of 1863, Bengal Act VI of 1865, Bengal Act II of 1870, or this Act, during the duration of such contract.

Laborer.

"Vessel" includes a steamer, a flat, a boat, and anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property.

Vessel.

"Master" means the person for the time being in charge of a vessel.

Master.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act, and from time to time alter, vary, and revoke such rules:—

Power of the Lieutenant-Governor to make rules.

(1)—To regulate the subordination of the several officers of emigration to the superintendent.

(2)—To prescribe the periodical returns and reports to be made by the emigration officers, by magistrates, and by the inspectors of laborers.

(3)—To prescribe the amount of the several fees to be paid under the provisions of this Act.

(4)—To provide for the management and regulation of contractors' depôts and of hospital depôts.

(5)—To provide for the medical care of emigrants during their residence at the depôts, and during transport to a labor district.

(6)—To prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be carried on vessels taking emigrants.

(7)—To prescribe the clothing to be supplied to emigrants while proceeding to a labor district.

(8)—To prescribe the description, quantity, and quality of provisions to be taken by vessels carrying emigrants, and the daily allowance to be issued to each emigrant during the journey.

(9)—To provide for the ventilation and cleanliness of vessels during the journey, to prescribe the number of officers, cooks, and other servants, and to provide for their control; and to provide generally for the accommodation of emigrants.

(10)—To provide for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of all emigrants detained at any place by order of a magistrate on account of sickness.

(11)—To provide for the periodical inspection of laborers, and the books to be kept by inspectors of laborers.

(12)—To provide for the house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and supply of rice to be provided by employers for their laborers.

(13)—To provide for the hospital accommodation and medical care of laborers, and to prescribe the nature, quality, and quantity of medical drugs and other stores to be provided for them.

The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time fix penalties not inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act for infringements of any such rules, which may be enforced and recovered as other penalties under this Act on conviction by a magistrate: Provided that no penalty shall exceed five hundred rupees.

All such rules, with the penalties (if any) for their infringement, shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall be separately printed and sold to the public at 4 annas for each copy.

5. Every contract made with an emigrant, and all arrears of wages due under any such contract, and all fines imposed on any employer under the provisions of this Act, shall be a charge upon the lands upon which such laborer has been engaged to work.

Contract made with emigrant is a charge upon the land;

The owner of such lands for the time being shall have all rights and remedies against such laborer, as if such owner had been originally the party executing such contract as employer.

and is transferred with the land.

No person, after he has ceased to be the owner of such lands, nor his property nor effects, shall be in anywise liable or responsible for any breach of such contract which may have occurred after he has ceased to be such owner.

Determination of ownership determines liability.

6. Any engagement or contract made under the provisions of this Act by a native of India, who is above the age of sixteen years, shall be held valid.

Any person above the age of 16 years may contract.

7. No contract to labor in the Labor Districts for more than one year shall be binding upon an emigrant, unless it is made in accordance with this Act; and no emigrant shall be bound to fulfil any contract of labor upon any estate or portion of an estate which has been declared unfit for the residence of laborers under the provisions of Sections 118 and 119.

No contract binding for more than one year, unless under the Act.

No contract binding where estate declared unfit for residence.

8. For every offence against the provisions of this Act, for which no special penalty or amount of fine is prescribed, the offender shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees. Wherever in this Act no special term of imprisonment is appointed in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall be liable to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term not exceeding one month.

Penalty for any offence not especially provided for.

9. All offences against this Act committed without the town of Calcutta shall be inquired into and tried according to the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and all offences against this Act committed within the said town shall be inquired into and tried by a police magistrate of the said town according to the provisions of the laws regulating the investigation and trial of offences within the said town, which shall be for the time being in force.

Procedure on trial of offences created by Act.

Agent in Calcutta may procure order from superintendent of emigration cancelling the contract on payment of expense of return.

31. On the arrival in Calcutta of any emigrant whose contract has been executed by a garden-sirdar on behalf of his employer, any person empowered to act as the agent or representative of such employer may require the emigrant to appear before the superintendent of emigration for the purpose of cancelling the contract. The superintendent of emigration shall, on the appearance of such emigrant, declare that the contract is cancelled, if a sum of money sufficient for his support during his return to the place at which he was engaged, be paid to him before himself, and not otherwise, and shall make an endorsement to that effect on the contract, and shall attest it with his signature. Provided that the contract of any husband or wife or parent or child of such emigrant, who may have executed a contract at the same time with the same employer, shall be cancelled at the request of such person, and in such case an equal sum of money shall be paid to such person.

Must report arrival in labor district.

32. As soon as possible after the arrival of the garden-sirdar with emigrants at the place of disembarkation, or at the nearest civil station in the district within which the emigrant has engaged to labor, the garden-sirdar shall report himself to the magistrate of the district or division of the district or to any subordinate magistrate whom the magistrate may depute for that purpose, and such magistrate shall check the number of emigrants landed with the number of those registered, and shall report to the superintendent of emigration any deaths which may have occurred on the journey. Any garden-sirdar who neglects to report himself as aforesaid shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Chapter 4.—Contractor.

Form of license.

33. The license granted to a contractor under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in the schedule (C) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding one hundred rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a contractor, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Fee.

Period.

To give information to superintendent.

34. It shall be the duty of every contractor to afford such information to the superintendent of emigration, and to make such returns and reports to him as the superintendent, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may from time to time require.

To establish and maintain depôts.

35. Every contractor shall forthwith, upon obtaining his license, establish a depôt in a place to be approved of by the superintendent of emigration. Every such depôt shall be maintained by such contractor for the reception of natives of India to be supplied or forwarded by or through him. All such natives shall on their arrival at or in the neighbourhood of the depôt so established by the contractor, by, through, to, or for whom they were engaged or forwarded, be forthwith received therein; and shall receive in such depôt, at the expense of such contractor, suitable lodging, food, clothing, and medical attendance, until such native shall be declared by the superintendent to be no longer thereto entitled. Every such depôt as aforesaid shall be under the supervision of the superintendent, and shall be open to his inspection and the inspection of the medical inspector at all times.

May act as recruiter.

36. A contractor may without other license act as a recruiter, and shall in such case be subject to all the provisions hereinafter contained with regard to recruiters.

Establishment of hospital depôt.

37. In addition to the depôts for the reception of emigrants which the contractors are required to establish and maintain, the Lieutenant-Governor may at any time direct that a separate depôt shall be established and maintained at any place for the reception of emigrants who are affected with cholera or other contagious disease. Whenever such hospital depôt is established, every contractor may be required to contribute to the expense of establishing and maintaining it in such proportion as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct. Such hospital depôt shall be under the charge of the medical inspector, who shall be competent at any time to direct the transfer thereto of any emigrants on or after their arrival at any depôt.

Contractor to contribute to expense.

Under charge of medical inspector.

Chapter 5.—Recruiter.

Form of license.

38. The license granted to a recruiter under section 14 shall be in the form set forth in schedule (D) annexed to this Act. For every license there shall be paid to the superintendent of emigration a fee not exceeding sixteen rupees. Every such license shall be in force for one year and no longer; and in case of misconduct or disobedience to, or neglect of, any of the provisions of this Act by a recruiter, the superintendent may cancel his license before the expiration of such period.

Fee.

Period.

Recruiter must hold a pass.

39. Every recruiter shall hold a written pass signed by the contractor on whose behalf he is licensed to act.

No authority till license is countersigned by magistrate of recruiting district.

40. A recruiter shall not have authority in any district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to engage or attempt to engage a native of India to become an emigrant until his license has been countersigned by the magistrate of the district, or of the division of the district, or in Calcutta, until his license has been countersigned by the commissioner or the deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta; and such magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police shall, unless it appears to him that the person to whom a license has been granted is unfit to be employed as a recruiter, countersign such license.

Magistrate may withdraw license and suspend recruiting.

The magistrate or commissioner or deputy commissioner of police may at any time for any sufficient reason withdraw such license, provided that in any such case he shall record his reasons in writing, and shall forward a copy thereof without delay to the superintendent of emigration.

Recruiter to provide accommodation for natives before license is countersigned.

41. The magistrate or the commissioner or deputy commissioner of police in Calcutta, to whom any recruiter's license shall have been exhibited for countersignature, shall not countersign the same until he shall be satisfied that sufficient accommodation has been provided and is available for such natives of India as may be engaged by such recruiter pending their removal to a depôt.

Magistrate charged with superintendence of accommodation.

The magistrate of the district, or division of the district, in which there may be any such accommodation provided, shall have, for the supervision, management, and regulation of such accommodation, all such and the same powers and authorities as are vested in the superintendent of emigration for the supervision, management, and regulation of depôts which are subject to the powers and authority of the superintendent.

Native to be taken for examination to medical officer, who may reject.

42. Every native of India who shall, in any place or town within the said provinces, enter into any engagement with any recruiter to proceed to a labor district, for the purpose of laboring for hire, shall be brought by such recruiter before such medical officer as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time appoint to examine such natives within such place or town; or, if no such officer has been appointed, before such medical officer as the magistrate may direct. The medical officer shall thereupon examine the native brought by the recruiter, and shall reject him or shall certify in writing that he is in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and work for hire in a labor district.

If certified to be fit, native to be taken to magistrate.

43. Every such native who is certified by the medical officer, as required in the last preceding section, to be fit to emigrate to a labor district, shall thereupon appear with the recruiter before the magistrate of the district or division of the district within which the place or town where the engagement was entered into is situate. The recruiter shall at the same time produce his license to the magistrate.

Magistrate to examine native respecting the engagement.

On the appearance of such native the magistrate, after inspecting the medical certificate, shall examine him with reference to his engagement, and if it appears that he understands such engagement as regards the locality, period, and nature of the service, the rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied, and that he is willing to fulfil the same, the magistrate shall register in a book to be kept for the purpose—

If satisfied, magistrate will register certain particulars

(1.) The name, the name of the father, and the age of such native;

(2.) The name of the village or place of which such native is a resident;

(3.) The contractor's depôt to which it is intended that he shall proceed;

(4.) The labor district to which he is engaged to proceed;

(5.) The period of service;

(6.) The rate of wages, and the price at which rice is to be supplied.

If dissatisfied, will reject.

If the magistrate thinks that such native does not understand the nature of the engagement, or has been induced to enter into the engagement by fraud or misrepresentation, or if the recruiter shall not have produced his license, he shall refuse to register such native.

Copy of registration to be given to emigrant.

44. A certified copy of his registration, written on substantial paper, shall be furnished by the magistrate to each emigrant.

Copy of registration and medical certificate to be sent to superintendent.

45. A certified copy of every such registration and the original certificate of the medical officer shall be forthwith forwarded by the magistrate to the superintendent of emigration.

Fee for registration.

46. For the registration of every such native the recruiter shall pay to the registering officer a fee not exceeding one rupee and eight annas.

Similar provisions for natives recruited in Calcutta.

47. The provisions of the five preceding sections shall be applicable to all natives of India engaged by recruiters within the town of Calcutta, except that they shall be brought for registration before the superintendent of emigration therein.

Natives recruited in districts not in Bengal.

48. Every native of India who shall be brought or induced to come by any recruiter from any province or district not under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of entering into a contract in a district under such control, shall be presented by the recruiter for medical examination and registry under the provisions of this chapter at some place within the district under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, into which he shall first come, or at Calcutta, if he shall first come there.

Penalty for forwarding natives without registration.

49. Every recruiter, who forwards or accompanies any native of India from the district or division of the district within which the place or town where he has been recruited is situate, or into which, under the last preceding section, he has first come, or who induces any such native to leave such district or division of district for the purpose of proceeding to a labor district, without being duly registered as above required; or who forwards, accompanies, or induces any such native to proceed to any depôt other than the depôt registered under section 35, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished in respect of every such native so forwarded, accompanied, or induced, with a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to one month.

Recruiter must accompany emigrants to depôt, or depute person approved by magistrate.

50. All emigrants proceeding to a depôt shall be accompanied throughout the journey by the recruiter himself, or by a competent person appointed by him with the approval of the magistrate, by whom such

emigrants have been registered. The magistrate shall give to the person so appointed a certificate under his signature stating that he has been appointed for the journey to the depôt.

Recruiter must provide food and lodging for emigrants on journey.

51. Every recruiter, by whom any emigrant is forwarded or accompanied to a depôt, shall, throughout the journey, provide such emigrant with proper and sufficient food and lodging. If it shall appear to a magistrate, on the complaint of any such emigrant at any place on the journey, that the recruiter has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging at such place, such recruiter shall, on conviction by such magistrate, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees. The whole or any portion of such fine may be awarded to such emigrant as compensation. If the fine be not paid within twenty-four hours, the recruiter shall be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to one month.

Chapter 6.—Depôt.

Contractor to report arrival of emigrants.

52. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival at any depôt of any emigrant, the contractor by whom such depôt is maintained shall give to the superintendent of emigration a notice in writing of such arrival, which notice shall be in such form and shall contain such particulars as the superintendent shall prescribe.

Emigrants to be inspected by medical inspector immediately on arrival.

53. The copy of the registration and the medical certificate of every emigrant received by the superintendent as provided in section 45 shall be shown to the medical inspector; and all emigrants shall be inspected by the medical inspector at the depôt. If he be satisfied that an emigrant is in a fit state of health, and able in point of physical condition to journey to and labor in a labor district, he shall countersign the copy of the registration; if he be not satisfied thereof, he shall give a certificate to that effect to the superintendent.

Medical inspector to examine emigrant if medical certificate not given.

The medical inspector shall examine any emigrant in regard to whom a medical certificate is not forthcoming, and shall certify whether such emigrant is in his opinion in a fit state of health and able in point of physical condition to journey to and work for hire in a labor district; and if satisfied of his fitness, he shall countersign the copy of the registration.

Emigrant rejected by medical inspector to be sent back.

54. If the medical inspector shall certify that any emigrant so examined is in such a state of health that his journey to a labor district would be dangerous to himself or to others, or that he is unfit for labor in a labor district, the superintendent may order the contractor, or the garden-sirdar, if such emigrant has been forwarded or brought to the depôt by a garden-sirdar, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged. Provided that any such person, who from his state of health is, in the opinion of the medical inspector, unfit to undertake the journey back to the place where he was engaged, shall, until he is reported by the medical inspector fit to undertake such journey, be fed, clothed, lodged, and medically attended at the expense of such contractor, or of such garden-sirdar, as the case may be. If such contractor or garden-sirdar negligently or wilfully omits to provide food, clothing, lodging and medical attendance for such person, the superintendent may order such contractor or garden-sirdar to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

55. Whenever an emigrant remains behind or is detained under the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so remaining behind or detained. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain behind with the father or mother.

Emigrant ill-treated during journey may obtain compensation.

56. If upon the arrival of any emigrant at the depôt, it shall appear to the superintendent of emigration on the complaint of such emigrant, that he has suffered any ill-treatment on the journey, or that the recruiter or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, has failed to provide him with proper and sufficient food and lodging, the superintendent may cause him to be removed from the depôt, and may order the contractor or garden-sirdar, for or by whom he shall have been taken to such depôt, to pay to him a sum of money by way of compensation, or sufficient to enable him to return to the place at which he was engaged, and in such latter case he shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Contract to be explained by superintendent and executed in duplicate, and abstract to be entered in book to be kept by superintendent.

57. Every emigrant, who is passed by the medical inspector as in a fit state of health and able, in point of physical condition, to journey to and labor in a labor district, shall execute a contract with the employer with whom he intends to contract before he is forwarded from the depôt. Such contract shall, in the presence of the superintendent of emigration, be signed in duplicate both by the emigrant and by the employer with whom he intends to contract or his agent. The contract may be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, and shall be on substantial paper. Before the emigrant signs the contract, the superintendent shall personally explain it to him, and shall attest such contract and certify at the foot thereof that he has personally explained the same. An abstract of every such contract shall be entered in a register to be kept by the superintendent for the purpose, and after such contract has been so entered, one of the duplicates shall be given to the emigrant, and the other to the person with whom he has contracted or his agent.

The superintendent shall, within seven days after the entry of such abstract, send by post a certified copy of every such abstract to the magistrate of the district in which the service under such contract is agreed to be performed.

Penalty on emigrant refusing to execute contract.

58. Any emigrant who, without reasonable cause, refuses to execute such contract in conformity with the engagement previously registered shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine equal in amount to the entire cost incurred by, or on behalf of, the contractor, or the

garden-sirdar, as the case may be, in engaging, registering, and bringing or forwarding him to the depôt, and shall forthwith be discharged from such depôt. Every fine levied under the provisions of this section shall be paid to the contractor or garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom the person from whom such fine shall have been levied was originally registered.

Penalty on contractor failing to provide contract.

59. If within thirty days after the arrival of any emigrant at a depôt, the contractor or, if he has been engaged by a garden-sirdar, the garden-sirdar on whose behalf or by whom such emigrant has been registered, shall not tender to him for execution such contract as under the provisions of the preceding sections he would be bound to execute, the superintendent may order the contractor or the garden-sirdar, as the case may be, to pay to him a sum of money sufficient to enable him to return to the place where he was engaged, and in such case such emigrant shall not be bound to execute any contract.

Money ordered to be paid by superintendent may be advanced by him and recovered.

60. If any contractor or garden-sirdar who may be ordered, under the provisions of sections 54, 56, and 59, to pay any sum of money, shall for twenty-four hours omit to comply with such order, it shall be lawful for the superintendent to advance the amount so ordered to be paid to the person named in such order, and to recover from such contractor or garden-sirdar or his employer the sum so advanced, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of such advance.

Chapter 7.—Transport.

Emigrant to be forwarded to labor district with permission of superintendent.

61. When the contract of any emigrant has been executed under the provisions of this Act he may, with the permission of the superintendent of emigration, be forwarded to the labor district in which he has engaged to labor by the contractor in whose depôt he is residing, or by the employer with whom he has made the contract or his agent.

To be furnished with a pass.

Every such emigrant shall be furnished with a pass in the form set forth in schedule (E) annexed to this Act, signed by the contractor or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and countersigned by the superintendent of emigration and by the embarkation agent at the place at which the laborer embarks, specifying his name and age, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer. Every such pass shall be entered in a book to be kept by the embarkation agent, and shall be dated and numbered in a consecutive series.

Vessel must be licensed to carry emigrants.

62. It shall not be lawful for the master of any vessel, without a license granted by the embarkation agent within the local limits of whose authority any emigrant may embark, to convey more than twenty emigrants at any one time to or towards any labor district.

Fee for license.

A fee not exceeding four annas for every emigrant shall be paid for every such license, and it shall be in the discretion of the embarkation agent to whom application is made to grant or withhold any such license. Such license shall be in force for only one voyage to one or more of the labor districts, and shall specify the number of emigrants which the vessel is licensed to carry and the number of persons (including the crew) other than emigrants whom such vessel is licensed to carry.

Penalty for carrying without license.

The master of any vessel, in which at one time more than twenty emigrants are conveyed without a license having been obtained as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for delay in despatching vessel.

63. Such license shall state the date on which the vessel shall leave the place at which the emigrants are to embark. If the vessel does not leave such place and proceed on its voyage within 24 hours of the day fixed, the master thereof shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each day during which the vessel remains at or within five miles of the place of embarkation. Provided that such penalty shall not be incurred if the delay is caused by or with the sanction of the embarkation agent or by any casualty incidental to or attending navigation, or is due to other reasonable and sufficient cause.

Fraudulent alteration of vessel after grant of certificate.

64. If the master of any vessel, after having obtained a license as aforesaid, fraudulently does or suffers to be done any act or thing whereby the state of the vessel is altered, so that such vessel is unfit for the accommodation of the number of emigrants mentioned in such license, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for receiving on board more passengers than number specified in license.

65. The master of any vessel licensed to carry emigrants, who receives on board his vessel a greater number of emigrants or other persons than the number specified in his license shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine for every emigrant or other person so received in excess of the licensed number.

Two children under ten to be counted as one person.

66. In computing under this Act the number of persons on board of any vessel, two children under the age of ten years shall be reckoned as one person only.

Master not to embark emigrants, on vessel carrying more than 20 emigrants, without a pass.

67. It shall not be lawful for the master of any vessel, whether licensed or not, to embark any emigrants on board his vessel for conveyance to, or towards a labor district, if the total number of persons to be carried by such vessel (exclusive of the crew, and of any garden sirdar or other person accompanying the emigrants,) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass by the embarkation agent in the form set out in Schedule (E) of this Act.

Punishment.

The master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with a fine not exceeding ten rupees for every emigrant illegally taken on board.

No pass without certificate of medical inspector.

The embarkation agent shall not grant any such pass without a certificate from the medical inspector that such emigrants may be allowed to embark without danger to the health of other persons on board the vessel.

Embarkation agent to furnish the master with a list of emigrants on board.

68. The master of a licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall not proceed on the voyage towards a labor district until he has received from the embarkation agent a list of all the emigrants on board.

List shall contain all the particulars noted in the pass of each such emigrant; but if all the emigrants whose names are entered in any one pass embark on board the same vessel, it shall be sufficient if the number and date of such pass are noted in the list. The embarkation agent and the master of the vessel shall together personally ascertain that the number of emigrants on board corresponds with the number entered in such list.

List shall to contain.

To be compared with emigrants by agent and master.

If the master of such vessel allows any emigrant not entered in such list to proceed in the vessel, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for admitting emigrants not in list.

The embarkation agent shall send a copy of the said list or an extract from it to the magistrate of the labor district to which any of the emigrants are proceeding.

Copy of list to be sent to magistrate.

69. There shall be laden under the supervision of the embarkation agent on board of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants to or towards any labor district, at the time of the embarkation of such emigrants, such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required under the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act.

Provisions, medical and other stores, medical officers, cooks, &c.

The master of any such vessel who shall commence the voyage without having on board such supplies of provisions, clothing, medical drugs, and other stores, and such medical and other officers, and such cooks and other attendants, as may be required as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Penalty if master proceeds without.

70. No vessel carrying two hundred emigrants shall be allowed to proceed on the voyage unless a medical officer, who is a licentiate in medicine, or who is declared to be qualified for such charge by order of the Lieutenant-Governor, has been appointed to the charge of such emigrants. And any master who shall commence the voyage without having on board such medical officer as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, and, in default of payment, imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

Vessel carrying 200 emigrants must carry a qualified medical officer.

71. If the master of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall, save as hereinafter is provided, cause or permit any emigrant, whose contract has been executed under the provisions of this Act, finally to leave such vessel at any place other than that named as the destination of such emigrant in his pass, such master shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for each such offence. Provided always that this section shall not be deemed to prevent the master of any vessel from permitting emigrants to disembark at any place or places on the voyage so long as such disembarkation is not intended or known to be likely to be final; nor to prevent the final disembarkation of any emigrants in case of accident or other unavoidable necessity, if such accident or necessity be forthwith reported to the embarkation agent by whom the license of such vessel was granted, and to the nearest magistrate in the district within which such accident may occur or necessity arise.

Emigrant not allowed finally to leave vessel at any place other than that mentioned in pass.

72. Every licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall stop at every place in which a magistrate is stationed, intermediate between the places of embarkation and disembarkation of such emigrants, and shall remain during not less than six hours of daylight. The master of every such vessel shall immediately on arrival report to the magistrate, or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 89, the number of emigrants on board, the general state of their health, and the number of deaths (if any) which have occurred among the persons who embarked on such vessel.

Master to report arrival of emigrants at every intermediate station where there is a magistrate.

Any master who wilfully omits to comply with the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

73. A magistrate may at any time go on board of any licensed vessel carrying emigrants while within the limits of his jurisdiction, and may inspect the vessel, the emigrants, and all persons on board. The master and officers of such vessel shall be bound to afford to such magistrate all reasonable facility for such inspection, and to give him all such information respecting the emigrants or other persons on board as may be reasonably required, and respecting any deaths which may have occurred on board, and respecting any other facts which may affect the health of the emigrants.

Magistrate may at any time inspect vessel.

Master bound to give all information required.

Any master or other officer, who wilfully omits to give any such information to such magistrate, shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Penalty for omission.

74. On the arrival of any licensed vessel, or at any time while it is within the limits of his jurisdiction, the magistrate may regulate the communication between such vessel and the land, and may prohibit all persons from leaving the vessel and all persons on land from proceeding on board. And any person not complying with any order made under this section shall on conviction be punished with fine.

Magistrate may regulate communication between vessel and land.

75. A magistrate may, if he has reason to believe that any emigrants on board any licensed vessel within the limits of his jurisdiction are or are likely to be affected with any infectious or contagious disease, detain such vessel, and require the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inspect the emigrants on board such vessel, and to report on their health, and whether any or what measures are requisite for the removal or prevention of such disease. After the submission of such report the magistrate may detain the vessel for a further period not exceeding five days for the purpose of carrying out such measures, if any, recommended by the medical officer in his report, and he may further detain at such station for medical treatment any emigrant who is affected with any infectious or contagious disease.

Magistrate may detain vessel for inspection and for removal of disease, and may detain sick emigrants.

Magistrate may detain sick emigrants,

76. If it appears to a magistrate expedient that any emigrant, whose contract has been executed under the provisions of this Act, should not be allowed to proceed towards a labor district, in consequence of ill health, he may order the detention of such emigrant; and in such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant.

and shall arrange for their accommodation and treatment.

Expenses how to be recovered.

77. All expenses incurred under Section 76 by a magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 89, in respect of any emigrant so detained, shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the contractor by whom the emigrant has been engaged or forwarded; or in the case of an emigrant engaged by a garden-sirdar, from the employer from whom such garden-sirdar received his certificate.

Detention of emigrants having infectious diseases.

78. If it appears to a Magistrate that the health of any emigrant (other than an emigrant mentioned in the last preceding section) is such, that he cannot proceed without endangering the health of those on board, he may order the detention of such emigrant.

Measures to be taken if excess number of emigrants is found on board.

79. If it appears to a magistrate making an inspection of any licensed vessel that the number of emigrants on board is larger than the number specified in the license, he may remove the excess number and detain them until another opportunity of forwarding them to their destination is found. The necessary expense of maintaining such emigrants, and of conveying them to their destination, shall be recoverable by such magistrate or other officer who may have been deputed as aforesaid from the master of such vessel.

Infraction of the Act and rules to be reported.

80. In any case in which, on making an inspection of a licensed vessel, a magistrate shall find that any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act have not been complied with, he shall report the same to the embarkation agent by whom the license to carry the emigrants was granted to such vessel; and, if the circumstances of the case are such as in such magistrate's opinion make it necessary so to do, he may detain the vessel until the provisions of this Act, or any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor as aforesaid, have been complied with, so far as to make it possible for the voyage to be further prosecuted with safety and reasonable comfort to the emigrants.

Vessel may be detained.

On arrival of licensed vessel at the place of disembarkation, the master shall give information to the magistrate.

81. Whenever any licensed vessel carrying emigrants arrives at a civil station at which it is intended that any of such emigrants shall disembark, the master shall immediately give notice of the arrival to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 89, and shall forward to him at the same time the list furnished to him by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 68, or a copy of so much of the said list as relates to the emigrants who are to disembark. The master shall not permit any emigrants, whose contracts have been executed under the provisions of this Act, to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate.

Magistrate shall send information to employer or agent.

Immediately on the receipt of such notice the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. And he shall at the same time direct the civil medical officer of the station, or other qualified medical officer, to go on board such vessel and to inspect such emigrants.

And direct medical inspection.

Report of medical inspection.

Such medical officer shall, without delay, make a careful inspection of all such emigrants; and, after making such inspection, shall prepare and sign a report, in which he shall certify the state of health and general condition of each emigrant so inspected.

Sick emigrants to be detained at station.

82. The magistrate shall detain at the station for medical treatment any emigrant, whose contract has been executed under the provisions of this Act, who is, in the opinion of the medical officer, in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the place at which he has contracted to labor. In such case he shall cause all necessary arrangements to be made for the accommodation, support, and medical treatment of such emigrant, and all expenses so incurred by the magistrate in respect of any emigrant so detained shall, with interest at six per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrant has contracted.

If necessary provision has been made for the support and lodging of the emigrants, they shall be made over to employer or agent.

83. The magistrate shall also ascertain whether reasonable provision has been made for the support and lodging of emigrants, whose contracts have been executed under the provisions of this Act, from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination. If he is satisfied that such reasonable provision has been made, the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted or his agent shall forthwith take charge of such emigrants except those, if any, detained under the provisions of the last preceding section. But if such reasonable provision has not been made, or if the employer or his agent shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, the magistrate shall order such arrangements to be made, and incur such expenses as under the circumstances may seem to him necessary; and the amount of expenses so incurred by him in the disembarkation, or in respect of the food, lodging, medicines, hospital attendance, or clothing of the laborers, shall, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, be recoverable by him from the employer with whom such emigrants have contracted.

If not made, or if employer or agent not present, magistrate to make arrangements.

Expenses recoverable from employers.

If emigrants are to disembark at a place other than a civil station, medical inspection to be made at the civil station last preceding.

84. It is intended that emigrants, whose contracts have been executed under the provisions of this Act, on board of any licensed vessel shall disembark at a place which is not a civil station, the master of such vessel shall report the arrival, as required in section 81, to the magistrate or such officer as may have been deputed by the magistrate in that behalf under the provisions of section 89, at the last civil station which such vessel shall pass before arriving at the said place of disembarkation, and shall not proceed on his voyage until the medical inspection of such emigrants has been made as provided in the said section. The master shall not permit any such emigrants to leave the vessel without the order of the magistrate. Immediately on the receipt of such notice, the magistrate shall send information of the arrival of the emigrants to the employers with whom they have contracted, or to the agents of such persons. When such inspection has been made, the magistrate shall, without delay, authorize the master to proceed on his voyage, provided that he may, if he thinks fit, detain any emigrant who is unfit to proceed under the provisions of section 76.

Disembarkation at such place.

85. On the arrival of any licensed vessel at a place of disembarkation which is not a civil station, emigrants, whose contracts have been executed under the provisions of this Act, who are to disembark at such place shall, in case the employers with whom they have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, be present, be disembarked and given in charge to such employers or agents. Provided that in case the medical officer in charge of such emigrants, if there be any such medical officer, and if there be not, then the master of the vessel in which such emigrants have been conveyed, shall be of opinion that any of such emigrants are in such a state of health as to be unfit to proceed to the places where they have respectively contracted to labor, or that reasonable provision for the support and lodging of such emigrants from the time of their disembarkation till they reach their final destination has not been made, or in case the employers with whom such emigrants have contracted to labor, or the agents of such persons, shall not be present at the place of disembarkation, then and in every such case the emigrants so unfit to proceed, or for whose support reasonable provision has not been made, or whose employers may not be present personally or by their agents, shall be further conveyed in the vessel to the next civil station, and shall be there disembarked, and the place at which they shall be so disembarked shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be their place of disembarkation.

If necessary provision not made, emigrants to be carried on to next station.

86. Whenever an emigrant is detained under the provisions of sections 76, 82, or 84, or is further conveyed under the provisions of section 85, it shall be optional with the wife or husband of such emigrant, as the case may be, to remain with the emigrant so detained, or to be taken forward along with the emigrant so further conveyed. If there are any children, they shall also be allowed to remain, or be taken forward with the father or mother.

Family of detained emigrant may remain with him.

87. Every medical officer who is required to make a report under the provisions of this chapter, shall submit such report to the magistrate, and shall enter therein the name and age of each emigrant, the name of his father, the place of his destination, and the name of his employer, as set forth in the list prepared by the embarkation agent under the provisions of section 68.

Particulars to be entered in the reports of medical officers.

88. The magistrate or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of section 89, shall make a detailed report to the superintendent of emigration, of the arrival of all emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, and of all proceedings taken and orders passed by him under the provisions of this chapter, and shall forward with such report a copy of every report made to him by a medical officer relating to emigrants proceeding to a labor district. He shall also forward to the superintendent any observations which he or the medical officer may think fit to make in regard to the state of health and general condition of the emigrants. Whenever such reports or observations relate to emigrants carried in a licensed vessel, he shall forward them to the embarkation agent by whom such emigrants were despatched, and the agent shall transmit them to the superintendent with any remarks which he may desire to record.

Magistrate to report arrival of all emigrants, and all proceedings, to the superintendent of emigration; in certain cases through the embarkation agent.

89. The magistrate of a district, or of a division of a district, may depute any subordinate magistrate to exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on a magistrate under the provisions of sections 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 79, 80, 81, 82, 84, and 88.

Magistrate may depute a subordinate magistrate to discharge the functions of the magistrate.

90. Every master of a vessel, or medical officer in charge of emigrants on board of any vessel carrying emigrants, who shall wilfully and knowingly neglect or refuse to obey or to enforce on board of such vessel any rule which may from time to time be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty, if master or medical officer neglects to enforce rules.

91. Any offence against any of the provisions of this chapter, or of any rule made by the Lieutenant-Governor under the authority of this Act, committed on board of any vessel, may be tried by any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in any place at which emigrants may have embarked on board such vessel, or may have disembarked from such vessel, or in any place in which such vessel may be detained under the provisions of this Act.

Jurisdiction, if offence created by this Act is committed on board.

92. Any emigrant, whose contract has been executed under the provisions of this Act, who deserts while in transit from the district in which he has been registered to the district in which he has engaged to labor may, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a period which may extend to three months. Such offence may be inquired into and tried in the district in

Punishment of emigrant for desertion.

which such emigrant is apprehended, or in the district in which the desertion took place, or in the district in which he was registered.

Provisions of sections 27, 29, 30, 31, 51, 54, 56, 69, 75, 76, 80, 82, 83, and 84 to apply to children, &c., accompanying emigrants.

93. The provisions with regard to engaged natives of India and emigrants contained in sections 27, 29, 30, 31, 51, 54, 56, 69, 75, 76, 80, 82, 83, and 84 of this Act, shall be applicable to such women, children, and aged relatives of such natives and emigrants as may, with the consent of a contractor, recruiter, or garden-sirdar, as the case may be, and with the written permission of the registering magistrate or superintendent, accompany them without having entered into an engagement.

Provisions of this Chapter not to apply to domestic servants, &c.

94. The provisions of this Chapter shall not apply to domestic servants, or to any person proceeding alone or accompanied by his wife and family only.

PART III.—LABOR DISTRICTS.

Chapter 8.—Inland Labor Transport Fund.

Annual rate payable by employers.

95. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time, by order published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, fix a yearly rate, not exceeding one rupee and eight annas per laborer, for the purpose of defraying the expense of carrying out the purposes of this Act; and the sum or rate so fixed shall be paid half-yearly by each employer on the last day of July and the last day of January in each year for each laborer entered in the last return of laborers furnished (as is hereinafter provided) by such employer before such date.

Payment of rate how to be enforced.

96. If any employer shall fail to comply with the provisions of the last preceding section, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to notify such default to him; and if within one month from the receipt of such notification, or such longer period as it may, under special circumstances, appear to the magistrate reasonable, such employer shall not so comply, the magistrate shall, by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer, levy the sum so payable.

If there shall be no such moveable property, or insufficient moveable property so found, the amount shall be recoverable by a civil regular suit from the person for whose benefit the laborers in respect of whom the same may be payable shall have been employed. In every such suit the Government shall be named as plaintiff, and the cause of action shall be taken to have arisen within the limits of the jurisdiction of any court having jurisdiction at any place where any such laborers may have been employed by such employer.

Fines, fees, and rates to be credited to "Inland Labor Transport Fund."

97. Subject to the powers conferred on a magistrate by this Act or by the Code of Criminal Procedure, of awarding fines in whole or in part as compensation to or for the benefit of any complainant or other person, all fines, fees, and rates levied and paid under this Act shall be credited to a fund which shall be called the "Inland Labor Transport Fund," and such fund shall be at the disposal of the Lieutenant-Governor for defraying the expenses of carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Chapter 9.—Inspector's Returns and Magistrates' Inspections.

Appointment of inspectors and assistant inspectors.

98. The Lieutenant-Governor may appoint in any labor district so many inspectors and assistant inspectors of laborers as he may think proper, and may define, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the local limits within which each such inspector and assistant inspector shall exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on him by this Act. Such inspectors and assistant inspectors may be by the said Lieutenant-Governor vested with all or any of the powers of a magistrate.

Establishment.

99. The Lieutenant-Governor may authorize inspectors and assistant inspectors to entertain such establishment as he may think fit.

Duty of assistant inspector.

An assistant inspector shall perform all such duties and exercise all such powers of an inspector as he is authorized in writing by the inspector to perform or exercise.

Half-yearly report of laborers employed, of their state of health, and of mortality.

100. Every employer shall, on or before the last day of January and the last day of July in each and every year, make out in writing, and deliver to the inspector of laborers, a return of the number of all laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed by such employer on the last day of the preceding month, and return of the sickness and mortality among the laborers during the preceding six months.

Separate returns of each class of laborers to be kept.

Such returns shall be kept separate with regard to each class of laborers as above mentioned, and, in the case of laborers as defined by this Act, the return of laborers employed shall specify the date on which the contract of each laborer commenced, and the period of service contracted for.

Copies to be kept.

Copies of such returns shall be entered in a book to be kept by the employer at his place of business or on his estate.

Entry to be made of death, desertion, &c.

101. If any laborer shall die, desert, complete his contract, or obtain a release therefrom during the six months preceding any such return as in the last preceding section is mentioned, the fact of such death, desertion, completion of contract, or release, shall be entered in the book to be kept as aforesaid by the employer, opposite the name of such laborer.

Entry to be made of name and description of laborer.

102. On the arrival of any laborer, as defined by this Act, on the estate of his employer, the name and description of such laborer shall be entered in the book to be kept as aforesaid by the employer, and in like manner the name and description of every person, who shall contract to labor otherwise than under the provisions of this Act, shall be so entered. Such book shall be open to the inspector of laborers, who shall have power to muster all laborers and other persons lastly hereinbefore mentioned, and to verify the accuracy of the entries in such book.

Penalty for omission to transmit such report, or for submitting false report.

103. If any employer shall refuse or wilfully omit duly to send in any such return, or shall knowingly send in an incorrect return, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Periodical inspection of laborers to be made by inspector.

104. Every inspector of laborers shall once within each of such periods as may be fixed for such purpose by the Lieutenant-Governor, visit all lands within the limits of his authority on which there shall be employed any laborers, and inspect every hospital, tent, camp, or building in any way used by any such laborers, and investigate the condition of the laborers employed; and for such purpose the inspector may require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and may make such inquiries as may to him seem proper. Every such inspector shall keep books, in which from time to time shall be entered the number of laborers then under contract with each employer, the number who shall then be sick or missing, or who shall have complained of ill-treatment, the particulars of such complaints, and such other particulars regarding the laborers as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time direct. Each inspector shall annually make a written report to the Lieutenant-Governor through the Commissioner of the division of the aforesaid particulars; and every such report, as regards the laborers under any particular employer, shall, at all reasonable times, be open to the inspection of such employer or any person by him appointed in writing in that behalf, and the person so inspecting shall be entitled to take a copy of the report so far as it relates to such laborers.

Books to be kept by inspector.

Annual report.

Such report open to inspection by employer.

105. It shall be lawful for any magistrate exercising jurisdiction in the district, or any person authorized by him in writing in that behalf, at any time to enter and inspect any hospital, tent, camp, or building, wholly or partially used by or for laborers, and to require that any laborer shall be brought before him with his contract, and to make any inquiries which he may think proper touching the condition or treatment of any laborer.

Magistrate may at any time inspect laborers' buildings used by them, &c.

If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, wilfully obstructs or impedes any entry, inspection, or inquiry, made under either of the two preceding sections, such employer or other person as aforesaid shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees for each such offence.

Penalty for obstructing inspection or inquiry.

Chapter 10.—*Regulation of Labor.*

106. Every employer shall from time to time, with the sanction of the inspector previously obtained, fix the daily tasks to be executed by the laborers employed by such employer, and shall frame a schedule of such daily tasks, and publish the same by posting a copy thereof in the Bengali language upon the door of each place of payment of the laborers employed by such employer, and by sending a copy thereof in the English language to the inspector.

Schedule of daily tasks to be framed.

107. No laborer shall be bound to work under his contract more than six days in one week, or more than six hours consecutively, or more than nine hours on any one day.

Maximum amount of labor.

108. If at any time the inspector considers such schedule of daily tasks or any part thereof to be unreasonable, he shall refer the consideration of such schedule to a committee consisting of the inspector, of some employer to be nominated by him, and of some person to be nominated by the employer whose schedule is to be considered, or on his default by the inspector.

Inspector may submit schedule to a committee.

109. In case the said committee or the majority in number thereof are of opinion that the daily tasks in such schedule contained, or any of them, unreasonable, they shall modify and reduce such daily tasks in such manner as they shall deem reasonable, and such schedule so modified shall be published in manner aforesaid, and every schedule published as aforesaid shall have effect as between the employer and laborers in substitution for any former schedule.

Committee to revise schedule.

Chapter 11.—*Incapacity for Labor.*

110. It shall be lawful for the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority any laborer may be employed, to suspend, for such period as he shall consider advisable, the contract of such laborer, or any particular term thereof, if such laborer shall be, in the judgment of such inspector, temporarily unfitted for the performance thereof by reason of sickness, pregnancy, or other sufficient cause. Provided that every such suspension shall be endorsed by the inspector on the contract. Provided also that every such laborer shall, during such incapacity, receive such subsistence money from his employer as shall be considered sufficient by the inspector, and that the time during which the suspension continues shall not be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve.

Inspector may suspend contract of any laborer temporarily unfitted for labor.

111. If it shall be found that any laborer has been compelled to perform any species of labor for which he was at the time unfit, the employer by whom he was so employed shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Penalty for compelling laborer to perform work for which he is unfit.

112. If, in the opinion of the inspector of laborers, any laborer shall be permanently incapacitated for the performance of his contract or any material part thereof, the inspector shall certify to that effect in writing, and deliver such certificate to the employer of such laborer or some one on his behalf, and from the date of such certificate the contract of such laborer shall wholly cease and determine. The inspector shall make a return of all such cases of determination of contract in his report under section 103. Every laborer whose contract shall have been determined as aforesaid, shall be entitled to receive from his employer such sum, not exceeding three months' wages, as the inspector may award, and such sum shall be recoverable before a magistrate in the manner hereinafter provided for the recovery of wages.

Discharge of laborers permanently incapacitated.

Chapter 12.—Necessary Provision for Laborers.

Sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, and sanitary arrangements to be provided.

113. Whenever any laborers shall be employed in any labor district, the employer of such laborers shall be bound to provide for them sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice.

Hospital, medicines, &c., to be provided.

114. Every employer shall be bound to provide for his laborers such sufficient hospital accommodation, and such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor; and if three hundred or more laborers shall be employed by any employer, it shall be the duty of such employer to place in medical charge of such laborers a medical officer holding a medical diploma as licentiate in medicine, from some Indian or European collegiate institution authorized to grant diplomas, or an officer for the time being licensed by the local Government to act in such medical charge of laborers.

Inquiry whether employer has failed to provide as required by the rules.

115. It shall be lawful for any inspector or assistant inspector who is himself a magistrate, to institute within his jurisdiction, on the lands in charge of any employer, or at some place within his jurisdiction not more than ten miles distant from such lands, an inquiry whether such employer has provided for his laborers sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice. On the complaint of any inspector or assistant inspector a similar inquiry may be made by a magistrate.

Punishment for gross neglect as to house accommodation, &c., and for wilfully omitting to comply with the order of the magistrate in such respect.

116. If the employer is convicted of gross neglect in not having provided sufficient and proper house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, such employer shall be punished with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees. In any case where a magistrate shall find that proper or sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, or rice, has not been provided, he may order the employer to provide such proper and sufficient house accommodation, water-supply, sanitary arrangements, and rice. If the employer wilfully omits to comply with such order, he shall, on conviction, be punished with a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees a day for every day that such omission continues. In default of payment by the employer of the last mentioned fine, the person on whose account such employer has been acting shall be liable to pay the fine.

Penalty for failure to provide hospital accommodation, &c.

117. Wherever such sufficient hospital accommodation or such medicines of such quality and description, and according to such scale, or such medical officer as aforesaid, shall not have been provided, the employer or other person through whose wilful default the same shall not have been provided shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine for every week during which any such default continues.

Chapter 13.—Localities unfit for the Residence of Laborers.

Inspector to report.

118. If an inspector of laborers shall at any time have reason to believe that any estate or portion of an estate situated within the limits of his jurisdiction is by reason of climate, situation, or condition unfit for the residence of laborers, he shall give notice in writing of his opinion to the magistrate of the district, and such magistrate shall forthwith summon a committee to inquire into the fitness of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers. Such committee shall consist of the magistrate, the inspector of laborers, the medical officer of the district, and one or more employers of laborers, when such persons are available. If the magistrate is unable to procure the service on such committee of any employer of laborers he may, with the sanction of the commissioner of the division, appoint one or more persons whom he may deem qualified.

Magistrate to summon committee.

Proceedings of committee.

Such committee shall proceed, with as little delay as possible, to inquire into the healthiness of the estate or portion thereof to which the order appointing the committee has reference, and shall hear such information on the subject as the owner of the estate, or the employer or inspector, may desire to place before it; and if such committee, or the major part in number thereof, shall be of opinion that such estate or any portion thereof be unfit for the residence of laborers, it shall record a finding to that effect; and the contract of every laborer who shall have contracted to serve on such estate shall thereupon be void as regards such estate or portion of estate as may be found unfit for the residence of laborers.

If committee finds unfit, contract to be void as regards such locality.

Proviso as regards other localities.

Provided that every such contract shall continue valid with regard to any other portion of such estate or to any other estate of the same employer in the same district.

Lieutenant-Governor how to proceed if mortality in past year exceeds 7 per cent., or if the average of 3 years exceeds 5 per cent.

119. If it shall at any time appear that the number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on any estate or portion of an estate during the preceding twelve months, bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, or if the average annual number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) who have died on such estate or portion thereof during the preceding three years bears a larger proportion to the whole number of laborers (as well laborers defined by this Act as others) employed thereon during such period than 7 per centum, it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to direct the civil medical officer of the district or other qualified medical officer to inquire into and report on the following matters:—

Matters to be inquired into.

(1) The cause or causes of such mortality.

(2) The want (if any) of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures, on the part of the owner of

such estate or portion thereof or the employer, causing or contributing to such mortality.

(3) The fitness or otherwise of such estate or portion thereof for the residence of laborers and the reasons thereof.

Medical officer to report.

Such medical officer shall proceed with as little delay as possible, and shall hear and record such information on the subject of the several matters aforesaid as the owner of such estate or portion thereof, or the employer, or inspector may desire to place before him, and shall visit and inspect such estate or portion thereof, and shall make his report expressing the reasons of his opinion and transmit the same with the recorded information and notes of his inspection of such estate or portion thereof to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Lieutenant-Governor may declare estate unfit for residence.

If the Lieutenant-Governor, after perusal and consideration of the said report, information, and notes, shall be of opinion that such mortality was caused by the want of due care or precaution and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or the employer, and that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers by reason of the want of due care or precaution, and of the adoption of proper and available sanitary measures on the part of the owner of such estate or portion thereof or the employer, it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to declare in writing that such estate or portion thereof is unfit for the residence of laborers. Such declaration of the Lieutenant-Governor shall have the same effect as the finding of a committee under the last preceding section.

Contracts to be void as regards that estate.

120. Every employer who shall cause or permit any laborer to reside upon any such estate or portion of an estate as under the provisions of either of the two preceding sections may have been found to be unfit for the residence of laborers, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine. Provided always that in case it shall appear to the inspector that any such estate, or portion of an estate, or any part of such portion, has become fit for the residence of laborers, he shall, with the sanction of the magistrate of the district, give under his hand a certificate of such fitness, and no employer shall be liable to fine by reason of his causing or permitting laborers to reside in any place respecting which such certificate of fitness shall have been given.

Penalty on employer permitting laborer to reside in locality declared to be unfit.

Chapter 14.—Offences committed by Laborers.

Penalty on laborer for absenting himself without sufficient cause.

121. Any laborer, who shall absent himself from his labor without sufficient cause, may, on conviction by a magistrate, be sentenced to lose all claims to wages or allowances during the period of such absence, and also to forfeit to his employer a sum not exceeding four annas for each day during which such absence shall be continued; and in case such absence shall have exceeded seven days, or in case such laborer shall have been already convicted of the same offence within a period of three months, such laborer shall be furthermore sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for fourteen days.

Deserting may be apprehended without warrant.

122. If any laborer deserts from his employer's service, and no magistrate is resident within ten miles of the place where such laborer may be found, such employer or any other person acting in his behalf may, without first procuring a warrant, and without the assistance of any police officer (who, nevertheless, shall be bound to give such assistance if called upon to do so), apprehend such laborer. Provided, nevertheless, that if such laborer be found in the service of another employer, he shall not be arrested without a warrant. Provided also that any person, who shall apprehend a laborer under the provisions of this section, shall without delay give the said laborer in charge at the nearest police station, and there enter the charge upon which he shall have apprehended such laborer.

To be taken to nearest magistrate.

Any laborer so given in charge shall be conveyed, without delay, to the nearest magistrate; and, if such magistrate be authorized to deal with the case, he shall himself adjudicate upon the charge; but if not, he shall forward the said laborer, under custody, to the magistrate or bench of magistrates authorized to deal with such case, who shall thereupon adjudicate upon such charge.

Procedure upon complaint of desertion.

Upon complaint made to a magistrate by an employer, or any person acting on his behalf, that a laborer has deserted from his employer's service, such magistrate may issue a summons for the attendance of such laborer, or a warrant for his arrest, and appoint a day for the hearing of the complaint without previously examining the complainant.

Punishment.

Every laborer who deserts from his employer's service shall on conviction be punished with rigorous imprisonment which may extend to one month; and every laborer, who after having been convicted of desertion, shall again desert from his employer's service, shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with rigorous imprisonment for a period which may extend to two months; and every laborer who, after having been twice convicted of desertion shall again desert shall, on conviction as aforesaid, be punished with imprisonment, simple or rigorous, which may extend to three months.

Compensation for wrongful arrest.

If it appears to the magistrate or to the bench of magistrates adjudicating upon such charge, that such laborer has been apprehended without sufficient cause, it shall be lawful for such magistrate or bench of magistrates to impose a fine not exceeding fifty rupees on the employer, at whose instance such laborer has been apprehended, or to award compensation not exceeding fifty rupees to such laborer, and such compensation shall be paid by the employer at whose instance such laborer has been apprehended.

Conviction not to operate as a release.

123. On the expiry of any sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, save as is provided in section 124, it shall be the duty of the magistrate to make over such laborer to any person appointed on the part of his employer to receive charge of him; and no conviction under this Act, or imprisonment under such conviction, shall, save as is provided in section 124, be held to operate as a release to any

laborer from the terms of his contract. Provided, nevertheless, that the period of imprisonment shall in no case be prolonged by reason of their being no person present on the part of the employer to take charge of the laborer at the expiry to his sentence; but such laborer shall in that case be sent to the principal place of business of such employer, and the expense of such conveyance shall be levied from the employer in the manner provided in section 96.

Cancellation of contract by desertion.

124. Whenever any laborer shall have actually suffered imprisonment amounting in the whole to six months for desertion from his employer's service, it shall be lawful for the inspector, and he is hereby required, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and every such cancellation shall be certified by the inspector on the back of the contract.

Portion of sentence may be cancelled on application of employer.

125. The employer, or any person authorized to act for the employer, of any laborer imprisoned for any offence under this Act, may apply to a magistrate, at any time previous to the expiry of such sentence, that such laborer be made over to him for the purpose of completing his contract; and such magistrate may, if he see good cause, make over or forward such laborer to his employer; and in that case such magistrate shall cancel the remainder of the sentence passed on him, and shall endorse on the contract of such laborer a memorandum signed by him of such cancellation.

Expense of restoring deserting laborer to be paid by employer.

126. Every employer who obtains an order for the return or forwarding of any laborer who has deserted, shall pay the expense incurred in such return or forwarding, and shall, before the order is issued, deposit with the magistrate such sum as such magistrate may in his discretion deem to be sufficient for defraying the expense of such return or forwarding.

Time of unlawful absence or imprisonment to be excluded from contract period.

127. The duration of every unlawful absence from labor, of which any laborer may be convicted, and every sentence of imprisonment for any offence under this Act, shall be endorsed on the contract, at the time of its being passed, by the officer passing it; and no such period of imprisonment or unlawful absence so endorsed shall be reckoned as part of the term for which the laborer is bound to serve, but such term shall extend to such further period as shall be equivalent to the aggregate amount of the imprisonment and unlawful absence so endorsed.

Other person enticing away, harbouring, or employing laborer under contract.

128. Any person who knowingly and wilfully entices away, harbours, or employs, or attempts to entice from his employment, any laborer, before such laborer shall have been lawfully released from his contract, shall on conviction by a magistrate be punished with fine, the whole or any portion of which may be awarded to the employer of such laborer.

Chapter 15.—Complaints made by Laborers.

Employer to give notice to inspector if laborer wishes to complain of personal ill-usage or breach of contract.

129. If any laborer states to his employer, or to any person acting for such employer, that he desires to make a complaint to the inspector of laborers of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act on the part of such employer or other person, the person to whom such statement is made shall, within forty-eight hours send notice thereof in writing to the inspectors and in default of so doing, such person shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Inspector how to proceed on receipt of notice, or if complaint is made to him, or if he has reason to believe that there is ground for a complaint.

130. Whenever any inspector of laborer receives such notice in writing as aforesaid, or whenever any complaint of personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid, is made to him by any laborer against his employer or any person acting for such employer, or whenever the inspector has other reasonable grounds for believing that any such personal ill-usage or breach of any provision of this Act as aforesaid has been suffered by a laborer, such inspector shall forthwith, if the place in which such offence has been committed is not situated within the limits of his own authority, give notice thereof in writing to the inspector within the limits of whose authority such place is situated; and if such place be situated within the limits of his own authority, then such inspector shall, so soon as conveniently may be, proceed to some place not more than ten miles from the principal place of business of such employer, and make full inquiry into the matter complained of.

Procedure. Penalty for obstructing service of, or disobedience to, summons.

131. For the purposes of such inquiry the inspector may summon such laborer and any witnesses. If any employer, or other person acting for or under such employer, in any way wilfully obstructs the service of, or obedience to, such summons; or if the laborer or any witness summoned intentionally omits to attend as required in such summons, he shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

If complaint is untrue or frivolous.

132. If, upon such inquiry made on the complaint of a laborer, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is untrue or frivolous, he shall enter in his book the particulars of such complaint, and a short statement of the grounds of his opinion respecting it, and shall dismiss the complaint, and in such case shall endorse on the employer's copy of the contract of such complainant the number of days during which such complainant has been absent from work in consequence of such inquiry, and such number of days shall be added to the period of the contract of such complainant.

If complaint is well founded.

133. If, upon inquiry as aforesaid, the inspector is of opinion that the complaint is well-founded, he shall, if himself a magistrate, dispose of the case according to due course of law. If the inspector shall not be a magistrate, he shall without delay send the complainant and his witnesses to the nearest magistrate, and such magistrate shall thereupon dispose of the case according to due course of law.

Recovery of arrears of wages.

134. If, upon the complaint of any laborer, it is proved to the satisfaction of a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear for two months, it shall be lawful for the magistrate to award to such laborer the amount

unless such appear to be due to him; and also, by way of compensation, such further sum, not exceeding that amount, as shall appear to such magistrate to be just; and in case of default, the magistrate shall levy the entire sum by distress and sale of any moveable property which may be found in the possession or under the charge of such employer.

Compensation may be given if arrear is for two months.

135. If any employer, or any person placed in authority over any laborer by such employer, shall be convicted of any offence causing injury to the person or property of such laborer triable under the Code of Criminal Procedure by the court of session; or if any such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall be twice convicted of any such offence against such laborer triable under the said Code by a magistrate; or if it shall be proved before a magistrate that the wages of such laborer are in arrear to an amount exceeding the total of such laborer's wages for four months; or if a magistrate shall, on the report of the inspector and after due inquiry, upon oath, in the presence of the parties, be satisfied that any laborer has been compelled to perform any labor while he was unfit for it, or has been subjected to ill-usage by such employer, or any other person placed in authority over the laborer by such employer; it shall be lawful for the magistrate, if he think fit, on the application of the laborer, in each of such cases, to cancel the contract of such laborer, and award to him compensation not exceeding thirty rupees, and every such cancelment shall be certified by the magistrate on the back of such contract.

Contract may be declared cancelled, if employer is convicted of maltreatment by session court, or twice by magistrate;

or if wages are in arrear for four months;

or if ill-usage is proved.

Chapter 16.—Determination of Contract.

136. Every laborer who has completed the term of his contract shall be forthwith entitled to appear before the inspector or assistant inspector in order that the completion of his contract may be registered. If an employer detains such laborer after the completion of his contract, or fails to give notice of such completion to the inspector within one month after the date of such completion, such employer shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Laborer may appear before the inspector to register completion of contract.

Penalty if employer detains, or omits to report.

137. If any laborer is able and desirous to redeem the unexpired term of his contract of service by payment of a sum equivalent to the value thereof, such laborer may demand to be taken or allowed to go before the inspector of laborers within the local limits of whose authority he may be employed, and on his depositing such sum in the hands of such inspector, such inspector shall give notice to the employer that such laborer requires him within one week to show cause why the contract of such laborer should not be released; and, in case no sufficient cause should be shown, such inspector shall require the production of the contract of such laborer, and endorse thereon a certificate of release by purchase, and shall hold the sum in deposit on account of the employer of such laborer. If any employer, or other person authorized to act for the employer, shall neglect to comply with such demand as aforesaid, such employer, or other person as aforesaid, shall, on conviction by a magistrate, be punished with fine.

Power to redeem contract.

The value of the unexpired term of contract shall be deemed to be the aggregate amount of one rupee for every month of the unexpired portion of the first year, of three rupees for every such month of the second year, and of five rupees for every such month of the third year, of the original term of the laborer's engagement.

Value of unexpired term of contract.

138. Every laborer the period of whose contract has expired, or whose contract has been rescinded by the mutual consent of the parties thereto, or whose contract has been cancelled or redeemed under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to receive forthwith from the inspector a certificate of release in the form set forth in Schedule (F) annexed to this Act.

Certificate to be given of determination of contract.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 15.)

FORM OF CONTRACT BETWEEN EMIGRANT AND EMPLOYER.

"THIS contract made under Bengal Act of 187 , between (*emigrant's name*) of the one part and (*employer's name*) of the other part. Whereas the said (*employer's name*) has promised the said (*emigrant's name*) (hereinafter called 'the emigrant') that, if he the said emigrant do proceed to the district (*name of*) in (*name of labor district*) and do remain and labor therein on the estate of the said (*employer's name*) his successors, representatives and assigns (hereinafter called 'the employer'), he the said employer will from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, for years from the date of the arrival of the said emigrant on such estate, and that during such period he the said employer will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under the said Act at a price not exceeding

Now this contract witnesseth that the said emigrant doth hereby, in consideration of the aforesaid promise by the said employer and of the agreement by him hereinafter contained, agree with the said employer that he the said emigrant will, so soon after the execution of these presents as he shall be required so to do, proceed to the said district (*name of*) in (*name of labor district*), and will there remain and labor on the estate of the said employer for a period of years from the date of his, the said emigrant's, arrival on such estate. And this contract further witnesseth that the said employer doth hereby, on consideration of the said agreement by the said emigrant, agree with the said emigrant that he the said employer will with all convenient despatch after the execution of these presents, convey or cause to be conveyed the said emigrant free of all costs unto the estate of the said employer in the district aforesaid, and will from the date of his the said emigrant's arrival on such estate employ the said emigrant as a laborer for the period aforesaid, and will pay or cause to be paid to the said emigrant Rs. as wages for such labor monthly, and will supply or cause to be supplied to the said emigrant rice according to the rules prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal

under the said Act at a price not exceeding
In witness whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands the day of 187 ."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

Note.—If the contract is one under section 24, it must be signed by the garden-sirdar on behalf of the employer; if under section 57, by the person with whom the emigrant intends to contract, or his agent. It must, if under section 24, be executed before the magistrate; if under sections 25 or 57, before the superintendent of emigration. The execution of the contract, if under section 15, must be attested by the superintendent of emigration, who must also append to the foot thereof a certificate to the following effect:

"I hereby certify that before the within-mentioned (*emigrant's name*) signed this contract, I personally explained it to him.

(Sd.) ———

Superintendent of Emigration or Magistrate."

SCHEDULE B.

(*See Section* 16.)

FORM OF GARDEN-SIRDAR'S CERTIFICATE.

"*Garden-Sirdar's Certificate, required under Section* 16 *of Bengal Act of* 187 .

Name of garden-sirdar.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Height.		General appearance and characteristic marks.	Name of place and description of lands on which labor is to be performed.	District (or Calcutta) where natives are to be engaged.	Number of natives the bearer is authorized to engage.	*Name of contractor to whose depôt natives should be conveyed.	Remarks.
				Feet.	In.						

* *N.B.*—If the number of natives engaged exceed twenty, they will have to go to a contractor's depôt.

Countersigned (under Section 19) on the 187
it months from which date this certificate ceases to be in force.

Magistrate of "

(Sd.)

Employer."

Dated 187 .

SCHEDULE C.

(*See Sections* 14 *and* 33).

FORM OF CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.

"A. B. is hereby licensed to act, throughout the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, as a contractor for engaging and supplying natives for the purpose of laboring for hire in the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE D.

(*See Sections* 14 *and* 38).

FORM OF RECRUITER'S LICENSE.

"C. D. is hereby licensed to act on behalf of A. B., a licensed contractor, as a recruiter for engaging or inducing natives to proceed to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet for the purpose of laboring therein for hire, under the provisions of the Labor Districts Emigration Act of 1873.

This license will be in force for one year only, from this date.

Dated, Calcutta, the day of

(Sd.) M. N.,

Superintendent of Emigration."

SCHEDULE E.

(*See Sections* 61 *and* 67.)

FORM OF EMIGRANT'S PASS.

Name of emigrant.	Age.	Father's name.	Name of employer.	Place in which emigrant has contracted to labor.	Place of disembarkation.

"The emigrants above described are permitted to embark on the , which will leave on the , for the purpose of proceeding to the district of .

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) R. M.,
Contractor [*or Garden-sirdar*] (*if any*).

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) G. D.,
Superintendent of Emigration (*if required*).

Dated, the day of

(Sd.) A. L.,
Embarkation Agent."

Note.—The names of any number of emigrants proceeding in the same vessel may be entered in one pass.

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 138.)

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE ON DETERMINATION OF CONTRACT.

"I hereby certify that the contract entered into on the day of 187 , under Act of 187 , between [*laborer's name*] of the one part, and [*employer's name*] of the other part, has been determined by effluxion of time (or 'by mutual consent,' or 'under the provisions of section of the said Act,' as the case may be).

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand day of 187 .

Inspector of Laborers."

Form of Description of Emigrant.

Name of laborer.	Father's name.	Age.	Sex.	Caste.	Residence.			Period of service.
					Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	

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PART V.

Acts of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

THE following Act of the Governor-General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor-General on the 24th November 1873, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XVII OF 1873.

An Act to provide for the liquidation of the debts of the Nawáb Názim of Bengal, and for his protection against legal process.

Preamble.

Whereas divers large pecuniary claims have been made against Sayyid Mansur Alí, the present Nawáb Názim of Bengal, Behar, and Orissa, commonly called the Nawáb Názim, which he has not the means of satisfying, and for the purpose of recovering such claims divers suits have been brought against him, and divers attachments have been issued against his property in India :

And whereas, with respect to certain jewels and immoveable property, it is disputed whether they belong absolutely to the said Nawáb Názim or are held by the Government of India for the purpose of upholding the dignity of the Náwab Názim for the time being, and litigation has consequently arisen between the creditors of the present Nawáb Názim and the Government of India :

And whereas the Government of India is desirous of freeing the said Nawáb Názim and his property respectively from such suits and attachments, and of discharging such portions of the said claims as are proper to be paid : and of settling the said dispute as to the said jewels and immoveable property :

And whereas in the meantime and for the future, it is expedient to exempt the said Nawáb Názim, except as hereinafter mentioned, from the jurisdiction of the Civil Courts, and to render him incapable of contracting further pecuniary obligations ;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Nawáb Názim's Debts Act, 1873 :"

Local extent.

It extends to all persons and places for whom and for which the Governor-General in Council has power to make laws ;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Power to appoint Commission.

2. The Governor-General in Council may, from time to time, nominate and appoint such persons as he thinks fit to be a Commission for the purposes hereinafter mentioned.

All persons so nominated and appointed (hereinafter called "the Commissioners") shall continue to be members of the said Commission during the pleasure of the Governor-General in Council, and shall hold their sittings at such place or places and time or times as they think fit.

Notice to claimants.

3. The Commissioners shall publish thrice in the *Gazette of India* in English, and in the *Calcutta Gazette* in English, Urdú, and Bengálí, and in such other mode and languages as they think fit, a notice calling upon all persons having claims against the said Nawáb Názim or his property, whether moveable or immoveable, to notify the same in writing to the Commissioners within six months from the date of the earliest of such publications.

Bar of debts not duly notified.

4. Every debt or liability to which the said Nawáb Názim is subject, or with which his property, or any part thereof, is charged, and which is not duly notified to the Commissioners within the time and in the manner hereinbefore mentioned, shall be barred :

Proviso.

Provided that, on sufficient cause being shown to the Commissioners, they may admit such claim within the further period of six months from the expiration of the said period of six months.

Particulars of claim.

5. Every such claimant shall along with his claim present full particulars thereof.

Every document on which he founds his claims, or on which he relies in support thereof, shall be delivered to the Commissioners along with the claim.

Entries in books.

If the document be an entry in any book, the claimant shall produce the book to the Commissioners, together with a copy of the entry on which he relies. The Commissioners shall mark the book for the purpose of identification, and after examining and comparing the copy with the original, shall return the book to the claimant.

Exclusion of documents not produced.

If any document in the possession or under the control of the claimant is not delivered or produced by him to the Commissioners along with the claim, the Commissioners may refuse to receive such document in evidence on the claimant's behalf at the investigation of the case.

May call for or admit any further evidence.

The Commissioners may from, time to time, call for further and more detailed particulars of any claim preferred before them under this Act, and may, at their discretion, refuse to proceed with the investigation of the claim until such particulars are supplied.

Power of Commissioners to summon witnesses.

6. For the purposes of this Act, the Commissioners may summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses, and compel them to give evidence, and compel the production of documents by the same means, and, as far as possible, in the same manner as is provided in the case of a Civil Court by the Code of Civil Procedure.

Investigation to be a Judicial proceeding.

7. Every investigation conducted by the Commissioners, with reference to any claim preferred before them under this Act, or to any matter connected with any such claim, shall be deemed a judicial proceeding within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

And every statement made by any person examined by or before the Commissioners with reference to such investigation, whether upon oath or otherwise, shall be deemed to be evidence within the meaning of the same Code.

Expenses of witnesses.

8. Every witness required by the Commissioners, except at the instance of a claimant, to attend and give evidence under the provisions of this Act, shall be entitled to a reasonable sum (to be allowed by the Commissioners) for his expenses in travelling to and from, and remaining at, the place at which he is required to attend.

Commissioners to determine amount due to each claimant.

9. The Commissioners shall, by agreement with the claimant, or, in default of such agreement, after due and full enquiry, determine the amount which, on the consideration of all the circumstances, they may consider each claimant ought in fairness and justice to receive. And in coming to such determination, they shall not be bound by any previous agreement or judicial proceeding.

Sum found due to be certified to Government.

10. The Commissioners shall certify in each case the amount so determined, and upon the Governor-General in Council, within six months from the date of the certificate, paying or tendering to any claimant the amount so certified, all claims of such claimant against the Nawáb Názim or his property shall be satisfied and extinguished.

Bar of suits against Nawáb Názim.

11. No suit shall be commenced or prosecuted, and no writ or process shall at any time be sued for, against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim, unless such suit be commenced, or such writ or process be sued for, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council first had and obtained.

Such consent shall be certified by the signature of one of the Secretaries to the Government of India, and every such signature shall be judicially noticed.

And any suit which at any time shall have been, or shall be, commenced, and any writ or process which at any time shall have been, or shall be, sued for, against the person or property of the said Nawáb Názim shall be of no effect unless and until the consent of the Governor-General in Council, certified in manner aforesaid, is obtained.

Commissioners to ascertain the property held by Government for upholding the dignity of the Náwáb Názim's family.

12. The Commissioners shall ascertain what jewels and immoveable property are held by the Government of India for the purpose of upholding the dignity of the Nawáb Názim for the time being, and shall certify the particulars of such jewels and property; and their finding thereon shall be binding and conclusive on all persons whomsoever.

Power to refer questions of law to High Court.

13. If any question of law, or as to the construction of a document, arises in any case under this Act, and the Commissioners think it necessary for the purposes of fairness and justice to obtain a judicial opinion thereon, they may draw up a statement of the case and refer it for the decision of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William; and the provisions of sections twenty-four and twenty-five and of the first sentence of section twenty-six of Act No. XI of 1865 shall apply as if, in section twenty-six, for the word "Court," the word "Commissioners" were substituted.

And if, in the opinion of the High Court, the statement is imperfectly framed, the High Court may return it for amendment; and the costs (if any) consequent on any such reference shall be dealt with as the Commissioners shall in each case direct.

Nawáb Názim to be incapable of contracting.

14. The said Nawáb Názim shall be incapable of entering into any contract which may give rise to any pecuniary obligation on his part.

Saving of Secretary of State in Council.

15. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to render the Secretary of State for India in Council, or the Government of India, liable for any debt heretofore contracted by, or on behalf of, the said Nawáb Názim, or in respect of any claim to be reimbursed, which may be made by any person supplying him with necessaries.

Bar of suits for acts done *bonâ fide*.

16. No suit or other proceeding shall be maintained against any person in respect of anything done by him in good faith under this Act.

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208	Sabdasár, or a Compendium of words.	ditto ...	Girish Chandra Bidyáratna.	Language ..	Girish Bidyáratna Press, No. 58-5, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta.	Printer, Matí Lál D Publisher, Giri Chandra Bidyáratn
209	Shikhyá-Pranáli, or Education, its systems and principles.	ditto ...	Gópál Chandra Bandyópádhyáya.	Science ...	Hítoishi Press, No. 1, Krishna Dás Pál's Lane, Calcutta.	Printer, Kailás Chandra Bandyópádháya.
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211	Mahábhárat, Part XXXIII., Bhishma Porba.	ditto ...	Prataр Chandra Rái.	Religion ...	Bhárat Press, No 367, Jorásánkó, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Publisher, Prataр Chandra Rái. Printer, Dharani Dhar Múkhópádhyáya.

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Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

Saturday, the 13th December 1873.

Present:

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL, *presiding.*
The Hon'ble G. C. PAUL, *Acting Advocate-General.*
The Hon'ble V. H. SCHALCH,
The Hon'ble H. L. DAMPIER,
The Hon'ble LORD H. ULICK BROWNE,
The Hon'ble C. E. BERNARD,
The Hon'ble RAJAH JOTEENDRO MOHUN TAGORE, BAHADOOR,
The Hon'ble BABU DIGUMBER MITTER,
and
The Hon'ble B. D. COLVIN.

EMIGRATION TO THE LABOUR DISTRICTS.

THE further consideration of the Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar, and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service, in order to the settlement of its clauses, was resumed.

THE HON'BLE THE ADVOCATE-GENERAL said, before proceeding with the amendments of which he had given notice, he had one remark to make, namely that the amendments before the Council were necessarily due to

the altered character of the Bill. By reason of the amendments adopted at the last meeting and the omission of the penal clauses against recruiting outside the Act, it became necessary to introduce the Advocate-General's present amendments. Some further amendments were also due to this, that while the Bill allowed recruiting outside the Act, it subjected emigrants above a certain number to the provisions of the transport sections.

THE HON'BLE THE ADVOCATE-GENERAL then moved the insertion of the following definitions after the definition of "employer" in Section 3:—

"'Garden sirdar' means any person authorized by certificate by an employer to engage natives of India to proceed to a labor district under a contract to be made and executed according to the provisions of this Act.

'Recruiter' means any person licensed under the provisions of this Act as a recruiter.

'Contractor' means any person licensed under the provisions of this Act as a contractor."

The motion was agreed to.

The HON'BLE the ADVOCATE-GENERAL moved the omission of Section 4. It would be seen that in lieu of this section another section would be introduced at the end of the chapter on transports; but the section proposed to be re-enacted was not so wide as that proposed to be omitted. Under the transport sections nineteen emigrants travelling by themselves could go without restriction; consequently it was not necessary to restrict emigration in the manner in which it was done by Section 4.

The motion was agreed to.

The HON'BLE the ADVOCATE-GENERAL moved the omission, in Section 10, lines 6 and 7, of the words "for the purpose of becoming laborers," and the substitution for them of the words "for the purpose of laboring." This was a necessary consequence of the definition of "emigrant" now adopted, and the definition of "laborer," which had a technical meaning in the Bill, namely, a man who was conveyed to the labor districts under a contract under the Act. He had also a verbal amendment in line 8 of the same section, to give uniformity to the language, namely to insert the words "of India" after "native."

The motions were severally agreed to.

On the motion of the Advocate-General verbal amendments were made in Section 11.

The HON'BLE the ADVOCATE-GENERAL moved the omission of Section 13 and the substitution of the following:—

"Any employer may by certificate authorise a garden sirdar to engage natives of India to proceed to a labor district for the purpose of laboring therein for hire upon lands of which such employer is in charge, under contracts to be made and executed according to the provisions of this Act."

The section was not necessary, the penal clauses of the Bill having been abolished. But in order to render the Act more easily intelligible, he had thought it better not only to omit Section 13, but to insert the proposed new section. It would be just as well to have a key to the following chapter relating to garden sirdars.

The motion was agreed to.

The HON'BLE the ADVOCATE-GENERAL moved the omission of Sections 34 and 64. He proposed to omit the penalty imposed under Section 34 on a garden sirdar embarking emigrants without a pass on board a vessel carrying more than twenty persons. He thought one penalty on the Master of the vessel sufficient. Section 64 was an analogous section, and should also be omitted.

The motion was agreed to.

On the motion of the Advocate-General the word "duly" in the second line of Section 65, which was considered of dubious import, was omitted, and the words "under the provisions of this Act" were inserted after the word "executed."

In Section 66 the proviso in the first clause, and the words in the third clause relating to the number of persons allowed on board without a pass, were omitted as a necessary consequence of the omission of Section 34.

On the motion of the Advocate-General, Section 71 was recast so as to stand thus :—

"It shall not be lawful for the Master of any vessel, whether licensed or not, to embark any emigrants on board his vessel for conveyance to, or towards a labor district, if the total number of persons to be carried by such vessel (exclusive of the crew, and of any garden sirdar or other person accompanying the emigrants,) exceeds twenty, unless the emigrants are furnished with a pass by the Embarkation Agent in the form set out in Schedule (E) of this Act. The Master shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punished with fine not exceeding ten rupees for every emigrant illegally taken on board."

And the following clause, taken from the latter part of Section 64, which had been omitted, was added to the section, so as to enable Embarkation Agents to hold an examination :

"The Embarkation Agent shall not grant any such pass without a certificate from the Medical Inspector that such emigrants may be allowed to embark without danger to the health of other persons on board the vessel."

The Hon'ble the Advocate-General moved the insertion, after the word "emigrant" in line four of Section 75, of the words "whose contract has been executed under the provisions of this Act." It was necessary, in consequence of the enlarged definition of "emigrant," to restrict the meaning of the word "emigrant" in this section.

The motion was agreed to. Verbal amendments were, on the motion of the Advocate-General, made in Sections 77 and 78.

On the motion of the Advocate-General the word "licensed" was inserted before the word "vessel" in the third line of Section 79, so as to restrict the provisions of the section to licensed vessels.

Section 80, which gave the Magistrate power to stop emigrants proceeding by land, was, on the motion of the Advocate-General, omitted.

On the motion of the Advocate-General, the following new section was inserted after Section 97 :—

"The provisions of this chapter shall not apply to domestic servants, or to any person proceeding alone or accompanied by his wife and family only."

His Honor the President said the first of the amendments which he had to propose was a merely verbal one. The section to which the amendment referred, Section 17, was altered at the last meeting, but it was found that the words "said labor districts" were left without meaning. It was therefore proposed to insert the words "for which he is engaged" after the words "labor district" in the 10th line.

The motion was agreed to.

His Honor the President said it was necessary to alter Section 81 in some degree to meet the altered character of the Bill. It was not proposed that power should be given to the Magistrate to interfere with the transit of free laborers who were not proceeding in numbers exceeding twenty. It was therefore proposed to omit from the beginning of the section the words "If in any case whatever it appears to a Magistrate expedient that any emigrant, in consequence of ill-health, should not be allowed to proceed towards a labor district," and to substitute for them the following words :—

"If it appears to a Magistrate expedient that any emigrant, whose contract has been executed under the provisions of this Act, should not be allowed to proceed towards a labor district in consequence of ill-health."

The motion was agreed to.

His Honor the President moved the introduction of the following new section after Section 81 :—

"If it appears to a Magistrate that the health of any emigrant (other than an emigrant mentioned in the last preceding section) is such that he cannot proceed without endangering the health of those on board, he may order the detention of such emigrant."

The effect of this would be that ordinarily the Magistrate would not interfere with emigrants proceeding alone or in small parties by land. But if any free emigrant was proceeding in a crowded vessel, and his health was such that he could not proceed without danger to others, by reason of his having the small-pox or any other infectious or contagious disease, then the

Magistrate might interfere, and if his condition was such as to be dangerous to the health of others, the Magistrate would be bound to detain him.

The motion was agreed to.

His Honor the President moved that in Section 82, the words and figures "Section 81" be substituted for the words and figures "Sections 79, 80, or 81." Section 80had been omtited from the Bill; Section 79 referred only to the detention of vessels, and did not involve any extra expense, and the new section which had been added we did not propose to bring within the purview of Section 82. Accordingly if the Council would accept this amendment, Section 82 would read thus :—

"All expenses incurred under Section 81 by a Magistrate, or other officer deputed by him under the provisions of Section 93, in respect of any emigrant so detained (that is in regard to contract coolies), shall with interest at six per centum per annum be recoverable by him from the contractor by whom the emigrant has been engaged or forwarded, or, in the case of an emigrant engaged by a garden-sirdar, from the employer from whom such garden-sirdar received his certificate."

The motion was agreed to.

His Honor the President said he had now to move a series of small amendments which were merely intended to carry out the object of the amendments already made, and to restrict the operation of certain provisions of the Act to those particular emigrants whose contracts were made under the Act. The following amendments were then agreed to :—

Section 85.—In line 15, omit the word "such," and after "emigrants" insert "whose contracts have been executed under the provisions of this Act."

Section 86.—In the third line, after "emigrant," insert "whose contract has been executed under the provisions of this Act."

Section 87.—In the fourth line omit the word "the," and after "emigrants" insert "whose contracts have been executed under the provisions of this Act."

Section 88.—In the first line omit the word "the," and after "emigrants" insert "whose contracts have been executed under the provisions of this Act."

Section 89.—In the fourth line omit the word "the," and after "emigrants" insert "whose contracts have been executed under the provisions of this Act."

Section 96.—In the first line, after "emigrant," insert "whose contract has been executed under the provisions of this Act."

His Honor the President moved that the following clauses be added to Section 103 :—

"Such returns shall be kept separate with regard to each class of laborers as above mentioned, and, in the case of laborers as defined by this Act, the return of laborers employed shall specify the date on which the contract of each laborer commenced, and the period of service contracted for."

"Copies of such returns shall be entered in a book to be kept by the employer at his place of business or on his estate."

The object of this amendment was that inasmuch as we should in future have two classes of laborers in the tea districts, we should be enabled in the returns to distinguish between laborers bound under the Act, and consequently falling under the special provisions of the Act, from laborers entertained outside the Act.

The motion was agreed to.

On the motion of the President the following fresh sections were inserted after Section 103 :—

"(1.) If any laborer shall die, desert, complete his contract, or obtain a release therefrom during the six months preceding any such return as in the last preceding section is mentioned, the fact of such death, desertion, completion of contract, or release, shall be entered in the book to be kept as aforesaid by the employer, opposite the name of such laborer."

"(2.) On the arrival of any laborer, as defined by this Act, on the estate of his employer, the name and description of such laborer shall be entered in the book to be kept as aforesaid by the employer, and in like manner the name and description of every person who shall contract to labor otherwise than under the provisions of this Act shall be so entered. Such book shall be open to the Inspector of Laborers, who shall have power to muster all laborers and other persons lastly hereinbefore mentioned, and to verify the accuracy of the entries in such book."

His Honor the President said he now came to an amendment of some importance. The Council were aware that two meetings ago a proposition was submitted to the Council to omit what had been called the fugitive slave clause of the Act, that was to say, to take away from the employers of laborers, the planters, the power of seizing a run-away laborer. This subject had given to the Government a great deal of anxious consideration. On the one hand we had felt that the time had come when this power might to some degree be modified; on the other hand we had been inclined to yield in some degree to the representations of the planters that a too sudden change in the procedure in such cases would disturb their relations with the laborers and injuriously affect their interests. Accordingly he had the honor to submit an amendment of the nature of the clauses specified in the amendment paper. Originally it was proposed to take away the power of arrest from the planter, and that a summary proceeding before the Magistrate should be given. But it had been said, and somewhat reasonably said, that the Magistrates in these districts were few and far between; that the power of summary proceeding before the Magistrate would be a somewhat illusory gift; and that until we were prepared to provide Magisterial Officers at reasonable distances, it would not be fair to take away this power and give a practically inoperative remedy. We had in some degree yielded to these representations. We hoped gradually to increase the number of Magistrates, and to form Benches of Magistrates composed of planters and native gentlemen. But until these Benches were established, we were inclined to think that planters had some reason to exclaim against the too sudden withdrawal of the power of arrest. The effect of the amendments would be that where the magisterial power was established within ten miles of a plantation, there the summary power of arrest would cease; but in parts of the country where there was no Magistrate within a reasonable distance, a reasonable power of arrest would be retained in a modified form and subject to certain provisions as to fine and payment of reasonable compensation in cases of arrest without sufficient cause. That was the proposal His Honor had to submit to the Council, and with a view to carry that out he would propose certain amendments which, if accepted by the Council, would make the 1st and 2nd clauses of Section 123 run thus:—

"If any laborer deserts from his employer's service, and no Magistrate is resident within ten miles of the place where such laborer may be found, such employer, or any other person acting in his behalf, may, without first procuring a warrant and without the assistance of any police officer, who nevertheless shall be bound to give such assistance if called upon to do so, apprehend such laborer; provided nevertheless that if such laborer be found in the service of another employer he shall not be arrested without a warrant. Provided also that such employer or other person shall without delay give the said laborer in charge at the nearest Police Station, and there enter the charge upon which he shall have apprehended such laborer.

"Any laborer so given in charge shall be conveyed without delay to the nearest Magistrate, and if such Magistrate be authorized to deal with the case, he shall himself adjudicate upon the charge; but if not, he shall forward the said laborer under custody to the Magistrate or Bench of Magistrates authorized to deal with such cases, who shall thereupon adjudicate upon such charge."

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier said he had an entirely verbal amendment to suggest. As the last limb of the first clause stood, it required the employer to whose protection the laborer had run away without delay to give the laborer in charge. The words "such employer" referred to the last mentioned employer, not the employer to whose estate the laborer had run away. Therefore he proposed to leave out the words "such employer or other person," and substitute for them the words "the person who shall apprehend the laborer under the provisions of this section."

His Honor the President having agreed to adopt the amendment, the motion as amended was agreed to.

On the motion of the President a verbal amendment was made in the 3rd clause of Section 123.

His Honor the President then moved the introduction of the following clause after Clause 3 of Section 123. It was proposed that if the arrest was unreasonable and unjustifiable it should be competent to the Magistrate to inflict

a fine and award compensation to the party aggrieved. His Honor hoped the Council would not think this an improper proposal:—

"If it appears to the Magistrate, or to the Bench of Magistrates adjudicating upon such charge, that such laborer has been apprehended without sufficient cause, it shall be lawful for such Magistrate or Bench of Magistrates to impose a fine not exceeding fifty rupees on the employer at whose instance such laborer has been apprehended, or to award compensation not exceeding fifty rupees to such laborer, and such compensation shall be paid by the employer at whose instance such laborer has been apprehended."

The motion was agreed to.

His Honor the President said he had an amendment to move in Section 12 which might be of some consequence. He found throughout the Bill that important functions were exercised by the Superintendent of Emigration. The Superintendent referred to could only be the Superintendent at Calcutta. His Honor did not quite understand how the Bill would have worked under these provisions; because although it was not now contemplated that contractors' depôts should be established elsewhere than in Calcutta, he believed garden-sirdars were entitled to enlist emigrants and convey them direct to the labor districts. In that case he did not see how the contracts could be signed before, and be attested by, the Superintendent of Emigration. His Honor was very much desirous that facilities should be given for the emigration of laborers and others from the over-populated districts of the west to the eastern districts. We were engaged in opening out roads and otherwise giving facilities for traffic from the west to the east. He was impressed with the belief that the excessive mortality in transit was due to the cholera infection at Goalundo and in the neighbourhood of Dacca. He had not the statistics before him at that moment, but he had found, as the result of very close investigation, that these outbreaks occurred soon after the vessel left Goalundo, and before it got well into Assam. If, therefore, the transit through these parts of the country could be avoided, great loss of life might be saved. It was desirable to encourage direct emigration from the over-populated districts of the west to the under-populated eastern districts. It might be desirable to give facilities for the establishment of depôts on the direct route. In that case we must either alter the frame-work of the Bill or give some of the authorities in other parts of the country the powers of the Superintendent of Emigration. With that view he would move that in the fourth line of Section 12, after the word "Calcutta," the following words be inserted:—

"and may also appoint any proper person to be Superintendent of Emigration at any other place, with all or any of the powers of a Superintendent of Emigration."

The motion was agreed to.

On the motion of the President verbal amendments were made in Schedules (A) and (E.)

The Hon'ble the Advocate-General said, in consequence of the amendment of the clauses of Section 123, he proposed to withdraw his amendment as to the omission of Clauses 1 and 2, and to proceed with the amendment which he proposed to put as a fourth clause, and which stood as follows:—

"Upon complaint made to a Magistrate by an employer, or any person acting on his behalf, that a laborer has deserted from his employer's service, such Magistrate may issue a summons for the attendance of such laborer, or a warrant for his arrest, and appoint a day for the hearing of the complaint without previously examining the complainant."

That clause was rendered necessary for the purpose of giving summary jurisdiction to Magistrates. Under the Criminal Procedure Code it was provided that whenever in regard to an offence under any law there was no procedure provided, the procedure of the Code of Criminal Procedure should be adopted. The Code of Criminal Procedure provided that in all applications for arrest there should be an examination of the complainant; and as it would be a hardship to require this in all applications for the arrest of deserting laborers, it was proposed to give this summary jurisdiction. It might be that the employer might be more than ten miles from the place of the apprehension of the laborer. If the Magistrate was satisfied of the fact of desertion, he might issue his warrant for detention without an examination of the complainant. No possible harm could arise, because under the third clause of the section, which was

introduced on the motion of His Honor the President, all persons apprehending laborers without sufficient cause were liable to punishment.

His Honor the President said he hoped the Council would accept this amendment. It would merely give a summary and quick mode of proceeding by one instead of two processes.

The motion was agreed to.

His Honor the President said the Council had now gone through all the amendments that had been proposed, and if any hon'ble member had any further amendment he would have an opportunity of bringing it forward at the next meeting. The intention of the Government was that the Bill should be carefully printed and circulated, and that the Bill should be taken on the further stage that day week.

The Council was adjourned to Saturday, the 20th December.

HALF-YEARLY TABLES OF CINCHONA PLANTS.

No. 66, dated Royal Botanical Gardens, the 20th November 1873.

From—George King, Esq., M.B., Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, and in Charge of Cinchona cultivation in Bengal,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

I have the honor to forward herewith the usual half-yearly statements showing (1) the number and distribution of cinchona plants at Rungbee on the 1st October last, and (2) the growth of forty-five measured plants during the six months ending 30th September.

Table showing the number and distribution of Cinchona plants in the Government plantations at Darjeeling, on the 1st October 1873.

Names of species of Cinchona.	Number in permanent plantation.	Number of stock plants for propagation.	Number of seedlings or rooted cuttings in nursery beds for permanent plantations.	Number of rooted plants in cutting beds.	Number of cuttings made during the month.	Total number of plants, cuttings, and seedlings.
C. Succirubra	2,035,000	None.	220,000	10,000	.....	2,355,000
C. Calisaya	294,500	5,000	50,000	120,000	.....	469,500
C. Micrantha	45,667	None.	4,000	None.	.....	49,667
C. Officinalis and Varisties ...	125,000	.....	None.	.....	.....	125,000
C. Pahudiana	5,092	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,092
C. Pitayensis	None.	16	.....	.....	.....	16
Total ...	2,505,259	5,016	274,000	220,000	.....	3,004,275

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Table showing the growth of Cinchonas in the Darjeeling plantations during the six months ending 1st October 1873.

Names.	Numbers.	Third Plantation (Rishap), Altitude 2,000 feet.					Fourth Plantation (Runghu) Altitude 3,332 feet.					Fifth Plantation (Runghu), Altitude 2,556 feet.				
		Date of planting, 1867.	Height in inches on 1st January 1868.	Height on 1st April 1873.	Height on 1st October 1873.	Growth during the 6 months.	Date of planting, 1867.	Height in inches when planted.	Height on 1st April 1873.	Height on 1st October 1873.	Growth during the 6 months.	Date of planting, 1864.	Height in inches when planted.	Height on 1st April 1873.	Height on 1st October 1873.	Growth during the 6 months.
C. Succirubra ...	1	29th March ...	29	252	259	7	29th July ...	5	283	310	27	15th October ...	6	325	328	3
Ditto ...	2	Ditto ...	30	236	258	22	Ditto ...	6	319	341	22	Ditto ...	10½	240	244	4
Ditto ...	3	Ditto ...	37	240	253	13	Ditto ...	7½	284	284	.....	29th July ...	5½	240	252	12
Ditto ...	4	Ditto ...	24	267	269	2	15th October ...	10½	313	336	23	Ditto ...	3	228	228	.....
Ditto ...	5	Ditto ...	37	258	270	12	29th July ...	4¾	262	282	20	Ditto ...	5½	347	372	25
Ditto ...	6	Ditto ...	30	270	280	10	Ditto ...	4½	204	246	42	Ditto ...	3	163	192	29
Ditto ...	7	Ditto ...	27	196	196	.....	Ditto ...	3½	335	366	31	Ditto ...	4	370	383	13
Ditto ...	8	Ditto ...	30	226	226	.....	Ditto ...	2	284	314	30	Ditto ...	4½	277	290	13
Ditto ...	9	Ditto ...	29	168	176	8	Ditto ...	3	278	300	22	Ditto ...	4	278	284	6
Ditto ...	10	Ditto ...	25	224	239	15	Ditto ...	3	177	197	20	Ditto ...	3	258	267	9
C. Micrantha ...	1	16th March ...	17	186	188	2	15th October ...	9	214	266	52	Ditto ...	5½	194	211	17
Ditto ...	2	Ditto ...	19	228	242	14	29th July ...	6½	296	336	40	Ditto ...	6	186	199	13
Ditto ...	3	Ditto ...	44	221	233	12	Ditto ...	3	238	248	10	15th October ...	6	288	307	19
Ditto ...	4	Ditto ...	46½	228	230	2	Ditto ...	2½	.....	.....	.....	29th July ...	4½	170	210	40
Ditto ...	5	Ditto ...	45½	255	275	20	15th October ...	3	252	273	21	15th October ...	5½	288	298	10
C. Calisaya ...	1	29th June ...	25	258	265	7	29th June 1867	15½	153	154	1	1st July 1868...	2	157	171	14
Ditto ...	2	Ditto ...	16	254	286	32	Ditto ...	9¾	166	166	.....	Ditto ...	3½	204	228	24
Ditto ...	3	Ditto ...	15	218	234	16	Ditto ...	12½	160	176	16	Ditto ...	3¾	216	216	.....
Ditto ...	4	Ditto ...	16	225	234	9	Ditto ...	10	163	174	11	Ditto ...	3½	182	182	.....
Ditto ...	5	Ditto ...	22	224	240	16	Ditto ...	11½	194	222	28	Ditto ...	1¾	207	222	15
Ditto ...	6	Ditto ...	24	249	265	16	Ditto ...	10½	165	165	.....	Ditto ...	4½	173	175	2
Ditto ...	7	Ditto ...	23	255	272	17	Ditto ...	10½	176	192	16	Ditto ...	4	232	236	4
Ditto ...	8	Ditto ...	19	245	255	10	Ditto ...	15¼	123	141	18	Ditto ...	2¾	230	265	35
Ditto ...	9	Ditto ...	21	213	213	.....	Ditto ...	14½	158	177	19	Ditto ...	7	209	214	5
Ditto ...	10	Ditto ...	21	236	252	16	Ditto ...	16	186	210	24	Ditto ...	3½	135	135	.....

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PRICE CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS AND SALT IN THE UNDER-MENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL ON THE 13TH DECEMBER 1873.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in the un

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, best sort. Present return.	Rice, best sort. Next preceding return.	Rice, best sort. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajr Present return.	Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajr Next preceding return.	Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajr Corresponding return
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S
	BENGAL.															
	Western Districts.															
1	Burdwan	10 8	11 0	12 8	20 0	20 0	22 0	14 8	13 8	19 0	15 12	15 4	23 4	...	...	
2	Bancoorah	12 8	11 4	14 0	20 0	20 0	18 12	11 0	11 4	15 4	A 14 8 B 16 4	A 15 0 B 16 4	18 0	...	...	
3	Beerbhoom	10 8	10 0	12 8	...	...	...	11 4	10 8	16 0	13 8	14 4	24 0	...	...	
4	Midnapore	10 0	10 0	10 10	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	18 0	19 0	19 8	26 0	...	...	
5	Hooghly	11 8	12 0	12 8	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	13 0	13 0	12 8	18 0	...	...	
	Howrah	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 11	16 0	13 0	13 0	20 0	...	...	
	Central Districts.															
	Calcutta	11 7	11 0	...	18 0	18 0	...	9 8	8 14	...	13 4	12 13	...	...	...	
6	24-Pergunnahs	...	...	12 0	...	...	20 0	9 0	8 12	8 0	11 14 16 4	11 14 15 3	18 12	...	...	
7	Nuddea	11 15	11 7	14 8	20 0	20 0	32 0	11 7	11 7	16 0	13 1	12 3	17 12	...	...	
8	Jessore	10 4	11 0	13 5	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	17 12	18 4	18 4	26 10	...	...	
9	Moorshedabad	13 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	12 0	20 0	...	...	
10	Dinagepore	11 0	11 0	12 0	14 8	14 8	22 8	12 8	12 8	20 0	14 8	14 8	27 8	...	...	
11	Maldah	12 8	12 8	15 0	22 0	24 0	35 0	11 4	11 8	22 0	12 0	12 8	23 0	20 0	20 0	22
12	Rajshahye	10 14	10 8	14 4	18 12	24 0	32 0	11 4	12 0	16 8	12 12 to 13 8	13 8	23 7	...	...	
13	Rungpore	11 2	10 2	11 5	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	15 0	15 0	14 1	30 0	...	...	
14	Bograh	12 0	12 8	14 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	22 0	12 12	15 0	37 8	...	...	
15	Pubna	15 0	14 4	15 0	...	...	...	10 0	9 12	12 0	17 4	15 12	30 0	...	...	
16	Darjeeling	5 0	5 0	6 0	3 0	3 0	10 0	5 0	5 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	14 0	...	...	
17	Julpigoree	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	...	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	
	Cooch Behar.*															
	Eastern Districts.															
18	Dacca	10 4	10 8	13 5	20 0	21 8	20 0	13 0	12 0	21 0	A 16 0 B 18 0	14 0	32 0	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore	14 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	A 18 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...
20	Backergunge.*															
21	Mymensing	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	20 0	A 16 0	17 0	32 0	...	...	...
22	Sylhet‡	8 0	8 0	11 0	7 0	7 0	...	12 4	12 4	25 8	19 4	19 4	38 8	...	...	...
23	Cachar‡	8 6	8 10	9 6	...	...	...	12 4	13 5	13 0	15 4	17 12	27 14	...	...	...
24	Chittagong‡	8 0	8 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	27 0	...	...	...
25	Noakhally‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	12 0	16 0	15 0	17 0	21 0	...	...	...
26	Tipperah	9 8	9 0	12 0	...	...	...	15 0	14 8	20 0	16 to 17	15 o 16	32 8	...	...	...
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	13 13	13 13	17 14	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah‡	8 0	...	11 4	...	...	...	11 4	13 8	26 6	17 7	20 6	40 0	...	...	...

* Return not received.

‡ Return for the week ending 6th December received after the publication of the last *Gazette*.

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...AT MILLET—...LUM, JOWAR.				LESSER MILLETS—RAGI OR MURWA, AND CHEENA.				MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.				GRAM.				FIRE-WOOD.				SALT.				DISTRICTS.
Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		
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...		...		...		...		...		...		15	0	14	8	21	0	90	0	90	0	...		9	0	9	0	9	0	Burdwan.
...		...		...		...		19	0	19	0	35	0	16	4	16	0	18	0	360	0	360	0	...		8	2	8	2	8	8	Bancoorah.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		12	8	11	4	21	0	210	0	240	0	200	0	8	12	8	12	8	8	Beerbhoom.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		12	0	13	4	18	0	180	0	180	0	180	0	8	4	8	4	8	8	Midnapore.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		13	8	13	8	20	8	120	0	120	0	...		9	0	9	0	9	0	Hooghly.
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10	0	...		...		...		...		16	7	16	14	...		14	5	13	5	...		110	0	110	0	...		8	14	8	14	...		Calcutta.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		14	8	13	0	17	12	120	0	100	0	...		9	0	8	12	9	3	24-Pergunnahs.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		15	4	15	4	26	10	120	0	120	0	...		8	10	8	10	8	14	Nuddea.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		12	0	15	0	20	0	160	0	160	0	...		8	0	8	14	8	0	Jessore.
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...		...		16	0	16	0	24	0	21	0	22	0	24	0	12	0	13	0	20	0	160	0	160	0	140	0	8	4	8	0	8	0	Maldah.
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...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		11	4	11	4	16	5	107	0	128	0	120	0	7	8	7	8	7	6	Rungpore.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		9	12	11	0	12	0	67	8	66	0	60	0	7	8	7	8	8	0	Bograh.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		15	0	16	8	26	4	200	0	200	0	...		8	4	8	4	8	8	Pubna.
...		...		8	0	8	0	13	0	18	0	16	0	18	0	7	0	6	12	8	0	200	0	200	0	200	0	4	0	4	0	4	0	Darjeeling.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		9	0	10	0	...		160	0	160	0	...		6	0	6	5	...		Julpigoree.
																																		Cooch Behar.*
																													Eastern Districts.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		10	10	10	10	21	0	80	0	80	0	...		8	15	8	15	8	9	Dacca.
...		...		13	8	14	0	21	0	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		8	0	[illegible]	0	8	0	Furreedpore.
																																		Backergunge.*
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		9	0	9	0	18	0	...		...		...		8	4	8	4	8	8	Mymensing.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		10	0	10	0	19	4	107	0	107	0	...		8	8	8	8	7	0	Sylhet.‡
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		10	10	10	10	14	10	64	0	64	0	64	0	7	9	8	0	8	0	Cachar.‡
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		13	0	11	8	16	0	140	0	160	0	160	0	8	8	8	0	8	8	Chittagong.‡
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		8	0	10	0	13	0	280	0	280	0	...		7	8	7	8	8	0	Noakhally.‡
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		9	8	9	8	18	0	...		...		...		8	12	8	12	9	0	Tipperah.
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		320	0	320	0	...		7	4	7	4	8	0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.‡
...		...		...		...		...		...		...		8	5	8	0	10	6	C 12	0	C 12	0	...		8	0	8	0	8	0	Hill Tipperah.‡

A Oil.
B New.
C Bundles.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in the undermentioned

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, best sort. Present return.	Rice, best sort. Next preceding return.	Rice, best sort. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Ba[illegible]) Present return.	Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Ba[illegible]) Next preceding return.
	BEHAR.														
28	Patna ...	16 4	16 4	24 0	19 0	18 8	31 4	12 0	12 0	...	14 8	14 8	21 0	...	...
29	Gya ...	11 0	10 8	15 0	16 0	13 8	32 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	11 4	10 8	20 0	...	...
30	Shahabad ...	14 0	14 0	15 0	19 0	18 0	28 0	13 0	12 4	12 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	17 8	18 0
31	Tirhoot ...	11 0	10 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	9 8	10 8	16 0	11 0	12 0	18 0	...	...
32	Sarun ...	A 14 0	12 8	14 8	18 0	18 0	32 0	9 0	9 0	15 0	13 8	12 0	20 0	...	...
33	Chumparun ...	11 0	11 0	16 0	19 0	20 0	34 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	27 0	...	...
34	Monghyr ...	13 6	13 6	18 9	19 9	21 0	34 6	9 4	9 4	14 7	13 6	13 6	18 9	...	...
35	Bhaugulpore ...	12 10	12 10	16 6	18 15	20 3	25 4	A 10 1 B 12 10	A 10 1 B 12 10	21 7	A 11 6 B 13 14	A 11 6 B 13 4	24 0	...	...
36	Purneah ...	12 0	11 0	17 0	...	...	40 0	10 0	9 0	25 0	11 0	10 0	27 0	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs...	11 0	11 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	20 0	20 0
	ORISSA.														
38	Cuttack‡ ...	13 2	13 2	15 12	...	...	...	17 1	17 1	19 11	24 15	23 10	34 2	...	...
39	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 8	27 8	...	29 0	36 0	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	32 0	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.														
	South-West Frontier Agency.														
41	Hazareebaugh ...	10 0	10 0	16 8	16 0	16 0	20 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	13 8	13 8	18 8	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	9 0	11 0	11 0	...	15 0	19 0	15 0	13 0	22 0	17 0	17 0	24 0	...	...
43	Singbhoom‡ ...	14 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	22 0	24 0	30 0	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	10 8	10 8	14 0	...	...	24 0	14 0	14 0	24 0	16 0	16 0	26 0	...	...
	ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.														
45	Goalpara‡ ...	11 0	10 0	20 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...
46	Kamroop‡ ...	10 0	7 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	13 0	13 0	12 0	20 0	...	...
47	Durrung‡ ...	9 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...
48	Nowgong‡ ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...
49	Seebsangor‡ ...	...	...	13 0	...	...	16 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	10 0	12 0	18 0	...	...
50	Luckimpore‡ ...	7 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	6 0	5 8	7 0	10 0	11 0	13 8	...	...
51	Naga Hills.*														
52	Khasi & Jyntesh Hills‡ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	9 0	12 0	9 0	12 0	14 0	...	...
53	Garo Hills.*														

A Old.
B New.
* Return not received.
‡ Return for the week ending 6th December received after the publication of the last *Gazette*.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th December 1873.

ricts of Bengal on the 13th December 1873.—(Continued.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

AT MILLET—LUM, JOWAR.		LESSER MILLETS—RAGI OR MURWA, AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIRE-WOOD.			SALT.			DISTRICTS.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																	BEHAR.
...	...	...	...	...	18 8	19 0	34 8	19 0	19 8	34 8	140 0	140 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Patna.
...	...	16 8	16 0	40 0	15 4	14 8	34 0	15 0	13 8	28 0	160 0	160 0	...	7 4	7 0	7 8	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	18 0	17 4	32 0	18 8	16 0	29 0	160 0	160 0	...	8 4	8 0	8 0	Shahabad.
...	...	...	19 0	...	16 0	16 0	...	15 0	15 0	22 8	140 0	140 0	...	7 12	7 12	7 12	Tirhoot.
20 0	33 0	18 0	18 0	...	18 0	18 0	...	16 0	16 0	27 0	160 0	180 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sarun.
...	...	21 0	21 0	40 0	20 0	20 0	35 0	16 0	16 0	26 0	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	7 4	Chumparun.
...	...	...	...	...	16 8	16 8	39 3	16 2	16 2	33 6	147 0	147 0	...	7 8	7 8	8 4	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	...	17 11	17 0	39 2	15 12	15 2	27 12	176 0	176 0	164 0	8 3	8 3	8 3	Bhaugulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	26 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	Purneah.
...	...	25 0	25 0	...	20 0	20 0	50 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	480 0	480 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sonthal Pergunnahs.
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Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 13th December 1873.

	No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.				
		Western Districts.		
BURDWAN DIVISION.	1	Burdwan, 16th Dec. 1873	1·38	Slight rain in all thannahs of sudder sub-division and of Jehanabad. Rain has done harm to amun crop, good to sugarcane, and winter crop, except mustard. Price of rice little cheaper. Export continues. Fever decreasing.
	2	Bancoorah, 13th „ „	0·07 on the 11th.	Cloudy in the middle of the week. The rest of the week dry. The hymnuti paddy is being reaped. There has been no change in the prospects of the sugarcane and other rubbee crops. The rainfall at the sudder station on the night of the 10th has slightly injured the ripe paddy in the fields, and has done no good to the rubbee crops.
	3	Beerbhoom, 13th „ „	Nil	Unseasonably warm and frequently cloudy. Harvest of late rice still in progress. Cold weather sowings small. Sugarcane declining from continued drought. 6,149 maunds exported by rail to Bhaugulpore and Patna Divisions. Prices slightly fallen.
	4	Midnapore, 13th „ „	·04	From the 9th to the 12th cloudy and close, like August weather; one shower fell on the morning of the 11th. At Garbetta ·5 inches of rain fell. It has generally benefited the sugarcane and the cold weather crops; gardens and grazing grounds are also benefited. Apparently it has done no harm to the rice which is being harvested, whether standing or cut. Water in drinking and bathing reservoirs decreasing very rapidly.
	5	Hooghly, 13th „ „	·76	Clear and cloudy; rain on the morning of the 11th. The rain is of no use except for the potato crop. Prospect of other crops generally as before,—a six-anna crop of late rice and a four-anna crop of pulses, &c.
		Howrah, 13th „ „	·72	Heavy rains on the 11th all over the district. Weather seems again to be settled and fine. The crops remain unchanged. The harvest has begun in many places. No variation to make in last report. There is no noticeable change in the price anywhere; it is believed that the harvest, which has just begun, will bring prices down greatly.
		Central Districts.		
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.	6	24-Pergunnahs, 15th Dec. 1873.	0·41	Cloudy in the morning during the early part of the week. A good fall of rain on the 11th, the weather has since cleared up, but continues warm for the time of the year. No change in the prospects of the late rice crop, the reaping of which is going on rapidly. The rain on the 11th in the Sudder, Barrackpore, Dum-Dum, and Baraset Sub-divisions, has benefited the cold weather crops without, as far as known, injuring to any appreciable extent the rice crop on the ground. In Busseerhat the people are anxious to sow all suitable land with boro dhan. Fever continues unabated in Busseerhat. In Barriepore it is spreading eastwards. In Satkhira and Baraset it is abating.
	7	Nuddea, 13th „ „	0·36	Cloudy until the 11th, when rain fell. Dry and clear since that date. The late crop in the Kushtea Sub-division is expected to yield a six-anna outturn; in Meherpore an eight-anna crop of the principal cold weather food-grains may be expected; prospects have not otherwise altered. The rain of the 11th has probably done more harm than good. A few cases of cholera have been reported from Chooadangah.
	8	Jessore, 13th „ „	·08	Generally clear, with one or two cloudy days. Slight drizzling rain in some places on one or two days. Prospects of cold weather crops much as before. The outturn of the rice crop may be expected on the whole to be an eight-anna one. There has been a general fall in the price of coarse rice since last week.
RAJSHAHYE DIVISION.	9	Moorshedabad, 13th Dec. 1873.	Nil	The weather same as last reported. Heavy clouds at intervals, but no rain. A very slight drizzle at Ramporehat on the 11th. The cutting of the late rice crop continues, and the produce is already being brought into the market. The cold weather crops have not improved, and rain is much needed for them. The only successful crop is kalai, which will be quite up to the average in most parts. Oil-seed (teel) and arhar are also pretty fair and may yield average crops. Boats with unhusked rice (dhan) from the eastern district have arrived at the mouth of the Khariyanadi in Jalangi, and their cargoes are being bought up by the inhabitants of that neighbourhood at the rate of 27½ seers the rupee. Prices are stationary in the bazars. Small-pox has broken out in thannahs Sooty and Kalliangunge and at Kandhee.
	10	Dinagepore, 13th „ „	Nil	Cloudy towards evening for the last two or three days; days clear and bright. Rice is slightly cheaper. A pretty fair rice crop is expected from Thakurgaon, the northern thannah of the district, where some rain fell in October. Wheat, barley, and other cold weather crops are suffering for want of rain.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)			
	Central Districts.—(Contd.)		
RAJSHAHYE DITN.—(*Contd.*) 11	Maldah, 13th Dec. 1873	Nil	Clouds collect and disperse; weather dry and cool; wind northerly. The ryots are busily engaged in reaping and harvesting the winter rice crop. The yield of the winter rice crop varies in places, but all round will not be more than a four-anna crop. The cold weather crops require rain. Pulse (kalai) ripening. Prices stationary. Supply of grain at local markets sufficient for local requirements. Between 2,000 or 3,000 labourers are at work on ordinary district roads and those newly projected, but much of the local labour will be occupied for some days in harvesting the rice crop. A district relief committee has been formed. Subscriptions raised, and small sums placed at the disposal of each police officer at out stations for relief of any casual cases of actual want or distress. No sign of anything like distress or want at present. Arrangements in progress for importing and storing grains for relief works.
12	Rajshahye 13th „ „	Nil	No change in the weather, neither any apparent prospect of rain, the continued want of which is telling considerably on the growing crops (excepting arhar and mashkalai), as well as impairing the chance of successfully completing the sowings still unfinished. The latest sowings are not germinating freely in consequence of the very dry state of the soil. The cultivation of cold weather crops generally is less than usual owing to the unfavorable state of the ground for receiving seed. In some places sugarcane is being cut early for fear of the yield of juice being shortened by the continued drought. Rahar and mashkalai are the best crops in the district and are as yet unaffected by want of rain. Boro dhan cultivation is being pushed on with much energy, especially in the west and north-west (the Bhurind tract), where the preparations for this crop are more extensive than in ordinary years. Young plants are being removed from the nurseries to the banks of tanks and khals, whence they will be finally transplanted to the fields. Mulberry and indigo are thriving, and there is promise of good outturn of silk cocoons. The only change in prices is a slight fall in the north-western and north-eastern portion of the district. Cases of cholera are decreasing in frequency, but they have not altogether ceased.
13	Rungpore, 13th „ „	Nil	Cloudless, with foggy mornings. Cutting of crops going on. Prospects the same as before. Spring crops being sown, but rain is wanted. Rice slightly dearer; Rs. 3-8 to Rs. 5.
14	Bogra, 13th „ „	Nil	Weather dry still, not a drop of rain as yet. Fever is prevailing more or less in almost all the police stations of the district. Reaping of the late amun paddy has commenced throughout the district; a poor outturn is to be expected. In parts where irrigation was carried on, the yield is much less than in previous years. Cold weather crops in low lands are somewhat favorable, but those on high lands are greatly in need of rain. Mulberry is doing pretty well still. Sugarcane promises well. Price of ordinary rice at the Bogra bazar on the 13th is 12 seers and 12 chittacks per rupee.
15	Pubna, 13th „ „	Nil	Weather cold, with chilly winds from the north-west. No rain at all. The amun dhan now being cut; of the winter crops the moog and mashkalai are being reaped, which in some parts are fair. The prospects of sugarcane and turmeric good. The prospect of the rest of the winter crops is daily growing worse for want of rain, which is urgently required for their growth.
COOCH BEHAR DITN. 16	Darjeeling, 13th „ „	Nil	Cloudy, misty weather during half the week, but not a drop of rain. Common rice a little cheaper than during last week. Bhoota has also fallen in price.
17	Julpigoree, 13th „ „	Nil	Bright, clear weather, no signs of rain. The mornings are not as cold as they should be at this time of the year. The sun is unusually powerful, and the middays and evenings are more like early March weather than December. Dews have been rather heavier for the last few days. Hymunti dhan is being cut all over the district, and as far as can be ascertained is some twelve or thirteen annas in the Dooars all round, ten and twelve annas north of Julpigoree, ten annas towards Titalyah, and twelve annas round and immediately south of Julpigoree. Boda six or seven annas all round. Cold weather crops promising well. Sugarcane very good. Old stock of dhan mostly exported from the district, and exportation going on briskly. Prices are falling. New dhan coming into the market. In some of the hâts in the Dooars this week, aus dhan is selling at 14 annas per maund, hymunti at Re. 1. Hymunti rice, coarse, Rs. 1-12; hymunti rice, best, Rs. 2-4; and aus rice Rs. 1-8. The rates, though cheap for the present season, are just double what the rates were at this time last year. At the Fallacota hât old hymunti rice is selling at 20 seers per rupee, new at 26 seers.
	Cooch Behar, 13th „ „	Nil	The mornings are foggy. No change in the prospects of the crops. A shower of rain will now do much good to the cold weather crops.
	Eastern Districts.		
DACCA DIVISION. 18	Dacca, 16th „ „	Nil	Weather still warm. Prospects of crops as before. Oil-seeds will be a short crop. Fever abating.
19	Furreedpore, 13th „ „	Nil	No change in the condition of the rubbee crops. There has not been rain for 11 weeks. Barometer is steadily rising and marks nearly 30 inches, which indicates settled fine weather. The temperature is more that of February. Clouds on the 11th. In most villages there are probably one or two richer ryots or jotedars who keep some little extra grain for exchange purposes, usually to loan out to poorer ryots, returnable in kind after the harvest. There are 2,307 villages, and supposing 50 maunds is estimated all round for each village, this would give 1,15,350 maunds; none of this would be available for export. In a year like the current one this would be doled out to such villages as have none in hand. As this rice is loaned out just before the harvest is due, it is therefore questionable whether any of this remains in stock.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)				
		Eastern Districts.—(*Contd.*)		
DACCA DIVN.—(*Contd.*)	20	Backergunge, ...	.....	Return not received.
	21	Mymensing, 13th Dec. 1873	Nil	Cloudy at the beginning of the week; afterwards bright, clear weather, with occasional morning fogs. Little change in the state of the crops since last report. The price of food has risen somewhat throughout the district. No present sign of rain. Pulses are being harvested in some places. The new amun rice is beginning to come into the market. Fever still prevalent in parts of the Attia sub-division. An outbreak of cholera is reported in the town of Kissengunge.
	22	Sylhet, 6th „ „	Nil	Close all through the week, and very cloudy up to Wednesday. The late rice is being cut, half nearly cut, the outturn will be a good twelve-anna crop.
	23	Cachar, 6th „ „	0·12	Cloudy and too warm. Slight rain followed the earth-quake of last Saturday. The river has risen about two feet since the morning of the 6th December. The crops are doing well, insects having altogether disappeared; outturn may exceed anticipations. Late rice is being cut all over the district.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.	24	Chittagong, 6th „ „	·95	Up to Thursday night dull, with drizzling rain. Since then the weather has cleared up and is fine and bright. The rain has put a stop to harvest operations. Insects have again appeared in the Chuckerea and Satkanea thannahs.
	25	Noakhally, 6th „ „	1·34	Weather for the most part rainy or cloudy. It is reported that the "sani" insect is attacking the crops in the neighbourhood of Sudharam. Its appearance is attributable to the prevalent close cloudy weather. In Sundeep, Luckhecpore, and other outlying thannahs the prospects are generally good. The late rice is being reaped. Exportation is going on and prices slightly rising. There is cholera both in the interior and the Sudder Station.
	26	Tipperah, 12th „ „	Nil.	Weather seasonable. The amun dhan is being reaped and prospects have not varied since last report. Large exportations to districts, even as far as Benares and Ghazipore, are going on, but in spite of this there has been a slight fall in prices, indicating that the store of aus dhan must be larger than was estimated. The prospects of the winter crops are somewhat better, and the recent rain has done good to so much of the mustard as had not flowered. Cholera has not abated.
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts, 6th Dec. 1873.	·75	Cloudy from the 1st to the 5th December, with slight and occasional falls of rain. There has been no cold weather throughout the whole week, and the temperature has been most unseasonable. The cotton is now being collected. The seeds of tobacco, mustard, and other cold weather crops are being sown; in some places they have germinated, and the prospects are generally good. There seems no dread of scarcity, but in some of the local markets there has been a rise in the price of rice, which is attributable to a corresponding rise in the Chittagong markets.
		Hill Tipperah, 6th „ „	0·76	Cloudy and showery throughout the greater part of the week; unseasonably warm both day and night. The paddy is being reaped and is generally turning out better than was anticipated. The showery weather, though good for whatever cold weather crops there are, has given rise to apprehensions of damage by insects to the paddy still uncut. Prices have risen probably in consequence of this.
BEHAR.				
PATNA DIVISION.	28	Patna, 15th „ „	Nil	Mornings and evenings very cold. No rain has fallen, but the heavy dews at night do much good to the young rubbee crops which look well where they have germinated. The rice is being cut in Behar and a one-third crop is expected. The health of the district good.
	29	Gya, 13th „ „	Nil	Cool, cloudy on the 10th, but no rain fell. The rice crop is being harvested. A six-anna crop is expected. The rubbee is thriving well wherever water is available, but rain is much wanted. The prices are about stationary. The health of the district is good.
	30	Shahabad, 13th „ „	Nil	Cloudy and threatening on the 10th, clear and cold during the rest of the week. Little change since last week. Prices are stationary. The rice crop, where it has been saved, is being harvested. Land is still being ploughed and sown with cold weather crops wherever possible.
	31	Tirhoot, 13th „ „	Nil	Seasonable, cold and clear. In Seetamarhee sub-division the dhan is being cut and harvested in places where it has not already been cut as fodder for cattle. In Pergunnahs Basotri Mahnid, Laduari, and Nanpore there will be an one to two-anna crop. The time for sowing the rubbee crop is now passed. But if rain falls cheena and moog will be sown at once. The rahur, mustard, and wheat are coming on well where irrigation has been practicable. In the Durbhungah sub-division the rice that has come to maturity is being reaped. The crop will not exceed all round an average of two annas. No change in the rubbee prospects. Rahur and janera still look well. In the Mudhobani sub-division a three-anna rice crop is expected. The rubbee crops which have only been sown over little more than one-fifth of the ordinary area are languishing for want of rain. In the Sudder, Hajeepore, and Tajpore sub-divisions the crops hold out surprisingly. The outturn of the rice crop for the whole district cannot be estimated at more than two to three annas.

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BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)			
PATNA DIVISION.—(*Contd.*) 32	Sarun, 13th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Seasonable and cold, west wind prevailing. Paddy is being harvested. It is believed that three-fourths of the ordinary rubbee area have been sown, and where sown, the crops have germinated, and with the exception of one-tenth on unfavorable soils, which has since been killed by the long drought, are still doing fairly, and will yield half an average outturn in the event of rain falling within this month. Irrigation is steadily going on where practicable. Poppy has been sown nearly everywhere and has germinated well. Indigo fields are being prepared for the coming season. Prices of food-grains steady.
33	Chumparun, 13th „ „	Nil	Weather cool. West winds. The yield of late rice crop would be at the most about two annas. The rubbee plants are looking healthy on account of the beneficient night dews of the season. If it rains even in the latter end of December there is every hope of the cultivators harvesting ten to twelve-anna crop as then the season of sowing would not be over. To meet the scarcity in the face to some extent, the Koeris have largely planted cucumbers and pumpkins and other little vegetables.
BHAUGULPORE DIVN. 34	Monghyr, 13th „ „	Nil	Little or no change since last week. Rain is much wanted. It is doubtful whether the rubbee can come to maturity without rain. The crop however hitherto sown looks generally fair. No prospect of fresh sowings. Rice crops in Jamui gathered; yield two to six annas.
35	Bhaugulpore, 16th „ „	Nil	Aghani rice being rapidly reaped; about two annas outturn expected in Soopool sub-division; about nine annas in Modhepore; about eight annas in Sudder, and about ten annas in Banka sub-divisions. Rubbee still promising. General health very good.
36	Purneah, 13th „ „	Nil	No change in weather. The mustard still promises well, as also the arhar and janera. The rice crop in the west of Dhurmpore near the Kosi is wonderfully good, but is being exported. The wheat and pulses require rain sadly. Prices, owing to the large importation, have fallen. New rice is coming into the market. No change on last week's report as regards eastern and northern parts.
37	Sonthal Pergunnahs, 13th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Prospect of rain on the 11th and 12th, but only a few drops fell: the weather has now become bright and cold. No change in the state and prospect of the crops since last week.
ORISSA.			
ORISSA DIVISION. 38	Cuttack, 16th „ „	1·29	Weather very cool. Sarud crop is being reaped; outturn a fair average. Cold weather crops promising well. Public health excellent.
39	Pooree, 5th „ „	·88	Weather extremely bad; it is cloudy, with almost incessant rain and keen and chilly wind. The harvest of the loghoo or second rice crop is nearly completed. The recent rains have suspended all agricultural operations. The late rice crop is ripening. Cold weather crops coming on; both these crops are yet in good condition, but the continued bad weather prevailing the past eleven days will damage both the crops if it continues longer, otherwise the produce is expected to be fair. The rain and wind have laid down the paddy in some places and beat out the grains from the ears, while the ripening is retarded for want of sun. Considerable injury to the crops may be expected if the weather continues for some days more.
40	Balasore, 13th „ „	·60	Warm during the middle of the week. Rain on the 11th, since then the weather seasonable. Most of the paddy (quite twelve annas) has been cut. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Prices rather high throughout the district: at Bhadrakh twenty-five seers, and at Jellasore twenty-four per rupee.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
41	Hazareebaugh, 13th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Unsettled. Rain still holds off, though the cloudy weather give every promise of rain. It is now clear, bright, and cold. The greater portion of the rice crop has been harvested, but nowhere has the outturn been a favourable one, ten annas being about the estimated quantity. The prospect of the rubbee is unfavourable, and unless revived by timely rain short crop is inevitable, specially as much land usually cultivated lies fallow from want of moisture. Prices much the same as in last week's report. Imports are being received in the north from Behar district. Rice is selling at Gawan at 15 seers to the rupee; on the east of Hazareebaugh it is selling at 15 and 14½ seers. Pergunnahs Aharee, Datara, Kunda, with part of Kurunpura and Chaie are said to have at least 32,000 maunds stored in mahajun's golahs. Petty thefts of standing crops have increased in frequency. No heinous crime during the last four weeks.
42	Lohardugga, 12th „ „	Nil	Cloudy and warm for the season. There was a sharp shower of rain on the evening of the 10th, but which appears to have been very partial. The whole of the dhan has been cut. The general average outturn in the sudder division is nearly twelve annas; the oil-seeds are not so good and will scarcely give a ten-anna crop on the whole. The prospects of the rubbee crops are very bad owing to the total absence of rain in the district. In Palamow a six-anna crop of dhan is still expected and about an eight-anna crop of oil-seeds. The rubbee crops there are dying for want of rain, and in some parts are suffering from the attacks of insects.

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CHOTA NAGPORE.—(*Contd.*)			
	South-West Frontier Agency.—(Contd.)		
43	Singbhoom, 6th Dec. 1873	Nil	No rain, but weather still threatening. Nothing to add to the last weekly report. The crops have nearly all been cut and matters stand as before. There has been a slight rise in the price of rice since last week.
44	Maunbhoom, 13th " "	0·26	A good shower fell in the Sudder Station on the night of the 10th. No news whether similar rain has fallen in the interior. The state of things same as in last report; only the influx of new rice into the market has caused the price to fall a little, the average price now being 18¼ seers for the rupee. No knowing as to the effect of the rain in the interior.
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS			
45	Goalparah, 6th " "	Nil	Weather cool, nights and mornings foggy. No material change in the state and prospects of the crops.
46	Kamroop, ...	.....	Return not received.
47	Durrung, 5th " "	Nil	Bright weather: easterly breeze, daily range of temperature high. No change in the prospect of the outturn of the rice crop.
48	Nowgong, 5th " "	Nil	Weather clear again and seasonable, with heavy dews at night and dense foggy mornings. The clouds at the beginning of the week passed away and only a few drops of rain fell. The rice crop, ripe and being rapidly cut and gathered in. The crop on the whole will be an average one. Kalai crop poor; mustard and sugarcane doing well. Tea operations over for the season, and pruning of the bushes already commenced on some estates. The general health of the district good.
49	Seebsaugor, 6th " "	Nil	No change in weather. A slight shock of earth-quake was felt at Golaghat on the 2nd instant. The prospect of the rice crop unchanged. Harvesting has commenced. Mustard crop backward for want of rain.
50	Luckimpore, 6th " "	Nil	Heavy fogs every morning. Nights cold. A hot sun during the day. Thermometer, maximum 73°, minimum 53°. Sali rice crop being cut is expected to prove not far short of an average one. Mustard sowing completed; cold weather crops generally continue promising. Public health much the same as before; low fever rather prevalent.
51	Naga Hills, 28th Nov. 1873.	Nil	Weather seasonable, mornings and evenings chilly and cold. Cotton is being gathered and stored, the yield is below the average. A small quantity of rice was brought down to Samagoodting for sale by Nagas from the higher ranges.
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills, 5th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Morning bright sun, afternoon generally cloudy. There is no rice standing now, the whole of it has been harvested; the murwah is doing well.
53	Garo Hills, 6th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Fair. On some days rather hazy; less clouds this week, and nights clear. There has been no wind to injure the cotton which is still uncollected. The Garos have commenced jooming in some parts. Little to be said regarding the crops in the hills.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 23rd to 29th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 30th Nov. to 6th Dec. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
	WESTERN DISTRICTS.						
BURDWAN.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	57·52	6th Dec.	
		Cutwa	Nil	Nil	39·37	ditto.	
		Culna	Nil	Nil	46·18	ditto ...	Not received 9th to 15th Nov.
		Bood-Bood	Nil	Nil	48·30	ditto.	
		Raneegunge	Nil	Nil	44·85	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Nil	Nil	43·72	ditto.	
	Bancoorah ...	Bancoorah	Nil	Nil	47·27	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom ...	Soorce	Nil	Nil	53·45	ditto.	
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	Nil	Nil	44·77	ditto.	
		Tumlook	Nil	Nil	47·51	ditto.	
		Gurbetta	Nil	Nil	46·36	ditto.	
		Contai ... Dy. Collr.'s Office ...	0·28	0·10	46·45	ditto.	
		Contai ... Exe. Engr.'s Office...	0·20	Not rec.	51·22	29th Nov. ...	Not received 16th to 22nd Nov.
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly	0·10	Nil	38·89	6th Dec.	
		Serampore	0·11	Nil	43·24	ditto.	
	Howrah ...	Howrah	0·07	0·06	46·79	ditto.	
	CENTRAL DISTRICTS.						
PRESIDENCY.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	0·40	0·70	49·63		
		Calcutta	0·07	Nil	44·39	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	0·03	0·03	45·47	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Jail	Nil	0·10	44·41	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut	Nil	Nil	43·62	ditto.	
		Baraset	0·05	0·04	40·37	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour	0·20	0·09	51·13	ditto.	
		Barripore	0·24	Nil	52·29	ditto.	
		Satkherah	0·02	0·10	47·84	ditto.	
		Barrackpore	0·07	Nil	46·04	ditto.	
		Dum-Dum	0·03	0·06	48·86	ditto.	
	Nuddea ...	Kishnaghur	Nil	Nil	46·80	ditto.	
		Bongong	Nil	Nil	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore	Nil	Nil	52·41	ditto.	
		Chooadangah	0·03	Nil	46·02	ditto.	
		Kooshteah	Nil	Nil	38·66	ditto.	
		Ranaghat	Nil	Nil	34·51	ditto.	
	Jessore ...	Jessore	Nil	0·02	44·51	ditto.	
		Nurrail	Not rec.	Not rec.	66·71	22nd Nov.	
		Khoolnea...	0·10	0·10	59·46	6th Dec.	
		Jenadah	Nil	Nil	43·15	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut	0·01	0·60	56·03	ditto.	
		Magoorah	0·02	Nil	47·72	ditto.	
RAJSHAHYE.	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	Nil	Nil	31·61	ditto.	
		Ramporehaut	Nil	Nil	28·71	ditto.	
		City Moorshedabad	Nil	Nil	27·21	ditto.	
		Jungipore	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Azimgunge	Nil	Nil	35·38	ditto.	
		Lalgolla	Nil	Nil	41·51	ditto ...	From 1st Feb.
	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	Nil	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah ...	Maldah	Nil	Nil	27·02	ditto.	
	Rajshahye ...	Beauleah	Nil	Nil	32·13	ditto.	
		Nattore	Nil	Nil	43·78	ditto.	
	Rungpore ...	Rungpore	Nil	Nil	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge	Nil	Nil	47·28	ditto.	
		Titalya	Nil	Nil	82·72	ditto.	
	Bograh ...	Bograh	Nil	Nil	36·74	ditto.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	Nil	Nil	43·18	ditto.	
		Serajgunge	Nil	Nil	35·26	ditto ...	Not. rec. 26th Oct. to 1st Nov.
COOCH BEHAR.	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office ...	Not rec.	Not rec	93·66	15th Nov.	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	Nil	Nil	77·74	6th Nov ...	Not rec. 9th to 22nd Nov.
	Julpigoree ...	Julpigoree	Nil	Nil	88·20	ditto.	
		Fallacotta	Nil	Nil	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah	Nil	Nil	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar	Nil	Nil	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars ...	Buxa	Not rec.	Nil	175·64	ditto.	

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 23rd Nov. to 29th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 30th Nov. to 6th Dec. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL—(*Continued.*)							
	EASTERN DISTRICTS.		Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
DACCA	Dacca ...	Dacca ... Telegraph Office ...	0·03	Nil	61·33	6th Dec.	
		Dacca ... Hospital ...	0·01	0·01	59·24	ditto.	
		Moonsheegunge	Nil	Nil	63·47	ditto.	
		Manickgunge	Nil	Nil	48·86	ditto.	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	Nil	0·02	50·57	ditto.	
		Goalundo	Nil	Nil	42·08	ditto.	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisaul	0·10	Not rec.	60·71	29th Nov.	
		Perozepore	0·20	Not rec.	56·49	ditto.	
		Madaripore	Nil	Not rec.	60·35	ditto.	
		Patooakhally	Nil	Not rec.	90·02	ditto.	
		Dowlat Khan	Nil	Not rec.	100·76	ditto.	
	Mymensing ...	Mymensing	Nil	Nil	61·39	6th Dec.	
		Jamalpore	Nil	Nil	48·69	ditto.	
		Atteah	Nil	Nil	44·11	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge	Nil	Nil	67·94	ditto.	
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	Nil	Nil	126·72	ditto.	
	Cachar ...	Cachar	Nil	0·12	102·97	ditto.	
		Hylakandy	Nil	Not rec.	88·25	29th Nov.	
		Koyah	0·25	Not rec.	85·87	ditto.	
CHITTAGONG.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong ... Telegraph Office ...	Nil	0·90	85·50	6th Dec.	
		Chittagong ... Jail	0.12	0·83	86·38	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar	Nil	Nil	152·47	ditto.	
	Noakhally ...	Noakhally	0·01	1·33	118·10	ditto.	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	Nil	1·00	73·00	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah	Nil	0·12	58·44	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill	Nil	Not rec.	73·35	29th Nov.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	0·02	0·76	58·35	6th Dec.	
BEHAR.							
PATNA.	Patna ...	Patna	Nil	Nil	30·49	ditto.	
		Behar	Nil	Nil	38·14	ditto.	
		Barh	Nil	Nil	33·30	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Jail	Nil	Nil	34·16	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Cantonment ...	Nil	Nil	34·75	ditto.	
	Gya ...	Gya	Nil	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah	Nil	Nil	41·03	ditto.	
		Arungabad	Not rec.	Nil	33·04	ditto ...	Not rec. 23rd to 29th Nov.
		Jehanabad	Nil	Nil	38·73	ditto.	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	Nil	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhubooah...	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot ...	Mozufferpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	29·03	8th Nov.	
		Durbhangah	ditto ...	ditto ...	34·46	ditto.	
		Hajeepore	ditto ...	ditto ...	35·36	ditto.	
		Mudhubani	ditto ...	ditto ...	27·61	ditto.	
		Seetamaree	ditto ...	ditto ...	37·10	ditto.	
		Tajpore	Nil	Nil	31·11	6th Dec. ...	Not rec. 9th to 15th Nov.
	Sarun ...	Chuprah	Nil	Nil	33·88	ditto.	
		Sewan	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Champarun ...	Moteehari	Nil	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
BHAGULPORE.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	Nil	Nil	33·22	ditto.	
		Begooserai	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·95	22nd Nov.	
		Jamoocie	Not rec.	Nil	43·09	6th Dec.	
	Bhaugulpore ...	Bhaugulpore	Nil	Nil	28·68	ditto.	
		Soopool	Nil	Nil	26·73	ditto.	
		Mudheypoorah	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Sanborsa	Nil	Nil	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah ...	Purneah	Nil	Nil	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge	Not rec.	Nil	37·69	ditto ...	Not rec. 23rd to 29th Nov.
		Arrareah	Not rec.	Nil	35·00	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Sonthal Pergunnahs...	Deoghur	Nil	Nil	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto. ...	Not rec. 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal	Nil	Nil	23·00	ditto.	
		Moheshpore	Nil	Nil	25·24	ditto ...	From 15th June, and not recorded 21st Sept. to 4th Oct.
		Nya-Doomka	Nil	Nil	53·00	ditto.	
		Godda	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto	

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 22nd to 29th Nov. 1873.	Rain from 30th Nov. to 6th Dec. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
Orissa	Cuttack ...	Cuttack ... Telegraph Office ...	0·20	0·10	33·80	6th Dec.	
		Cuttack ... Hospital ...	0·27	0·13	0·45	ditto.	
		Jajipore	0·20	Nil	35·53	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	Nil	0·03	57·53	ditto.	
		Jugatsingpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	41·38	1st Nov.	
		False Point	0·50	1·25	59·60	6th Dec.	
	Pooree	Pooree	0·69	1·12	56·83	ditto.	
		Khurdah	0·29	0·36	49·58	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	0·07	Not rec.	47·87	29th Nov.	
		Bhuddruck	0·20	ditto ...	35·68	ditto.	
		Jellasore	Nil	ditto ...	48·75	ditto ...	From 1st April.
		Sorah	0·10	ditto ...	36·55	ditto ...	Ditto.
		Chandbally	0·33	ditto ...	35·25	ditto. ...	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sambalpore	Not rec.	ditto ...	51·25	25th Oct.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebaugh ...	Hazareebaugh ... Jail ...	Nil	Not rec.	59·04	29th Nov.	
		Hazareebaugh ... Dispensary ...	Nil	ditto ...	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba	Nil	Nil	51·80	6th Dec.	
	Lohardaggah ...	Ranchee	Nil	Nil	49·95	ditto.	
		Palamow	Nil	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	Nil	Nil	38·54	ditto.	
	Maunbhoom ...	Purulia	Nil	Nil	40·70	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Goalparah ...	Goalparah	Nil	Not rec.	68·21	29th Nov. ...	Not received 9th to 15th Nov.
		Dhoobree	Nil	ditto ...	91·42	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Kamroop ...	Gowhatty	Nil	Nil	49·11	6th Dec.	
		Burpettah	Nil	Not rec.	70·78	29th Nov.	
	Durrung ...	Tezpore	Nil	ditto ...	65·89	ditto.	
		Mungledye	Nil	ditto ...	53·90	ditto.	
	Nowgong ...	Nowgong	Nil	Nil	70·61	6th Dec.	
	Seebsaugor ...	Seebsaugor	Nil	Not rec.	72·71	29th Nov.	
		Golaghat	Nil	ditto ...	66·71	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	Nil	ditto ...	59·52	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	Nil	ditto ...	75·27	ditto.	
	Luckimpore ...	Debrooghur	Nil	ditto ...	90·94	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	Nil	ditto ...	101·55	ditto.	
		Suddya	Nil	ditto ...	83·19	ditto.	
	Naga Hills ...	Samoogoodting	Not rec.	ditto ...	43·74	15th Nov.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills ...	Shillong	Nil	ditto ...	53·57	29th Nov.	
		Jaowai	Nil	ditto ...	74·49	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	Nil	ditto ...	293·84	ditto.	
	Garo Hills ...	Tura	Nil	Nil	85·22	6th Dec.	
		Benares	Nil	Not rec.	35·83	29th Nov.	
		Akyab	Nil	Nil	202·60	6th Dec.	

CALCUTTA,
The 13th December 1873.

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 7th to 13th Dec. 1873.

Station.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity. *	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Calcutta	Dec. 7th	10	30·095	30·114	74·0	64·2	55	N E	...	...	K	
		16	29·965	29·983	79·0	67·5	52	N E	...	...	C	
	8th	10	30·120	30·139	72·5	61·5	49	N E	...	...	CS	
		16	29·979	29·997	76·8	64·9	43	N E	...		CS	
	9th	10	30·099	30·118	74·9	64·2	52	E N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·968	29·986	79·4	67·4	50	E N E	...	...	CS	
	10th	10	30·132	30·150	75·3	66·2	59	E	...	...	C	
		16	29·993	30·011	80·5	72·1	64	S	...	...	CS	
	11th	10	30·110	30·129	73·2	69·5	81	E S E	...	...	.....	c, r
		16	30·020	30·038	76·5	74·1	88	E	...	0·80	.....	c
	12th	10	30·161	30·180	74·0	66·3	64	E N E	...	0·02	.....	b
		16	30·035	30·053	78·8	69·4	59	E N E	...	...	.....	b
	13th	10	30·178	30·197	71·0	63·4	63	E N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	30·025	30·043	76·5	64·5	48	N	...	...	.....	b
Saugor Island.	Dec. 7th	10	30·094	30·100	76	64	48	N E	9·7	...	CS	b, m
		16	29·964	29·970	80	68	51	N	9·9	...	CS	b, m
	8th	10	30·120	30·126	74	63	51	N	6·3	...	CK	b, m
		16	29·996	30·002	77	66	53	N N W	13·0	...	CS	b, m
	9th	10	30·108	30·114	74	65	59	N E	3·2	...	N	c, m
		16	29·981	29·987	80	67	47	S S W	3·8	...	CS	b
	10th	10	30·136	30·142	79	73	73	S E	5·5	...	K	b, m
		16	30·013	30·019	81	74	70	S S E	8·4	...	KS	b
	11th	10	30·118	30·124	80	75	78	S S E	3·8	...	N	b, c
		16	30·017	30·023	82	76	74	S E	7·9	...	N	c, v, u
	12th	10	30·167	30·173	69	67	89	E N E	5·8	0·10	N	d, c
		16	30·045	30·051	79	70	61	N	8·4	...	N	b, m
	13th	10	30·182	30·188	73	64	58	N	7·4	...	.....	b, m
		16	30·029	30·035	76	64	48	N	12·4	...	.....	b, m
Chittagong.	Dec. 7th	10	29·998	30·091	80	74	74	N N W	3·6	...	CK, C	b, m
		16	29·872	29·965	82	72	59	W	6·4	...	.....	b, m
	8th	10	29·963	30·057	75	68	68	N	3·7	...	CK, K	m
		16	29·895	29·988	78	70	65	W N W	5·9	...	KS	m
	9th	10	29·968	30·063	72	65	66	N	5·1	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·868	29·962	76	68	64	S W	4·5	...	.....	b, c
	10th	10	30·066	30·161	70	65	75	N	4·8	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·945	30·039	76	68	64	W S W	5·4	...	.....	b, c
	11th	10	30·064	30·159	79	67	75	N N E	4·3	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·905	29·999	77	68	60	W N	5·1	...	.....	b, c
	12th	10	30·016	30·111	71	65	70	N	3·7	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·902	29·995	79	68	54	N W	5·0	...	.....	b, c
	13th	10	30·079	30·174	71	66	75	N N W	4·4	...	.....	b, m
		16	29·892	29·985	78	70	65	W	4·7	...	.....	b, c
Madras.	Dec. 6th	10	29·983	30·013	82	74	66	S W	8	...	.....	c
		16	29·874	29·904	85	77	68	W S W	2	...	.....	c
	7th	10	29·975	30·005	83	77	75	S W	4	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·868	29·898	82	76	74	E	6	...	.....	b
	8th	10	30·043	30·073	83	75	67	E by S	2	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·933	29·963	82	76	74	E by S	7	...	.....	b, c
	9th	10	30·080	30·110	81	75	74	E by S	4	...	.....	c
		16	29·973	30·003	82	75	70	E by N	6	...	.....	c
	10th	10	30·111	30·141	83	77	75	E by N	3	...	.....	c
		16	29·999	30·029	81	74	70	E by S	5	...	.....	c
	11th	10	30·086	30·116	82	75	70	E by N	7	...	.....	c
		16	29·997	30·027	81	74	70	N E	9	...	.....	b
	12th	10	30·102	30·132	82	75	70	E S E	7	...	.....	c
		16	29·989	30·019	81	75	74	S E by E	4	...	.....	c
Cuttack.	Dec. 7th	10	30·015	30·100	68	63	74	S W	2·6	0·10	N	p
		16	29·884	29·967	77	65	49	W N W	5·0	...	CK, N, C	
	8th	10	30·017	30·100	76	66	56	N N E	0·5	...	KS, C	
		16	29·909	29·992	80	67	47	S E	2·0	...	CK, N	b
	9th	10	30·017	30·100	76	69	68	E N E	0·2	...	C	b
		16	29·891	29·973	84	74	60	S S W	2·2	...	K, CK	b
	10th	10	30·039	30·122	78	74	81	S	1·0	...		
		16	29·900	29·982	86	75	57	S S W	3·4	...	K, CK	b
	11th	10	30·001	30·084	82	75	70	S S W	1·5	...	CK	b
		16	29·918	30·000	84	76	67	N	2·0	...	C, K, N	b
	12th	10	30·076	30·159	79	72	69	N N E	1·4	...	K	b
		16	29·948	30·030	85	72	50	N E	3·9	...	CK, K	b
	13th	10	30·096	30·179	78	65	46	E N E	1·9	...	.....	b
		16	29·931	30·014	81	69	51	N N E	3·2	...	S	b
Akyab.	Dec. 7th	10	30·034	30·056	82	76	74	E	1·4	...	.....	b
		16	29·904	29·926	82	76	74	W	5·0	...	.....	b
	8th	10	30·032	30·053	83	78	78	N E	2·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·934	29·956	82	75	70	N W	8·1	...	.....	b
	9th	10	30·037	30·059	82	69	48	N	3·2	...	.....	b
		16	29·926	29·948	81	68	48	W N W	6·8	...	.....	b
	10th	10	30·106	30·128	75	66	59	N	2·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·994	30·016	79	66	47	W N W	5·5	...	.....	b
	11th	10	30·106	30·128	74	68	72	N	2·1	...	.....	b
		16	29·984	30·006	79	69	58	N W	5·8	...	.....	b
	12th	10	30·095	30·115	75	70	76	N E	1·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·979	30·001	81	72	62	W	5·1	...	.....	b
	13th	10	30·098	30·120	77	72	77	N E	1·9	...	.....	b
		16	30·059	30·081	80	73	70	S W	3·5	...	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th December 1873.

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Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 8th to 14th December 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer. Highest reading.	Thermometer. Lowest reading.	Thermometer. Max. solar radiation.	Mean dry bulb.	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew-point.	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Max. pressure.	Wind. Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Remarks.
		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	°			Lb.	Miles	In.		
Dec. ...	8th	30·036	77·2	66·8	127·7	71·0	63·1	56·8	0·63	N E & E N E	...	98·6	...	...	Cirri, cirrostrati, & clear.
	9th	·032	81·5	64·6	132·5	71·8	64·5	58·7	·65	E N E	...	65·6	...	...	Clear, and cirrostrati. Slightly foggy from 7 to 9 P.M.
	10th	·051	82·5	64·5	132·0	72·7	67·5	63·3	·74	E by N E & S	...	75·8	...	...	Clear and cirrocumuli.
	11th	·062	78·0	69·0	118·5	72·3	69·8	67·8	·86	S E S E & E N E	...	96·2	0·82	...	Chiefly overcast. Rain from 9¾ to 11 A.M., and at 4½, 8 and 9 P.M.
	12th	·093	80·0	70·0	126·0	73·8	68·3	64·4	·74	E N E	...	107·5	...	☽	Cirrocumuli and clear.
	13th	·089	77·8	63·0	130·0	69·9	63·3	58·0	·67	E N E & N by W	...	121·2	...	...	Clear.
	14th	·044	77·0	61·9	130·0	68·4	61·2	55·4	·65	N N W	...	126·0	...	...	Clear.

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means are derived from the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represent the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of the lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of the ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noon.

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The extreme variation of temperature during the past seven days	...	20·6
The maximum temperature during the past seven days	...	82·5
The maximum temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	...	79·3
The mean humidity during the past seven days	...	0·71
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·70
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 8th to 14th ... by lower rain gauge	...	0·82
The total fall of rain from 8th to 14th ... by anemometer gauge	...	0·73
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	Nil
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 14th December	...	45·27
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	69·28

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
In charge of the Observatory.

The 15th December 1873.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th November 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	1,303	1,017 0 0	101 14 0	5,959 0	508 0 0	50 16 0	152 10 0
Or per mile of railway	48	37 0 0	3 14 0	218 0	19 0 0	1 18 0	5 12 0
For previous 21 weeks of half-year	24,768	20,924 0 0	2,092 8 0	79,088 0	7,193 0 0	719 6 0	2,811 14 0
Total for 22 weeks ...	28,076	21,941 0 0	2,194 2 0	85,038 0	7,701 0 0	770 2 0	2,964 4
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,435	1,145 13 6	114 11 8	5,987 10	587 10 0	58 15 3	173 6 11
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	73	42 0 8	4 4 1	219 29	21 9 0	2 3 2	6 7 8
Total to corresponding date of previous year	27,831	21,136 19 10	2,113 14 5	89,146 21	8,139 14 3	819 19 10	2,938 14 3

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th November 1873, on 158¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	40,578½	21,899 11 9	2,007 10 6	107,051 19	41,999 7 3	3,767 9 0	5,774 19 5
Or per mile of railway	256	138 6 2	12 13 8	2,007 0	259 11 5	23 16 0	36 9 3
For previous weeks of half-year...	596,905½	3,81,707 4 3	34,990 4 2	2,501,376 11	8,28,123 9 7	75,911 8 4	110,901 12 6
Total for weeks	637,484	4,03,607 0 0	36,997 14 7	2,558,427 29	8,69,223 1 3	79,628 17 4	116,676 11 11
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	40,072½	22,125 14 0	2,028 4 1	98,809 30	31,929 2 7	2,926 16 10	4,955 0 11
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	256	141 6 1	12 19 3	631 0	204 0 4	18 14 0	31 13 3
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,119,874	3,83,065 13 1	35,114 7 1	3,336,881 18	9,30,336 0 6	85,280 16 0	120,395 3 1

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th December 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	105,289	1,95,298 3 3	17,902 6 8	1,118,012 0	* 5,01,993 5 3	46,016 1 1	63,918 7 0
Or per mile of railway	.....	152 9 3	13 19 9	.....	392 2 11	35 19 0	49 18 9
For previous 22 weeks of half-year	2,343,064	31,60,340 1 3	289,697 16 10	14,942,973 10	66,67,625 10 3	611,199 0 4	900,896 17 2
Total for 23 weeks	2,448,353	33,55,638 4 0	307,600 3 6	16,060,985 10	71,69,618 15 6	657,215 1 5	964,815 4 11
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	100,169	1,76,143 10 1	15,146 10 0	654,658 10	3,97,651 12 7	36,451 3 3	52,597 13 3
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	137 9 9	12 12 3	.....	310 10 3	28 9 7	41 1 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,265,433	31,27,259 2 2	286,665 8 5	11,143,402 30	61,11,938 10 5	560,261 0 10	846,926 9 3

* Rs. 60,285-4 added on account of estimated proportion of freight on food-grains due from Government for this week.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th December 1873, on 223½ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	R[illegible] P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	4,776	36,667 10 6	3,361 4 0	70,567 0	* 18,687 10 0	1,713 0 8	5,074 4 8
Or per mile of railway	.....	164 1 0	15 0 9	.....	83 9 10	7 13 4	22 14 1
For previous 22 weeks of half-year...	87,362	2,50,473 3 0	22,960 0 10	978,420 20	3,05,056 15 0	27,963 11 1	50,923 11 11
Total for 23 weeks... ...	92,138	2,87,140 13 6	26,321 4 10	10,48,987 20	3,23,744 2 0	29,676 11 9	55,997 16 7
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,401	28,809 11 2	2,640 17 9	61,280 20	28,835 10 7	* 2,643 5 5	5,284 3 2
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	128 14 5	11 16 4	.....	129 0 4	11 16 6	23 12 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year	102,228	3,12,981 10 5	28,689 19 8	830,275 30	2,63,246 19 5	24,130 18 11	52,820 18 7

* Rs. 770-10 added on account of estimated proportion of freight on food-grains due from Government for this week.

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th December 1873, on 28 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	9,122	1,214 0 0	121 8 0	12,176 0	417 0 0	41 14 0	163 2 0
Or per mile of railway	326	43 8 0	4 7 0	435 0	15 0 0	1 10 0	5 17 0
For previous 22 weeks of half-year	1,14,483	18,136 0 0	1,814 12 0	380,486 0	12,614 0 0	1,261 8 0	3,075 0 0
Total for 23 weeks	1,23,605	19,350 0 0	1,935 0 0	392,662 0	13,031 0 0	1,303 2 0	3,233 2 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,623	1,099 1 0	109 18 2	15,719 0	520 3 0	52 0 4	161 18 0
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	272	39 4 0	3 18 6	561 0	18 9 0	1 17 2	5 15 8
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,24,903	19,314 9 1	1,931 9 3	307,746 17	9,578 11 9	957 17 6	2,889 6 9

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 2118.

GENERAL.—*The 28th November* 1873.—Mr. C. F. Worsley, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, Patna is transferred to Tirhoot on special duty connected with Relief.

The 18th December 1873.—The services of Mr. Trevor John Chichele-Plowden are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

The 20th December 1873.—Mr. Henry Augustus Coombs, District Superintendent of Police, Seebsaugor, is appointed to have temporary charge of the Political Agency, Naga Hills, from the date on which he relieved Captain J. Butler.

The 19th December 1873.—Mr. Charles Randall Marindin, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Furreedpore, is allowed one month's privilege leave from the 18th December 1873, under Section 21, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. William Sutherland Wells, Magistrate and Collector of Furreedpore, is allowed one month's privilege leave under Section 21, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code, from the date on which he may be relieved.

The 20th December 1873.—Mr. Frank Robert Stanley Collier, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred to Furreedpore.

The 22nd December 1873.—Mr. Henry Bruce Simson, Additional District and Sessions Judge of Backergunge, Dacca, &c., is allowed one month's privilege leave under Section 21, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. Ebenezer Johnstone Barton, M.A., on special duty, is transferred to the Bhangulpore Division for employment on relief duties from the 1st December 1873, the date on which he joined that Division.

The 23rd December 1873.—Major Archibald Edwards Campbell, Deputy Commissioner of Seebsaugor, is allowed subsidiary leave for one month, from the 31st January 1874, to enable him to proceed on furlough.

Major William Henry Joseph Lance is appointed to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of Seebsaugor from the date on which Major Campbell may avail himself of his leave.

Moulvi Salamut Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector, Purneah, is allowed leave on Medical Certificate for one month and twenty days, under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

POLICE.—*The 3rd December* 1873.—Mr. George Morsely McMullen Ridsdale, Acting District Superintendent of Police, Rungpore, is allowed privilege leave for two months and two days from the 15th December 1873, under Section 18 of the Civil Leave Code.

The 18th December 1873.—Mr. Francis Graves is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Balasore, during the absence on other duty of Baboo Juggodishnath Roy, or until further orders.

The 22nd December 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by Mr. Arthur Bedford of his appointment as an Assistant Superintendent of the Bengal Police.

Mr. Malcolm Fulcher Beamish, Assistant Superintendent of Police, was in charge of the Office of District Superintendent of Police, Jessore, from the afternoon of the 20th August to the afternoon of the 21st September 1873.

The 23rd December 1873.—Mr. Henry Neville Harris, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Jessore, is allowed one month's leave on Medical Certificate from the afternoon of the 24th November 1873, under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. Alexander Vansittart Knyvett, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is vested with the powers of a Deputy Collector in Chittagong.

EDUCATION.—*The 18th December* 1873.—Baboo Juggut Doollubh Mozoomdar, Moonsiff of Soorce, is appointed to be a member of the District School Committee of Beerbhoom.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District School Committee of Midnapore :—

Mr. H. H. Risley.
Moulvi Abdool Ferra.
Moulvi Syud Sha Asrar Ali.
Babu Kristo Lall Mozoomdar.

The 22nd December 1873.—Baboo Bishnu Chunder Chuttopadhya, Deputy Inspector of Schools, is appointed temporarily to act as Secretary to the District School Committee of Goalparah.

MEDICAL.—*The 16th December* 1873.—Vernacular Licentiate Class Native Doctor Orun Chunder Sen is dismissed from the service of Government with effect from the date on which he was ordered to join his appointment in the Jail Hospital at Beauleah.

The 17th December 1873.—Surgeon Joseph O'Brien, M.D., of the 43rd Regiment of Native Infantry, is appointed to have temporary charge of the civil medical duties of Shillong in addition to his military duties during the absence of Surgeon Major A. K. Reed with his regiment on service, or until further orders.

The 22nd December 1873.—Surgeon Major John Gay French, M.D., F.R.C.S., is appointed to be Civil Surgeon of Jessore, but to continue to act as Civil Surgeon of Burdwan until further orders.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 17th December* 1873.—Mr. John Edward Beevor Jeffery is appointed to be controlling and registering Officer, under Section 2, Act V (B.C.) of 1866 (The Hackney Carriage Act) in the municipal town of Serampore.

The 18th December 1873.—Mr. Anthony Patrick MacDonnell, M.A., is appointed to be Vice-Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners for the town of Durbhungah with effect from the 30th October last, the date on which he assumed charge of that sub-division.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Municipal Commissioners for the town of Burdwan, viz.—

Surgeon-Major John Gay French, M.D., F.R.C.S.
Mr. Wilford A. Pryce, Station Master.
Baboo Juggobundhoo Mitter, Medical Practitioner.

ROAD CESS.—*The 22nd December* 1873.—Moulvi Mahomed Israil of Mochain has resigned his appointment as a member of the Branch Road Cess Committee at Manickgunge, in Dacca.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd December 1873.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to fix the 15th of January 1874 as the latest date on which applications from candidates for permission to appear at the Native Civil Service Examination to be held in February next will be received by Magistrates of districts.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

RELAXATION OF LAND IMPROVEMENT ADVANCE RULES.

The 22nd December 1873.—In continuation of Notification of the 20th November 1873, it is notified that the relaxation of the above rules therein published will have effect in the District of Nuddea in the Presidency Division.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

RELAXATION OF LAND IMPROVEMENT ADVANCE RULES.

IN continuation of notification of the 20th November 1873, it is notified that the relaxation of the above rules therein published will have effect in the districts of the Chota Nagpore Division as well as in the districts mentioned in that notification.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

The 17th December 1873.—The following Rules for Native Civil Service Examinations and Civil Service Classes coming into force after the Examination of 1874, are published for general information:—

NATIVE CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS AND CIVIL SERVICE CLASSES.

[Rules to come into force after the examination of 1874.]

INTRODUCTORY.

1. Now that there have been held two annual examinations for the Native Civil Service, and that a third examination is to take place in February 1874, the Lieutenant-Governor wishes to place the Native Civil Service examinations and the preparatory classes for those examinations on a permanent footing.

2. All appointments in the Subordinate Executive Service, and all posts of Rs. 50 monthly salary and upwards in the sub-divisional establishments, both in Regulation and Non-Regulation Provinces, will ordinarily be reserved for persons who pass the Native Civil Service examination. Gazetted appointments in the Police and Opium Departments will generally be conferred on persons who pass this examination; but candidates will not be eligible for these departments save under a special certificate, which can only be granted under the orders of the Lieutenant-Governor. A list* of the persons who passed the Native Civil Service examinations of 1872 and 1873 showing the appointments they now hold, is appended to these rules. Lists of successful examinees will be published in the Gazette, so that Commissioners, Magistrates, and Educational Committees may select for ministerial or other appointments passed candidates for whom vacancies in the Native Civil Service may not be immediately available.

Appendix A.

ELIGIBILITY AND PRELIMINARIES TO THE EXAMINATION.

3. All candidates eligible for appointments under rules 5 and 6 (below), who satisfy the preliminary requirements, will be admitted to the Native Civil Service Examination. No candidate will be admitted to the special examination for the Police, Non-Regulation Service, or the Opium Department without a special certificate, which can only be granted under the orders of the Lieutenant-Governor.

Admissible to examination.

4. The preliminary requirements which all candidates must satisfy are—

(*a*) *Certificate of Character.*

A certificate will be required from every candidate of his character, respectability and general moral fitness, such certificate being signed by two gentlemen of his own nationality, resident in the district of which he is a native or where he usually resides, and also signed by the Judge or Magistrate of such district. The certificate of the two first named is expected to be based upon personal knowledge, and the certificate of the Judge or Magistrate to indicate that the gentlemen who have signed it are qualified by their position and character to give such a certificate, and that the Judge or Magistrate himself knows nothing to the prejudice of the candidate. In the case of the town of Calcutta, instead of the signature of the Judge or Magistrate, the certificate should bear that of any Judge of the High Court, or the Commissioner of Police, or the Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

(*b*) *Certificate of Sound Health.*

Each candidate will be required to produce a certificate from a Government medical officer, stating that the candidate is generally a man of sound health, that he has expressed his willingness to serve in any district of the Lower Provinces, and that he (the medical officer) believes him to be capable of doing so, so far as can be judged antecedently.

(c) *Certificate of ability to Ride or Walk.*

Every candidate for the higher appointments will also be required to prove that he can ride, and for this purpose he may apply to the Magistrate of the district, who will either satisfy himself on the point, or select some other person he thinks competent for that purpose. The examiner must satisfy himself from his own personal observation that the candidate can ride not less than 12 miles at a rapid pace, and is in this respect competent for all practical purposes of district work; and if such examiner be not the Magistrate himself, the certificate must be countersigned by the Magistrate.

All the candidates who have not been locally examined will be required to appear before some person in Calcutta who will be selected for the purpose.

Every candidate for an appointment of less than Rs. 100 will be required to prove either that he can ride as above, or that he can walk twelve miles within 3½ hours without difficulty or prostration, to be certified in the same manner as the riding.

Persons eligible for all appointments.

5. The following persons having passed the required standard will be eligible to the Native Civil Service in all appointments:—

(a) Persons who have served Government for six years.

(b) Persons who have passed the Entrance Examination and have served Government for three years.

Provided that they have in cases (a) or (b) attained and have held for not less than one year a responsible permanent appointment, above that of copyist, with a salary not less than Rs. 25 in one of the civil departments of the Government service, and can produce a sufficient certificate of ability, good conduct, and fitness for promotion from their official superiors.

(c) Persons who have taken a University degree in arts, law, medicine, or engineering.

(d) Persons who, having passed the First Arts Examination or an examination of corresponding degree in one of the special colleges, attend the Civil Service classes for one year and acquit themselves well at the Native Civil Service examination.

(e) Persons who having passed the Entrance Examination attend the Civil Service classes for two years and acquit themselves well at the Native Civil Service Examination.

(f) Persons who may be specially declared eligible for all appointments by a certificate under the hand of a Secretary to Government.

Persons eligible for appointments of less than Rs. 100 per mensem.

6. The following persons having passed the required standard will be eligible to the Native Civil Service in appointments of less than Rs. per mensem:—

(a) Persons who have served Government with credit and efficiency for not less than three years, whose thorough facility in the use of the vernacular is certified, and who pass a preliminary examination in English.

(b) Natives of Hindustan, Orissa, and Assam, natives of Bengal of Mahommedan families, and natives of any other districts which may be hereafter specially notified, who have served Government with credit and efficiency for not less than three years, and who can show that they have received a thoroughly good education in the vernacular. This privilege is limited to two years from this date, and it must be understood that such persons cannot expect advancement unless they qualify in English, that being the language of official correspondence in Bengal.

(c) Persons who have passed the Entrance Examination.

(d) Persons who may have been specially declared eligible for appointments of the lower grade by a certificate under the hand of a Secretary to Government.

7. Candidates who have not served Government for three years, and one year of whose service has not been passed in a post such as is described in rule 5 (above) are required to pass in—

The Vernacular.	Drawing.
Chemistry.	Engineering.
Botany.	Surveying.
Law.	Gymnastics.

Candidates who have served Government for three years as above, are required to pass in—

The Vernacular.
Law.
Drawing.
Surveying.

With these latter candidates the other subjects will be optional, but will count for a place in the list of successful candidates.

8. Candidates who produce certificates of having passed the undermentioned examinations will be exempted from liability to pass in the following subjects, namely—

(a) Persons, who have passed the University First Arts Examination in chemistry, are exempt from liability to pass in that subject.

(*b*) Persons, who have passed the B. A. Examination, Branch B. group 3 or group 4 (or any corresponding science course to be hereafter notified by Government), will be exempt from liability to pass in chemistry and botany.

(*c*) Persons, who have gained a Civil Engineering College certificate of the overseer's or of any higher grade, will be exempt from liability to examination in drawing, surveying and engineering.

(*d*) Persons, who have taken a degree in Indian law, or who have gained a first grade pleader's certificate, will be exempt from liability to examination in law.

Candidates who are entitled to exemption under this rule will be credited at the examination with two-thirds of full marks for the subject for which such exemption is allowed.

PROCEDURE TO GAIN ADMISSION.

9. Applications for admission to the Native Civil Service examination may be made—

(*a*) By persons who attend Civil Service classes to the Principal of the College where the classes may be held.

(*b*) By persons who have not attended Civil Service classes to the Magistrate of any one of the following districts:—

Alipore,	Rajshahye,	Chittagong,	Purneah,
Kishnagurh,	Rungpore,	Comillah,	Cuttack,
Jessore,	Julpigoree,	Patna,	Ranchee,
Burdwan,	Dacca.	Gya,	Gowhatty,
Hooghly,	Furreedpore,	Arrah,	Durrung,
Midnapore,	Burrisaul,	Mozufferpore,	Debroogurh,
Berhampore,	Mymensing,	Chuprah,	
Dinagepore,	Sylhet,	Bhaugulpore,	

[illegible]re the medical officers will also examine candidates and grant certificates of sound health [illegible]r Appendix B.

Fees.

[illegible]0. Every candidate when submitting his application for admission to examination should state the subjects in which he desires to be examined, and annex certificates in any subjects in which he is required or permitted by these rul-s to show that he is duly qualified. He must at the same time tender a fee for each subject in which he has to be examined, computed according to the scale given below, if he is a candidate for the higher class of appointments:—

	Rs.
Elementary English examination for European candidates ...	8
Law	8
Surveying and engineering	8
Each vernacular	4
Medical examination	4
Riding or walking examination	4

Candidates for appointments of less than Rs. 100 per mensem will pay fees at half the above rates.

11. The authority receiving the application, if he is satisfied that the candidate is admissible to the examination under these rules, shall receive and credit the fees, will desire the candidate to undergo the required medical and riding or walking examination, if he has not already obtained certificates thereof, and when all certificates are complete, shall forward the application with the certificates of health, character, &c., riding or walking, of payment of fees, and certificates in any subject described in Rule 8, to the Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal (Examination Department). No fee is required when a certificate is sufficient and is produced.

Preliminary examination of native candidates at outstations.

12. A preliminary examination in English and the vernacular of those candidates who have not already qualified in those subjects, will be held. Persons who have passed the First Arts Examination, or the Entrance Examination in the first division, or who possess a [illegible]niversity degree or certificate in Law or Engineering, will not be liable to the preliminary [illegible]xamination in English. Persons who have gained vernacular scholarships, or who have [illegible]erved with credit in vernacular offices, will not be liable to the preliminary examination in [illegible]he vernacular. The preliminary examinations will be held on some date in December, to be [illegible]cally notified by the Magistrate of the District, at the stations named in Rule 9 (above).

ANNUAL EXAMINATION AT CENTRES.

[illegible]e of examination.

13. The annual examination of candidates for admission into the roll of persons qualified for admission into the Native Civil Service under this Government will be held on some day in the month of [illegible]ary, 1875, not later than the 20th of that month, at Hooghly, Dacca, Patna, Cuttack, and [illegible]atty. There will, if need be, be special examinations for the Police, the Non-Regulation

Provinces, and the Opium Department. For the ordinary branches of the service there will be two standards—one higher, qualifying for all appointments, and another lower, qualifying for appointments of less than Rs. 100 per mensem only.

Preliminary examination of European candidates in English at the centres.

14. Previous to the other examinations, European candidates who have not passed any University examination will be required, besides passing an examination in English, to show that they possess a thorough knowledge of writing and arithmetic. They must be able to write well, quickly, and correctly, from dictation, to compose a report, and to do all ordinary arithmetic correctly and quickly, which must be duly certified by the examiners.

By European is meant any person whose native language is English or any other European tongue.

Examination subjects.

15. The Native Civil Service examination on the subjects named in rule 6 will be conducted so as to test the knowledge of the candidates as follow :—

Examination in the Vernacular.

Vernacular examination for native candidates.

16. All native candidates will be required to show that they can read and write office papers and orders in the vernacular with complete facility.

Vernacular examination for European candidates.

All European candidates will be examined as to their ability to speak and understand a vernacular language, to read it in print, and translate it. Their knowledge of it must be sufficient to enable them to do business easily immediately on appointment.

Vernacular languages.

The vernacular language in which candidates will be required to pass under the two preceding rules may be either Bengali or Hindustani, Oorya or Assamese.

Candidates who pass in Bengali only will not be eligible for vacancies in Behar, nor candidates who pass in Hindustani only be eligible for vacancies in Bengal or Orissa.

Examination in Drawing, Surveying, and Engineering.

17. Candidates will be examined in the following subjects :—

I.—*Drawing.*

II.—*Surveying, in which are included*—

1.—Mensuration.
2.—Surveying with chain, and with compass and chain.
3.—Levelling.
4.—Construction of field-book, plotting, tracing on the ground.
5.—Construction and use of scales.

III.—*Engineering, in which are included*—

1.—General knowledge of properties of building materials in most common use, and of constructive trades.
2.—Estimating for a simple building or bridge.
3.—Construction of simple buildings.
4.—Construction of simple roof and bridge trusses for small spans.
5.—Elements of road-making (including the construction of culverts and small bridges).

Examination in Law.

18. Candidates will be examined in the elements of the law prevailing in Bengal in the following branches :—

(*a*) To qualify for the Police and Non-Regulation appointments—

Criminal Law.

Penal Code.
New Code of Criminal Procedure.
Police Act V of 1861.

In this examination books will be allowed.

(*b*) To qualify for Subordinate Executive Service and other civil appointments—

1. Criminal Law as in (*a*).
2. Revenue and General Law as follows :—

Regulations I, VIII, and XLVIII of 1793, and XII of 1817.
Ditto I, II, and VIII of 1819.
Ditto VII of 1822, IX and XI of 1825, and IX of 1833.

...8, and IV (B.C.) of 1868.

... and VIII (B.C.) of 1869.
...XIII of 1860, and modifying Act of the Bengal Council.

...1871.
...(B.C.) of 1871.

Municipal Acts in force in Lower Bengal.
In the examination in Revenue and General Law books will not be allowed.

To qualify for the Opium Department—

Act XXI of 1856.
,, XIII of 1857.

Board's Rules for the guidance of officers in the Opium Department.
is examination books will not be allowed.

The examination papers for candidates for both grades of the service will be the the passing marks will be considerably higher for the higher than for the lower ndidates for the higher grade of appointments must do their papers in English; for the lower grade may write their answers in their vernacular. A can- o passes for the lower grade only will not be eligible for promotion to the de of appointments until he passes for the higher grade at some future examination two of the following subjects:—(1) Law, (2) Chemistry with Botany, (3) Drawing, and Engineering. Candidates who pass for the higher grade will be subject to no amination except the higher standard departmental examination, and the opium laws n for those candidates who are appointed to the Opium Department without having pium papers.

ch examination the passed candidates will be ranked in order of merit in each l on the whole.

To every candidate who passes the examinations above prescribed, a certificate will be given, stating the subjects and the grade in which he has passed, and the place which he held in each subject and on the t appointments can only be given to successful candidates as vacancies occur, and ment does not guarantee that every successful candidate shall get an appointment.

qualification.

NATIVE CIVIL SERVICE CLASSES.

s some of the subjects required for the Native Civil Service examination are not taught in the ordinary course of Bengal colleges, the Lieutenant-Governor has arranged for instructing persons who lify for that examination. Under the foregoing rules there are two classes of le for the higher class of Native Civil Service appointments, namely—

Civil Service Classes.

lers.

(1) Young men who have not served Government for three or more years in responsible posts.

(2) Men who have served Government for three or more years.

er class of candidates have to pass in more subjects than the latter. For those served the Lieutenant-Governor would establish a Civil Service course at the Patna Colleges; and for those who have served special classes will, if there be a ber of candidates, be established at the Presidency, Hooghly, and Patna Colleges.

candidates who have passed the F. A. or B. A. examination, or any corresponding the special colleges, there will be a one-year Civil Service course, which will

hemistry lectures being delivered to the II year students reading for the . A. examination.
otany lectures being delivered to the III or IV year students.
ial course of law lectures from the Civil Service classes lecturer.
ial course of teaching from the teacher of surveying, &c.

s of this one-year Civil Service course will have to go up for the ordinary and B A. examination papers in chemistry and botany; and will be examined ing, &c., at the Native Civil Service examination.

candidates who have passed only the Entrance Examination a two-year se will be required. These candidates will, during their first year, attend the ectures for first year students in English, in history, in mathematics, and in while they will attend special classes in drawing, surveying, &c., in place of l language—or Psychology. They will not be allowed to go on to the second rincipal of the College certifies that they have done creditably in the first year.

Passing their second year they will join and attend the
as in the next preceding rule. The students of the two-y
ordinary college examinations at the end of their first year,
year they will go up for the same examinations as the candidate

24. Candidates who wish to attend the Civil Service
Civil Service classes not later than the 15th February of each year, and they
than 75 per cent. of the lectures prescribed for their course. The Principal
will not certify candidates who may be irregular at lecture as admissible to the Nati
Service examination.

25. All scholarships granted by the Bengal Government will be tenable at Civ
classes just as at any affiliated college. The fees for the Civil Service course will
a month, besides the fee of Rs. 10 for instruction in riding and gymnastics.

26. For the candidates who have served Government the Lieutenant-Gove
establish a four-months course, from the 15th Septemb
15th January at the colleges marginally noted, provided
least 25 intending candidates for this class present them
admission before the 15th September. No admissions to this special class can be m
the 15th September. The Principal will have discretion to admit to this special c
candidate who, holding a University certificate in science, law or engineering, has on
subjects to prepare for the Native Civil Service examination. The Principal can also
this special class any persons who may be declared to be specially eligible either by the
ment or by the Commissioner.

Presidency.
Hooghly.
Patna.

27. Service-holders and others intending to enter for this four-months Civi
course are warned that they will have to practise mensuration and drawing before th
since they will find it difficult to get through the subjects in four months. They w
lectures in law from the Civil Service lecturer, and will be instructed in drawing and
by the special teacher. Candidates admitted to this class will pay, besides the fee
and gymnastics, an entrance fee of Rs. 5, and a monthly fee of Rs. 3 for their lectur

28. The following detail of the text-books and instruction in the subjects of
surveying, and engineering, is prescribed for the Civil Service course :—

Subject.	Details.	Text-books and mode of
	Surveying.	
1. Mensuration	Of the line, superficies, and the simpler solids. Cubical contents of earth-work in cuttings and embankments.	Todhunter's Mensuration.
2. Surveying with chain, and with compass and chain.	To make a survey of a tract of country 2 or 3 square miles in area.	Roorkee Papers on Surveyi III. Also practically field.
3. Levelling	To make all the necessary sections for a supposed road between two given points.	Roorkee Papers on Surveyi XIII.
4. Construction of field-book, plotting and tracing on the ground.	To lay out the foundations of a simple building on the ground.	Practical instruction in th Instruction by lecture. Roorkee Papers on Surve
	Drawing.	
1. Construction and use of scales ...	Geometrical figures, orthographic projection as applied to the delineation of simple engineering structures.	Ellis Davidson on "Pr son on "Linear Dra struction.
	Engineering.	
1. General knowledge of properties of building materials in most common use, and of constructive trades.	Stone, brick, timber, lime, mortar, cement.	Roorkee Treatise, volu 2, 4, 5.
2. Estimating of a simple building or bridge.	To design simple drawbridges, culverts, and wooden bridges of small span, and to estimate the quantity and cost thereof.	Instruction principally
3. Construction of simple buildings ...	Stone masonry, brick masonry, masonry in arches and foundations.	Roorkee Treatise, vol 14, 15, to end of p end of paragraph 32
4. Construction of simple roofs and bridge trusses for small spans.	... ...	Instruction by lecture
5. Elements of road-making, including the construction of culverts and small bridges.	Laying out roads, formation of cuttings and embankments, construction of road surface, drainage, &c.	Roorkee Treatise, v volume II, section 8

The service-holder class will receive instruction in surveying, &c., and in drawi

29. The Lieutenant-Governor will be particularly glad if heads of
deserving and capable public servants leave of absence on favorable terms for
qualifying in the above special subjects.

30. Students who, after passing the Entrance Examination, have gone cre
one year's college course, will be eligible for admission to the one year's Civil
which is to begin from January, 1874. Thereafter any young man, who has
Entrance Examination, must take the full two years' Civil Service course.

APPENDIX A.

nt showing the names of successful candidates at the Subordinate Executive Service mination of 1872, and the appointments which they now hold under the Government.

of successful candidates at the e Executive Service Examination of 1872.	Appointments which they now hold under the Government.	Salary.
		Rs.
dool Hye	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca.	200
Nath Bhuttacharjee ...	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pubna.	200
Krishna Bose ...	Officiating ditto ditto, Midnapore	200
ristian	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent ...	200
Chunder Roy ...	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya	200
Nath Roy ...	Ditto ditto, Bograh	200
rnest Hand ...	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent ...	200
hon Sen ...	Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge.	200
Dey	Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tipperah.	200
arian	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chumparun.	200
rtich	Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sylhet.	200
Nath Gupto ...	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore.	200
d	Officiating ditto ditto, Shahabad	200
ion Chuckerbutty	Ditto ditto, Jessore	200
Chuckerbutty ...	Ditto ditto, Dinagepore	200
h Chatterjea ...	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purneah.	200
Dey	Extra Assistant Commissioner, Luckimpore...	200
... ..	Ditto ditto, Nowgong	200
th Sen	Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge.	200

APPENDIX A.—(*Continued.*)

Statement showing the names (in order of merit) of successful candidates at the Native Civil Service Examination of 1873, and the nature of appointments they now hold under the Government.

Names of successful candidates at the Native Civil Service Examination of 1873.	Class in which they passed.	Appointments which they have got under the Government.	Pay of appointment.	Districts to which they have been posted.	REMARKS.
			Rs.		
Babu Bipin Behary Mookerjea ...	1st Class.	Acting Deputy Magistracy	200	Mymensingh.	
,, Radha Shyam Sinha	,,	Sub-Deputyship	150	Hooghly.	
,, Jankey Prosad	,,	Ditto	150	Shahabad.	
,, Poornoo Chunder Roy, B.A. ...	,,	Ditto	100	24-Pergunnahs.	
,, Khetter Gopal Roy	,,	Ditto	150	Nuddea.	
,, Sant Prosad	,,	Ditto	150	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
,, Mohim Chunder Ghose, B.A. ...	,,	Ditto	150	24-Pergunnahs.	
,, Nobin Chunder Roy	,,	Canoongoeship	50	Rajshahye.	
,, Mohanundo Gupto, B.A. ...	,,	Acting Deputy Magistracy	200	Midnapore.	
,, Gouri Sunker Biswas	,,	Ditto	200	Sarun.	
,, Rosomoy Dutt	,,	Sub-Deputyship	100	Noakhally.	
,, Chunder Naryan Gupto, B.A. ...	,,	Ditto	150	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
,, Jogut Chunder Roy	,,	Canoongoeship	50	Moorshedabad.	
Mr. G. M. Gregory	,,	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship ...	200	Benares Agency.	
Babu Rojonee Comar Dutt	,,	.....	...	.....	Appointment not yet reported by the Commissioner.
,, Okhoy Coomar Chatterjee ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship	150	Moorshedabad.	
,, Nilmony Coowar	,,	Ditto	150	Midnapore.	
,, Gunga Nath Roy	,,	Ditto	100	Chumparun.	
[illegible]	[illegible]	Ditto	150	Midnapore.	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	150	Chittagong.	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	150	Tirhoot.	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] ...	200	24-Pergunnahs.	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] ...	...	...	Unappointed, as he already h[illegible] post of school-mast[illegible]

Babu Radha Kanto Banerjea ...	,,	Ditto ...			
Moulvie Mahomed-ul-Nobi	,,	Canoongoeship			...ng.
Babu Jogendro Nath Sen	,,	Ditto ...			...h.
Moonshee Salamut Ally	,,	Sub-Deputyship			...hal Pergunnahs.
Babu Soorjee Coomar Sen	,,	Ditto ...			...uddea.
Mr. A. Christian	,,	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship ...		200	Benares Agency.
Babu Shoshibhusun Dutt, B.A. ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship		150	Jessore.
,, Mohesh Chunder Sen, B.A. ...	,,	Acting Deputy Magistracy		200	Furreedpore.
,, Brojo Mohon Roy	,,	Sub-Deputyship		150	Pubnah.
,, Umakanto Das	,,	Acting Deputy Magistracy		200	Tipperah.
,, Prankissen Roy	,,	Sub-Deputyship		150	Burdwan.
,, Koylash Chunder Bose* ...	,,	Ditto		150	Rajshahye.
,, Krishna Comar Sen	,,	Acting Deputy Magistracy		200	Rungpore.
,, Chunder Coomar Dutt ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship		100	Dacca.
,, Aushootosh Gupto	,,	Officiating Sub-Deputyship		100	Dacca.
,, Annoda Prosad Pattack ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship		100	Burdwan.
,, Ram Churn Lal	,,	Ditto		100	Gya.
,, Komul Nath Ghose	,,	Ditto		150	Pooree.
,, Chandy Charan Bose	,,	Ditto		150	Mymensingh.
,, Rai Churn Ghose, B. A. ...	,,	Ditto		100	Maunbhoom.
Moonshee Shere Ali	,,	Ditto		150	Sonthal Pergunnahs.
Mr. G. A. Baptiste	,,	Special Deputy Collectorship...		200	Patna Division.
Moonshee Mahomed Solam Hydar ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship		150	Lohardugga.
Mr. G. McL. Smith	,,	Ditto		100	Nuddea.
Babu Mohendro Chunder Mozoomdar, B. A.	,,	Ditto		100	Furreedpore.
Babu Behary Lal Mitter, B. A. ...	,,	Ditto		100	Rungpore.
,, Gour Mohon Bysack	,,	Ditto		150	Tipperah.
,, Sosi Seker Dutt	,,	Ditto		100	Moorshedabad.
,, Jogendro Nath Gupto... ...	,,	Ditto		100	Burdwan.
Mr. T. J. Mendes*	,,	.....		...	..... Unappointed, as he already has a post of Rs. 200 as an Inspector of Police.
Babu Gobind Chunder Bysack, B. L.*	,,	.....		...	.....
,, Girindro Nath Chatterjee ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship		100	24-Pergunnahs.
,, Aushootosh Sirkar	,,	.....		...	..... Appointment not yet reported by the Commissioner.

* Names of persons who still remain unappointed, or who have declined to accept appointments offered them, are marked with asterisks.

APPENDIX A.—*(Continued.)*

Names of successful candidates at the Native Civil Service Examination of 1873.	Class in which they passed.	Appointments which they have got under the Government.	Pay of appointment.	Districts to which they have been posted.	REMARKS.
			Rs.		
Babu Deno Nath Dey	1st Class.	Sub-Deputyship	100	Howrah.	
„ Annodaprosaud Sen	„	Ditto	100	Jessore.	
„ Jogut Chunder Shome ...	„	Ditto	100	24-Pergunnahs.	
„ Shama Churn Das	„	Ditto	100	Shahabad.	
Syud Zakir Hossen	„	Ditto	150	Bhaugulpore.	
Syud Sadiq Ally	„	Ditto	100	Tirhoot.	
Babu Umesh Chunder Banerjee ...	„	Ditto	150	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
Shaik Azad Buksh	„	Ditto	100	.....	Resigned to join an appointment in the Registration Department.
Babu Kastooree Lal	„	Ditto	100	Hazareebaugh.	
„ Dwarka Prosad...	„	Ditto	100	Patna.	
„ Rajendro Nath Roy	„	Special Deputy Collectorship...	200	Patna Division.	
Moonshee Indur Behary	„	Sub-Deputyship	100	Patna.	
Mr. C. N. Banerjea*	„	.....	...	.....	Declined an appointment on Rs. 100, as he has a post under Government on higher salary.
Babu Deno Nath Ghose	„	Sub-Deputyship	100	Bancoorah.	
„ Heeralal Biswas	„	Ditto	100	Nuddea.	
„ Opendro Chunder Mozoomdar	„	Ditto	100	.....	
„ Okhoy Coomar Bose	„	Ditto	100	Maldah.	
Mr. J. C. Sarkies	„	Officiating Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship.	125	Benares Agency.	
„ J. C. Shaw	„	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship ...	200		
„ L. L. Parrott	„	Officiating Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship.	125		
Moonshee Khyrut Ahmed*	2nd Class.	.....		.....	Declined appointment of Rs. 50.
„ Mahomed Nussirooddeen*	„	.....		.....	Ditto ditto ditto.
Babu Shama Churn Mitter	„	Canoongoeship ...			
Mohamed Serajul Huq*	„	.....			Ditto ditto ditto.

Moonshee Abdool Rozzak	,,	Canoongoeship...	50	Patna.	
Babu Benode Beharry Sircar ...	,,	Sub Deputyship	100	Beerbhoom.	
Moonshee Fuzloor Rohman	,,	Canoongoeship	50	Pubnah.	
Babu Poolin Chunder Sanial	,,	Ditto	50	Furreedpore.	
,, Barada Doss Bose	,,	Ditto	50	Jessore.	
Mulive Faizoollah Khan	,,	Ditto	50	Chittagong.	
Moonshee Berhamdeo Naryan ...	,,	Ditto	50	Tirhoot.	
Babu Jodoo Nath Das	,,	Ditto	50	Dacca.	
,, Bhogobutty Churn Bhuttacharjee	,,	Ditto	50	Purdwan.	
,, Ram Anoogroho Naryan* ...	,,	.....	...	.....	Has got no appointment. The Commissioner has been asked to appoint him to the first vacancy.
Moonshee Shama Churn	,,	Canoongoeship...	50	Shahabad.	
,, Nundjee	,,	Ditto	50	Lohardugga.	
Babu Chunder Coomar Mitter ...	,,	Ditto	50	Sylhet.	
,, Pran Kissen Das	,,	Ditto	50	Jessore.	
,, Dinesh Prosad	,,	Sub-Deputyship	100	Monghyr.	
,, Hem Chunder Mitter	,,	Canoongoeship...	50	Nuddea.	
,, Moonshee Rajkissore Naryan ...	,,	Ditto	50	Sarun.	
,, Gogun Chunder Chatterjee ...	,,	Ditto	50	Moorshedabad.	
,, Shoshi Bhusen Sen	,,	Ditto	50	Midnapore.	
,, Jodu Nauth Sircar	,,	Ditto	50	Gya.	
,, Lal Mohun Shome	,,	Ditto	50	Midnapore.	
,, Nobin Kissen Banerjee ...	,,	Ditto	50	Nuddea.	
,, Radha Kissore Sett	,,	Ditto	50	Ditto.	
,, Bonomally Paramanick ...	3rd Class	Ditto	50	Ditto.	
,, Koylash Chunder Chatterjea ...	,,	Ditto	50	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
,, Abinash Chunder Bhutta ...	,,	Ditto	50	Lohardugga.	
,, Bipin Behary Paramanick ...	,,	Ditto	50	24-Pergunnahs.	
,, Deno Nath Chuckerbutty ...	,,	Ditto	50	Rungpore.	
,, Grish Chunder Sircar* ...	,,	.....	...	.....	Unappointed.
,, Hem Chunder Bhutta ...	,,	Ditto	25	Noakhally.	
,, Rash Behary Dutt	,,	Ditto	50	Bhaugulpore.	
,, Hursho Nath Gangooly ...	,,	Ditto	50	Pooree	Has resigned and accepted a ministerial appointment in Jessore.
,, Nilmoney Banerjee*	,,	.....	...	.....	Still unappointed.
,, Boydo Nath Mookerjea* ...	,,	.....	...	.....	Declined an appointment of Rs. 50.

* Names of persons who still remain unappointed, or who have declined to accept appointments offered to them, are marked with asterisks.

APPENDIX A.—(*Concluded.*)

Names of successful candidates at the Native Civil Service Examination of 1873.	Class in which they passed.	Appointments which they have got under the Government.	Pay of appointment.	Districts to which they have been posted.	REMARKS.
			Rs.		
Babu Shama Churn Dutt	3rd Class.	Canoongoeship..	50	Burdwan.	
Moonshee Abul Hossein	"	Ditto	25	Maldah.	
Babu Hurra Mohon Dutt	"	Ditto	25	Moorshedabad.	
" Shurut Chunder Das	"	Ditto	25	24-Pergunnahs.	
" Abinash Chunder Bhutta ..	"	Ditto	50	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
" Ram Dyal Chuckerbutty ..	"	Ditto	25	Maunbhoom.	
" Nilambur Pal	"	Ditto	50	Balasore.	
" Bhugwan Chunder Bose ..	"	Ditto	50	Backergunge.	
" Janokey Nath Shaha	"	Ditto	50	Burdwan.	
" Ram Soonder Bysack* ..	"	.....	..	.....	Still unappointed. He is head clerk in the Office of the Inspector of Schools, Eastern Bengal Circle, on a salary of Rs. 80.
" Jogendro Chunder Bhungo ..	"	Ditto	25	Dinagepore.	
" Okhoy Coomar Chatterjea ..	"	Ditto	50	Sylhet.	
" Bhawani Shahoy*	"	.....	..	.....	Still unappointed.
Moonshee Wajee Ooddeen Ahmud ..	"	Ditto	50	Rajshahye.	
Babu Deno Nath Ghose	"	Ditto	50	Midnapore.	
" Hem Chunder Mookerjea ..	"	Ditto	50	Ditto.	
" Dwarka Nath Newgy	"	Ditto	50	Hooghly.	
" Gouri Sunker	"	Ditto	50	Tirhoot.	
" Indresshur Borooah	"	.....	..	.....	Appointment not yet reported by the Commissioner.
" Bheobun Mohon Soor.. ..	"	Ditto	50	Hooghly.	
" Hurry Hur Nath	"	Ditto	50	Bhaugulpore.	
" Shyam Naryan Pundit ..	"	Ditto	50	Patna.	
" Behary Lal Ghosaul	"	Ditto	50	Dacca.	
" Nundo Kissore Dyal	"	Ditto	50	Chumparun.	
Moonshee Hubbeebur Rohoman ..	"	Ditto	50	Backergunge.	

Babu Bunkoo Beharry Buxee*	,,	.....	...	.....	Has [illegible] appointment. The Commissioner has been asked to appoint him to the first vacancy.
Babu Khoodeeram Poddar	,,	Ditto	25	Nuddea.	
Moonshee Joogul Kissore	,,	Ditto	50	Southal Pergunnahs.	
Babu Koylash Chuder Pal	,,	Ditto	50	Tipperah.	
,, Chunder Siker Dey	,,	Ditto	25	Jessore.	
Moonshee Abdul Waheb	,,	Ditto	50	Backergunge.	
,, Shaheb Jaun	,,	Ditto	50	Ditto.	
,, Abdul Aziz*	,,	.....	..	.....	Unappointed.
Babu Protab Naryan Sing	,,	Sub-Deputyship	100	Bhaugulpore.	
Moonshee Mahomed Khan	,,	Canoongoeship	50	Tirhoot.	
Syud Mahomed Yahia	,,	Ditto	50	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
Mahomed Waris Ali Khan	,,	Ditto	50	Purneah.	
Babu Gonesh Prosad*	,,	.....	..	.....	He is a Deputy Inspector of Schools.
Nazir Roheem Oollah	,,	Ditto	25	Hazareebaugh.	
Babu Bhagendro Nath Roy*	,,	Ditto	..	.....	Declined an appointment of Rs. 50.
,, Russick Lal Bose	,,	Ditto	50	Mymensing.	
,, Parsuram Barooah	,,	.....	..	.....	Appointment not yet reported by the Commissioner.

* Names of persons who still remain unappointed, or who have declined to accept appointments offered to them, are marked with asterisks.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1873.—In continuation of the Notification, dated 1st March 1873, regarding the planting and cutting of trees, and the cutting of branches which interfere with telegraph wires, published at pages 335-36 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, the attention of all officers subordinate to the Government of Bengal is drawn to the following orders contained in a Resolution recorded in the Public Works Department, of the Government of India, dated 23rd October 1873, No. 1551—778R, on the subject of cutting trees which interfere with the construction of railway lines:—

"1. The Government of the Punjab has represented that for 5 miles on the west s of the Grand Trunk Road in the Goojrat District the trees planted and reared with t utmost trouble and great expense have been cut down by the orders of the officials of th Railway and Telegraph Departments. The Lieutenant-Governor, believing this wholesal destruction to have been unnecessary, trusts that no trees will in future be destroyed withou the permission of the Deputy Commissioner of the District. On receiving this communication the Government of India ordered that inquiry should be instituted concerning the circumstances under which the trees were injured.

"2. The Telegraph Department explain that their wires were for the use of the railway, and that they believed the trees were in charge of the Railway Officers, whose permission being obtained, only such trees were removed or pruned as obstructed the setting up of the telegraph wires.

"3. The Superintendent of Works on the Chenab Bridge believes that the actual amount of damage caused by the Railway and Telegraph Officers has not been so great as is supposed. He explains that all the trees were young and too close together to permit their proper development, so that the pruning was an improvement. He says that it was absolutely necessary to remove trees which stood on places now occupied by the ballast of the line. He describes the growth near the railway as keekur bushes, and says that in many of the curves drivers of engines could not have obtained a sufficiently clear look-out if they had been allowed to remain, and that the removal of some trees was also desirable to prevent accidents in the case of their being blown down across the railway.

"4. The Chief Engineer of the Punjab Northern (State) Railway states that he is impressed with the importance of protecting trees in the Punjab as much as possible, and he regrets that the Superintendent of Works did not place himself in communication with the Deputy Commissioner. The Chief Engineer also observes that it was clearly wrong to cut the trees before it became absolutely necessary to do so.

"5. The Officiating Chief Engineer of the Punjab Northern (State) Railway has further represented the damage done to trees by the camp followers with troops marching along the road. This matter appears to require the attention of the military authorities.

"6. The Governor-General in Council believing the removal of the trees to have been unnecessary before locomotive engines were placed on the Railway, is of opinion that the Railway Officers must have acted with undue precipitancy when they pruned and cleared away the young trees along the Grand Trunk Road in the vicinity of the Railway without consulting the civil authorities. The Government of India desire to encourage the growth of trees throughout the Punjab in every way possible, and the Governor-General in Council expects that all Railway and other Officials will act in concert with the civil authorities in the preservation of trees. Circular No. 74T on this subject has been issued to the Officers of the Telegraph Department, and His Excellency in Council desires that Officers in charge of Railways will in future consider these orders applicable to themselves in principle and spirit."

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DECLARATION.

The 19th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the Rajshahi Madrissa in Mohulla Chhirushurpura, in the town of Rampore Beauleah, Pergunnah Gursehat, Zillah Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 beegahs 9 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north partly by the public road leading to Sahibbazar and partly by a tank in the occupation of Shyam Lal and Russick Laul Chowdhory and others; on the south partly by land in the occupation of Madhub and Nundo Bearers and Baboo Barada Kant Sen and partly by a lane leading to the Charitable Dispensary; on the west by the same public lane leading to the Charitable Dispensary; and on the east by a public lane which runs along the western boundary of the High School, is required within the aforesaid town of Rampore Beauleah.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the plot of land is to be seen in the Collector's office.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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DECLARATION.

The 19th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public , viz. for widening the existing road No. 2, from Poorub Durwaza to the East Indian y Ghât Station in Mohullah Maroofgunge, in the Town of Patna, it is hereby declared are for the above purpose a strip of land measuring 2,074 feet long and 30 feet broad, gregating 2 (local) beegahs and 6 cottahs, more or less, is required in the Mohullah oresaid.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom may concern.

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[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 22nd December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a Rifle Range at Khogol, Pergunnah Phoolwaree, District Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land situated in Mouzahs Asapore, Adumpore, Dulochuck, and Luckneebigah, in Pergunnah Phoolwaree, Zillah Patna, and bounded on the north by an Ukura; on the east by the Ukura aforesaid, and by the lands of Gobind Pershad Radhakissen, Ram Nath Mahto, Bullo Mahto, Prayag Mahto, and Ram Lochun Lall, the Dâk Bungalow compound, and the waste land belonging to a Mr. Syriot; on the south by the waste lands aforesaid; and on the west by the lands of Prayag Mahto, Bullo Mahto, Ram Nath Mahto, Ram Lochun Lall, Bhola Missir, Radha Kissen and Gobind Pershad, and measuring more or less 1 acre and 34 poles, is required.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 12th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of a road from Sewan to Busuntpore, in Pergunnahs Barrah and Barrai, Zillah Sarun, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 25 miles in length and 100 feet in breadth, and partly occupied by an old tract, is required.

This Declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Acting Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 10th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for straightening the Boal Khali Canal in the district of Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land is required measuring 2 acres, 2 roods, 21 poles, and 2½ yards, more or less, and bounded as follows:—

North by the surveyed lands of Mouzah Halim Khar Chur, plots 1051, 1052, 1029, 1030, and 1025, and of Mouzah Chur Khizirpoor, plots 238, 239, and 240.

South by the surveyed lands of Mouzah Chur Khizirpoor, plots 241, 242, 243, 244, 239, and 238, and of Mouzah Halim Khar Chur, plots 1205, 1026, 1028, 1055, and 1056, and the tank in possession of Konoo Sing, plot No. 1054.

East by Boal Khali Canal.

West by Boal Khali Canal, situated west of plot No. 241 of the surveyed land of Mouzah Chur Khizirpoor.

This Declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 of the Government of India, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are re-published for general information :—

No. 3774.—*Fort William, the* 17*th December* 1873.—The services of Mr. Trevor J. Chichele-Plowden were replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the afternoon of the 15th instant, and not with effect from the 8th instant, as notified in *Gazette of India*, dated 13th idem.

No. 3806.—*The* 19*th December* 1873.—Mr. S. S. Jones, of Her Majesty's Bengal Service, reported his arrival at Calcutta on the 24th October last.

No. 2015.—*The* 19*th December* 1873.—*Judicial.*—The Hon'ble the Chief Justice appointed Mr. H. J. S. Cotton, C. S., to officiate as Registrar on the Appellate Side of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal during the absence on furlough of Mr. W. M. Souttar, or until further orders.

Mr. Cotton received charge of his duties on the forenoon of the 10th instant.

No. 158.—*The* 19*th December* 1873.—*Medical.*—Baboo Kali Coomar Mitter, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 3rd Grade, attached to the dispensary at Darbhanga in the Lower Provinces, has been permitted to resign the service of Government.

The following order, issued by the Government of India, in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 2859*P.*—*Fort William, the* 19*th December* 1873.—With reference to notifications No. 927P, dated the 16th April 1872, and No. 949P of the 18th April 1872, M. Louis Francois Sentis, Consul General for France at Calcutta, resumed charge of his office on the 13th ultimo.

No. 2862*P.*—The following notification, which appeared in the *London Gazette* of the 3rd October last, is republished for general information :—

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 30th day of *September* 1873.

PRESENT :

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of the reign of Her Present Majesty, intituled "An Act for Amending the Law relating to the Extradition of Criminals," it was, amongst other things, enacted, that where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Act shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent order, limit the operation of the order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient :

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the twenty-sixth day of June last between Her Majesty and the King of Sweden and Norway for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following :—

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway, having judged it expedient, with a view to the better administration of justice, and to the more complete prevention of crime within the respective countries, that persons charged with or convicted of the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up; their said Majesties have named as their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a Treaty for this purpose; that is to say :—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Honourable Edward Morris Erskine, a Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway;

And His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway, Henrick Wilhelm Bredberg, Grand Cross of the Order of the Polar Star, His Majesty's Councillor of State and Acting Minister for Foreign Affairs;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles :—

ARTICLE I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime committed in the territory of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other Party, under the circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty.

ARTICLE II.

The crimes for which the extradition is to be granted are the following :—

1. Murder (child murder and poisoning included) or attempt to murder.
2. Manslaughter.
3. Counterfeiting or altering money, uttering or bringing into circulation knowingly counterfeit or altered money.

orgery or counterfeiting or altering or uttering what is forged, or counterfeited or
aprehending the crimes designated in the Swedish and Norwegian Penal Codes as
ing or falsification of paper money, bank notes or other securities, forgery or falsi-
other public or private documents, likewise the uttering or bringing into circulation
y using such counterfeited, forged or falsified papers.

Embezzlement or larceny.

Obtaining money or goods by false pretences, except as regards Norway, cases in
he crime is not accompanied by aggravating circumstances according to the law of
ntry.

Crimes by bankrupts against bankruptcy law.

Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, or director, or member or public
of any company, made criminal by any law for the time being in force.

9. Rape.

10. Abduction.

11. Child-stealing.

12. Burglary or house-breaking.

13. Arson.

14. Robbery with violence.

15. Threats by letter or otherwise with intent to extort, except as regards Norway, cases in which this crime is not punishable by the laws of that country.

16. Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or attempting to do so.

17. Assaults on board a ship on the high seas, with intent to destroy life or to do grievous bodily harm.

18. Revolt, or conspiracy to revolt, by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas against the authority of the master; except, as regards Norway, conspiracy to revolt.

The extradition is also to take place for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both the Contracting Parties.

ARTICLE III.

No Swedish or Norwegian subject shall be delivered up to the Government of the United Kingdom; and no subject of the United Kingdom shall be delivered up to the Swedish or Norwegian Government.

ARTICLE IV.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is still under trial in the country where he has taken refuge, for the crime for which his extradition is demanded.

If the person claimed should be under examination for any other crime in the country where he has taken refuge, his extradition shall be deferred until the conclusion of the trial, and the full execution of any punishment awarded to him.

ARTICLE V.

The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime, or the institution of the penal prosecution, or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the country where the criminal has taken refuge.

ARTICLE VI.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded, is one of a political character, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has in fact been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

ARTICLE VII.

A person surrendered by either of the High Contracting Parties to the other, cannot, until he has been restored or had an opportunity of returning to the country from whence he was surrendered, be triable or tried for any crime committed in the other country other than that on account of which the extradition shall have taken place.

This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed after the extradition.

ARTICLE VIII.

The requisitions for extradition shall be made through the Diplomatic Agents of the High Contracting Parties respectively.

The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by the sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

The requisition ought, as far as possible, to be accompanied by a description of the person accused or convicted, in order to identify him.

A requisition for extradition cannot be founded on sentences passed in *contumaciam*.

ARTICLE IX.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipu
competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitiv

The prisoner is then to be brought before a competent Magistrate, who is t
him and to conduct the preliminary investigation of the case, just as if the apprehe
taken place for a crime committed in the same country.

The extradition shall not take place before the expiration of fifteen days f
apprehension, and then only if the evidence be found sufficient, according to the law
State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, or to prove t
prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which mak
requisition.

ARTICLE X.

In the examinations which they have to make, in accordance with the foregoing
pulations, the authorities of the State applied to shall admit as entirely valid evidence
sworn depositions or statements of witnesses taken in the other State, or copies thereof, and
likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, provided such documents are signed or
certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or Officer of such State, and are authenticated by the oath
of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice, or some
other Minister of State.

ARTICLE XI.

If sufficient evidence for the extradition be not produced within two months from the
date of the apprehension of the fugitive, he shall be set at liberty.

ARTICLE XII.

All articles seized, which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the
time of his apprehension, shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for the
extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place;
and the said delivery shall extend not merely to the stolen articles, but to everything that
may serve as a proof of the crime.

ARTICLE XIII.

Each of the High Contracting Parties shall defray and bear expenses incurred by it in
the arrest, maintenance, and conveyance of the individual to be surrendered till placed on
board ship, as well as in keeping and conveying the articles which are to be delivered up in
conformity with the stipulations of the preceding article.

The individual to be surrendered shall be conveyed to the port specified by the applying
Government, at whose expense he shall be taken on board the ship to convey him away.

If it be necessary to convey the individual claimed through the territories of another
State, the expenses incurred thereby shall be defrayed by the applying State.

ARTICLE XIV.

The stipulations of the present Treaty shall be applicable to the Colonies and Foreign
Possessions of the two High Contracting Parties.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in a Colony
or Foreign Possession of either Party shall be made to the Governor or Chief Authority of
such Colony or Possession by the Chief Consular Officer of the other in such Colony or Pos-
session; or, if the fugitive has escaped from a Colony or Foreign Possession of the Party on
whose behalf the requisition is made, by the Governor or Chief Authority of such Colony or
Possession.

Such requisitions may be disposed of, subject always, as nearly as may be, to the provi-
sions of this Treaty, by the respective Governors or Chief Authorities, who, however, shall be
at liberty either to grant the surrender, or to refer the matter to their Government.

Her Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the
British Colonies and Foreign Possessions for the surrender of Swedish and Norwegian criminals
who may there take refuge, on the basis, as nearly as may be, of the provisions of the
present Treaty.

ARTICLE XV.

The present Treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with
the forms prescribed by the laws of the High Contracting Parties. It may be terminated by
either of the High Contracting Parties, but shall remain in force for six months after notice
has been given for its termination.

ARTICLE XVI.

The present Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Stockholm,
as soon as may be possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed
thereto their seals.

Done at Stockholm, the twenty-sixth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and seventy-three.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at Stockholm on the
twenty-eighth ultimo.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said recited Act, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the seventeenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, the said Act shall apply in the case of the said Treaty with the King of Sweden and Norway.

EDMUND HARRISON.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are re-published for general information :—

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

Fort William, the 16th December 1873.

No. 3735.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the words "and junior furlough under the rules in force before the 8th June 1855" be inserted after "(*a* 5)" in Rule 1 under Section 8 of the Civil Leave Code (second edition), and that the word "are" be substituted for the word "is" in the said Rule.

No. 3751.—*The 17th December* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following addition be made to Rule 9 under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code :—

"But a Military officer who has availed himself in any calendar year of the privilege leave which is admissible to him for that year, under the rules of the Military Department, will not begin to count service for privilege leave in the Civil Department until the first day of the following year."

No. 3801.—*The 18th December* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be added as Rule 4 under Section 12 of Supplement *A* to the Civil Leave Code :—

"4. An officer or seaman attached to a pilot or light vessel at the Sandheads may, in addition to the privilege leave admissible under this section, be allowed one month's leave on shore after four months' continuous duty at the Sandheads."

His Excellency in Council also directs that the following paragraph be added to Rule 9 under Section 27 of the Civil Leave Code :—

"An officer or seaman serving on a pilot or light vessel at the Sandheads is considered to have returned to duty on the day on which he reports himself to the Master-Attendant in Calcutta."

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 18th December 1873.

No. 3755.—The following Resolution is published for general information :—

Read the following :—

Letter from the Officiating Accountant-General, Bengal, No. $\frac{P}{311}$, dated 18th October 1873, to the Financial Secretary.

I have the honor to submit the returns of pensioners prescribed in Section 84 of the Civil Pension Code.

2. The returns are in four sets, namely—

1. India pensioners paid in Calcutta.
2. Bengal " " "
3. Bengal " " Mofussil.
4. Marine " " Calcutta, many of whom are females.

3. Headings 2 and 3 are blank in the first year's returns, because they are intended to contain the corrections for age as compared with the previous years, and in this case there are no previous years.

4. In examining them with reference to the rate of mortality to be expected, I would put down the following as the probable rates on *à priori* grounds, being those given by Mr. Brown as the result of statistics affecting Indian Native Army pensioners :—

Age.	Rate of mortality per cent.
51—60	4·5
60—65	6·5
65—70	8·
70—75	10·
75—80	12·
80—85	12·5
85	14·

5. The following shows the total of the "India" pensioners of all age :—

Age.	Total on Roll on March 31, 1871.	Died in 1871-72.	Died in 1872-73.	Total deaths.	Expected deaths in 2 years.
51 ..	111	6	2	8	9·
60 ..	40	..	5	5	5·
66 ..	26	1	2	3	4·
70 ..	12	..	..	..	2·5
76 ..	9	3	1	4	2·
80 ..	5	2	2	4	1·
86 ...	1	1	..	1	...
	204			25	24·5

6. On these no remark appears to be called for, and an inspection of the tables shows that the deaths seem to be very fairly distributed among the three classes of pensioners under Rs. 10, under 50, and over 50.

7. In the next class of pensioners—Bengal pensioners paid in the Mofussil—the separate grades are sufficiently numerous to be examined separately.

The figures of the 1st Grade, those under Rs. 10, are as follows:—

Age.		No. on Roll, 31st March 1871.	Died in 1871-72.	Died in 1872-73.	Total deaths.	Expected in 2 years.
Under	50	79	4	7	11	5
,,	51	155	16	11	27	14
,,	61	94	5	11	16	13
,,	66	70	7	3	10	11
,,	71	60	..	6	6	12
,,	76	23	3	3	6	6
,,	81	13	2	1	3	3
,,	86	6	3	..	3	2
		500			82	66

8. The following are the figures of the 2nd Grade pensions not exceeding Rs. 50:—

Under	50	43	3	..	3	3·
,,	51	145	10	2	12	13·
,,	61	67	7	3	10	9·
,,	66	55	3	2	5	9·
,,	71	27	3	2	5	5·5
,,	76	16	..	1	1	4·
,,	81	3	1	..	1	1·
,,	86	1	..	1	1	..
		357			38	44·5

9. Of pensions exceeding Rs. 50, the following are the figures of two years:—

Under	50	8	2	..	2	·5
,,	51	41	3	2	5	4·
,,	61	22	3	3	6	3·
,,	66	19	4	2	6	3·
,,	71	9	2	2	4	2·
,,	76	4	2	1	3	1·
,,	81	..	..	..	..	..
,,	86	2	1	1	2	·5
		105			28	14·

10. In all these cases the deaths seem to be very fairly up to expectation, and even exceed it in several. It is possible that this is due to the fact that the numbers include people who have gone off through six months' absence, and are not dead, but I have made such allowance, as was possible for this, by taking as the number of deaths, not the whole number under heading 2, but that number diminished by the entries under heading 6.

11. I shall direct the Collector's attention to the 16 persons entered under age 76 to 81 in the list of pensioners exceeding Rs. 10. Their mortality falls exceedingly short of expectation, and it may be well to enquire whether the alleged survivors are beyond doubt the original pensioners, and whether the real pensioners are really all alive.

12. Taking next the Bengal pensioners paid in Calcutta, we get the following statistics:—

Not exceeding Rs. 10.

Under	50	22	1	..	1	1·
,,	51	22	..	2	2	2·
,,	61	19	1	2	3	2·5
,,	66	4	..	..	..	·5
,,	71	7	1	1	2	1·5
,,	76	5	1	..	1	1·
,,	81	2	..	..	..	·5
,,	86	2	..	..	..	·5
		83			9	9·5

Not exceeding Rs. 50.

Under 50	25	...	...	...	1·5
,, 51	86	4	5	9	8·
,, 61	29	2	3	5	3·5
,, 66	20	...	...	...	5·
,, 71	18	1	1	1	4·
,, 76	6	1	...	1	1·5
,, 81	2	...	...	...	·5
,, 86	...	...	...	...	...
	186			16	24·

Exceeding Rs. 50.

Under 50	8	...	...	...	5·
,, 51	56	2	4	6	5·
,, 61	14	...	1	1	2·
,, 66	9	1	1	2	1·5
,, 71	7	1	1	2	1·5
,, 76	5	...	...	...	1·
,, 81	...	...	...	...	1·
,, 86	...	...	...	...	1·
	99			11	13·5

13. There seems to be in all these tables a smaller rate of mortality among the very high ages than should be expected. The pensioners are all people paid in this office, and I shall cause renewed attention to be given to the question of their identification with the original pensioners.

14. The Marine pensioners are the only ones remaining, and the following are the figures for the three classes combined :—

Under 50	20	...	...	...	1·
,, 51	28	1	1	2	2·5
,, 61	10	...	...	...	1·
,, 66	4	...	...	...	·5
,, 71	6	2	...	2	1·
,, 76	...	...	...	...	...
,, 81	...	...	...	...	...
,, 86	1	...	...	...	...
	69			4	6·

15. No remarks appear to be called for, and the cases are too few to permit any deductions from the divergence from expectation, especially as five persons, who are excluded from the list, as their ages are not known, furnish three cases of death, which being added to the above statistics bring the fact still more near to the expectation.

16. The following is a summary of the whole of these statistics :—

Description of Pensioners.		Rate of Pension.	Number.	Actual mortality.	Expected mortality.
INDIA	...	All ...	204	25	24·5
BENGAL—Mofussil		Under 10	500	82	66·
,, ,,		Under 50	357	38	44·5
,, ,,		Over 50	105	28	14·
,, Calcutta		Under 10	83	9	9·5
,, ,,		Under 50	186	16	24·
,, ,,		Over 50	99	11	13·5
MARINE	...	All ...	69	4	6·
TOTAL	...	...	1,603	213	202·

17. It would be wrong rashly to assume that the number of deaths shown in the above figures is the actual number that have taken place, because, on the one hand, the figure may be swelled by mere absences for a prolonged period, and on the other, it may be diminished by substitutions of fictitious pensioners. However, the fewness of the renewals of pension argues the fewness of the lapses included in the above figures, and I think the figures contain intrinsic evidence that there has not been much, if any, substitution. I think, therefore, it is a pretty fair conclusion that, so far as can be judged by information and calculations, so rough in their nature, the mortality rates, with which we above started, are not far from the average applicable to the case.

18. It is worthy of remark that the younger pensioners show a tendency to excessive mortality (compared without initial figures), which is easily accounted for by the fact that

they are, by the nature of the case, mostly invalids; and that, as we might have expected, the pensioners of the class between 10 and 50 seem to be more healthy than those on higher or on lower pensions.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor-General in Council desires that a copy of the above letter be forwarded to the several Officers of Account concerned as indicating the kind of examination to which statements submitted under Section 84, Civil Pension Code (second edition), should be subjected. The table of mortality used by Mr. Westland should be used by the other Officers of Account until further order.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are re-published for general information :—

No. 1266.—*Fort William, the* 17*th December* 1873.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have reported their return from England :—

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Captain J. Johnstone, of the late 68th Regiment of Native Infantry, Special Assistant to the Superintendent, Tributary Mehals, Keonjhur, Bengal,—date of arrival at Bombay, 12th December 1873.

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No. 1267.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes* of the 7th and 11th November 1873, pages, 4855, 4856, 4905 and 4906, are published for general information :—

London Gazette of the 7th November 1873, *page* 4855.

INDIA OFFICE, *7th November* 1873.

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To be Captains.

Lieutenant William John Williamson, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 7th June 1873.
Lieutenant Charles Edward Hunter, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 8th June 1873.

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BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

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Major John Moore Graham. Dated 11th June 1873.

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To be Captains.

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Lieutenant John Butler. Dated 7th June 1873.

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No. 1270.—*The* 18*th December* 1873.—The following extract from list No. 21, dated the 21st November 1873, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave, &c., received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

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Retirements.

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Lieutenant-Colonel R. Stewart, 4th December 1873.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2119.

JUDICIAL.—*The* 17*th December* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the District of Cuttack, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

Baboo Budionath Pundit, Zemindar.
" Kanaiae Lall Pundit, ditto.
" Kalli Puddo Banerjee, ditto.
" Suddanund Jachuck, formerly Head Clerk in the Cuttack Collectorate.

The 19*th December* 1873.—Moulvi Ikram Russool, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

Mr. Gasper has resigned his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate in the Dukhin Shabazpore division, in Backergunge.

The 23rd December 1873.—Baboo Biroja Pershad Bose, B.L., is appointed to act as Additional Moonsiff of Tipperah during the absence on leave of Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Chatterjee, or until further orders.

Baboo Bhooputty Roy, Second Subordinate Judge of Dacca, is allowed privilege leave from the 31st December 1873 to the 4th January 1874, under Section 21, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. Alexander Vansittart Knyvett, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class in Chittagong.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd December 1873.—With reference to the Notification of the 11th instant, published at page 1400 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, and other previous Notifications of the kind, the Lieutenant-Governor desires it to be distinctly understood that the powers thereby vested in Joint-Magistrates or other Senior Assistant Magistrates, of hearing appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the Second and Third Classes, are to last for six months only. His Honor is wholly opposed to giving appellate powers to any but very high and competent officers or Courts, and has always refused to recognize that the hearing of criminal appeals entails undue labor on Magistrates of districts. In the instances above referred to these powers have been given only temporarily, as a very special case, in distressed districts in order that there may be no shadow of reason for supposing that the District Magistrates are tied down by work at Head-Quarters.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Act III of 1864 of the Bengal Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to notify that from and after the 1st April 1874 the limits of the Darjeeling Municipality, in supersession of those specified in notification* of the 29th April 1865, shall be as follows:—

* Published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th May 1865, page 874.

Beginning from the junction of the Rungbee and cart roads the south boundary of the Goompahar forest reserve to a point due south of the south-west angle of the boundary of the municipal grazing ground, thence a line through the reserve joining the two points above mentioned, thence the west and north boundaries of the municipal grazing ground to the cart road; thence the cart road to the boundary of location No. 99 (Rose Bank), with the south and west boundaries of which the municipal boundary will coincide. From the north-west angle of the Rose Bank boundary the municipal boundary will be a straight line to the south-west angle of location No. 121. From here it will coincide with the west boundaries of locations Nos. 121, 98, 100, 139, 77, 80, 79, and 78, to the north-west angle of the last mentioned location. Thence straight line to the south-west angle of No. 107. Thence the west boundary of that location, and the south and west boundaries of No. 122; from the north-west angle of No. 122 a straight line to the south-west angle of No. 142. Thence the boundary of that location to its north-west angle, thence a straight line to a point two hundred yards due west of the north-western angle of location No. 136. Thence a line connecting the above points to the north and east boundaries of that location. From the south-east angle of No. 136 a line to the north-east angle of No. 141; thence the east boundary of that location. From the south-east angle of the boundary of No. 141 a line to the north-east angle of No. 110, then the east boundary of that location, then a line connecting its south-east angle with the north-east angle of location No. 43, then the north-east boundary of that location. Thence a line from its eastern angle in a south direction to the Birch Hill road. Thence that road to its junction with the Lebong road, the Lebong road to its junction with the Runjeet road, and the Runjeet road to the Bundum Jobro. Thence a straight line to the Chowrasta, thence the Calcutta road to its junction with the Cantonment road, and thence a straight line to the point where the Rungbee road cuts the eastern boundary of Harrington Location, thence the east boundary of Harrington Location as far as the north boundary of Graham's Town Location, thence the south and east boundaries of Graham's Town Location and the east boundary of Enfield Location to the cart road. Thence the west boundary of the cart road reverse to the junction of the Rungbee and cart roads.

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The 23rd December 1873.—The following Rules framed under Section 69 of the Indian Registration Act, 1871, are published for general information :—

Changes of incumbency to be reported.

1. Registrars and Sub-Registrars, on giving or receiving charge of their respective offices, shall report the fact to the Inspector-General. In the case of Sub-Registrars, such reports shall be made through the District Registrar.

Temporary appointments to be reported.

2. Whenever a District Registrar makes a temporary appointment under section 12, he shall at once report the fact to the Inspector-General.

3. The report referred to in section 13 shall be submitted to Government by the Inspector-General at the end of each month.

4. Head-Quarter Sub-Registrars having been permanently placed in charge of district registry offices, special appointments under section 11 are no longer necessary.

Registrar may assume charge of the office of absent sub-registrar.

5. When a Sub-Registrar is absent, or his office is temporarily vacant, if the District Registrar is unable to appoint a suitable substitute, he may himself assume charge of the sub-registry office, until the return of the Sub-Registrar or appointment of a successor; and, in such cases, the extra or additional fee chargeable for registration by a Registrar under section 30 (a) shall not be charged upon registrations effected during the absence of the Sub-Registrar.

Leave to rural sub-registrars.

6. Rural Sub-Registrars are not subject to the uncovenanted leave rules. Leave should not generally be granted to them. But in cases of urgent necessity, leave may be granted to them and substitutes appointed by the Registrar. But no leave exceeding one month shall be granted without the previous sanction of the Inspector-General. All leave granted to rural Sub-Registrars shall be at once reported to the Inspector-General and included by him in the monthly report submitted under rule 3.

Section 15.

7. The seals of District Registrars and Deputy Registrars made under section 12 of Act XVI of 1864 shall be taken to be seals of Registrars and Sub-Registrars under this Act.

Seals.

8. The seal shall always remain in the personal custody of the registering officer.

Languages commonly used—section 19.

9. The following languages shall be considered to be commonly used in the districts named, viz.—

In the Patna Division and the districts of Bhaugulpore and Monghyr—English, Hindi, and Hindustani.

In the Chota Nagpore and Cooch Behar Divisions, and in the district of Purneah and the Sonthal Pergunnahs—English, Hindi, Hindustani, and Bengali.

In the Burdwan, Presidency, Rajshahye, Dacca, and Chittagong Divisions—English, Bengali, and Hindustani.

In the Orissa Division—English, Bengali, Hindustani, and Uriya.

In the Assam Division—English, Bengali, Hindustani, and Assamese.

Copies of Bengali, Uriya, or Assamese documents sent to other presidencies.

10. When a copy of a Bengali, Uriya, or Assamese document is forwarded under section 65 of the Act to a Registrar in another presidency, it shall be accompanied by information in English respecting the names and additions of all persons executing and claiming under it, and a description of the property situated in the Registrar's district sufficient for its identification.

11. A power of attorney intended for use in another Presidency, if authenticated in Bengali, Uriya, or Assamese, by an officer unacquainted with English, may, if the parties desire it, be forwarded by him to the District Registrar for the endorsement on it of an English translation of the authentication.

12. A power of attorney authenticated in a language unknown to a registering officer, to whom it may be presented, may, if the parties desire it, be by him submitted to the Registrar or Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal, as the case may be, who will procure an English translation of the authentication.

Interlineations, &c.,—section 20.

13. When the executant of any document appears personally, he shall be required to attest all interlineations, &c. When he appears by agent, &c., the attestation of such agent, &c., shall be accepted unless the interlineations, &c., are of an important character. A registering officer shall also be at liberty on due cause being shown to accept the attestation of an agent, &c., in case of important interlineations, &c.

Territorial divisions.

14. The territorial divisions to be recognized under section 21 (b) shall be registration districts, sub-districts, and thanahs; also parganahs and mauzahs, where they are known, and collectorate districts if different from registration districts.

Maps and plans.

15. Copies of maps or plans shall be attested by the signatures of the persons executing the document or their agents; and the original map or plan contained in the document shall at the time of registration be signed and sealed by the registering officer.

16. Whenever under section 30 (b) the Registrar of Calcutta registers a document accompanied by a map relating to property, no part of which lies within his own district, a copy of the map shall be supplied for record in his own office in addition to the number required by section 21 (c).

17. When a document containing a map or plan is presented for re-registration under the proviso to section 23, it shall not be necessary for the parties to deposit fresh copies of the map or plan under section 21 (c). But the registering officer shall certify against the copy in the register book that the map or plan attached to the document is the same as that which was attached to it on its first presentation.

Documents presented or admitted after four months, —sections 24 and 34.

18. When a document is presented or admitted more than four months after execution, the Registrar may either register it himself, in which case an extra fee under heading K, as well as the penalty under heading O, shall be levied, or he may direct its registration (on payment of the penalty under heading O) by any Sub-Registrar in whose office it could have been registered if presented within four months. In such cases the date on which the application was made to the Registrar shall be regarded as the date of presentation.

Daily sittings, holidays, —section 26.

19. Every Sub-Registrar shall sit daily during certain hours which shall be approved by the Registrar, and made known to the public by a notice in some conspicuous place outside the office. The holidays to be observed in registration offices shall be the days on which the Bank of Bengal is closed by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Commissions, under sections 33 and 38.

20. A commission shall ordinarily be issued by a registering officer to some salaried member of his establishment, and the order shall be briefly endorsed on the document in words to this effect:—

"A commission is hereby issued under section 33 (or 38) of the Indian Registration Act, 1871, to (name and designation of the officer) for the purpose of inquiring whether the within power (or document) has been executed by A B, son of C D of , by whom it purports to have been executed."

21. If the person to be examined under section 38 be not resident within the district or sub-district of the registering officer, a commission shall be directed to the Registrar of the district in which such person resides, who may redirect it to the Sub-Registrar, who may, if he cannot personally attend, redirect it to any officer of his establishment.

22. When the commission has been executed, the commissioner shall return the document to the office from which it was issued, with a report which shall be endorsed upon the document in the following terms:—"Having visited the residence of A B, son of C D, at , I have this day examined the said A B, who has been identified to my satisfaction by E F, son of G H, &c., residents of , and the said A B admitted (or denied) the execution of the within power (or document).

Full signature of executant.
Full signature of witnesses.
Full signature of commissioner.

Sections 33 and 38, and Section 180 of Act VIII of 1859.

23. A commissioner may examine witnesses in the same manner as a registering officer, and persons refusing to give testimony to a commissioner, on being required to do so, shall be subject to the same penalties and punishments which they would incur for the same offence if committed in a registration office.

Idem.

24. It shall be competent to a registering officer to examine the commissioner personally in his office, touching any of the matters referred to by him or mentioned in his report, or the manner in which he may have conducted the investigation.

25. All applications for visits under section 31, 33 or 38, or for the issue of commissions under section 33 or 38, shall be accompanied by the amount of fees chargeable as well as the amount of travelling allowance claimable by the registering officer or commissioner.

26. A separate commission fee shall be charged upon every signature which requires attestation, but travelling allowance shall only be charged for the actual distance travelled. Provided that where two or more persons who execute the same document or documents relating to the same transaction reside together, only one commission fee shall be charged so far as those persons are concerned.

27. The distances for which travelling allowance is charged shall be calculated according to the table which is drawn up in the Collector's office for the service of processes. A copy of this table shall be exhibited in every registration office.

Powers of attorney.

28. The form of authentication of powers of attorney shall be as follows :—

(1)—When the principal executing the power appears at the registration office—

"Executed in my presence on the day of 18 , by A B, son of C D, of , who is personally known to me (or whose identity was proved by the testimony of E F, son of G H, of), and recorded as No. for 18 ."

Full signature of attorney.
Full signature of witness or witnesses.
Seal and signature of registering officer and date.

(2)—When the principal is exempted from appearance—

"Having visited and examined at his (or her) residence the principal A B, who is personally known to me (or whose identity was proved by the evidence of C D, son of E F, of), I am satisfied that this power of attorney has been voluntarily executed by him (or her), and I accordingly authenticate it under section 33 of Act VIII of 1871, and record it as No. for 187 ."

Full signature of attorney.
Full signature of witnesses.
Seal and signature of registering officer.

When the Sub-Registrar himself does not examine the executant, he should make the following endorsement below the report of the commissioner as provided for in Rule 22 :—

"From the above report, I am satisfied, &c." (as above).

29. Interlineations, blanks, erasures, or alterations in powers of attorney authenticated under section 35, should be attested by a note under the Sub-Registrar's signature at the time of authentication. When there are no interlineations, &c., the fact should be noted in the same way.

30. General powers of attorney are available under this Act, if they contain or imply an authority to appear in a registration office, and are executed in accordance with section 33. Powers already executed may be made available by the execution, in accordance with section 33, of an additional clause empowering an attorney to appear in a registry office.

31. If an authority to register be included in a document to be registered, the document must of course bear the additional stamp duty chargeable on the power of attorney.

32. Powers which do not contain or imply an authority to appear in a registration office shall not be authenticated under section 33.

33. Whenever a power of attorney is used in a registration office, an endorsement shall be made upon it in the following form :—

Presented this day.

Date (Sd.) A. B.,

Seal *Registrar or Sub-Registrar of* .

34. All powers of attorney shall be returned when no longer required to the parties by whom they were presented.

Issue of process.

35. The summonses referred to in sections 36 and 37 shall be executed through the revenue authorities, and the peon's fee shall be regulated according to the rules for the service of processes by such authorities. Provided that when, for special reasons, the local Government shall so direct the processes required in any particular office may be executed through the court of the moonsiff within whose jurisdiction such office lies. In such cases the peon's fee shall be regulated by the rules for the service of processes in civil court.

36. If the summons be addressed to a person who is alleged to have executed the document, it shall require him to attend in person, or by agent; if it be addressed to any person whose evidence is required to prove a fact, it shall require him to attend in person.

37. Every application for summons must be accompanied by the amount of expenses payable to the witness, as well as the amount of peon's fees usually chargeable by the revenue authority or civil court through which the summons is to be issued; and in forwarding for compliance an application for summons, the registering officer shall also forward the witnesses' expenses and the peon's fee.

38. In case of a person summoned under section 37 neglecting to appear, or if a summons under that section cannot be served, the registering officer may call upon the revenue officer or civil court through whom his summonses are served to take any further action authorized by the law for the time being in force for the purpose of securing the attendance of the person whose evidence is required, and such a requisition must be accompanied by the proper fee. It rests with the registering officer to specify the form of action to be taken.

39. No Rural Sub-Registrar shall issue a requisition under the preceding rule without the previous sanction of the District Registrar, or (in the case of an additional Sub-Registrar) of the ex-officio Sub-Registrar to whose sub-district he is attached.

40. A will shall not be received for deposit otherwise than in the manner laid down in section 42. A will received through the post office shall be returned to the testator *bearing*.

Wills deposited under section 42.

41. Every entry made in Book V under the provisions of section 43 shall be signed in full and dated by the Registrar.

42. When a sealed cover is withdrawn under section 44, the fact shall be noted in register No. V, and the entry shall be signed by the person by whom the withdrawal is made as well as by the Registrar.

43. When a sealed cover is opened under section 45, the fact shall be noted in register V, and the entry signed by the Registrar. If a cover is opened under order of a civil court, this shall be mentioned in the entry.

44. When a will is forwarded to any court under section 46, it shall be accompanied by a memorandum of the fee for opening the cover and copying charges, and it shall be the duty of the court to levy and remit such fee and charges to the Registrar.

Wills called for by a civil court under section 46.

45. Sealed covers deposited with a Registrar under section 42 shall be examined monthly, and their condition reported to the Inspector-General.

Wills to be examined.

46. On the presentation of a document for registration, the registering officer shall first satisfy himself—

(1) That it has been presented at the proper office (sections 28, 29, and 30);

(2) That it bears the proper stamp;
and if it purport to be, or is known to be, a counterpart—
That it is "available" under the proviso of article 16, Schedule II of the General Stamp Act, 1869.

(3) That it is in the usual language of the district, or is accompanied by a translation and a true copy (section 19);

(4) That in the case of important interlineations section 20 and rule 13 have been complied with;

(5) That (if the document refers to immovable property) the description is sufficient (section 21);

(6) That it has been presented within the proper time (sections 23, 25, and 26);

(7) That it has been presented by a person authorized to do so (section 32).

47. If the requirements of the law have been complied with in all these particulars, the following certificate shall be entered on the face of the deed:—

Certificate of admissibility.

Admissible under rule 46. Correctly stamped under the General Stamp Act, schedule , No. .

48. After entry of the certificate under rule 47, the registering officer shall receive the fee or any fine payable under section 24, and enter the amount on the document close to such certificate, and at the same time the requisite entry shall be made in the fee book.

Levy of fee.—section 78.

49. The document shall now be endorsed to the following effect:—

First endorsement.

"Presented for registration at A.M. (or P.M.) on the day of 187 , at the sub-registry office (or elsewhere), by A B, son of C D, of [attorney for E F, one of the claimants under a power (No. for 187) executed in the presence of Sub-Registrar of]." (Sd.) A. B.

50. The amount of the fee paid shall be entered on the receipt given under section 52.

51. If [rule 46 (1)] the deed has not been presented in the proper office, it shall be simply returned to the presenting party. In this case no entry need be made in Book II.

Documents inadmissible on presentation.

52. If [rule 46 (2)] the stamp is incorrect, the deed shall be impounded and forwarded to the Collector (section 23 of the General Stamp Act).

NOTE.—If the executant of a deed who is in doubt about the proper stamp consults a registering officer on the subject before formal presentation, the required information may be given to him without impounding the deed. But any deed formally presented with an insufficient stamp must be impounded.

53. If Rules 46 (3) to (7) have not been complied with, or if the presenting party refuses to pay the proper fee, the deed must be returned to the presenting party with the endorsement

"Registration refused,"

an entry being made at the same time in Book II.

NOTE.—Orders under this rule may be deferred at the request of the parties in order to enable them to comply with the requirements of the law, or for a reference to the Registrar under section 24. But in such cases an order of refusal shall be passed if the requirements of the law have not been complied with within eight months from the date of execution.

54. When a fine has already been paid under section 24, a second fine shall not be levied under section 34.

Fines under sections 24 and 34.

Final endorsement.

55. The endorsement under section 58 shall be to the following effect :—

"Execution is admitted by A B, son of C D, of , zamindar (or cultivator, &c.,) by caste—

(Sd.) A. B

Identified by E F, son of G H, of , zamindar (or cultivator, &c.,) by caste—
The of 18 (Sd.) E. F.,
Sub-Registrar of .

When execution is admitted by an agent, the following words shall be added :—

"Agent for K L, under a power of attorney (No. for 187) executed in the presence of the Sub-Registrar of ."

When the executant or his agent is personally known to the registering officer, the words "personally known to me," should be substituted for the identification clause.

When receipt of consideration is acknowledged, the following clause should be added :—

"The receipt of rupees as consideration is admitted by the above A B"

56. The endorsement referred to in the preceding rule shall invariably be recorded in the handwriting of the registering officer.

57. When a person who cannot write signs his name by means of a mark, his name shall be recorded at length, and the writer of the name shall also sign his own name in attestation that the said mark was affixed in his presence.

58. Whenever a registering officer administers an oath, he shall separately record the evidence of the witness examined.

59. When a document is presented which has only been executed by some of the parties to it, the other executants may attend and execute the document and admit their execution without the payment of any further fee, so long as the certificate of registration under section 60 has not been endorsed thereon; but if the registration of the document has been completed, it must be presented afresh for re-registration and a second fee shall be payable.

Document to be copied after admission.

60. When all the persons executing a document, or their representatives, assigns or agents, have appeared and admitted its execution, the document shall be copied in the register.

61. When two or more copies of the same document are brought for registration at the same time, it shall not be necessary to enter the document more than once in the register, but all the endorsements shall be written upon each copy.

62. All endorsements shall be made in red ink, excepting signatures, which may be made in black ink.

63. When there is not room on a document for the necessary endorsements, they shall be made on a separate quarter sheet of hand-laid medium paper which should be supplied by the office and attached to the document, a note being at the same time made on the document itself and signed by the registering officer.

Final endorsement.

64. When a document has been copied, the registering officer shall proceed to make in the following form the endorsement required by section 60 :—

"Registered in Book , Volume
Page Being No. for 18 "

Copyist and comparer to sign their name.

65. The register copy of every document shall be compared with the original by some person other than the copyist, and both the copyist and the comparer shall append their signatures. The registering officer shall authenticate by his initials all corrections in the copy and all notes which may be necessary under section 20 of the Act. He shall also affix his initials to each page, and shall certify with his full signature each copy to be a true one.

66. No erasures shall be made with a knife in any register book, but mistakes shall be corrected when necessary with the pen, and shall invariably be attested by the registering officer.

67. The register books shall have two margins. On the left hand margin shall be copied in red ink the value of the stamp and all the endorsements made in the office; in the centre shall be copied the deed itself in black ink, and the right hand margin shall be left vacant for notes under section 20 and rule 13.

68. Several volumes of Books I and IV may, if necessary, be kept in use simultaneously when the documents registered are so numerous as to make this course necessary. Books II, III, and V shall be continued from year to year until they are full, and in small offices where the number of documents registered is inconsiderable, the same volume of Books I and IV may also be used for two or more years.

Certificate of closure.

69. When a book is closed, a certificate to that effect shall be appended at the close of the written portion, and a certificate showing the number of pages written upon shall be entered on the first page.

70. When, owing to omission or error in any document which has been registered, a supplementary document rectifying such mistake or omission is presented for registration, a note of such rectification shall be made in the margin of the register in which the original document is registered.

71. When a document occupies more than one sheet of paper, the seal and the signature of the registering officer shall be attached to every sheet.

Refusal of duly presented documents.

72. The circumstances under which a document should at once be refused on presentation are given in rules 51—53. A document duly presented and accepted for the purpose of enquiry, will not be admitted to registration under the following circumstances :—

(1) If one or more of the executing parties deny execution.
(2) If one or more of the executing parties fail to appear and to admit execution.
(3) If a person by whom the document purports to be executed be dead, and his representative or assign deny execution. (Section 35.)
(4) If a person purporting to have executed the document appear to be a minor, an idiot or a lunatic. (Section 35.)
(5) If the registering officer be not satisfied of the identity of any person appearing before him and alleging that he executed the document. (Section 35.)
(6) If the registering officer be not satisfied as to the truth of the allegation that a person who executed the document is dead. (Section 35.)
(7) If the admitting agent's power of attorney has not been made in accordance with the Act; or if an alleged representative or assign has failed to prove his *status*. (Section 35.)

73. In cases (1) and (4) registration must be at once refused. In cases (2), (3), (5), (6), (7) the order of refusal should ordinarily be deferred till eight months have elapsed from the date of execution. But if the parties declare their inability to comply with the requirements of the law, or for any other reason wish that the document should at once be refused and returned to them, this may be done. The reasons of refusal must be given in Book II.

Reasons of refusal to be clearly stated.

74. In recording the reasons for refusal to register, the particulars should be fully and clearly stated in each particular case. When one out of several executants declines to comply with the requirements of the law, his name should be given; when the registering officer is doubtful as to the identity of a party admitting execution, the grounds of his suspicion should be stated.

Section 70.

75. Applications for the remission of fines under section 70 may be filed with the registering officer, but no such application shall be received until the fine has been paid. The application shall be forwarded to the Inspector-General with any remarks which the registering officer may wish to make.

Copies and memoranda.

76. In addition to the bound volume of Book I, every registering officer shall keep a file in which he will file copies and memoranda of registered documents which have been forwarded to his office under sections 64, 65, 66 or 67 of the Act. This file shall be bound into a volume or volumes of convenient size at the end of the year. The entries in this volume shall be numbered consecutively, but in a series distinct from that of original registrations in Book I.

77. These copies shall be made on paper of the same size and description as the sheets of the bound books. Memoranda shall be drawn up in the prescribed form.

78. Memoranda for sub-districts in another district shall be enclosed to the Registrar of that district, together with the copy for his own office; but no memorandum need make mention of any property other than that which is situated in the sub-district to which the memorandum is to be sent.

79. When a copy of a document is sent to the Registrar of another district under sections 65—67 of the Act, a memorandum need not be sent to any Sub-Registrar whose office has been amalgamated with that of the Registrar of such district.

80. The date on which copies and memoranda are despatched under the last rule, shall be entered in the right-hand margin of the book in which the document has been copied.

Receipts for copies and memoranda.

81. When a memorandum or copy under sections 64—67 is transmitted from one office to another, it shall be accompanied by a receipt in the prescribed printed form, which shall at once be signed and returned by the receiving officer. If delay occurs in the return of the receipt, the despatching officer should takeed for it. All such receipts when returned should be filed separately.

Copies and translations of documents in foreign language.

82. The copies and translations of documents required to be filed under sections 19 and 62 shall be made upon hand-laid medium paper. They shall be kept in a separate file, a reference being made to this in the right-hand margin of the page on which the translation is copied in the register book. The file shall be bound from time to time, when it contains a sufficient number of copies and translations to form a volume. For the purposes of this rule the requisite paper may be sold to the public at one anna per sheet.

Index of persons.

83. The personal index No. 1 shall contain the following headings :—

1. Name of person.
2. Addition.
3. Interest in the transaction, as purchaser, mortgagee, decree-holder, &c.
4. Office of registration.

5. Serial number.
6. Book.
7. Volume.
8. Page.

Index of places.

84. The local index No. II shall contain the following headings:—

1. Name of property or of mauzah; or, in towns, of street.
2. Name of parganah or thanah.
3. Sub-district in which the property is situated.
4. Nature of the transaction, as sale of land, decree for possession of house, &c.
5. Office of registration.
6. Serial number.
7. Book.
8. Volume.
9. Page.

Index III.

85. Index III shall contain the same headings as No. 1.

86. Except in rural offices, all indexes shall be kept in English.

Arrangement of entries.

87. English indexes shall be kept according to the letters of the alphabet, the entries under each letter being arranged according to the vowel of the first syllable, if the word begins with a consonant; or according to the second vowel in the word if it begins with a vowel.

Translation.

88. If the documents to be indexed are written or executed in English, the names of the persons and places shall be spelt in the same way in which they are written in the documents. If the documents are written or executed in a vernacular language, the spelling shall be regulated according to Professor H. H. Wilson's system of transliteration, as modified by the Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

Family name.

89. In the case of Europeans and of those Hindus who have hereditary family names, the surname or family name shall be taken as the index word. In all other cases native names shall be indexed as they stand. A mere title or designation of caste shall not be taken as the index word.

90. When a document is executed on behalf or in favour of Government, the index entry shall be made under G., *Government*, the name of the officer executing the document being entered in the column headed *Addition*; if on behalf or in favour of the Court of Wards, under *W., Wards, Court of*; and in the case of any other Court, under *C.* The names of companies shall be entered as they stand, the article only being omitted; thus—*Land Mortgage Bank of India, Limited*, under *L.*; *Ganges Steam Navigation Company, Limited*, under G.

91. The name of the depositor of a sealed cover shall be entered in index I.

Two or more names in one document to be entered separately.

92. When there are two or more executants or claimants, their names shall be separately entered in index I or III. Similarly, when two or more properties are conveyed by a single document, they shall be separately entered in Index II. But no Sub-Registrar need enter in his Index II any property which does not lie in his own sub-district.

93. Copies and memoranda of documents shall be indexed in the same way as original documents, but the entries relating to them shall be made in red ink.

94. In rural offices, the indexes shall be kept in the vernacular, the names being merely arranged according to their first letters. One copy of indexes I, II, and III, shall be made for office use in a bound volume; and a duplicate of the entries made each month in indexes I and II shall be submitted at its close to the Sub-divisional Sub-Registrar. In the Head Quarters Sub-division, and wherever the Sub-divisional system has not yet been introduced, the duplicate will be sent to the Registrar. Rules 83, 84, 85, 89, 90, and 92, above, apply to the indexes of Rural Sub-Registrars.

95. The Sub-Registrar, on receiving the indexes I and II from the Rural Sub-Registrars, shall translate the same, and incorporate them in his own indexes, noting the place of registration of each document. He shall also, at the end of each year, or at such shorter intervals as the Registrar shall direct, prepare on hand-laid medium paper a copy of the incorporated index, and submit it to the Registrar.

Duplicate indexes of amalgamated offices.

96. Where the office of a Registrar has been amalgamated with that of a Sub-Registrar, the duplicate copy of the Sub-Registrar's indexes shall be sent for safe custody to the office of the Registrar of Calcutta, or to such other place as the Inspector-General may direct.

One office of record in each district.

97. The Registrar's office shall be a central office of record for each district, and the books and papers of subordinate offices (which are not to be destroyed) shall be transferred to it from time to time.

Old records to be permanently preserved.

98. The following records belonging to the period anterior to the enactment of Act XVI of 1864 shall be henceforward permanently preserved in district registry offices:—

All registers of documents and their indexes.

Duplicate copies of documents required to be filed under Regulation XX of 1812.

Registers of powers of attorney.
Original powers required to be filed under Regulation XX of 1812.
Kazis' records.

Books to be kept in all offices.

99. Besides register books I, II, III, and IV, and indexes I, II, and III, the following records shall be kept in all registry offices:—

A register of powers of attorney in the prescribed form.
A register of visits and commissions in the prescribed form.
A fee book in the prescribed form.
A cash book in the form prescribed by the Accountant-General.
A catalogue in the prescribed form.
A chalan book in the prescribed form.
A file of receipts given under section 52 and returned on delivery of registered documents.
A file of receipts for copies and memoranda under rule 81.

Additional books in district offices.

100. The following additional books shall be kept in all district offices:—

Book V.
A register of letters received.
A register of letters despatched.

Transfer of books.

101. In January of each year the following records for the previous year shall be transferred from sub-registry offices to the district office:—

Book I (including the file of copies), and book IV under Act VIII of 1871, and index III.
Copies and translations filed under section 19.

102. Books II and III, and the register of attested powers of attorney, shall be transferred to the district office as soon as they are filled.

103. In the case of all rural offices, and wherever the sub-registry office is not a masonry building, each volume of the register books shall be forwarded to the district office as soon as it has been filled and indexed without waiting till the end of the year.

Records to be preserved in perpetuity.

104. For the period since Act XVI of 1864 came into force the following records shall be preserved in perpetuity in all district offices:—

All register books and their indexes prescribed by Acts XVI of 1864 and XX of 1866 and VIII of 1871, as well those of the district registry offices as those received from the sub-registry offices.
Registers of powers of attorney.
Catalogue.
Cash book.
Fee book.
Reports of the destruction of records, and lists of the papers destroyed.

105. The following records shall be preserved in perpetuity in all sub-registry offices:—

Book III, under Act XVI of 1864, and Book V, under Act XX of 1866.
The rough indexes, under Act XVI of 1864.
Original indexes I and II, under Acts XX of 1866 and VIII of 1871.
Catalogue.
Cash book.
Fee book.

Section 83.

106. When a registered document is destroyed under section 83, a note to that effect shall be made in the book in which it is registered.

Records to be destroyed after three years.

107. The following records may be destroyed after the expiration of three full years from the period to which they relate:—

Registers of visits and commissions.
Chalan books.
The receipts referred to in section 52.
Receipts referred to in rule 81.
All correspondence, whether in English or in the vernacular, which is of an ordinary routine character, and which the Registrar considers may be destroyed.
Monthly returns, petitions, and other records and papers not otherwise specified.

108. No books or papers whatever shall be destroyed at a sub-registry office without the previous sanction of the Inspector-General.

109. The register books and indexes of the general registry offices under Act XVI of 1864 and Act XX of 1866, shall be preserved in the Calcutta Registry Office.

110. All applications for search or for copies should be made to the registering officer himself.

Applications for search or copies.

If an application is made in writing, the registering officer should initial it at once, giving the date. If an application is made *vivâ voce*, the registering officer should write on a slip of paper, "Give copy," or some

such brief order, adding his initials and date. All such applications and orders should be preserved on a separate file, the date on which a search has been made or copy completed being noted. Applications made through Sub-Regsitrars for copies from registers deposited in the district office must be in writing, and should be at once transmitted to the Registrar for compliance. No stamp is required on applications for searches or copies.

111. Registrars shall permit search and grant copies of entries in the registers kept up previous to the enactment of Act VIII of 1871, at the same rate of fees, and to the same extent as in the case of registers under that Act.

112. A call for information from any court or revenue authority shall, if it necessitates search in the registers, be accompanied by the necessary fee for search. Officers of Government shall be permitted to inspect the registers without fee; but if the production of a register book in any court is required, it shall be produced by an officer of the registration establishment deputed for that purpose, who will be entitled to claim payment of his expenses like any other witness.

113. Registering officers shall take care that their clerks have no dealings with the public, except in their presence. They shall themselves receive documents which are tendered for registration; and when they are registered, shall return them with their own hands.

114. The serial number of the last document in each book completed and ready for return shall be daily notified in some conspicuous place outside every office.

Catalogue.

115. A catalogue in the prescribed form shall be kept up and permanently preserved in every registry office. On the occasion of every permanent change in the incumbency, the officer receiving charge should compare his books with the catalogue, and certify therein that he has found them correct.

Table of fees.

116. A printed table of fees in English and the vernacular of the district shall be suspended in some conspicuous place in every registry office.

117. Columns 1, 7, and 13 in the fee book should be filled up as soon as any document is presented, except in the case of documents presented at the wrong office and returned under rule 51; columns 8 and 9 should be filled up as soon as a document is admitted or refused; columns 10 and 11, as soon as registration has been completed; column 12, as soon as the document has been delivered and column 14, as soon as the required copies and memoranda have been despatched.

118. Where the Sub-Registrar is a salaried officer, and only receives commission, in addition to his salary, he should remit the fees to the treasury daily. Remittances to the treasury should be accompanied by the Chalan Book duly filled up in duplicate. One copy of each chalan will then be kept by the treasury officer and the other returned with his signature.

119. Before the 1st of September of each year, every Sub-Registrar shall submit to the Registrar to whom he is subordinate, an indent in the prescribed form for all register books and other registration forms which will be required in his office during the following calendar year.

Indent for register books or other forms.

120. Every Registrar shall submit to the Inspector-General before the 15th September of each year an indent in quadruplicate in the prescribed form for all register books, and other registration forms which will be required for his own office, and those of the Sub-Registrars subordinate to him during the following calendar year. When it is desired that the supply of register books, &c., should be forwarded to any sub-registry office direct instead of being sent through the office of the Registrar to whom he is subordinate, an intimation to that effect should accompany the Registrar's indent, and the indents of such Sub-Registrars should be submitted separately in quadruplicate with the Registrar's endorsement instead of being embodied in the Registrar's indent.

121. When delay occurs in supplying register books and other registration forms, reminders should be addressed, not to the Inspector-General of Registration, but to the Superintendent of the Alipore Jail Press, the number of the Stationery office order being quoted. Reminders are useless without it.

122. Indents for the forms enumerated in the margin which have been prescribed by the Accountant-General should be submitted in triplicate in March of each year direct to the Superintendent of Stationery.

1A. Accountant-General's form indent form.
116. Commission list of Sub-Registrars.
117. Salary list of gazetted officers of the Registration Department.
118. Salary list of sanctioned establishments of the Registration Department.
119. Bill for contingent charges of the Registration Department.
120. Travelling allowance of Registrars.
121. Travelling allowance of ministerial officers of the Registration Department.
126. Refund of registration fees.
127. Bill for refund of registration fees for sudder sub-registry office.
128. Bill for refund of registration fee for sub-divisional and rural sub-registry office.
138. Detailed bill of contingent charges for countersignature.
141. Leave statement.
183. Cash book of registration.
184. Acquittance roll of establishment.
200. Monthly chalan of officers paid by fees only.

123. Rural Sub-Registrars may be supplied with registration ink and other stationery from the district office at cost price, which should be ascertained from the Superintendent of Stationery. The hand-laid medium paper required for copies under sections 64 and 65 will be supplied to them gratis.

ts for stationery.
B.—Patna, Bhaugulpore, and Rajshahye Divisions, except the t of Rajshahye.
Y.—Dacca, Cooch Behar, and Assam Divisions.
of th GUST.—Calcutta offices, viz., those belonging to the Judicial, Reve- Financial, Public Works, Telegraph, and Post Office Departments.
SAN CTEMBER.—Calcutta offices, viz., the Secretariat Offices, and those The ging to the Military, Ecclesiastical, and Marine Departments, all not included in the foregoing.
OCTOBER.—Burmah, Straits Settlements, Tenasserim, Arracan, and e Chittagong Divisions.
NOVEMBER.—Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, and the Rajshahye strict (Rampore Beauleah).
DECEMBER.—Chota Nagp re, Cuttack, and Hyderabad.

124. Before the several dates noted in the margin all District Registrars should send to the Superintendent of Stationery an indent in duplicate in the prescribed form for the stationery (including registration ink) which will be required for the registry offices in their districts during the next twelve months; indents from Sub-Registrars should be submitted to the district office at least 15 days before these dates. The Registrar's indent should include all ink and other stationery likely to be required by rural Sub-Registrars under rule 123 above.

125. All official letters and covers sent by post from any Sub-Registry or District Registry office must be prepaid by service labels. These labels will be supplied to Sub-Registrars (on application) by District Registrars who will disallow unreasonable and excessive demands. A monthly statement of the distribution of service postage labels should be submitted by each District Registrar for the information of the Inspector-General. A permanent advance of Rs. 20 for postal charges is allowed to District Registrars. All bills for bearing covers must be accompanied by the covers on which the payments were made as vouchers. Service labels will be purchased by District Registrars as they require them, the expenditure being included in their monthly postal bill supported by the treasury officer's receipts as vouchers.

126. When an officer is temporarily placed in charge of the office of a special Sub-Registrar during his absence on inspection duty in the interior of his district, he is not entitled to draw commission which the Special Sub-Registrar retains.

127. The security bonds of head-clerks should be examined at the close of each financial year, the result being reported to the Inspector-General.

128. The receipts entered in the fee book need not be entered in detail in the cash book. Their daily totals will be sufficient. But all other receipts and all payments whatever must be entered in full detail in the cash book. All cash received must at once be entered either in the fee book or in the cash book. No money should under any circumstances be kept out of account. The cash book should be balanced every day, and signed after careful examination by the registering officer.

129. All permanent advances must be repaid into the treasury on the 31st of March of each year, and drawn again in the following month.

130. Registrars and Sub-Registrars who are paid by fixed salaries will draw their pay in Accountant-General's form No. 117, and the bill may be paid without the countersignature of superior authority.

131. Salaried Sub-Registrars who are also entitled to a percentage on the fees, will draw their commission at the end of each month in Accountant-General's form No. 116, at such rate as may have been sanctioned by Government, but upon such fees only as shall have been actually paid into the treasury during the month. No commission is payable on fines, or on the extra fees for registration by a Registrar, or on the receipts for the sale of paper. Commission bills require the Registrar's countersignature before payment.

132. Sub-Registrars who are paid by fees only, and receive 50 per cent. and upwards of those fees will retain them until the end of each month, and then remit the Government share of them to the treasury, with an account current in duplicate in the prescribed form A. G. B. No. 200.

133. Salary bills for permanent establishments will be drawn in Accountant-General's form No. 118, by the head of the office. They do not require the countersignature of higher authority.

134. Bills for extra establishments paid by salary may be drawn in the same way as those for fixed establishments, the orders sanctioning their entertainment being always quoted in the bill.

135. Bills for wages of extra writers paid at contract rates require the countersignature of the Inspector-General before payment.

136. Travelling allowances of registering officers and their clerks will be drawn in Accountant-General's form Nos. 120 and 121 respectively; and in both cases they must invariably be submitted to the Inspector-General for countersignature before payment, whatever may be the amount of the bill.

137. When ministerial officers of the department are deputed to give evidence or to produce records before any court, their travelling expenses will be paid by the court.

138. House and office rent sanctioned by Government may be drawn by the head of the office without the countersignature of higher authority, the number and date of the Government order being always quoted in the bill.

139. Office furniture must not be purchased without the sanction of the Inspector-General. An estimate of the probable cost should accompany all applications for such sanction.

140. The salary of sweepers cannot be charged to contingencies. The wages of pankha-pullers may be so charged when their employment has been sanctioned.

141. No charges for printing may be incurred without the special sanction o Inspector-General. Such printed forms as are necessary will be printed at the Alipore Press under the authority of the Inspector-General.

142. English stationery procurable from the Stationery Office may not be purch in the local market, but charges for petty articles, such as sealing-ink, paste, thre country paper, &c., may be included in the monthly contingent bill.

143. Sub-Registrars' contingent bills should be presented for payment at the end of ea month, and if the total charge does not exceed Rs. 10, the Registrar's countersignature sufficient for audit.

144. Registrars' contingent bills not exceeding Rs. 10 in amount, do not require counter-signature.

145. A permanent advance of Rs. 10 is allowed to all Registrars and ex-officio Sub-Registrars for ordinary contingent charges. When the expenditure during any month on account of contingencies in any Registrar's or ex-officio Sub-Registrar's office exceeds the amount of the permanent advance the amount expended may be drawn by an abstract bill or bills (see Accountant-General's form No. 119) submitted during the month under the Registrar's signature or countersignature. But in such cases a detailed bill (see Accountant-General's form No. 138) accompanied by vouchers must also be submitted at the end of the month.

146. A duplicate bill should never be submitted unless the original is lost in transit or otherwise, in which case a certificate should be attached to the effect that the bill has not been cashed at the treasury.

147. Bills, monthly returns, and regular indents, should not be accompanied by covering letters. The envelopes containing them should be marked "Returns." Letters and urgent indents should be separately sent.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th December 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Sabang in the District of Midnapore. The Sub-Registrar of Sabang will exercise in and for Thannah Sabang concurrent jurisdiction with the Sudder Sub-Registrar of Midnapore.

Baboo Horish Chundra Bosu is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Sabang.

This Notification will take effect on and from the 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Furreedpore conterminous with Thannah Bhusna, and having its Head-Quarters at Syadpur.

Moulvi Syad Ashraf Ali is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Syadpur.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Tirhoot conterminous with Thannah Mahua in the Sub-District of Hajipore.

Baboo Mathuranáth is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mahua.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Bancoorah conterminous with Thannah Bishenpore, and having its Head-Quarters in the Town of that name.

Baboo Ram Kishor Singh is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Bishenpore.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a Sub-District in the District of Tirhoot conterminous with Thannah Katra, at present included in the Head-Quarters Sub-District.

Shaikh Tasadduq Hosain is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Katra.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Bancoorah conterminous with Thannah Gangajalghati, and having its Head-Quarters at Maliarah.

Babu Damodar Sinhadurjia is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Maliarah.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 16th December 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to notify the following amendment in the rules for the election of Municipal Commissioners in the Town of Serampore under Section I of Act II of 1873 of the Bengal Council, published at page 1145, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 1st October 1873:—

In rule 6, *for* "25th December," *read* "27th December."

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 4th December 1873.—It is hereby notified that under Section 83 of Act VII of 1871 (The Indian Emigration Act), the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized Mr. F. H. Barrow, Assistant Magistrate in the district of Bhaugulpore, to perform the duties and exercise the powers of the Magistrate of the district under that Act.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 4th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Government of Bengal that the land, particulars of which are subjoined, is required for a public purpose, viz. the site for the police station of Kumarkhali, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land measuring 1 beegah 19 cottahs is required.

The land is situated in the district of Nuddea, Pergunnah Rokunpur, Thannah Kumarkhali, village Elangi; it is bounded on the north by the dwelling-house of Bhagirath Patni; on the east by the Suradoha jola; on the south by the School Street; and on the west by the dwelling-house of Kanie Changa, and is known as the late Peshkar and Hori Lall Chowdhri Mooktar's lodging.

This Declaration is made, under Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, is re-published for general information:—

SEPARATE REVENUE.—STAMPS.

The 19th December 1873.

No. 3816.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 35 of the Court Fees Act VII of 1870, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to remit the fees chargeable on applications presented to a Collector for refund of the amount paid to Government for stamped paper which has become spoiled or unfit for use, or is no longer required for use, and on applications for renewal of stamped paper which has become spoiled or unfit for use.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 18th December 1873.

No. 444.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, *viz.* for the site of the proposed new Jail about to be erected at Mymensing, in the village of Kassore, Pergunnah Alapsing, District Mymensing, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 33 beegahs and 7 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Bygunbaree road, on the south by the Soobunkully road, on the east by a public road on the west of the Police lines, and on the west by a part of the Jail lands, is required within the aforesaid village of Kassore.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

* Bengal Government, Public Works Department, Notification No. 276, of the 2nd August 1873.

No. 445.—*Notification.*—Baboo Moorari Mohun Goopto, Supervisor, Second Grade, joined the Howrah and Hooghly District on the 8th December 1873, before noon, on return from sick leave.*

No. 446.—*Transfer.*—Baboo Moorari Mohun Goopto, Supervisor, Second Grade, from the Howrah and Hooghly to the Balasore District.

No. 447.—*Notifications.*—Baboo Kally Sunkur Chatterjee, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, joined the Monghyr District on the 8th December 1873, before noon.

No. 448.—Baboo Peary Mohun Banerjee, Overseer, Third Grade, joined the Lohardugga District on the 6th December 1873, after noon.

* Bengal Government, Public Works Department, Notification No. 346, of the 22nd September 1873.

No. 449.—Baboo Woomakant Ghose, Overseer, First Grade, joined the Sylhet and Cachar District on the 6th December 1873, after noon, on return from privilege leave.*

The 22nd December 1873.

No. 450.—*Notification.*—The following orders, issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, are re-published for information:—

"*No.* 748, *of the 4th December* 1873.—Mr. F. F. Hensley, Assistant Superintendent, Third Grade, is appointed to the Public Works Department as a temporary Assistant Engineer of the Third Grade, and posted to Bengal for employment on Famine relief works.

"*No.* 767, *of the 13th December* 1873.—The following Resolution in the Financial Department is re-published for information and guidance in the Public Works Department:—

No. 3291.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

Fort William, the 28th November 1873.

Read—

Endorsement of the Public Works Department, No. 1310E-G, dated 8th September 1873, on a letter from the Chief Commissioner, British Burmah, in the Public Works Department, on the subject of the messing and batta allowances of peons travelling on public duty and provided with a free passage on board a steamer, Government or private.

RESOLUTION.—The President in Council is pleased to rule that Government peons provided with a free passage on a Government vessel shall be messed by the Syrang of the vessel at a rate of charge to be fixed by the Government of India in the Marine Department, that the charge shall be paid by the Government to the Syrang, and that no portion of it shall be recovered from the peons. When peons are provided with a passage in a private steamer, they shall be allowed batta at the rate of $\frac{1}{16}$ths of salary, when the expense of their passage does not include the cost of messing.

"*No.* 779, *of the 16th December* 1873.—The undermentioned Sub-Overseers of the First Grade in Oudh are promoted to Overseers, Second Grade, and transferred to Bengal Provincial Establishment:—

"Chokay Lall, Mirza Akber Beg, and Goluck Nath Sen.

"*No.* 790, *of the 19th December* 1873.—The transfer of Captain R. J. Bond, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, from the Western Rajpootana Railway Survey to Bengal, in Public Works Department Notification No. 718 of the 14th November 1873, is cancelled."

No. 451.—Mr. T. H. Wickes, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, assumed charge of the Nuddea Rivers Division on the 13th December 1873, after noon.

No. 452.—Mr. J. S. Carey, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, assumed charge of the Moorshedabad District on the 13th December 1873, after noon.

LOCAL—COMMUNICATIONS.

The 23rd December 1873.

No. 454.—*Declaration under Section 6 of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a road from Bulpore to Sakoolipore in the villages of Kalikapore, Lackbajar, Singan and Mohanpore in Pergunnah Barboksinha, in Zillah Beerbhoom, and also in the villages of Bagpara, Beluti and Sakoolipore, in Pergunnahs Barboksinha, Udaypore and Kuttabpore, in Zillah Moorshedabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 miles in length and 20 feet in breadth, is required within the aforesaid villages of Kalikapore, Lackbajar, Singan, Mohanpore, Bagpara, Beluti and Sakoolipore.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th December 1873.

No. 581.—*Transfer.*—Baboo Rajendro Nath Mookerjee, Overseer, Second Grade, from the South-Western to the Gunduck Circle.

No. 582.—*Leave.*—Mr. J. Burgess, Supervisor, First Grade, Dehree Workshop Division, is granted sick leave for six months in extension of the sick leave granted him in the orders marginally noted, under Supplement F, Section 3, of the Civil Leave Code.

* No. 363, dated 31st December 1872.

No. 583.—*Postings.*—Baboo Haran Chunder Auddy, Overseer, First Grade, transferred from the Provincial Branch, is posted to the Lower Gunduck Embankment Division.

No. 584.—Baboo Kanti Chunder Banerjee, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, transferred from the North-Western Provinces to Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Lower Gunduck Embankment Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 29th November 1873.

No. 585.—*Leave.*—Baboo Audhur Chunder Roy Chowdry, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, Hidgellee Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted on the forenoon of the 6th December 1873.

* No. 474, dated 7th November 1873.

The 19th December 1873.

No. 586.—*Notifications.*—Mr. L. A. Mendes, Supervisor, First Grade, Hidgellee Division, returned to duty on the forenoon of the 8th December 1873.

No. 587.—Baboo Bhedhoo Bhosun Biswas, Apprentice Engineer, joined the Lower Gunduck Embankment Division on the forenoon of the 10th December 1873.

No. 588.—*Leave.*—Mr. T. B. Stoney, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Dehree Division, is allowed subsidiary leave for six (6) days, from the 16th October 1873, the date of his arrival in Bombay, to the 22nd October 1873, the date of his resuming charge of the Dehree Division, under Supplement F, Section 10, of the Civil Leave Code.

The 20th December 1873.

No. 589.—*Notifications.*—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 778, *dated* 16*th December* 1873.—Mr. E. deGrousilliers, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Central Provinces, on return from furlough, is transferred to Bengal, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch."

No. 590.—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 771, *dated* 15*th December* 1873.—Lieutenant W. Sedgwick, R. E., Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, Bengal Irrigation Branch, is transferred to the Northern Bengal (State) Railway."

No. 591.—With reference to the above Notification, Lieutenant W. Sedgwick, R. E., Officiating Executive Engineer, Eastern Sone Division, made over charge of that division to Mr. C. L. Davies of the Eastern Sone Survey Division on the afternoon of the 25th November 1873.

No. 592.—Mr. C. L. Davies, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, officiated as Executive Engineer, Eastern Sone Division, in addition to his duties as Executive Engineer of the Eastern Sone Survey Division, from the afternoon of the 25th November 1873 to the forenoon of the 15th December 1873.

No. 593.—Captain J. M. McNeile, R. E., Executive Engineer, First Grade, resumed charge of the Eastern Sone Division on the forenoon of the 15th December 1873.

No. 594.—*Transfer.*—Mr. E. Gibson, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, from the Eastern Sone to the Arrah Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 16th December 1873.

The 22nd December 1873.

No. 595.—*Posting.*—Mr. R. Carson, Overseer, Second Grade, transferred from the North-Western Provinces to Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Eastern Sone Survey Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 12th December 1873.

No. 596.—*Notifications.*—The undermentioned Sub-Overseers of the First Grade, transferred from the North-Western Provinces to Bengal Irrigation Branch, are posted to the Buxar Division, which they joined on the dates specified against their names :—

Baboo Joygopal Mookerjee, forenoon of 13th December 1873.
Baboo Omrao Sing, forenoon of 11th December 1873.

No. 597.—The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 786, *dated* 17*th December* 1873.—The orders of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, appointing Mr. W. A. Protz to the Public Works Department as a Temporary Overseer, First Grade, and posting him to the Irrigation Branch, are confirmed."

No. 598.—*Posting.*—Mr. W. A. Protz, Temporary Overseer, First Grade, to the Dehree Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 6th December 1873.

No. 599.—*Notifications.*—Mr. J. Morrow, Sub-Engineer, Second Grade, Cossye Division, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 15th December 1873.

No. 600.—Mr. O. W. Palmer, Supervisor, Second Grade, Cossye Division, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 15th December 1873.

No. 601.—*Appointment.*—Baboo Ram Lall Cooar is appointed a Probationary Overseer of the Third Grade, and posted to the Sone Circle.

H. W. GULLIVER, LIEUT.-COL., *R.E.*,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

The 18*th December* 1873.—The leave of absence for one month under Section 9, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, granted by Court's letter No. 2877, of the 24th November last, to Baboo Chunder Kumar Roy, Officiating Moonsiff of Cox's Bazar, District Chittagong, is cancelled at his own request.

TRANSFERS OF MOONSIFFS.

The 19*th December* 1873.—Baboo Prem Chand Pal, Moonsiff of Moonsheegunge, District Dacca, to Furreedpore, in that District.

Baboo Anund Chunder Mullick, Moonsiff of Furreedpore, District Dacca, to Moonsheegunge, in that District.

By order of the High Court,
H. J. S. COTTON,
Offg. Registrar.

HIGH COURT, the 22nd December 1873.

NOTICE.

UNDER the provisions of Section 14 of Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes will hold his sittings in the Monghyr Court for a week continuously, commencing from the 2nd Monday of every month; and in the Bhaugulpore Court, on the remaining Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays, except the last Wednesday of the month.

SYED ABDOOLLAH, *Judge, Small Cause Court, Bhaugulpore & Monghyr.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT, Bhaugulpore, the 15th December 1873.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Dacca and Moonshigunj will, in the week commencing from the 22nd December instant, hold his sittings in the Dacca Court and not at Moonshigunj.

DACCA, 17th December 1873. H. S. THOMSON, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

ECCLESIASTICAL.

THE Reverend Edward Mountifort Beasley, of Trinity College, Dublin, B.A., Junior Chaplain, has been appointed by the Lord Bishop a Surrogate in this Diocese for granting Episcopal Licences of Marriage.

R. LEYCESTER UPTON, *Offg. Registrar and Secretary.*

CALCUTTA, the 23rd December 1873.

TREASURY NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that Deputy Collector Baboo Sheetul Nath Bose has been placed in charge of the Sarun Treasury from the 21st ultimo, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

S. C. BAYLEY, *Commissioner.*

PATNA, COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 3rd December 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that Deputy Collector Baboo Gouree Shunkar Biswas has been temporarily placed in charge of the Sarun Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

S. C. BAYLEY, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, Bankipore, the 15th December 1873.

MR. H. J. NEWBERY, Covenanted Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Treasury at Monghyr, and has been authorized to draw bills on all other treasuries.—By order.

S. P. CHATTERJEE, *Personal Asst. to the Commr.*

BHAUGULPORE, the 17th December 1873.

Sheriff's Office, the 16th December 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Criminal Sessions of the year 1874, of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the fourteenth day of January next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Session be then and there to prosecute.

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস সন ১৮৭৩ সাল ১৬ ডিসেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৪ সালের ১৪ জানুআরি বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যেপর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৪ সালের প্রথম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারায় প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 909B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1874, will consist of 26,244 chests of Behar, and 18,756 chests of Benares Opium, being of the two seasons 1871-72 and 1872-73 in the proportions marginally noted. The sales will be held on or about the dates specified below. The Member in charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

		Chests.	Chests.
BEHAR.			
Reserve of 1871-72	...	8	
Supply from 1872-73	...	26,236	
			26,244
BENARES.			
Reserve of 1871-72	...	16	
Supply from 1872-73	...	18,740	
			18,756
Total	...		45,000

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 5th Jan. 1874	...	2,209	1,541	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. „	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	...	26,244	18,756	45,000

The following are the conditions of Sale :—

1. The Opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The Opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by Clause 12 of these Conditions of Sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M.; but if at that hour any of the lots advertized for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Member in charge, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday) at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or, if the whole quantity advertized shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Member in charge may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room, and before the lot is registered in the sale book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this Office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale: or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts, or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Member in charge shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

6. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the last-mentioned condition, if remaining unredeemed at 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

7. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of Opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted.

8. The Opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 4 o'clock of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, and in case any lots of such Opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth Condition or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Member in charge shall think fit, and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the Opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale.

9. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of Opium after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots, or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests originally required to be included in each certificate or order.

10. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present Conditions will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale book or his authorized Agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

11. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall, on demand, tender at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal Receipts, or Government Securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these Conditions.

12. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually until a bid is obtained, and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these Conditions.

13. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same agency Opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the Opium to complete the said twenty-five.

14. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the Opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

15. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. No. 1, certificate of the Opium advertized for sale; No. 2, report of the examination of such Opium.

16. The public are hereby informed that, in providing the investment of the Behar and Benares Opium for the year 1872-73, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

17. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the Opium advertized for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Member in charge entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of Opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the Opium for shipment.

18. It is hereby further notified that under the 6th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March, 1815, quoted below, the Agents in India of the French Government, or persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that out of the quantities of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for sale at the twelve sales of the year 1874, there shall be delivered to them, at the average of the particular sale or sales

to which the Opium so applied for may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make requisition specifying the quantity of Opium required by them at any particular sale, within thirty days from the advertisement of such intended sale, provided however that the Agents of the French Government may make such requisition for the whole quantity within thirty days from the publication of this notification. If the Agent of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time above mentioned, the entire quantity of about 45,000 chests of Behar and Benares, as above estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner; and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertized for sale at each or any of the twelve sales above mentioned, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

	Chests.
Behar	26,244
Benares	18,756
Total	45,000

Article of the Convention above referred to.

Article VI.—"With regard to the trade in Opium, it is agreed between the high contracting parties that at each of the periodical sales of that article, there shall be reserved for the French Government, and delivered upon requisition duly made by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty, or by the persons duly appointed by them, the number of chests so supplied for provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken on account of the French Government by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred chests hereinbefore mentioned. The requisitions for Opium, as aforesaid, are to be addressed to the Governor-General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended sales shall have been published in the *Government Gazette*."—By order of the Member in charge.

T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE,
Fort William, the 8th November 1873.

NOTICE.

No. 1009B.

APPLICATION for tickets of admission to the Opium Sale-room for the year 1874 should be made at the Office of the Board of Revenue on or after the 22nd instant.

Tickets for the year 1873 should be returned.

By order of the Member in charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 9th December 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 983B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, and 1872-73, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 5th January 1874, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,750 chests, viz.—

		1871-72.	1872-73.	Total.
Behar Opium	...	8	2,201	2,209
Benares ,,	...	16	1,525	1,541
Total		24	3,726	3,750

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual: they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1873, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th January respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 10th January 1874, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 20th January 1874.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the year 1874 on or about the

dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. 1874	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	..	24,035	17,215	41,250

By order of the Member in Charge,

T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 2nd December 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of lands, no longer required by the Government, situated in the district of Bhaugulpore, will be put up for sale at the Collector's Office, at Bhaugulpore, at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 2nd February 1874, corresponding with 21st Maug *B.S.*

The purchasers of these plots will be subject to the following conditions:—

1*st.*—If the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2*nd.*—If the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3*rd.*—The plots will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

4*th.*—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt of the orders of the Collector confirming the sales. But such possession shall be liable to be disturbed in case the final sanction of the Member of the Board of Revenue in charge should not be accorded to the proceedings.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Name of Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile on which the land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Gopalgunge and Puckree.	229	South ...	11 10 0	3 3 8	.....	.....	Commences on 2,230 feet of mile 229 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By boundary of zillah Bhaugulpore. West—By end of mile 229, as per plan.
2	ditto ...	ditto ...	229	North ...	11 4 0	3 2 32	.....	.....	Commences on 2,230 feet of mile 229 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By boundary of Bhaugulpore District. West—By end of mile 229, as per plan.
3	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Puckree.	230	South ...	11 2 0	3 2 28	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 229, as per plan, and terminates on 2,550 feet of mile 230.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 229, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 5.
4	ditto ...	ditto ...	230	North ...	11 12 3	3 3 14	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 229, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 6.
5	ditto ...	ditto ...	230	South ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	.....	.....	Commences on 2,550 feet of mile 230 and terminates on 3,720 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 3. West—By boundary of village Sulcempore.
6	ditto ...	ditto ...	230	North ...	6 18 3	2 1 5	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 4. West—By boundary of village Sulcempore.
7	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Sulcempore.	230	South ...	7 15 0	2 2 10	.....	.....	Commences on 3,720 feet of mile 230 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By village boundary. West—By end of mile 230, as per plan.
8	ditto ...	ditto ...	230	North ...	8 18 11	2 3 33	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By village boundary. West—By end of mile 230, as per plan.

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9	ditto ...	ditto ...	231	South ...	6 16 0	2 1 0	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 230, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 231.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 230, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 11.
10	ditto ...	ditto ...	231	North ...	7 0 0	2 1 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 230, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 12.
11	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Amapati.	231	South ...	4 13 7	1 2 7	Occupied by road ...	0 0 5	Commences on 1,500 feet of mile 231 and terminates on 3,400 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 9. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 13.
12	ditto ...	ditto ...	231	North ...	4 15 0	1 2 11	ditto ...	0 0 5	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 10. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 14.
13	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Purushunna.	231	South ...	10 6 15	3 1 23	.....	.....	Commences on 3,400 feet of mile 231 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 11. West—By end of mile 231, as per plan.
14	ditto ...	ditto ...	231	North ...	10 6 15	3 1 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 12. West—By end of mile 231, as per plan.
15	ditto ...	ditto ...	232	South ...	9 0 13	2 3 38	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 231, as per plan, and terminates on 2,780 feet of mile 232.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 231 as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 17.
16	ditto ...	ditto ...	232	North ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 231, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 18.
17	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Monjurahi.	232	South ...	7 0 0	2 1 10	.....	.....	Commences on 2,780 feet of mile 232 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 15. West—By end of mile 232, as per plan.
18	ditto ...	ditto ...	232	North ...	8 4 0	2 2 34	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 16. West—By end of mile 232, as per plan.
19	ditto ...	ditto ...	233	South ...	5 0 0	1 2 25	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 232, as per plan, and terminates on 1,250 feet of mile 233.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 232, as per plan. West—By a village road.
20	ditto ...	ditto ...	233	North ...	5 0 0	1 2 25	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 232, as per plan. West—By a village road.
21	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Seermaree.	233	South ...	6 15 5	2 0 33	.....	.....	Commences on 1,250 feet of mile 233 and terminates on 3,540 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 23.
22	ditto ...	ditto ...	233	North ...	6 15 5	2 0 33	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By village road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 24.
23	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Soonderpore.	233	South ...	4 0 8	1 1 20	.....	.....	Commences on 3,540 feet of mile 233 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 21. West—By end of mile 233, as per plan.

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					B. C. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
24	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Soonderpore.	233	North ...	4 9 3	1 1 13	.....	.....	Commences on 3,540 feet of mile 233 and terminates on 4,990 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 22. West—By Peerpointee Station land.
25	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Mohesrampore or Jhamer.	234	South ...	14 15 5	4 3 21	Occupied by road ...	0 0 8	Commences on 1,070 feet of mile 234 and terminates on 4,020 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Peerpointee Station land. West—By railway level crossing.
26	ditto ...	ditto ...	234	North ...	16 0 0	5 1 6	ditto ...	0 0 8	Commences on 900 feet of mile 234 and terminates on 4,020 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Peerpointee station land. West—By railway level crossing.
27	ditto ...	ditto ...	234	South ...	3 0 8	1 0 0	.....	.....	Commences on 4,040 feet of mile 234 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By railway level crossing. West—By end of mile 234, as per plan.
28	ditto ...	ditto ...	234	North ...	3 2 0	1 0 4	Road common to lots Nos. 25, 26, 27 and 28.	0 0 5	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By railway level crossing. West—By end of mile 234, as per plan.
29	ditto ...	ditto ...	235	South ...	11 14 10	3 3 21	Occupied by road ...	0 0 7	Commences at the end of mile 234 as per plan, and terminates on 2,980 feet of mile 235.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 234, as per plan. West—By a village road under culvert.
30	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	North ...	11 14 10	3 3 21	ditto ...	0 0 7	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 234, as per plan. West—By a village road under culvert.
31	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bussuntpore.	235	South ...	19 11 10	6 1 36	.....	.....	Commences on 3,000 feet of mile 235 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road under culvert. West—By end of mile 235, as per plan.
32	ditto ...	ditto ...	235	North ...	19 11 10	6 1 36	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a village road under culvert. West—By end of mile 235, as per plan.
33	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	South ...	10 6 4	3 1 26	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 235 and terminates on 890 feet of mile 236, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 235, as per plan. West—By a nullah.
34	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	North ...	10 8 4	3 1 31	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 235 and terminates on 950 feet of mile 236, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 235, as per plan. West—By a nullah.
35	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	South ...	13 15 0	4 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 915 feet of mile 236 and terminates on 2,890 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a nullah. West—By a nullah.
36	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	North ...	13 13 0	4 2 2	.....	.....	Commences on 915 feet of mile 236 and terminates on 2,940 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a nullah. West—By a nullah.

37	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Khidarpore.	236	South ...	13 17 0	4 2 12	Occupied by road ...	0 0 4	Commences on 2,860 feet of mile 236 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a nullah. West—By end of mile 236, as per plan.
38	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	North ...	13 14 0	4 2 5	Occupied by road Nullah between lots 33 and 35. Nullah between lots 34 and 36.	0 0 4 0 0 11 0 0 11	Commences on 2,960 feet of mile 236 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a nullah. West—By end of mile 236, as per plan.
39	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Khidarpore and Kakurgulla.	237	South ...	11 1 5	3 2 26	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 236 as per plan, and terminates on 2,025 feet of mile 237.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 236, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
40	ditto ...	ditto ...	237	North ...	10 17 0	3 2 15	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 236, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
41	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Kakurgulla.	237	South ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	.....	Commences on 2,050 feet of mile 237 and terminates on 3,470 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By overbridge road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 43.
42	ditto ...	ditto ...	237	North ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By overbridge road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 44.
43	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Mukurrundpore.	237	South ...	8 15 0	2 3 23	.....	.....	Commences on 3,470 feet of mile 237, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 41. West—By end of mile 237, as per plan.
44	ditto ...	ditto ...	237	North ...	8 14 0	2 3 21	Road common to lots 39, 40, 41, and 42.	0 0 18	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 42. West—By end of mile 237, as per plan.
45	ditto ...	ditto ...	238	South ...	11 8 6	3 3 4	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 237, as per plan, and terminates on 2,700 feet of mile 238.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 237, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 47.
46	ditto ...	ditto ...	238	North ...	11 12 0	3 3 14	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 237, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 48.
47	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Rohur.	238	South ...	12 0 4	3 3 35	.....	.....	Commences on 2,700 feet of mile 238 and terminates on 3,900 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 45. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 49.
48	ditto ...	ditto ...	238	North ...	12 0 0	3 3 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 46. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 50.
49	ditto ...	ditto ...	238	South ...	14 14 0	4 3 18	.....	.....	Commences on 3,900 feet of mile 238 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 47. West—By end of mile 238, as per plan.
50	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Rohur and Muthoorapore.	238	North ...	14 7 0	4 3 26	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 48. West—By end of mile 238, as per plan.
51	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Rohur, Colgong and Muthoorapore.	239	South ...	15 18 0	5 1 1	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 238, as per plan, and terminates on 1,450 feet of mile 239.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 238, as per plan. West—By a village road.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
52	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Muthoorapore.	239	North ...	16 0 0	5 1 6	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 238, as per plan, and terminates on 1,590 feet of mile 239.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 238, as per plan. West—By a village road.
53	ditto ...	ditto ...	239	South ...	9 12 0	3 0 28	.....	.....	Commences on 1,470 feet of mile 239 and terminates on 3,270 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 55.
54	ditto ...	ditto ...	239	North ...	9 12 0	3 0 28	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By village road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 56.
55	ditto ...	ditto ...	239	South ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	.....	.....	Commences on 3,270 feet of mile 239, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 53. West—By end of mile 239, as per plan.
56	ditto ...	ditto ...	239	North ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	Road common to lots 51, 52, 53, and 54.	0 0 27	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 54. West—By end of mile 239, as per plan.
57	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	South ...	9 0 8	3 0 21	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 239, as per plan, and terminates on 1,860 feet of mile 240.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 239, as per plan. West—By a road under culvert.
58	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	North ...	9 10 12	3 0 24	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 239, as per plan. West—By a road under culvert.
59	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Sunundra.	240	South ...	9 0 8	2 3 37	.....	.....	Commences on 1,885 feet of mile 240 and terminates on 3,810 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By road under culvert. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 61.
60	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	North ...	9 7 4	3 0 15	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By road under culvert. West—By a nullah.
61	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	South ...	7 13 4	2 2 5	.....	.....	Commences on 3,810 feet of mile 240 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 59. West—By end of mile 240, as per plan.
62	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	North ...	7 8 12	2 1 34	Road common to lots Nos. 57, 58, 59, and 60.	0 0 16	Commences on 3,830 feet of mile 240 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a nullah. West—By end of mile 240, as per plan.
63	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Sunundra and Bishoonpore.	241	South ...	13 14 0	4 2 5	Occupied by road ...	0 0 13	Commences at the end of mile 240, as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 241.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 240, as per plan. West—By road overbridge.
64	ditto ...	ditto ...	241	North ...	15 0 0	4 1 8	ditto ...	0 0 13	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 240, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.

65	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bishconpore.	241	South ...	14 10 0	4 3 7	.....	.....	Commences on 3,075 feet of mile 241, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By overbridge road. West—By end of mile 241, as per plan.
66	ditto ...	ditto ...	241	North ...	14 10 0	4 3 7	Road common to lots Nos. 63, 64, 65, and 66.	0 0 26	ditto ...	North—Partly by trunk road, and partly by zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By overbridge road. West—By end of mile 241, as per plan.
67	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Ramzaneepore.	242	South ...	5 19 12	1 3 37	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 241, as per plan, and terminates on 1,000 feet of mile 242.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 241, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
68	ditto ...	ditto ...	242	North ...	6 0 4	1 3 38	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 241, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
69	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Rampore.	242	South ...	9 4 4	3 0 7	.....	.....	Commences on 1,025 feet of mile 242, as per plan, and terminates on 2,775 feet of same.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By overbridge road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 71.
70	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Ramzaneepore and Rampore.	242	North ...	9 6 8	3 0 13	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By overbridge road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 72.
71	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bangoma.	242	South ...	13 16 4	4 2 11	.....	.....	Commences on 2,775 feet of mile 242, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 69. West—By end of mile 242, as per plan.
72	ditto ...	ditto ...	242	North ...	13 17 12	4 2 15	Road common to lots Nos. 67, 68, 69, and 70.	0 0 16	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 70. West—By end of mile 242, as per plan.
73	ditto ...	ditto ...	243	South ...	16 5 12	5 1 22	Occupied by road ...	0 0 4	Commences at the end of mile 242, as per plan, and terminates on 3,900 feet of mile 243.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 242, as per plan. West—By a nullah.
74	ditto ...	ditto ...	243	North ...	16 5 4	5 1 21	ditto ...	0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 242, as per plan. West—By a nullah.
75	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Kalkeegunge.	243	South ...	14 2 0	4 2 26	.....	.....	Commences on 3,970 feet of mile 243 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road. West—By end of mile 243, as per plan.
76	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bangoma.	243	North ...	14 3 0	4 2 29	Road common to lots Nos. 73, 74, 75 and 76. Nullah between lots Nos. 73 and 75. Nullah between lots Nos. 74 and 76.	0 1 13 0 0 26 0 0 23	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By village road. West—By end of mile 243, as per plan.
77	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Kalkeegunge.	244	South ...	15 15 8	5 0 35	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 243, as per plan, and terminates on 1,880 feet of mile 244.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 243, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 79.
78	ditto ...	ditto ...	244	North ...	16 3 12	5 1 16	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 243, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 80.

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					B. C. Cb.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
79	Bhaugn'pero ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Kuhegunge.	244	South ...	10 3 12	3 1 19	.....	.....	Commences on 1,850 feet of mile 244 and terminates on 2,500 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 77. West—By a village road under culvert.
80	ditto ...	ditto ...	244	North ...	10 11 4	3 1 33	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 78. West—By a road under culvert.
81	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Jamunhunnu'pore.	244	South ...	6 18 10	2 1 7	Occupied by road ...	0 1 29	Commences on 2,537 feet of mile 244 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By road under culvert. West—By end of mile 244, as per plan.
82	ditto ...	ditto ...	244	North ...	7 19 8	2 2 22	Road common to lots 79, 80, 81 and 82.	0 0 21	ditto	North—By Trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By road under culvert. West—By end of mile 244, as per plan.
83	ditto ...	ditto ...	245	South ...	9 8 0	3 0 17	Occupied by road ...	0 0 16	Commences at the end of mile 244, as per plan, and terminates on 1,485 feet of mile 245.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 244, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 85.
84	ditto ...	ditto ...	245	North ...	9 13 12	3 0 33	ditto ...	0 0 16	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 244, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 86.
85	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Mukhsoodpore.	245	South ...	10 0 0	3 1 0	.....	.....	Commences on 1,485 feet of mile 245 and terminates on 2,935 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 83. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 87.
86	ditto ...	ditto ...	245	North ...	10 5 0	3 1 22	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 84. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 88.
87	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Mukhsoodpore and Colgong.	245	South ...	14 8 0	4 3 2	.....	.....	Commences on 2,935 feet of mile 245 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 85. West—By end of mile 245, as per plan.
88	ditto ...	ditto ...	245	North ...	15 0 0	4 3 31	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 86. West—By end of mile 245, as per plan.
89	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Colgong.	246	South ...	11 12 8	3 3 15	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 245, as per plan, and terminates on 2,875 feet of mile 246.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 245, as per plan. West—By overbridge road adjoining Colgong station land.
90	ditto ...	ditto ...	246	North ...	11 11 12	3 3 13	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—Partly by Trunk road, and partly by zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 245, as per plan. West—By overbridge road adjoining Colgong station land.

91	ditto ...	ditto ...	247	South ...	11 13 10	3 3 18	.....	.....	Commences on 280 feet of mile 247 and terminates on 2,670 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By pucka wall and wire fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By road under bridge. West—By Coah Nullah.
92	ditto ...	ditto ...	247	North ...	12 10 0	4 0 21	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Trunk road and zemindaree land. South—By pucka wall and wire fencing. East—By road under bridge. West—By Coah Nullah.
93	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Myshamoond.	247	South ...	13 8 4	4 1 30	.....	.....	Commences on 2,700 feet of mile 247 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindare land. East—By Coah Nullah. West—By end of mile 247, as per plan.
94	ditto ...	ditto ...	247	North ...	13 8 4	4 1 30	Encroached upon by nullah common to lots 91, 92, 93 & 94.	0 0 21	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Coah Nullah. West—By end of mile 247, as per plan.
95	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	South ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 247, as per plan, and terminates on 1,790 feet of mile 248.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 247, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 97.
96	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	North ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 247, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 98.
97	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bhalsur.	248	South ...	11 2 10	3 2 29	.....	.....	Commences on 1,790 feet of mile 248 and terminates on 4,100 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 95. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 99.
98	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	North ...	11 2 10	3 2 29	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 96. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 100.
99	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	South ...	5 18 0	1 3 32	.....	.....	Commences on 4,100 feet of mile 248 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 97. West—By end of mile 248, as per plan.
100	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	North ...	6 1 0	2 0 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 98. West—By end of mile 248, as per plan.
101	ditto ...	ditto ...	249	South ...	12 2 12	4 0 2	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 248, as per plan, and terminates on 2,675 feet of mile 249.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 248, as per plan. West—By a village road.
102	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Colgong.	249	North ...	12 7 12	4 0 15	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 248, as per plan, and terminates on 2,670 feet of mile 249.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 248, as per plan. West—By a village road.
103	ditto ...	ditto ...	249	South ...	10 17 10	3 2 10	Occupied by road ... Occupied by nullah..	0 0 4 0 1 0	Commences on 2,685 feet of mile 249 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By village road. West—By end of mile 249, as per plan.
104	ditto ...	ditto ...	249	North ...	10 3 3	3 1 18	.....	.....	Commences on the outer boundary of the B land of lot No. 105, and runs at right angle to the railway line up to the banks of the Ganges.	North—By the Ganges. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 105. East—By road. West—By zemindaree land.
105	ditto ...	ditto ...	249	North ...	14 4 0	4 2 31	Occupied by road ... Occupied by nullah..	0 0 5 2 0 0	Commences on 2,720 feet of mile 249 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By road. West—By end of mile 249, as per plan.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
106	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Bhaugulpore.	250	South ...	11 10 0	3 3 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 249, as per plan, and terminates on 1,650 feet of mile 250.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 249, as per plan. West—By old bed of Geroea nullah.
107	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	North ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 249, as per plan. West—By old bed of Geroea nullah.
108	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Sunkurpoor Codowar.	250	South ...	19 0 0	6 1 5	.....	.....	Commences on 1,875 feet of mile 250 and terminates on 4,425 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By old bed of Geroea nullah. West—By Geroea Nullah diversion.
109	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	North ...	13 10 3	4 1 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 110. South—By railway fencing. East—By old bed of Geroea nullah. West—By Geroea Nullah diversion.
110	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	North ...	108 18 0	36 0 0	.....	.....	Commences from the old bed of Geroea nullah and terminates at a point opposite to the western extremity of Geroea Bridge. The land of this lot is situate on both sides of the Geroea diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By northern boundary of lots Nos. 109 and 112. East—By old bed of Geroea nullah. West—By zemindaree land and of lot No. 112.
111	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	South ...	7 18 8	2 2 14	.....	.....	Commences on 4,700 feet of mile 250 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Geroea nullah diversion. West—By end of mile 250, as per plan.
112	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	North ...	5 12 8	1 0 32	Occupied by nullah	21 3 0	Commences on 4,680 feet of mile 250 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land and land of lot No. 110. South—By railway fencing. East—By Geroea nullah diversion. West—By end of mile 250, as per plan.
113	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Bhaugulpore.	251	South ...	12 0 0	3 3 35	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 250, as per plan, and terminates on 1,740 feet of mile 251.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 250, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 110.
114	ditto ...	ditto ...	251	North ...	13 8 0	4 1 29	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 250, as per plan, and terminates on 1,740 feet of mile 251.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 250, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 110.
115	ditto ...	ditto ...	251	South ...	11 5 6	3 2 36	.....	.....	Commences on 1,740 feet of mile 251 and terminates on 3,700 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 113. West—By a village road.
116	ditto ...	ditto ...	251	North ...	11 4 0	3 2 33	.....	.....	Commences on 1,740 feet of mile 251 and terminates on 3,640 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 114. West—By a village road.
117	ditto ...	ditto ...	251	South ...	7 14 0	2 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 3,735 feet of mile 251 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road. West—By end of mile 251, as per plan.

118	ditto ...	ditto ...	251	North ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	Road common to lots 115, 116, 117, and 118.	0 0 22	Commences on 3,675 feet of mile 251 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a village road. West—By end of mile 251, as per plan.
119	ditto ...	ditto ...	252	South ...	12 8 0	4 0 16	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 251, as per plan, and terminates on 2,800 feet of mile 252.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 251, as per plan. West—By railway level crossing east of Ghoga station.
120	ditto ...	ditto ...	252	North ...	12 8 0	4 0 16	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 251, as per plan. West—By railway level crossing east of Ghogah station.
121	ditto ...	ditto ...	252	South ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	.....	.....	Commences on 5,150 feet on mile 252 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Ghogah station land. West—By end of mile 252, as per plan.
122	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Sunkarpoor Codowar.	252	North ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	.....	.....	Commences on 5,100 feet of mile 252 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Ghoga station land. West—By end of mile 252, as per plan.
123	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	South ...	4 18 6	1 2 20	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 252, as per plan, and terminates on 1,235 feet of mile 253.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 252 as per plan. West—By a village road under culvert.
124	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	North ...	4 18 6	1 2 20	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 252, as per plan. West—By a village road under culvert.
125	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	South ...	7 12 14	2 2 4	.....	.....	Commences on 1,270 feet of mile 253 and terminates on 3,050 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road common to lots Nos. 123 and 125. West—By railway level crossing.
126	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	North ...	7 7 0	2 1 29	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a village road common to lots Nos. 124 and 126. West—By railway level crossing.
127	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	South ...	7 8 0	2 1 32	.....	.....	Commences on 3,090 feet of mile 253 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By railway level crossing. West—By end of mile 253, as per plan.
128	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	North ...	4 14 0	1 2 9	Road common to lots Nos. 123, 124, 125 and 126. Road common to lots Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128.	0 0 19 0 0 10	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By railway level crossing. West—By end of mile 253, as per plan.
129	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Sunkarpoor Codowar and Sekandarpoor Codowar.	254	South ...	5 17 0	1 3 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 253, as per plan, and terminates on 2,000 feet of mile 254.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 253, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 131.
130	ditto ...	ditto ...	254	North ...	5 12 5	1 3 17	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 253, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 132.
131	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Sekandarpoor Codowar.	254	South ...	8 12 11	2 3 17	.....	.....	Commences on 2,000 feet of mile 254 and terminates on 3,900 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 129. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 136.

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132	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Sekandarpoor Codowar.	254	North ...	8 12 10	2 3 17	.....	.....	Commences on 9,000 feet of mile 254 and terminates on 3,000 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 110. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 133.
133	ditto ...	ditto ...	254	South ...	9 17 0	3 1 1	.....	.....	Commences on 3,900 feet of mile 254 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 131. West—By end of mile 252, as per plan.
134	ditto ...	ditto ...	254	North ...	9 10 0	3 0 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 132. West—By end of mile 254, as per plan.
135	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Sekandarpoor.	255	South ...	11 8 8	3 3 4	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 254, as per plan, and terminates on 1,220 feet of mile 255.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 254, as per plan. West—By Ghoga nullah diversion.
136	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	North ...	13 10 0	5 0 20	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 254, as per plan. West—By Ghoga nullah diversion.
137	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	South ...	10 10 0	3 1 36	.....	.....	Commences on 1,370 feet of mile 255 and terminates on 3,170 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Ghoga nullah diversion. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 139.
138	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	North ...	10 5 0	3 2 9	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Ghoga nulla diversion. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 140.
139	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	South ...	9 6 6	3 0 13	.....	.....	Commences on 3,170 feet of mile 255 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 137. West—By end of mile 255, as per plan.
140	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	North ...	9 6 6	3 0 13	Occupied by nullah common to lots Nos. 135, 136, 137, and 138.	2 1 30	ditto	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By weste n boundary of lot No. 138. West—By end of mile 255, as per plan.
141	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Sekandarpore and Lylok.	256	South ...	10 10 3	3 1 36	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 255, as per plan, and terminates on 2,025 feet of mile 256.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 255, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 143.
142	ditto ...	ditto ...	256	North ...	9 10 5	3 0 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 255, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 144.
143	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Lylok.	256	South ...	14 5 0	4 2 34	.....	.....	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 256 and terminates on 4,525 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 141. West—By Ghoga nullah.
144	ditto ...	ditto	256	North ...	13 4 0	4 1 18	.....	.....	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 256 and terminates on 4,400 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 142. West—By Ghoga nullah.

145	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Mossaroo.	256	South ...	8 0 8	1 0 0	.....	.....	Commences on 4,760 feet of mile 256 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Ghoga nullah. West—By end of mile 256, as per plan.
146	ditto ...	ditto ...	256	North ...	3 10 8	1 0 27	Encroached upon by nullah common to lots 143, 144, 145, and 146.	0 3 0	Commences on 4,680 feet of mile 256 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Ghoga nullah. West—By end of mile 256, as per plan.
147	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Mossaroo and Furka.	257	South ...	9 10 3	3 0 23	.....	.....	Commences on 930 feet of mile 257 and terminates on 2,930 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By B land retained for the diversion line. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 149.
148	ditto ..	ditto ...	257	North ...	16 10 0	5 1 33	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 256, as per plan, and terminates on 2,930 feet of mile 257.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 256, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 150.
149	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Furka.	257	South ...	12 15 0	4 0 34	.....	.....	Commences on 2,930 feet of mile 257 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 147. West—By end of mile 257, as per plan.
150	ditto ...	ditto ...	257	North ...	12 0 0	3 3 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 148. West—By end of mile 257, as per plan.
151	ditto ...	ditto ...	258	South ...	11 15 0	3 3 22	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 257, as per plan, and terminates on 2,500 feet of mile 258.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 257, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 153.
152	ditto ...	ditto ...	258	North ...	11 15 0	3 3 22	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 257, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 154.
153	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Furka and Gouspore.	258	South ...	8 16 0	2 3 26	.....	.....	Commences on 2,500 feet of mile 258 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 151. West—By end of mile 258, as per plan.
154	ditto ...	ditto ...	258	North ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 152. West—By end of mile 258, as per plan.
155	ditto ..	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Gouspore.	259	South ...	0 18 12	0 1 10	Occupied by road ...	0 0 4	Commences at the end of mile 258 and terminates on 325 feet of mile 259, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 258, as per plan. West—By B land occupied by temporary diversion line.
156	ditto ...	ditto ...	259	North ...	0 17 0	0 1 5	ditto ...	0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 258, as per plan. West—By river Ganges.
157	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Shaboor.	259	South ...	7 3 0	2 1 19	.....	.....	Commences on 2,930 feet of mile 259 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By B land occupied by temporary diversion line. West—By end of mile 259, as per plan.
158	ditto ...	ditto ...	259	North ...	7 10 0	2 1 38	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By river Ganges. West—By end of mile 259, as per plan.

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					B. Ch. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
159	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Shaboor.	260	South ...	18 0 0	5 3 32	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 259, as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 260.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 259, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 161.
160	ditto ...	ditto ...	260	North ...	13 0 0	5 3 32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 259, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 162.
161	ditto ...	ditto ...	260	South ...	6 15 4	2 0 38	Occupied by road ...	0 0 16	Commences on 3,050 feet of mile 260 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 159. West—By end of mile 260, as per plan.
162	ditto ...	ditto ...	260	North ...	4 7 2	1 1 31	.....	.....	Commences on 3,050 feet of mile 260 and terminates on 4,320 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 160. West—By public road.
163	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Shaboor, Mullohechuck, and Monshorpore	261	South ...	6 19 0	1 3 35	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 260, as per plan, and terminates on 2,435 feet of mile 261.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 260, as per plan. West—By railway fencing of land retained for the diversion line.
164	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Jheerkheera.	261	South ...	8 12 0	2 3 15	.....	.....	Commences on 3,430 feet of mile 261 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By land retained for the diversion line. West—By end of mile 261, as per plan.
165	ditto ...	ditto ...	261	North ...	6 12 0	1 3 16	Occupied by road ...	1 3 10	Commences on 3,855 feet of mile 261 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By public thoroughfare. East—By zemindaree land. West—By end of mile 261, as per plan.
166	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Jheerkheera and Gopalpore.	262	South ...	14 6 0	4 2 37	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 261, as per plan, and terminates on 3,490 feet of mile 262.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 261, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
167	ditto ...	ditto ...	262	North ...	13 7 8	4 1 28	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By pathway adjoining railway fencing. East—By end of mile 261, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
168	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Gopalpore and Assanundpore.	262	South ...	5 6 0	1 3 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,550 feet of mile 262 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By overbridge road. West—By end of mile 262, as per plan.
169	ditto ...	ditto ...	262	North ...	5 6 0	1 3 0	Occupied by road ...	0 1 20	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By overbridge road. West—By end of mile 262, as per plan.
170	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Jogothpoor.	263	South ...	8 6 3	2 3 0	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 262, as per plan, and terminates on 1,900 feet of mile 263.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 262, as per plan. West—By a foot-path under railway bridge.

171	ditto ...	ditto ...	263	North ...	8 6 3	2 3 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 262, as per plan. West—By a foot-path under railway bridge.
172	ditto ...	ditto ..	263	South ...	5 7 10	1 3 5	.....	.....	Commences on 1,910 feet of mile 263 and terminates on 2,960 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a foot-path common to lots Nos. 170 and 172. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 174.
173	ditto ...	ditto ...	263	North ...	5 7 10	1 3 5	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By foot-path common to lots Nos. 171 and 173. West—By zemindaree land.
174	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Brulepoorah.	263	South ...	8 5 8	2 2 38	.....	.....	Commences on 2,960 feet of mile 263 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 172. West—By end of mile 263, as per plan.
175	ditto ...	ditto ...	263	North ...	3 19 0	1 1 9	.....	.....	Commences on 3,970 feet of mile 263 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By end of mile 263, as per plan.
176	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Essakchuck.	264	South ...	6 6 0	2 0 13	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 263, as per plan, and terminates on 1,815 feet of mile 264.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 263, as per plan. West—By railway level crossing.
177	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Essakchuck and Bheekunpore.	264	North ...	6 6 0	2 0 13	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 263, as per plan. West—By railway level crossing.
178	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Essakhchuck.	264	South ...	10 10 8	3 1 37	.....	.....	Commences on 1,830 feet of mile 264 and terminates on 4,050 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By railway level crossing. West—By public thoroughfare.
179	ditto ...	ditto ...	264	North ...	10 4 8	3 1 21	.....	.....	Commences on 1,830 feet of mile 264 and terminates on 4,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By railway level crossing. West—By public thoroughfare.
180	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Mozahitpore.	264	South ...	1 0 8	0 1 14	.....	.....	Commences on 4,680 feet of mile 264 and terminates on 5,080 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By pucka wall of class A land. South—By zemindaree land. East—By ditto ditto. West—By relinquished class C lands.
181	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Moondeechuck and Mozahitpore.	264	North ...	8 3 0	2 2 31	Occupied by road ..	0 3 28	Commences on 4,060 feet of mile 264 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By public road adjoining railway fencing. East—By road common to lots Nos. 180 and 182. West—By end of mile 264, as per plan.

CYNTHEEA; RAILWAY DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 2nd December 1873.

W. HEYSHAM, *Offg. Railway Deputy Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Sylhet will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of this District on Monday, the 5th January 1874, corresponding with 22nd Pous 1280 (*B.S.*), for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September, but that day having fallen within the Dussarah Vacation, the arrears became due on the 8th October following, being the first open day after the holidays.

1st Class.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 27502.—Taluk Korban, Reza Zemindar, of Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Jadab Ram Sarmah; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 645-15-7. The share of Braja Mohan Das, bearing a Jumma of Rs. 110-2, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, is excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 535-13-7. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 35-0-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31185.—Taluk Adam, Raja Zemindar, Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietors, himself and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,335-4-1. The shares of Muluk Chandra Das, Raj Kisor Das, Madan Mohan Das, Naba Kisor Das, Sivprasad Dutt, Syad Ulla, Sarap Chand Banu, Mussamat Kamida Bibi, on behalf of her minor son Sadat Ali Khan, Sekh Adai Mahomed Ali, Sekh Yaz, Mahomed Anchhar, Ayat Ulla, Radharam Mistari, Chandra Nath Mistari, Durga Ram Mistari, Tara Chand Das, Sujat Ali, Mahomed Azim, Amzad Ulla, Batir Mahomed, Ayin Ulla, Anwar Mahomed, Sukar Mahomed, Sekh Chand, Mahib Ulla, Pir Mahomed, Nazar Mahomed, Joad Ulla, Sekh Biram, Raghu Nath Sarmah Bhatacharjea, Dina Mahi Debya, and Radha Nath Sarma, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 235-8-8, having been separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, in the name of Naba Darga Baidani, Mahessari Baidani, mother of Hara Nath Baida, and Kasi Nath Baida, to be sold for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 32. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 10-2-6 on account of the arrears of Government revenue; Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,067-11-5. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 383-1-7 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31186.—Taluk Kurban, Raja Zemindar, of Purgunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Aman Raza Zemindar; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,261-0-3. The shares of Syama Sundari Choudhurani, Dayalram Deb, Nazumun-nechha-banu, Mahomed Kalim, Sekh Arabdi, Sekh Samai, Mahomed Abdul Rahaman, Braja Kisor Saha, Mirza Hamid Ali, Tara Chand Dev, Kunja Mohan Saha, Nil Chandru Dhar, Baida Nath Dev, Kula Chandra Dutta, Tara Chand Dev, Sachuram Saha, Kalika Prasad Sarma, Mahomed Kamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Amil Choudhuri, Mahomed Chhamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Jehhahak Choudhuri, Ganga Gobind Dhar, Gupi Nath Sen, Ayn Ulla, Hiran Bibi, Pandab Ram Barai, Bhogirath Dev, Suntosh Ram Das, Ram Nath, Bharu Jugini, Nabin Chandra Sarmah, Sarna Bati Dasi, Jay Chandra Das, Pratinga Dasi, Lalita Dasi, Nihal Ram Das, Radhika Dasi, Mahes Chandra Dutta, Mirza Ibrahim Ali, Bisakha Dasi, Mufti Mahi, Jowda Ulla, Mussumut Sajina Banu, Arkan Uddin, Sekh Daim Ulla, Sekh Riaz Ulla, Pada Lochun Dutta, Manik Ram Dutta, Chandra Nath Datta, Rup Nath Dutta, Kadir Mahomed, Suruj Mia, Hamid Ulla, Sharif Mahomed, Harash Ram Nai, Hafiza Bibi, and Sekh Shumai, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 316-1-1, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Sarba Nand Saha and Sada Nand Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-6. This share will be sold for the recovery of Re. 1-10 on account of the arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 942-9-2. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 154-2-8 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 40981.—Taluk Chaitanya Chand of Pergunnah Chaitan Nagar; recorded proprietor Umed Narayan Das; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 992-10-3. The shares of Gaur Prasad Aditta, Guru Prasad Aditta, Krishna Prasad Aditta, Raj Gobind Aditta, Ram Sunder Gopta, Goluk Chandra Gopta, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 144-14-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 847-12-0. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 59-9-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54726.—Hissah Syad Ahamed Raza, Pergunnah Jaraf; recorded proprietor, Purusram and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,509.

The shares of Dolgavind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Govind Palit, Ram Charan Raut, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Deb, Ram Narayan Anda, Ram Gobind Das, Lalita Dasi, Gabardi Mahi, Chhabadi Mahi, Joahid Mahi, Muzed Mahi, Ohad Mahi, Radha Charan Das, Chaitam Charan Das, Jasada Bati Dasi, Mohan Nath, Surja Nath, Shaik Kaim-uddin, Shaik Abdul

Jabbar, Golak Chandra Singh, Abdul Aziz, himseaf and on behalf of his minor brother Abduchhchhobhan, Abdul Kadir, Mahomed Anwar, Sayeda Dhan Bibi, wife of Syed Saha Asraf Ulla, Sarat Chundra Dutta, Bharat Chundra Banika, Kunja Kisor Banika, Ram Sunder Banika, Ram Jay Banika, Ram Narayan Banika, Rajnarayan Banika, Ramlochan Banika, Syad Muzmil Hassan, Syada Alam Chand Banu, wife of Syad Saha Ahamed Ulla, Jugo Mohun Das, Sunatan Das, himself and on behalf of his minor brothers, Sudarsan Das, Badan Ram Das, Shaik Niamat Ulla, Shaik Ayat Ulla, Syad Nimber Ali, Syad Muzmil Husain, Mussumat Bhaba Chand Bibi, wife of Kamil Baks, Ichha Mahi Choudhurani, Mahamed Khatir Tarafdar, and Arsad Ulla, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 662-1-11, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Jasa Dasi, wife of Jharu Ram Saha, and Nila Bati Dasi, wife of Nilchand Shaha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-0-10.

This share will be sold for the recovery Re. 1-3-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 844-13-3. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 142-10-0 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54727.—Hissa Syad Madan Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Ram Bullabh Dev and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,784-3-2. The shares of Jasadabati Dasi, Dolgobind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Gobind Palit, Mussumat Paran Jan Bibi, Rajkisor Dev, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Har Gobind Das, Mussumat Rabia Bibi, Sekh Abdul Aziz, Mussumat Nek Jan Bibi, Sekh Aynuddin, Mussumat Namiza Bibi, Mussumat Anchhar Bibi, Tarini Debya, wife of Kali Charan Sarmah, Parbati Nath Sarmah, Naba Chandra Sarmah, Ram Gobind Das, Achh Ali, Kali Kisor Gopta, Helim Ulla, Adil Mahamed, Chhabil Mohamed, Fazil Mohamed, Hazir Mohamed, Jasa Dasi, Nila Bati Dasi, Bhubanessari Dasi, widow of Munshi Raj Mohan Dev, Radha Mohan Dev, Jugul Kisor Das, Ram Kisor Das, Saday Gobind Nandi, Kalika Prasad Dev, Sarup Chandra Sarmah, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Choudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Mussumat Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussumat Ful Bibi, Fita Mahomed, Jasada Bati Dasi, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chandra Banika, Madhu Sudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjoy Banika, Siri Charan Banika, Ram Ruttan Banika, himself and on behalf of Bissambar Banika minor, Sekh Mahomed Hussain, Sekh Nyamat Ulla, Sekh Mohamed Arip, Gour Ram Chandra, Sumbhu Ram Chundra, Sekh Mohamed Chhami, Sekh Mulfat Ulla, Sekh Tarik Ulla, Sekh Anchhar, Sumbhoo Chandra Sarma, Jiban Krishna Das Choudhuri, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Ram Kisor Das Choudhuri, Kasi Chundra Dev, Kailas Chandra Dev, Inai Nigari, Mussamat Amir Chand Banu, wife of Sekh Amzad Ulla, Kirti Chandra Sarma, Pukai Ram Pal, Pran Krishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chandra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Mazumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 443-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jamma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Brindabun Dutta, Kamal Charan Dev, Alizan Bibi, Sumbhu Nath Dutta, Kasi Nath Dev, Gopal Krishna Saha, Brindaban Saha, Dasarath Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 49-6-7.

This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 6-8-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 2,291-9-7. This Mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 181-14-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54729.—Hissa Syad Kaim Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Jay Gobind Ray and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,966-14-11. The shares of Hameda Bibi, on behalf of her minor sons Mohamed Rabich, Mohamed Idrich, Mussamat Mayn Chand Bibi on behalf of her minor son Mohamed Jachkim, Mohamed Abduchhamad, Mahamed Abdul Kadir, Dul Gobind Palit, Har Gopind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Kali Suran Dutta, Syada Abchhar Nechha, Omaid Ulla, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Umatara Debya, Ram Gobind Das, Arnapurna Dasi, Mussamat Jarina Banu, wife of Shek Bachhir Mohamed, Saruf Chandra Sarma, Golak Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussamat Ful Bibi, Kasalya Dasi, Parbati Dasi, Har Kumar Dutta, Kudrat Ulla Choudhuri, Sumbhu Chandra Sarma, Hare Krishna Das, Jiban Krishna Das, Ram Kisor Das Choudhuri, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of Mohamed Munsur; Abdul Subhan, Abdul Kadir, Subhadra Dasi, wife of Ratna Bullabh Das, Uttara Dasi, wife of Baida Nath Das, Naba Narayan Das, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chundra Banika, Mudhusudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjay Banika, Siv Charan Banika, Ramrattan Banika, himself and on behalf of his minor brother Bisamber Banika, Kasi Ram Chung, Kirti Chundra Saha, Nitya Nanda Saba, Nimai Chand Saha, Dinno Nath Saha, Byda Nath Saha, Janaki Dasi, wife of Pran Krishna Gope, on behalf of her son Krishna Chandra Gope, Abdul Rasid on behalf of his minor son Abdul Maiz, Abdul Latif, Sarat Chandra Dutta, Sekh Jabulla, Sekh Sarafat Ulla, Sekh Ulfat Ulla, Sekh Mayrdi, Pran Kishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chundra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Muzumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, Pukairam Pal, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 429-2-10, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of a

share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Tara Chund Kar, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 13-2-2. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 9-7-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,524-9-11. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 75-8-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54937.—Taluk Saha Rezwan Uddin, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Syam Ram and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 722-3-2. The shares of Naba Kiser Deb, Jugal Kisor Deb, Ram Charan Pal, Abhoya Charan Deb, Amara Charan Deb, Uma Charan, Adyat Charan Deb, himself and on behalf of his brother Annada Charan Deb, minor, Ram Narayan Anda, Karuna Mayi Debya, Kalikisor Gopta, Rattana Bullath Das, Subhadra Dasi, Baidy Nath Das, and Uttama Dasi, Naba Narayan Das, Tas Mohamed, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 67-9-5, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 654-9-9. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 11-4-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 56509.—Taluk Syad Badardi Hasan, Pergunnah Gada Husain Nagar; recorded proprietor, Bábrul Hasan and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 733-3-2. The shares of Ram Charan Raut, Saheb Ram Deb, Har Gobind Pal, Ram Kumar Deb, Sukha Mayi Dasi, wife of Ram Charan Raut, and Daya Mayi Choudharani, wife of Bisnu Prasad Banika, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 58-13-6, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 674-5-8. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 29-1-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

H. C. SUTHERLAND, *Officiating Collector.*

SYLHET COLLECTORATE, the 10th November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of January 1874, corresponding with Monday, the 22nd Poos 1280, B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 1-0.—Allumpore, Pergunnah Allumpore; recorded proprietors, Ramini Soondiree Chowdharani, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 42,638-13-6, and Police Rs. 482-4-5. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 18,564-12-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 241-2-1½ on account of Police.

No. 17-0.—Dehi Alpha, Pergunnah Bugwan; recorded proprietors, Shantiram Rai and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 4,046-2-2½, and Police Rs. 44-14-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 159-3-1½ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 117-0.—Chandi, Pergunnah Pauznour; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma: Rs. 2,123-1-4, and Police Rs. 64-9-2. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 619-11-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 242.—Dehi Hejoolee, Pergunnah Mamjoani; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 955-13-10, and Police Rs. 12. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 373-15-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 6 on account of Police.

No. 338-0.—Turuf Majrhud, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Goluck Chandra Mookerjea and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 799-5-3¾. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Re. 1-12-10¼ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 438-0.—Turuf Ranaghat, Pergunnah Ranaghat; recorded proprietors, Issar Chandra Pal Choudhari and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 818-3-7, and Police Rs. 9-2-6. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 236-5-5 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 477-0.—Turuf Shampore, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Kala Chand Chakravarti and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 553-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 23-5-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estates.

No. 2179.—Chur Shamnuggur, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Mr. J. B. Mackintosh and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 523-9-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 43-10-9 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 2769-0.—Chur Notidanga, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Dinonath Mookerjee and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 517-3-10. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs 5-13-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 3165.—Mouzah Mooralidanga, Pergunnah Ookrah; recorded proprietors, Jebonnessa Bebee and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 552-11-4. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Re. 0-10-4 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

NUDDEA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 10th November 1873. C. C. STEVENS, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district, on Tuesday, the 30th day of December 1873, corresponding with B 1280, 16th Pous, Umlee 1281, 17th Pous, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873 :—

Class I.—Permanently-settled estates.

Number on the Register A.	Number on the Revenue Roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of Proprietors.	Sudder Jumma.	Arrears of land revenue for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	
1830	993	Moysarah *alias* Mysarah, Pergunnah Kismut Kasijorah.	Beprapraspad Berah, Sibaprasad Berah, Gooroopraspad Berah, Srimatiah Doyamoi Dei, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykuntnath Berah, Srimatiah Saresate Dei, mother of Bisumbhar Berah, Nobakrista Berah, Poornanund Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of Bykuntnath Berah and others, Pearimohun Berah, Natabar Berah, Srimatiah Motee Dei, mother of deceased Bykuntnath Berah, Poornanund Berah, Pearimohun Berah, son of deceased Beprapraspad Berah, Natubar Berah, son of Poornanund Berah, Nabakista Berah, and Srimutiah Kadambini Dassi, wife of Radhakisto Berah.	1,881 9 7	73 9 3	
2623	1465	Shridhurpur, Pergunnah Moynachour.	Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed, Srimati Rajeshari Dei and Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wives of Fakirchandra Patlaik, Soondurnarain Mytee, Mothoor Mohan Mytee, Santoseram Mytee, Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son of Nabakista Berah. Deduct separate accounts of the undermentioned parties which have been realized in full and therefore not to be sold— Rs. As. P. Sheik Mennajoodeen Mahamed... 82 3 0 Srimati Rajeshari Dei ... ... 84 4 11 Soondurnarain and Mothoor Mohan Mytee ... ...210 12 4 Santoseram Mytee 42 2 5	929 14 2 419 6 8		
			Balance, Rupees	510 7 6	1 0 6	
			This balance is the joint share of the undermentioned parties which will be sold for the arrears of land revenue, Rs. 1-0-6: Gopeenath Berah, Bungshidhar Panda, Srimati Koroonamoi Dei, wife of Fakirchandra Patlaik and Srimati Prasanno Moi and Prasanno Koomar Berah, wife and son of Nabakista Berah.			

W. OLDHAM, *Covenanted Deputy Collector for Collector.*

MIDNAPORE COLLECTORATE, the 22nd November 1873.

Memorandum shewing the result of resale of defaulting waste lots in the district of Chittagong, held under Act XI of 1859, on the 2nd December 1873.

Number in Sale Register.	Number of lot.	Name of defaulting proprietor.	Thannah in which situated.	Area in acres.	Total arrears of Government demands.	Name of purchaser at resale.	Amount of sale proceeds.	REMARKS.
					Rs. As. P.			
174	67a	Durga Mohun Roy...	Patra ...	1,575	2,136 11 4	Goluk Chundra Chowdry ...	790	
175	92	Jowalagir Bharati ...	Zorwargunge	604	1,968 3 1	Goluk Chunder Goolio & Ram Kumar Kur.	15	
176	98	Kristna Chundra and others ...	Fatikchari ...	634	9,377 2 7	Goluk Chundra Chowdry & others ...	25	

(Sd.) A. L. CLAY, *Offg. Collector.*

Government Horse Show—Calcutta 1874.

RULES.

1. *Opening of the Horse Show.*—The Horse Show will be formally opened by His Excellency the Viceroy on Monday, the 12th of January 1874, when the Judges will read their report and declare the awards; *but* the prizes will be delivered to the successful competitors by the Judges on the last day of the Show, which will close at sundown of Saturday, the 17th idem.

2. *Hours of Admission.*—From 7 A.M. to noon.
,, 2 P.M. to sundown.

The horses will be exercised on the premises morning and evening; and during some period of that time, to be fixed by the Judges, they will be without their clothing, for the purpose of inspection.

	Rs.	As.	P.
3. *Terms of Admission.*—Exhibition single tickets ...	8	0	0
Do. family do. ...	12	0	0
Single tickets for Monday	3	0	0
And Tuesday, 13th January	2	0	0
Single tickets for Wednesday the 14th and Thursday the 15th January	1	0	0
Single ticket for Friday, 16th January	0	12	0
Do. Saturday, 17th January	0	8	0

Children on Saturday *half price.*
Soldiers and their families *free* on pass from their Commanding Officers.
Owners and Exhibitors of Horses free.

	Rs.
For every six Mares	50
For every Stallion	16

Admission of Stock other than for competition.—By special permission of the Managing Committee, persons desirous of exhibiting horse stock (not intended to compete for prizes) will be permitted to do so on a payment of Rs. 16 per head, provided stabling can be found for them.

4. Intending Exhibitors must apply for stalls by post in an envelope addressed—

"To the Joint Secretaries,
Calcutta Horse Show, 1874."

so as to be received by them not later than the 15th December 1873. On receipt of such applications printed forms will be furnished to the Owners or Exhibitors, to be filled in by them and returned at once to the Joint Secretaries, who will then allot stalls or boxes for the horses described.

5. *Superintendent.*—A Superintendent and four European Assistants will be appointed by the Managing Committee to undertake the stable management of the Show yard. It will be his duty to point out the stalls allotted to the Exhibitors, and to see that all orders issued by the Committee are thoroughly and promptly carried out.

6. *Date of receipt of Horses.*—Horses sent for exhibition will be received by a Veterinary Surgeon and the Superintendent of the Horse Show on Wednesday, the 7th of January 1874, any time before *noon* of that day.

7. *Health Certificate.*—A health certificate, signed by a Veterinary Surgeon, must accompany every horse when first brought to the Horse Show lines. The Veterinary Surgeon attending on the part of Government will also inspect each horse before being finally admitted.

8. *Grooms.*—Exhibitors are required to engage a reliable groom (syce) for each horse, and it is expected that either the attendant or a substitute will remain night and day at his post.

9. *Attention to Regulations.*—All attendants must conform to the rules and regulations issued by the Managing Committee; copies will be furnished to the Exhibitors, and will also be posted on the walls of the stables.

10. *Complaints.*—Complaints may be lodged at any time at the office of the Superintendent, either verbally or in writing, in a book to be kept for the purpose.

11. *Complaint Book.*—Persons able to read and write will have to enter their complaints in the book; minor complaints will be settled by the Superintendent on the spot; those of a more serious nature will be treated by the Managing Committee.

12. *Illness of Horses.*—In case of illness of any horse the Owner or Exhibitor must provide medical attendance.

13. All the horses will be daily inspected by a Veterinary Surgeon.

14. All possible care will be taken of horses exhibited, but the Superintendent cannot be held responsible for any injury or accident which may occur.

15. *Forage and Grain.*—Forage, grain, and water for the stock will be provided by the Exhibitors.

16. *Smoking prohibited.*—Smoking is strictly prohibited in the stables; particular attention is requested to this rule, which is considered imperatively necessary for the safety of the cattle.

17. *Stabling.*—A loose stall or box will be provided for each animal so exhibited.

18. *Location of Mares.*—Every lot of six mares will be stabled close to each other.

19. *Inspection by Judges.*—The Judges will inspect and examine horses entered for prize competition on Thursday 8th, Friday 9th, and Saturday 10th, of January 1874.

20. *Exclusion of Visitors during inspection by Judges.*—Under no circumstances will any person be permitted to be within the precincts of the premises at the time of inspection, except grooms (syces) who will be appointed by the Judges to bring up each horse for examination.

21. *Owners and Exhibitors similarly excluded.*—Owners and Exhibitors are debarred from the privilege of being present as much as the public generally.

22. *Horses how to be inspected.*—The horses will be brought up without clothing, so that they may not be recognized by any initials or distinctive marks.

23. *Judges how guided in arriving at decision.*—Exhibitors are informed that Judges in arriving at their decision will be guided by the following points :—

1*st.*—That under the terms of Military Department Government Notification of the 4th of February last, no prize will be given unless the horses exhibited come up to a high standard of excellence. Importers and competitors are informed that the Judges will be considerably guided by good measurement of girth and leg and blood, combined with power; animals wanting in such essential points will have no chance of obtaining a prize.

2*nd.*—The horses will be judged as to their merits under the several heads of :—

A. Soundness.
B. Blood and power.
C. General conformation.
D. Action.
E. Condition.

The maximum number of marks being 100.

3*rd.*—"*The best horse*" must be perfectly sound, but any serious blemish, the result of accident, will be weighed by the Judges.

4*th.*—Each mare of every lot must be sound for all working and brood purposes.

5*th.*—If any mis-information is furnished by an Exhibitor in respect of the animals owned or exhibited by him, the whole of his stock will be disqualified for prizes, and will be at once removed from the Show premises. Admission to the Show will be refused to any person coming within the terms of this rule.

6*th.*—The decision of Judges to be final.

24. *Judges' Report.*—The Judges' report of their inspection will be prepared and printed by Saturday evening, the 10th of January 1874, but will be confidential until read to His Excellency the Viceroy on the formal opening of the Show.

25. *Necessity of Exhibitors' servants attending to Rules.*—Particular attention must be given by all Exhibitors to the necessity of their servants carrying out all the rules which may be laid down for efficient sanitary arrangements.

26. *Fire Engine.*—A fire engine, and a party to work it, will be on the premises during the Exhibition.

27. *Police arrangements.*—The Commissioner of Police will arrange with the Managing Committee (Judges) for such number of Police as may be requisite for the protection of property and the preservation of order.

28. *Lights other than those supplied by Committee prohibited.*—Stable lanterns will be provided by the Committee and placed under the orders of the Superintendent. Other lights or lanterns or fire of any kind will not be permitted within the stabling.

29. *Removal of horses if attacked with disease.*—The Managing Committee are empowered, if they deem it necessary, to direct the removal of a horse attacked with any contagious disease.

30. *Removal of horses when prohibited.*—No horse brought for exhibition, even in the event of its having been sold, will be allowed to be removed until the Exhibition is closed.

31. *Final removal from Show.*—Horses must be removed the day following the closing of the Exhibition.

32. *Objections.*—Any objection to horses exhibited must be made and proved to the satisfaction of the Stewards the day before the prizes are awarded.

33. *Objection made after award of prize.*—Objections made after the award of prizes will not be attended to during the present Show, but will be recorded against future exhibition of the horses objected to.

34. *Onus of proving objection.*—The onus of proving an objection will be wholly and entirely on the person making it. All objections must be made in writing.

By Order of the Committee,

M. J. TURNBULL, *Colonel*,
J. A. CRAWFORD, } *Joint Secretaries.*

1*st December* 1873.

NOTICE

In addition to the Prizes already advertised to be given by the Government of India, at the Horse Show, to be held in Calcutta, on the 12th January 1874, the following Prizes will be given by

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, G.M.S.I.

	Rs.
For the best Arab Stallion for Stud purposes	1,000
For the second best ditto ditto	500
For the third best ditto ditto	250
For the best Country-bred or Country Horse, of either sex ...	700
For the second best ditto ditto ditto	300
For the third best ditto ditto ditto	150

No Arab over 10 years old will be allowed to compete.

The Country-bred and Country Horses must be between the ages of 4 and 7 years.

Horses exhibited for these Prizes will be subject to all the Rules as to right of pre-emption on the part of Government Entrances, &c., as published in the Notification of the Government of India, Military Department, dated 4th February 1873.

Applications for Stalls will be received up to the 1st January 1874, and should be addressed to

J. A. Crawford, Esq.,

Joint-Secy., Govt. Horse Show, Custom House, Calcutta.

A detailed descriptive Roll of the Horse to be exhibited, giving breed, sex, age, color, height, pedigree, sire and dam, performances if any, and price, should accompany the application for Stalls.

In the event of the stock exhibited in either of the above classes not being considered of sufficient quality, power is reserved to the Judges to withhold the Prize or Prizes in such class.

(Signed) M. J. Turnbull, *Col.*,
,, J. A. Crawford,
Joint Honorary Secretaries, Government Horse Show.

Notice.

It is notified for general information that a fair will be held at Dutma in the Eastern Dooars in the month of February next (1874). It will be opened on the 5th, and continue for five days, and, if desirable, its duration will be lengthened by as many days as circumstances may render necessary. Sheds and accommodation will be provided. On the north bank of the Berhampooter there is a road leading straight on to Dutma. This road is now under repairs, and will be open for traffic for wheeled conveyance. On the road huts will be erected for shelter to travellers and every possible arrangement made to facilitate traffic.

During the continuance of the mela, prizes will be offered to the winners in elephants, horses, foot-races, &c.

Foornanund Borooah, *Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge.*

Deputy Commissioner's Office, Goalpara, the 10th December 1873.

Notice.

The Annual Chutia Fair will be held at Chutia near Ranchi, Chota Nagpore, commencing from 15th February 1874, and continuing for 15 succeeding days.

The 5th December 1873. G. C. Mitter, *Personal Asst. to Commr.*

Notice.

The Cachar Melâ will as usual be held at Silchar, commencing on Tuesday, the 30th December 1873, corresponding with 16th Pous, 1280 (B.S.), and continue for as many days as may be considered necessary.

E. Y. Walcott, *Asst. Commr. in charge of Dy. Commr.'s Office.*

Cachar, Dy. Commr.'s Office, the 23rd October 1873.

Wanted

A clerk who has a competent knowledge of English and Bengali, can draft letters, &c., and writes a good hand. Salary Rs. 30. But if promotion be given to the juniors in the office, Rs. 20 per mensem. Applications to be received up to 31st December 1873 by the undersigned.

Ram Coomar Bose, *Deputy Magistrate, Culna.*

Sub-Divisional Office, Culna, the 15th December 1873.

No. 206A.

FROM THE AUDITORS OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

GENTLEMEN,

WE have the honor to report that we have examined and found correct your cash accounts for the half-year ending the 30th September 1873. We have not examined your store accounts.

The financial results of the half-year may be described as follows:—

DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION.	Wharves and Jetties Division.	River Division.	Total.
RECEIPTS.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Net Earnings	1,37,272	21,088	1,58,360
Debt incurred	3,00,000	...	3,00,000
Deposits received	2,752	20	2,772
Cash Balance reduced	1,26,319	29,830	1,56,149
Total	5,66,343	50,938	6,17,281
CHARGES.			
Capital outlay	4,61,522	50,938	5,12,460
Repayment of Loan	1,04,821	...	1,04,821
Total	5,66,343	50,938	6,17,281

Your financial position on 30th September 1873 is shewn by your books of account to have been as follows:—

LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.	Wharves and Jetties Division.	River Division.	Total.
LIABILITIES.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Capital Debt	17,95,179	17,65,000	35,60,179
Net Earnings	10,36,069	5,19,999	15,56,068
Deposits repayable	2,761	181	2,942
Total	28,34,009	22,85,180	51,19,189
ASSETS.			
Value of Block	27,57,064	18,91,445	46,48,509
Reserve Fund	...	3,64,250	3,64,250
Cash Balance	76,946	*29,484	1,06,430
Total	28,34,010	22,85,179	51,19,189

We would call attention to the change made during the half-year under report in the method of keeping the "Depreciation Account" in the River Division of the Trust. Hitherto the depreciation allowance has been credited to a distinct head, the value of "block" remaining unchanged. Now the depreciation allowance is credited to "block," the value of which, as recorded in the accounts, is reduced *pro tanto*.

We have the honor to be,

GENTLEMEN,

Your most obedient servants.

(Sd.) E. F. HARRISON, *Comptroller General.*

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE, (Sd.) EDWIN W. KELLNER, *Asst. Comptroller General.*
The 29th November 1873.

The above report is published in accordance with the provisions of Section 53, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.—By order of the Commissioners.

(478—1) G. H. SIMMONDS, *Secretary.*

* Of this Rs. 27,555 is held as Depreciation Fund.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the under-mentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Dec. 17th ...	4 Stores, C N, or no mark ...	W. Hurst & Co. ...	Duleep Singh.
,, 17th ...	23 Bales, G F T I D ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 17th ...	1 Case, Stationery Department, I S D.	Naval Store-keeper...	Ditto.
,, 17th ...	2 Packages, [K R] A. B. & Co....	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 17th ...	8 Casks, [M N] B ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 17th ...	1 Case, [M & F] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 17th ...	11 Casks, M N M ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 17th ...	10 Cases, N H ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 17th ...	10 Pieces Spelters + or no mark...	E. & Oesterly ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	13 Casks, B M C ...	Order ...	Neva.
,, 18th ...	10 Packages, G M & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, G C M ...	Suroop Chunder Dass & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Cask, [H] R C D ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	500 Cases, H. R. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, K. M. B. S. & Co., F F...	Khetter Mohun Banerjee.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	13 Packages, addressed ...	Surgeon Major Manifold.	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	8 Crates, M N M ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [N G N] N or no mark...	Kissory Mohun Dey	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	2 Cases, P M B ...	Peary Mohun Biswas	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	101 Cases, R G B S ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	5 Cases, S. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, [S C D] ...	Soobal Chunder Dey	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	1 Case, W. N. & Co. ...	Arlington & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18th ...	80 Bundles round rod Iron, 11 white or no mark.	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 20th ...	4 Casks, [B I S N C T U] ...	Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co.	Ditto.
,, 17th ...	143 Drums, [X] ...	Order ...	Duke of Argyle.
,, 17th ...	2 Cases, [125] F. T. B. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 20th ...	14 Packets Hops, addressed ...	Murree Brewery & Co., Murree, care of B. Lawrie & Co.	S. S. Othello.
,, 20th ...	2 Cases, [P S G] M ...	Order ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 20th *December* 1873. (481—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
1 Parcel, [B] D V E 1-134 ...	Venetia.
1 Case, D V C Calcutta ...	Ditto.
2 Cases, N D ...	Bates Family.
1 Case, C. H. Wood, Esq., Calcutta ...	Hindostan.
10 China Cups, no mark ...	Historian.
1 Paper Box, 1 Toy Box, } no mark ...	Ditto.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 7th of January 1874.

4 Cases, B W 658 ...	The Bruce.

N.B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 14th day of February 1874.

CALCUTTA, CUSTOM HOUSE, the 20th December 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
6222	L/1 79032	10	Pursoo Ram Burrooah.
6224	A/87 98154	1,000	Nogendro Bhoosun Mitter.
	,, 89229	1,000	
6232	A/56 23259	500	Hayattoo Miah.
6233	L/10 37878	50	Bhoyrub Chunder Dey.
6235	L/38 00330	100	H. F. Wilson.
6245	L/19 10411	50	Messrs. Pittamber Prolad Chunder Shaw.
6250	L/6 22711	100	Messrs. Juggobundho Nidho Churn Podar.
6242	A/34 04070	20	Jumnadas Madsing.
	L/18 66273	20	
	,, 83457	20	
	L/14 87229	20	
	L/8 61639	10	
	A/17 43226	10	
	L/6 17108	10	
	,, 63458	10	
	L/7 84957	10	
	L/22 18973	10	
	,, 27179	10	
6251	L/8 52894	100	The District Superintendent of Police, Beerbhoom.
6252	A/80 36951	500	Ramnarain Bhokutt.
6253	L/32 10151	100	Shavak Chandra Mukhopadhya.
6257	L/19 37521	50	J. N. Coan.
6260	L/35 44871	20	C. D. Linton.
6261	L/2 23038	10	The Officiating Magistrate, Dacca.
6267	L/8 62956	100	Chidam Das.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
6223	L/3 03211	10	Mohendronath Mookerjee.
6228	A/84 74847	20	Roopram.
6230	L/7 37133	10	C. H. Guntt.
6231	L/8 08805	10	W. H. Nightingale.
6237	A/80 98548	10	Hurry Mohun Bannerjee.
	,, 98549	10	
6238	A/56 94830	50	Bhurut Chunder Ghose.
	A/31 43408	10	
	A/82 78162	10	
	L/10 26246	5	
6239	A/36 27270	10	Sreedhur Mookhopadhya.
6241	L/11 84551	5	Umbica Churn Roy.
	,, 84552	5	
	,, 84553	5	
	,, 84554	5	
6247	L/2 29697	10	Lieutenant James Wallace.
6248	L/34 86355	10	O. W. Palmer.
	L/10 19825	5	
6249	L/9 40840	5	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation, Calcutta.
6255	L/10 12874	5	The Collector of Nuddea.
	,, 12792	5	
	,, 12873	5	
6259	L/7 06341	20	Colonel F. A. Willis.
6262	A/87 93859	1,000	Debnath Borua.
	,, 93860	1,000	
6263	L/2 74944	10	Chunder Coomar Goomi.
6265	L/10 75505	5	Sribory Proshad Dass.
6266	A/92 06630	50	Trilochun Neogee.

Hitherto issued.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Names of Claimant.
5254	L/1 37691, 37692	10	Sib Chunder Seal.
6226	A/98 76094, 76364	10	F. Fergusson.
6227	L/4 44606, 44604	10	Woomachurn Bose.
6229	A/89 20812, A/91 21690	20	Abdool Lotiff Boladina.
6236	L/14 11345, 11349	20	Mothoora Das Nalorbhoy.
6240	A/6 64347, 64492	10	Ramkisto Goopto.
6246	L/5 74832, 74842	10	F. C. Rogers.
6249	A/97 23749, 23746	10	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation, Calcutta.
6256	L/9 79429, 79428	5	T. Smith.
6264	A/92 38833, 90192	50	Salig Ram Moonshi.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 22nd December 1873.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the Least Depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, the 19th December 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Chourasea	12	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles	2	6	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	2	10	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	1	9	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles	2	4	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles	2	5	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 22nd December 1873, above zero, 1 ft. 2½ inches.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.*

BERHAMPORE, the 22nd December 1873.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 16th December 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		15,44,821	3	6
General Treasury Balance at Head Office	Rs. 1,65,53,796 8 7	3,76,87,843	0	2
General Treasury Balance at Branches	„ 2,11,34,046 7 7			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,79,48,694	13	5
Bank Post Bills, &c.		5,34,512	7	9
Sundries		7,50,147	3	9
Total		9,04,65,418	12	6

ASSETS.		Rs.	A	P.
Government Securities		1,28,36,684	9	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		51,83,805	4	4
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		59,54,006	3	1
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,13,98,711	5	5
Dead Stock		11,60,071	8	0
Stamps		15,536	8	6
Balances with other Banks		8,10,514	1	3
Sundries		55,292	9	3
Bullion		1,40,870	0	4
		4,75,55,492	[illegible]	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office	Rs. 1,15,42,397 4 5	4,29,09,926	11	4
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches	„ 3,13,67,529 6 11			
Total		9,04,65,418	12	6

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 18th December 1873.

F. A. GILLAM,
Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(476—1)

Notice

Is hereby given that in consequence of the construction of the new road from Giridi on the Karharbari Branch of the East Indian Railway to Hazaribaugh, all goods can most conveniently be sent to Hazaribaugh by that route instead of by the railway to Barakar only. The undersigned therefore invites all Government officers, tradesmen and other gentlemen who may not be specially instructed to the contrary by their consignees, and who do not avail themselves of the Government parcel post, to send their consignments and goods to the care of the Station Master, Giridi.

This request is made as the transport agency has been removed from the Barakar, and the route by Giridi is shorter and less expensive.

HAZARIBAUGH, the 9th December 1873. HENRY BEADON, *Offg. Dy. Commissioner.*

Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund.

NOTICE.

THE Thirty-sixth Annual General Meeting of Subscribers to the above Institution will be held in the Town Hall, on Saturday, the 31st January 1874, at 3 P.M., to receive the report of the Directors, and to consider such matters as may then be submitted.

By order of the Directors,

UNCOVENANTED SERVICE FAMILY PENSION FUND OFFICE, W. H. RYLAND, *Secretary.*

The 16th December 1873. (477—1)

PURSUANT to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, made in a certain suit No. 262 of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, wherein Chotailoll, otherwise called Chotaimull Tambee, is plaintiff, and Bhoyrubdoss Johurry is defendant, and bearing date the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, the creditors of Dhoomeemull Johurry, late of Burtollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, deceased, who died on or about the fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, are, on or before the seventeenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, to come in and prove their debts or claims before the Honorable William Markby, one of the Judges of the said Court, at the Court House, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Saturday, the twenty-fourth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, at eleven o'clock, in the forenoon, at the said High Court, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the said claims.

W. W. LINTON, *Plaintiff's Attorney.* R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, the 15th day of December 1873. (471—2)

TO BE peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale room in the Court House on Saturday the tenth day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy four at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, pursuant to a decree of the said Court, made in a suit No. 240 of 1872, wherein John Cameron McGregor as assignee of the estate and effects of Nolit Mohun Dass, an Insolvent is plaintiff, and Gungahurry Dey, and others are defendants, dated the first day of July one thousand eight hundred and seventy two the following property, that is to say—

All that upper roomed brick built messuage tenement or dwelling house together with the piece or parcel of land or ground thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation sixteen cottahs and one chittack be the same a litttle more or less situate lying and being on the North side of Tellaparrah Shampooker in the Town of Calcutta, and being No. 20 now No. 26 in the said lane and butted and bounded in manner following that is to say, on the North by the dwelling house of Rajkristo Ghose, on the South by the Tellaparah Lane aforesaid on the East by the dwelling house of Mutty Lall Sircar, and the Garden and Tank belonging to Khetter Chunder Roy, and on the West by the house of Chunder Seekur Goopto.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar of the High Court, Original Jurisdiction, or at the office of Messieurs Trotman, Chatterjee, and Walkins, Plantiff's Attorney's, at No. 2 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, and will be produced at the sale.

Intending purchasers are cautioned to satisfy themselves prior to the sale as to the title inasmuch as it is one of the conditions of sale that the purchasers shall accept such title as the vendors, that is to say, the Representative of the mortgagee and the mortgagors have.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

CALCUTTA, HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, REGISTRAR'S OFFICE,

The 24th November 1873. (449—2)

Notice.

MR. WILLIAM PEDDIE ALEXANDER has been admitted a partner in our firm as from 1st May 1873. MACKINNON, MACKENZIE AND CO.

16, STRAND, CALCUTTA, the 17th December 1873. (474—2)

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th December 1873.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS							5 per cent. P. W. loan of 1854-55.	4½ PER CENT. LOANS			5½ per cent. loan of 1859-60.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURES FOR		Total amount.
														10 years.	15 years.	
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.		of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.		Repayable June 1877.	Repayable June 1882.	
Balance of 30th November 1873	54,100	33,173	2,346	16,83,626	34,26,600	1,35,92,900	1,14,79,300	1,21,65,300	12,500	38,72,300	3,59,000	3,23,94,500	4,45,03,400	36,26,000	30,28,000	13,09,32,745
ADD—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th December 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	23,000	.....	.....	23,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th December 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	2,16,500	.....	.....	2,16,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th December 1873	...	.....	.....	.....	5,400	8,900	70,100	50,500	...	15,000	.....	12,000	9,96,000	.....	.....	11,58,900
TOTAL ...	54,100	33,173	2,346	16,83,626	34,32,000	1,36,02,500	1,15,49,400	1,22,15,800	12,500	38,87,300	3,59,000	3,24,06,500	4,57,38,900	36,26,000	30,28,000	13,16,31,145
DEDUCT—																
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	.....	.....	57,500	11,500	20,700	1,50,500	...	28,300	.....	21,500	3,98,000	1,000	4,000	6,93,000
Balance on 15th December 1873	54,100	33,173	2,346	16,83,626	33,74,500	1,35,91,000	1,15,28,700	1,20,65,300	12,500	38,59,000	3,59,000	3,23,85,000	4,53,40,900	36,25,000	30,24,000	13,09,38,145

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Oct. 1873—Enfaced from India 1,767 lakhs, re-transferred from London 1,814 lakhs.
" 16th Oct. 1873 to 31st " " ditto ditto 5 " ditto ditto 5 "
" 1st Nov. " to 15th Nov. " ditto ditto 24 " ditto ditto 5 "
" 16th " " to 30th " " ditto ditto 7 " ditto ditto 3 "
" 1st Dec. " to 15th Dec. " ditto ditto 13 " ditto ditto 6 "

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Balance against India ... 17 lakhs.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 17th December 1873.

(480—1)

Notice.

CERTAIN effects, the property of late J. A. Emins, an Armenian, Wine Merchant and General Dealer, who died at Shillong on 20th November 1873, are under custody of the Civil Court, Khasi and Jynteah Hills.

J. B. SHADWELL, *Extra Asst. Commr. in charge.*

SHILLONG, DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 29th November 1873. (455—3)

Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

THE Transfer Register of this Company will be closed from the 26th instant to the 1st January, both days inclusive.

An *ad-interim* dividend will be payable on and after the 2nd proximo, at the rate of 2 per cent., or Rs. 5 per share, for the half-year ended 31st August last, as declared at the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, held on the 29th ultimo.—By order of the Directors.

CALCUTTA, the 19th December 1873. (482—2) A. DONALDSON, *Acting Secretary.*

New Beerbhoom Coal Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Half-Yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 14, Old Court House Street, on Wednesday, the 31st day of December 1873, at noon.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company are closed for 15 days from this date.

STEEL, MCINTOSH AND COMPANY, *Managing Agents.*

CALCUTTA, the 23rd December 1873. (433—2)

Will be ready on 1st January.

Bengal Army List—New Number.

The Official Quarterly Army list of H. M.'s Forces in Bengal, corrected to 1st January 1874; to which is added a non-official Supplement containing the War Services of Officers and the Military Furlough Regulations. *Price in advance Rs. 4; packing and postage 8 annas.*

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CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

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CALCUTTA, the 23rd December 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post-Master of Calcutta.*

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Armstrong, Mrs.
Aviet, G. A.
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Bayne, R.
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Burnett, J. B.
Burns, Pte. G.
Chund Caunt Mookerjee.
Clarke, Mrs. B.
Cowie, Mrs. H.
Daly, G. H.
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Hallen and Co.
Hunt, C. F.
Hurd, F.
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King, Pte. C.
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Mansel and Co.
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Marshall, Rev. J. A.
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Potgeiter, J. A.
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Renge, Monsieur W.
Rodrigues, J.
Rosalie, F. A.
Sconce, Captain.
Secretary, Canning Institute.
Sharp, Mrs.
Stewart, Mc A.
Thomas, Mrs. A. H.
Wollice, G.

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Crowe, H. M.
Dodwell, Mrs.
Gatti, Signor L.
Hudson, G. B.
Jeannel, Monsieur.
Oliphant, Mrs.
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INSOLVENCY NOTICE.

In the event of the following Dividends remaining unclaimed for six months from this day the same will be paid into Court :—

In the matter of CHARLES MACKAY, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 37 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
8	Murrum Ayah	16	0	0	5	14	9
2	Nobinchunder Ghose	100	0	0	37	0	0
9	Ramgolam Bearer	12	0	0	4	7	0
4	Shaik Mokun	25	0	0	9	4	0

In the matter of THEODORE ZORAB MANUK, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 16 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
24	Arrakiel, S.	22	8	0	3	9	7
19	Baker and Catliff	20	0	0	3	3	2
26	Babooram Ghose	67	12	0	10	13	6
28	Calcutta Municipality	25	0	0	4	0	0
22	Edmond and Co., J. M.	114	0	0	18	3	10
14	Great Eastern Hotel	80	5	0	12	13	7
20	Greeschunder Day and Co.	35	0	0	5	9	7
3	Longmuir, T. (Delhi and London Bank) ...	1,500	0	0	240	0	0
7	Minas Senior, J. P.	700	0	0	112	0	0
25	Mendieta, J. M.	48	12	8	7	12	11
5	Peters, G.	800	0	0	128	0	0
23	Ramsay and Co., Francis	78	12	0	12	9	7
9	Stewart and Co.	300	0	0	48	0	0
16	Smith and Stanistreet	100	0	0	16	0	0
21	Sarkies and Son, A. J.	300	0	0	48	0	0

In the matter of HURRYNARAIN DUTT, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 9 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
24	Aubhoyram, Mudden Gopaul	56	13	6	5	1	10
10	Boistomchurn Shaw	625	0	0	56	4	0
20	Bhooput	35	9	0	3	3	2
30	Benodebeharry Shaw	71	0	0	6	6	3
37	Bhoobun Mohun Audicarry	17	11	0	1	9	6
41	Bhoom Sing	17	11	6	1	9	6
6	Chumroo Sing and Modoosoodun Sing ...	693	12	0	62	7	0
43	Cohn Brothers	1	1	6	0	1	6
4	Dabee Sing, Lall Sing	36	5	6	3	4	4
16	Dwarkadoss Banarossy Doss	24	0	0	2	2	7
7	Gunnes Sing, Bhugwan Sing	53	3	6	4	12	8
28	Gobinchund Doss and Co.	12	8	0	1	2	0
42	Heeralall Mitter	30	10	3	2	12	1
9	Gourchunder Buddynauth Shaw... ...	35	2	6	3	2	8
23	Joytroo Chuney Laul	151	8	0	13	10	2
44	Justice of the Peace (Chairman)	25	0	0	2	4	0
38	Khetter Mohun Baboo	87	14	3	7	14	7
22	Luckeynarain, Ghunnessam Doss ...	28	0	0	2	8	4
14	Muddoo Sing, Narain Sing	5	15	3	0	8	7
29	Monohur Doss, Sewnarain and Fuckeerchund ...	293	1	9	26	6	1
18	Nicka Mull	32	14	0	2	15	4
25	Netychurn Day	94	12	6	8	8	6
8	Rajkisto, Nobinchunder Shaw	23	13	0	2	2	3
12	Ramchunder Shaw	2,400	0	0	216	0	0
32	Ramchunder Ghose	8	2	0	0	11	8
34	Ramanauth Gossai	26	10	0	2	6	4
36	Ramdoss, Kissen Doss	8	8	9	0	12	4
39	Rakhaldoss Ghosaul and Chundeechurn Mitter ...	46	0	9	4	2	4
15	Sagore Dutt of Messrs. William Keep and Co. ...	31	5	0	2	13	1

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 9 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
17	Sittanauth Seal	49	13	9	4	7	10
21	Shookdeb Sodasook	95	1	9	8	8	11
26	Sittanauth, Baboo	140	0	0	12	9	7
3	Tarra Sing	9	11	0	0	13	11
35	Woomachurn Sing	6	11	9	0	9	8

In the matter of HURROSUNKER GHOSE, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at ¼ per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
21	Alexander, Robert	12,000	0	0	60	0	0
20	Bindabun Ghose	250	0	0	1	4	0
43	Bhoyrubchunder Takoor	10,000	0	0	50	0	0
57	Bulloy Law	3,700	0	0	18	8	0
59	Buddynauth Dutt	250	0	0	1	4	0
64	Bhugoban Chuttopadhia	2,100	0	0	10	8	0
67	Barretto and Sons, J.	2,100	0	0	10	8	0
68	[illegible]ghtman, Edward	7,000	0	0	35	0	0
73	Bhuggobuttychurn Gangooly	1,000	0	0	5	0	0
83	Bhoyrubchunder Chuckerbutty	186	0	0	0	14	11
2	Comullochun Bysack	10,000	0	0	50	0	0
5	Chundercoomar Takoor	6,000	0	0	30	0	0
15	Cossynauth Gooye and Juggernauth Dutt ..	750	0	0	3	12	0
38	Cossinauth Bhuttacharjee	1,700	0	0	8	8	0
60	Commollochun Bhuttacharjee	600	0	0	3	0	0
75	Collymohun Mookerjee	500	0	0	2	8	0
82	Comulmoney Raur	1,100	0	0	5	8	0
87	Cossynauth and Gooroopersaud Biswas ...	69	14	0	0	5	7
23	Debnauth Chattopadhia	1,600	0	0	8	0	0
61	Doorgapersaud Pundit	700	0	0	3	8	0
88	Doorga Dossee	2,000	0	0	10	0	0
53	Gungagobindo Gungopadhia	1,200	0	0	6	0	0
81	Goluckchunder Bundopadhia	500	0	0	2	8	0
9	Hurrakissen Hazrah	4,000	0	0	20	0	0
52	Joychunder Gangooly	1,075	0	0	5	6	0
70	Johnson, Captain	5,000	0	0	25	0	0
13	Kangally Sing	1,000	0	0	5	0	0
46	Khettermohun Dhur	2,500	0	0	12	8	0
48	Keerpamoye Dabee	1,900	0	0	9	8	0
35	Kallachund Mookerjee	100	0	0	0	8	0
49	Kissen Mohun Sen	1,500	0	0	7	8	0
51	Kaulachund Mookerjee	1,600	0	0	8	0	0
56	Kissen Mohun Ghose	1,000	0	0	5	0	0
6	Lallchund Hingunloll	3,500	0	0	17	8	0
42	Larruletta and Co.	28,574	3	9	142	13	11
8	Meerja Jaffer	3,000	0	0	15	0	0
3	Nilmoney Chottopadhia	1,400	0	0	7	0	0
4	Nundoram Badeenauth	25,399	7	6	126	15	11
	Additional for costs	1,999	7	6	9	15	11
44	Nilmoney Chuckerbutty	3,000	0	0	15	0	0
1	Obhoychurn Bhuttacharjee	10,000	0	0	50	0	0
39	Omaputty Chuttopadia	1,000	0	0	5	0	0
62	Punchanund Gangooly	400	0	0	2	0	0
17	Ramjoy Sill	500	0	0	2	8	0
30	Ram Mohun, Ghaut Manjee	300	0	0	1	8	0
34	Rogoonauth Coondoo	350	0	0	1	12	0
37	Ramnarain and Sib Chunder Bysack ...	15,000	0	0	75	0	0
40	Ram Mohun Bundopadhia	12,000	0	0	60	0	0
41	Ramnarain and Ramanund Mitter ...	9,145	5	4	45	11	7
47	Ramnarain Naug	2,000	0	0	10	0	0
66	Romony Dossee	1,700	0	0	8	8	0
72	Ramrutton Bose	700	0	0	3	8	0
77	Ramchunder Bhuttacharjee	350	0	0	1	12	0
80	Rajeeblochun Mookerjee	800	0	0	4	0	0
48	Ram Mohun Bhuttacharjee	81	0	0	0	6	6

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 1 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
7	Sibnarain Sein and others	8,000	0	0	40	0	0
21	Sreenibass Sircar	1,600	0	0	8	0	9
14	Shibchunder Moitry	800	0	0	4	0	0
22	Sreemutty Rassmoney Dabee	6,000	0	0	30	0	0
36	Shibnarain Ghose	15,000	0	0	75	0	0
50	Sumbocchunder Mitter	1,500	0	0	7	8	0
78	Tarrachund Dutt	100	0	0	0	8	0
86	Takoordoss Paul	80	0	0	0	6	5

In the matter of MANUK MALCOLM MANUK, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd Dividend at 15 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
19	Brett, F. H.	1,453	9	0	13	10	10
16	Carr, Tagore and Co.	4,242	12	0	39	12	4
12	Eglinton, McClure and Co.	6,588	1	11	61	12	3
2	Gillon, J. R.	15,200	0	0	142	8	0
9	Gervain and Co.	345	3	0	3	3	9
14	Hamilton and Co.	741	11	6	6	15	3
18	Hutteman, G. H.	66	4	0	0	9	10
5	Isserchunder Mookerjee	3,895	8	3	36	8	4
10	Lattey and Co., A. P.	542	0	0	5	1	4
4	Malchus, P. J.	909	13	3	8	8	6
6	Militus Paul, and another	4,501	2	1	42	3	2
7	Martin, C.	85	0	0	0	12	9
13	Moore Hickey, and Co.	2,712	8	8	25	6	10
15	Manuk, J. M.	39,600	0	0	371	4	0
17	Mackenzie Lyall, and Co.	303	14	0	2	13	6
20	Muller, and Co.	6,401	7	3	60	0	3
1	Sonatun Mullick and Co.	603	12	0	5	10	6

In the Matter of DAVID WINTER FRASER, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of Claim.			1st Dividend at 2¼ per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
13, 14, 15	Agra Bank	7,368	14	5	165	12	10
41	Abbott, W. H.	1,500	0	0	33	12	0
44	Adam and Co.	84	2	0	1	14	3
11	Browne and Co., F. W.	29	6	0	0	10	7
27	Bathgate and Co.	10	8	0	0	3	9
33	Bengal Club Secretary	183	15	6	4	2	3
37	Burkinyoung, and Co.	49	6	0	1	1	9
42	Brown and Castle	5	0	0	0	1	10
45	Boudet, J.	50	0	0	1	2	0
47	Burn and Co.	1,362	12	9	30	10	8
20	Cook and Co.	405	10	8	9	2	0
1	Gibson and Co.	432	8	0	9	11	8
30	Gervain and Co.	571	7	0	12	13	8
36	Groser and Co.	26	8	0	0	9	6
38	Gould, Mr.	28	0	0	0	10	1
7	Hume, James	99	1	0	2	3	8
49	Hunter and Co.	16	0	0	0	5	9
48	Joteepersad	1,000	0	0	22	8	0
5	Lattey Brothers and Co.	523	12	0	11	12	7
8	Mars Testelin	67	8	0	1	8	4
10	Monteith and Co., James	53	12	0	1	3	4
15	Mackenzie Lyall and Co.	3,300	11	0	74	4	3
23	Mohun Sing	1,000	0	0	22	8	0
24	Modhnarain Sing Bahadoor Rajah ...	2,500	0	0	56	4	0
43	Nisbitt and Co.	16	0	0	0	5	9
21	Pitt, John	100	0	0	2	4	0
39	Perry and Co.	117	8	0	2	10	4
46	Rowland, G. H.	600	0	0	13	8	0

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	1st Dividend at 2¼ per cent., 5th April 1873. Rs.	A.	P.
16	Samuel Smith and Co.	65	8	0	1	7	7
17	Spence and Co., J.	538	6	0	12	1	10
31	Scott, Thomson and Co., R.	119	12	0	2	11	1
32	Shaw Brothers and Co.	260	13	0	5	13	11
34	Swinhoe, T. B.	48	8	6	1	1	5
6	Thomson and Co.	136	0	0	3	1	0
26	Thacker and Co.	5	12	0	0	2	1
19	Wilson and Co., D.	25	0	0	0	9	0
29	Watson, Messrs.	10,850	2	0	244	2	1

In the matter of RAJENDER DUTT, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 2½ per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
76	Chunder Coomar Chatterjee	519	0	0	14	12	0
79	F. W. Browne and Co.	150	0	0	3	12	0

In the matter of CHARLES MOTTLEY, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	2nd Dividend at 21 per cent., 3rd May 1873. Rs.	A.	P.
2	Colvin, Ainslie, Cowie and Co.	500	0	0	105	0	0
24	Cursetjee and Co.	772	0	0	162	1	11
12	Dhunjee, Shroff	341	2	0	71	10	2
7	Kirk and Co.	351	0	0	73	11	4
13	Koorsutjee, Merchant	400	0	0	84	0	0
4	Mackenzie, Lyall & Co.	165	2	0	34	10	10
11	Mooteeram, Shroff	266	4	0	55	14	7
16	Munro and Co.	130	0	0	27	4	10
20	Sook, Shroff	375	0	0	78	12	0
25	Weller and Co.	203	0	0	42	10	1

In the matter of JOHN CURRIE (MACFARLANE AND Co.) Insolvents.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	2nd Dividend at 12½ per cent., 3rd May 1873. Rs.	A.	P.
3	Andrews, D. R.	3,273	11	8	409	3	5
2	Buist, George	2,250	0	0	281	4	0
120	Bell, Wm.	1,600	0	0	200	0	0
9	Cossypersaud Ghose	300	0	0	37	8	0
1	Davis, Alexander	3,375	0	0	421	14	0
8	Holmes, P. H.	160	0	0	20	0	0
118	Juggernauth Sing	28	0	0	3	8	0
119	Joomun, Butcher	600	0	0	75	0	0
17	Keyland, John	84	14	0	10	9	9
6	Mothoor Mohun Soor	164	8	0	20	9	0
18	Tulloh, Adam and Co.	46	1	3	5	12	2

In the Matter of C. R. LACKERSTEEN AND Co., Insolvents.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	2nd Dividend at 4½ per cent. 3rd May 1873. Rs.	A.	P.
24	Bryve, C. G. (Estate)	102	10	2	4	9	11
20	Demello, A. A.	38,351	11	10	1,725	13	3
21	Dos Remedios, J. J.	898	7	2	40	6	10
39	Gobin Chunder Sein	52,055	13	10	2,342	8	3
36	Lackersteen, Miss	497	6	0	22	6	1
9	Holmes, P. H.	2,027	7	10	91	3	10
5	Locket, W. J.	5,432	7	0	244	7	4

In the matter of CHARLES DUPRE RUSSELL, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	3rd Dividend at ¼ per cent., 3rd May 1873. R.	A.	P.
14	Arthur Pittar, Lattey and Co.	2,328	2	0	5	13	2
30	Bathgate and Co.	100	2	6	0	4	0
33	Burkinyoung and Co.	630	8	0	1	9	8

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	3rd Dividend at ½ per cent., 3rd May 1873. Rs.	A.	P.
46	Best, James	2,286	5	0	5	11	5
4	Currie and Co.	7,552	8	6	18	14	1
15	Cameron, C. and J.	1,060	0	0	2	10	5
16	Mrs. Carbery	704	0	0	1	12	2
37	Cook and Co.	100	0	0	0	4	0
45	Davis, John	50,000	0	0	125	0	0
6	Gibson and Co.	2,817	10	8	7	0	8
25	Huttman, G. H.	541	6	9	1	5	8
39	Hunter and Co.	679	0	0	1	11	2
28	Macnaghten, R. A.	198	1	0	0	7	11
48	Monteith and Co., James	1,221	0	0	3	0	10
56	Modoosoodun Mitter and others ...	1,953	14	0	4	12	2
7	Nosky and Co.	1,109	1	0	2	12	4
20	Ostel, Lepage and Co.	516	10	8	1	4	8
52	Pittar and Co.	669	11	6	1	10	9
3	Robinson, W. W.	1,416	0	0	3	8	8
41	Rainey, W. H. S.	1,114	0	0	2	12	7
58	Roy Greedhareeloll	1,16,266	10	8	290	10	8
1	Sreemutty Susseemookee Dassee... ...	11,302	3	7	28	4	1
2	Spence and Co.	2,250	15	0	5	10	1
29	Smith, Samuel, and Co.	423	0	0	1	0	11
9	Twentyman, W. H. (Executor)	13,812	9	9	34	8	6
19	Thacker and Co.	525	3	11	1	5	0
3	Thompson and Co., R. S.	104	4	0	0	4	2
35	Thompson and Co.	1,104	8	0	2	12	2

In the matter of THOMAS PAYNE AND SONS, Insolvents.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	2nd Dividend at 1½ per cent., 3rd May 1873. Rs.	A.	P.
1	Ausoory and Moozarally, Butchers ...	352	0	0	5	4	6
2	Anundchunder Mookerjee and Co. ...	874	15	9	13	2	0
3	Agra and United Service Bank ...	391	1	8	5	13	10
5	Auction Company, Limited	640	3	0	9	9	8
6	Bathgate and Co.	70	5	6	1	0	11
7	Bhuggobutty Churn Ghuttuck	86	11	6	1	4	10
8	Baptist, S. G.	101	1	6	1	8	3
16	Burkinyoung and Co.	183	10	0	2	12	1
18	Bissonauth Law, pd. A. T. Smond ...	2,900	0	0	43	8	0
15	Burkinyoung, P. pd., T. E. Carter ...	10,009	8	6	150	2	3
20	Cutler and Co.	527	7	6	7	14	7
21	Colvin, Cowie and Co.	2,326	14	3	34	14	5
22	Cuthbertson and Harper	90	0	0		5	7
23	Doyalchund Mullick	26	8	0	0	6	4
25	"Englishman" Press	103	11	0	1	8	11
26	Eshanchunder Chatterjee	1,079	5	3	16	3	0
28	Gopalchunder Bose	2,391	9	1	35	14	0
29	Gupeenauth Ghose	262	8	0	3	15	0
30	Gladstone, Wyllie and Co.	1,153	0	0	17	4	9
34	Gillham, J.	5,647	11	9	84	11	5
36	Ganges Steam N. Co.	351	0	0	5	4	3
37	Gupeenath Singhee	16	0	0	0	3	10
85	Gulky (Fisherwoman)	32	0	0	0	7	8
60	Hurrumbo Chunder Doss	125	0	0	1	14	0
43	Jonadun Shaw Brothers	500	4	0	7	8	1
26	Jennings, F.	97	15	0	1	7	6
44	Khetter Mohun Ghose	40	0	0	0	9	7
45	Lalloo, Shaik	234	0	0	3	8	7
46	Mohila, Shaik	653	6	0	9	12	10
47	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	947	0	6	14	3	4
48	Munglokotick (Pigman)	204	0	0	3	1	0
49	Mohonachunder Doss and Co.	255	0	0	3	13	2
50	Maudhub Chunder Dutt	191	15	6	2	14	1
52	Osmond, A. P.	500	0	0	7	8	0
53	Palmer, and Co.	773	13	0	11	9	8
54	Pittar and Payne	233	9	0	3	8	2

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 2¼ per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
69	Puddolochun Singhee	400	0	0	6	0	0
70	Punuwoollah	7	8	0	0	1	9
71	Pittumber Singhee	66	0	0	0	15	10
57	Ramchund Doss and Co.	2,227	14	3	33	6	8
58	Radamohun Doss and Co.	1,668	4	3	25	0	5
59	Russiekloll Dutt	40	0	0	0	9	7
60	Ramkissen Biswas	140	0	0	2	1	7
61	Ramdhone Shaw	59	4	9	0	14	3
90	Ramlochun Shaw	30	0	0	0	7	2
91	Radhakissen Bose	56	0	0	0	13	5
63	Sreemont Day	135	7	3	2	0	6
64	Smith and Stanistreet	51	8	0	0	12	4
65	Solim, Butcher	225	0	0	3	6	0
98	Sumbhoo Chunder Day and Co. ...	2,386	7	0	35	12	9
74	Tarrachund Nundey	212	8	0	3	3	0
77	Tarracknauth Dutt	26	7	9	0	6	4
78	Wahed, Shaik (Butcher)	5,188	0	0	77	13	1
79	Woomachurn Ghose	70	0	0	1	0	10
80	Waldie, Dr.	53	10	0	0	12	10
86	McCheyne and Co.	136	6	7	2	0	9

In the matter of MUTTYLOLL DAY, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 5 per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
5	Beerchaund Burraul	2,306	12	0	115	5	5
8	Chunderseekur Gangooly and Kadumbinee Dabey ...	449	10	0	22	7	8
20	Chundernauth, Brijonauth Shaw... ...	569	6	6	28	7	6
25	Chintaram, Nooderchund Shaw	332	15	0	16	10	4
3	Dwarkanauth Seal	2,073	5	9	103	10	8
33	Dykes and Co.	483	0	0	24	2	5
9	Fuckeerchund Poddar	139	8	3	6	15	7
11	Gobindchund Doss	919	10	0	45	15	11
18	Gour Buddinauth Shaw	584	2	3	29	3	4
14	Hurrynauth Shaw and Juggobundoo Poramanik ...	32	15	9	1	10	5
6	Joykissen Mitter	1,000	0	0	50	0	0
24	Kissenchund Bhoom Sing	467	3	0	23	5	9
1	Muddenmohun and Rajchunder Haldar ...	400	14	5	20	0	8
4	Mothoormohun Mookerjee	745	0	3	37	4	0
7	Modoosoodun Day	1,641	13	6	82	1	6
22	Mothoorakanto Shaw	545	6	3	27	4	4
27	Mohunloll Poorunchund Shaw	2	1	6	0	1	8
32	Mackintosh, A. B.	1,000	0	0	50	0	0
35	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	461	6	0	23	1	1
13	Pearymohun Roy	34	0	0	1	11	2
30	Purrier and Co.	2,485	14	7	124	4	9
10	Ralli and Mavrojani	1,003	8	2	50	2	10
23	Radanauth Shaw	2,830	8	6	141	8	5
26	Setulchunder Shaw	288	4	9	14	6	8
29	Shibchunder Seal	31	2	0	1	8	10
31	Scotney Miss.	2,350	0	0	117	8	0
2	Woomachurn Mitter	65	7	0	3	4	4
34	Watts and Co.	125	0	0	6	4	0

In the matter of SAMUEL JOHN SAUNDERS, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 14 per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
30	Ahmuty and Co.	38	8	6	5	6	4
1	Brazier, J.	402	7	9	56	5	7
18	Bathgate and Co.	112	12	6	15	12	8
13	Cook and Co.	155	9	0	21	12	6
26	Cook, Mr. (Hair Dresser)	72	0	0	10	1	3
8	Dobson, J.	445	0	0	62	4	10
3	Gibson and Co.	1,746	10	0	244	8	5
16	Greenway and Co.	106	0	0	14	13	5

No.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 14 per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P
33	Gattie, Perry and Co. ...	45	0	0	6	4	10
54	Hansi Court of Requests ...	462	15	10	64	13	1
28	Juggobundo Sen ...	48	0	0	6	11	6
45	Ives and Co. ...	254	9	11	35	10	4
22	Kirk and Co., John ...	116	0	0	16	3	10
34	Myjoodee, Tailor ...	200	0	0	28	0	0
9	Ostel and Lepage ...	92	1	4	12	14	3
4	Pittar, Lattey and Co., A. ...	927	12	0	129	14	2
44	Peterson, F. ...	130	0	0	18	3	2
6	Samuel Smith, Larimour and Co. ...	205	4	0	28	11	9
7	Stagg and Co. ...	580	4	1	81	3	9
17	Statham, and Co. ...	69	0	0	9	10	7
43	Solarbux ...	67	11	0	9	7	7
10	Thacker and Co. ...	36	0	0	5	0	8
42	Tuttle, and Charles ...	231	2	1	32	5	9
14	Wilson, and Co., D. ...	41	8	0	5	13	0

CALCUTTA, the 15th December 1873. (475—2) J. C. MACGREGOR, *Official Assignee.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of RAYMOND COLES DUNSFORD, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Ghose and Bose, *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of HURRAN CHUNDER CHUCKERBUTTY of Ahreetollah, in the Town of Calcutta, carrying on trade and business as a Produce Merchant, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 11th day of December instant, it was on the petition of Omrao Shah and Sewram, creditors of the said Insolvent, adjudged that the said Hurran Chunder Chuckerbutty hath committed an act of Insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI. Vic. Chap. XXI., and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

G. Gregory, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of BEHARY LALL MITTER, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 10th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. Hart, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of FRANCIS ARTHUR EAGLETON, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 10th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

J. Hechle, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of ARRATOON JOHANNES SARKIES and GREGORY ARRATOON SARKIES, Insolvents.

On Monday, the 15th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

M. Camell, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 16th December 1873.

IN the matter of CHATER SIMON BIJOHN, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. 21, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

M. Camell, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of ALFRED ALBERT, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 2nd day of December instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. 21, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

E. O. Moses, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of DUDERICK GREGORY HERKLOTS, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad-interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 6th day of January next, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*"

Smith and Chatterjee, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of DUDERICK GREGORY HERKLOTS, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 18th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Smith and Chatterjee, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of DUDERICK GREGORY HERKLOTS, formerly of No. 19, Motts' Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, without employment, but at present a prisoner in the Presidency Jail, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic., Chap. 21, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 18th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Smith and Chatterjee, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of RICHARD WOLFENDEN MATHEWS, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, it was ordered that the personal discharge of the said Insolvent be and the same is hereby adjourned to the first Court day in December 1875, and that the order made in this matter for the *ad-interim* protection of the said Insolvent from arrest be and the same is hereby enlarged to the said first Court day in December 1875, provided the said Insolvent shall in the interim pay the Official Assignee of this Court monthly, for the benefit of the estate of the said Insolvent, half of all pay, salary and allowances he may receive from Government, the first of such payments to be made on the first day of December 1873, and thereafter on the first day of each succeeding month.

Robertson, Orr, Harris, and Francis, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of ROBERT KERR, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 11th day of October last, it was ordered that the personal discharge of the said Insolvent do stand postponed until the first Court day in November 1876, and that the order made in this matter for the *ad-interim* protection of the said Insolvent from arrest be enlarged until the said first Court day in November 1876, provided the said Insolvent shall in the interim pay the Official Assignee of this Court for the benefit of the estate of the said Insolvent Rs. 150 a month, such payment to be made in the 1st day of November next, and on the 1st day of each succeeding month.

S. Dignam, *Attorney*.

Chief Clerk's office, the 22nd December 1873.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1873.

PART III.

Acts of the Bengal Council.

Government of Bengal.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First Publication.]

THE following Act passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, received the assent of His Honor on the 2nd December 1873, and having been assented to by His Excellency the Governor General on the 20th idem, is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. VI OF 1873.

An Act to amend the law relating to Embankments and Watercourses.

WHEREAS it is expedient that provision should be made for the better construction, maintenance, and management of embankments and watercourses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows :—

PART I.

Preliminary.

1. This Act may be called "The Bengal Embankment Act, 1873."

It extends to the whole of the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the province of Orissa and the Soonderbuns as defined under the provisions of Clause 2, Section 13, Regulation III of 1828.

And it shall come into force on the day of the passing thereof.

Repeal of former Acts.

2. From such day Act No. XXXII of 1855 (*relating to embankments*) and Bengal Act No. VII of 1866 (*to make better provision for the acquisition of land for embankments and other matters relating thereto*) shall, except so far as relates to the province of Orissa and the said Soonderbuns, be repealed.

Interpretation.

3. The following words shall, for the purposes of this Act, have the meanings hereby declared, save where, from the context, a contrary intention appears :—

"Estate."

"Estate" means—(1) Any land or share in land subject to the payment to Government of an annual sum, in respect of which the name of a proprietor is entered on the register, known as the general register of all revenue-paying estates, or in respect of which a separate account may, in pursuance of Section 10, or Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, have been opened;

(2) Any land entered in the register of revenue-free tenures;

(3) Any land acquired under any rules issued by or under authority of Government for the sale, grant, or clearance of waste lands.

"Embankment."

"Embankment" includes every bank, dam, wall, and dyke, made or used for excluding water from, or for retaining water upon, any land, and every sluice, spur, groyne, training wall, or other work annexed to or portion of any such embankment, and every bank, dam, dyke, wall, groyne or spur made or erected for the protection of any such embankment or of any land from erosion or overflow by or of rivers, tides, waves, or waters; and also all buildings intended for purposes of inspection and supervision.

"Watercourse."

"Watercourse" includes a line of drainage, weir, culvert, pipe, or other channel for the passage of water, whether natural or artificial.

"Zemindar."

"Zemindar" means all or any of the holders of an estate; and where two or more zemindars are jointly holders thereof, they shall be jointly and severally liable under this Act.

"Tenure." "Tenure" includes all interests in land other than estates as above defined, held permanently at a fixed rental, or held lakhiraj.

"Proprietor." "Proprietor" means the holder of a tenure.

"Public Embankment." "Public Embankment" means an embankment maintained by the officers of Government.

"Public watercourse." "Public watercourse" means any watercourse under the charge of the officers of Government.

"The Engineer." "The Engineer" means the District Engineer or any Engineer specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of an Engineer under this Act.

"Collector." "Collector" means any Collector, Deputy Collector or other Revenue Officer in independent charge of any district or portion of a district, or specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of a Collector under this Act.

"District." "District" means the portion of territory throughout which any person vested with the powers of a Collector is authorized to exercise such powers.

"Land." "Land" includes interests in land and benefits arising out of land and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth.

PART II.

Powers of Collector and procedure thereon.

Powers of Collector. 4. Under the conditions and in the manner hereinafter provided—

Power to take charge of embankments. (1.) The Collector may cause any embankment which connects public embankments, or forms, by junction with them, part of a line of embankments, or any embankment or watercourse which is necessary for the protection or drainage of the neighbouring country, to be taken charge of and maintained by the officers of Government.

Power to remove embankments and obstructions. (2.) The Collector may cause to be removed or altered any embankment which endangers the stability of a public embankment, or any obstruction of any kind which interferes with the general drainage of any tract of land.

Power to change line of embankment. (3.) The Collector may, when necessary, change the line of or lengthen any public embankment; or make a new embankment in the place of or renew any public embankment; or make an embankment in any place in which he may deem such embankment required for the protection of any lands, or for the improvement of any watercourse; or make a sluice in any public embankment.

Power to improve drainage. (4.) The Collector may construct any sluice or watercourse, or effect any alteration in any public watercourse, when such construction or alteration may be required for the improvement of the health, or for the protection of any village or cultivable land.

Power to alter roads and construct watercourses. (5.) The Collector may call upon the person in charge of any road which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land to alter such road, or to construct any watercourse under or through such road. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Collector shall prescribe, the said Collector may cause the road to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the person in charge of the said road, so far as the same shall have been incurred on account of insufficient provision having been made at the time of the construction of the said road for the natural drainage then existing.

Applications for sluices to be made to Collector. (6.) If any landholder, farmer, or cultivator be desirous of having a sluice made in any public embankment for the purpose of drainage or irrigation, he shall make an application in writing to the Collector of the district in which such embankment is situate. The application shall contain such particulars of the land to be drained or irrigated as may enable the Collector to judge of the advantage which may be derived from the work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Application for new embankment or drainage to be made to Collector. (7.) Whenever any person is desirous that any new embankment be erected, or that any new watercourse be made, or that any watercourse be obstructed or diverted, if such work is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede any public embankment or any public watercourse, he shall apply to the Collector, and at the time of making such application shall deposit with him a statement of the proposed work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Procedure. 5. When it shall appear expedient to the Collector that any of the works specified in the last preceding section should be executed, he shall cause to be prepared plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the villages of the various estates likely to be affected by the said works, and he shall cause a proclamation to be issued giving notice of his intention to cause such works to be executed. Such proclamation shall be in the form, and state the particulars mentioned in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act; and the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as aforesaid, shall be kept at the office of the Collector and shall be open to the inspection of any interested persons who shall be allowed to take copies thereof. The Collector shall not commence any of such works until final order made in respect thereto under the provisions of Sections 8, 59, and 60 of this Act.

Publication of proclamation. 6. Every such proclamation shall be published by affixing the same at the cutcherry of the Collector, and in the manner provided in the third clause of Section 57.

Proclamation to be published for thirty days. 7. Every such proclamation shall be published not less than thirty days before the day appointed for hearing the persons interested.

Hearing of objections to works.

8. The Collector shall, on the day appointed for the hearing, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing shall be adjourned, hear the objections of any persons who may appear, and, after recording any evidence which they may adduce, shall pass an order in regard to the execution of the proposed works. Notice of such order shall be served on such persons as may have appeared in pursuance of the proclamation.

Authority to take proceedings where lands likely to be affected by the works are in different districts;

9. If the lands, which are likely to be affected by any such proposed works, are situated within the limits of different districts, the Collector of any district, within which any portion of such lands is situated, shall apply to the Commissioner of the division for authority to proceed in such matter; and the Commissioner of the division, if all the lands are situated within his division, may give authority to such Collector, or to any other Collector within whose district any portion of such lands is situated, to proceed in respect of all the lands likely to be affected by such works.

or different divisions.

If the districts, within which the lands likely to be affected by any such works are situated, are subject to the Commissioners of different divisions, the Collector shall apply to the Commissioner of the division within which his district is situated, and such Commissioner may, with the concurrence of the Commissioner to whom the other district is subject, give authority to proceed in such matter.

The Collector may delegate certain powers to Engineer.

10. All the powers vested in the Collector by Section 4 of this Act, may be exercised by the Engineer in cases referred to him by the Collector subject to the general orders of the Collector.

PART III.

Procedure in cases of imminent danger to life or property.

Proceedings in emergencies.

11. Whenever the Collector shall be of opinion that the proceedings commenced by notice under Sections 5 to 8 of this Act would cause delay in the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon him by Clauses 2, 3, and 4 of Section 4, likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to commence to exercise such powers. Provided that he shall forthwith cause to be prepared the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as provided in Section 5, and shall cause a proclamation to be issued as provided in that section giving notice that the work mentioned therein has already been commenced, and thereupon such proceedings and inquiries shall be had as in and by Part II of this Act are directed.

Power to take possession of land.

12. Whenever any land, or earth from any land the property of any person, is required for the purposes of any works commenced in pursuance of the provisions of the last preceding section, or for the purposes of Section 18 in cases where the Collector shall be of opinion that proceedings for the acquisition of such land according to the provisions hereinafter contained in Section 25, would cause delay as aforesaid, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act, giving notice thereof at convenient places in the locality in which such land is situated, and he may at the same time take possession of the same for the said purposes.

Compensation for standing crops and trees.

13. The Collector shall ascertain and record the nature and estimated value of the crops and trees (if any) standing on such land, and shall offer adequate compensation to the persons interested. If such offer is not accepted, the value of such crops and trees shall be allowed for in awarding compensation for the land under the provisions of Section 29.

Power to Engineer to act in absence of Collector.

14. The Collector may depute to the Engineer the powers described in Sections 11, 12, and 13 subject to his own general orders, and in that case when the Collector is not present the Engineer may, if he shall be of opinion that delay for the purpose of obtaining the orders of the Collector would be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, exercise the powers conferred on him by the Collector.

Power to restore embankments, &c.

15. Whenever, upon an inquiry had under the provisions of this Part, it has been determined in the final order to be passed on such inquiry that anything done by the Collector, or by the Engineer under the last preceding section was unnecessary, the land or the embankments or drainage shall, so far as any alteration thereof shall appear to be unnecessary, be at the expense of the Government restored as nearly as possible to the state in which they were when the Collector commenced to act under the provisions of this Part; and any person who shall have sustained loss, damage, or injury by the execution of such works, shall receive compensation from the Government to be assessed according to the provisions contained in Part V of this Act.

Section 9 to apply to proceedings under this Part.

16. The provisions of Section 9 shall be applicable to proceedings taken under this Part.

PART IV.

Powers of Engineer.

Engineer subject to control of Collector.

17. The power conferred on the Engineer under this Part shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Collector.

Power to make repairs.

18. The Engineer may make any repairs in, and may do all acts necessary and proper for the maintenance of any public embankment, public watercourse, or other work executed or taken charge of under the provisions of this Act, or of any of the Acts repealed by this Act.

Power to alter railroads or construct watercourses.

19. The Engineer may call upon the manager, or other person in charge of any railroad which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land, to alter such railroad or or to construct any watercourse under or through such railroad. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Engineer shall prescribe, the Engineer may thereupon, with the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, cause the said railroad to be

altered, or a watercourse to be constructed in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the said manager, or other person in charge of the said railroad, so far as the same shall have been incurred on account of insufficient provision having been made at the time of the construction of the said railroad for the natural drainage then existing.

Power to make temporary roadway, watercourse or dam.

20. Whenever any person is desirous that a temporary roadway should be made over, or that a temporary watercourse should be made through, any public embankment, or that a temporary dam should be constructed in any embanked river or public watercourse, he shall apply to the Engineer, who shall communicate the application to the Collector, and the Collector shall pass such orders thereon as he shall think fit. If the proposed work is to be executed by an officer of Government, the applicant, before the commencement of the work, shall deposit the amount estimated by the Engineer to be necessary to defray the expenses of, and incidental to, making and removing such roadway, or of, and incidental to, making and closing or removing such watercourse or dam. If the amount deposited is found insufficient, the Engineer shall recover from the said applicant the further amount required; and if it exceeds the amount required, such excess shall be returned to the said applicant.

Power to remove houses.

21. Whenever the Engineer shall be of opinion that the removal of any trees, houses, huts, or other buildings, situated between a public embankment and the river, is necessary, he shall make a report to that effect, accompanied by a detailed statement of the trees, houses, huts, or other buildings to be removed, to the Collector of the district in whose jurisdiction the land on which such trees, houses, huts, or other buildings stand, is situated; and the Collector shall report the same to the Lieutenant-Governor in order that proceedings may be taken, in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870," or other law for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes, for obtaining possession of such trees, houses, huts, and buildings. Provided always that in case the Collector be of opinion that the delay required by such proceedings is likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to cause such trees, houses, huts, or buildings to be removed, and in such case the compensation due therefor shall be ascertained and paid in the manner hereinafter provided.

Sluices to be opened or shut under authority of the Engineer.

22. Sluices constructed in any public embankment shall be opened or shut only by or with the general or special permission of the officer in the immediate charge of the embankment, under such orders, either general or special, as he may receive from the Engineer.

Power to appropriate land or earth for embanked towpath.

23. In any case where an embanked towpath has heretofore been maintained by Government alongside any canal, river, khal, or channel, the Engineer shall be entitled to appropriate without payment, as heretofore, land or earth for the maintenance, repair, or re-construction of such embanked towpath. If in any case the Engineer shall consider it necessary for the purposes of towing to enlarge an existing towpath, or to construct a new towpath, proceedings shall be taken in accordance with the subsequent provisions of this Act relating thereto.

Power to enter and survey land, &c.

24. It shall be lawful for the Engineer, or any person whom he may authorize in that behalf, in order to carry out any of the purposes of this Act,

to enter upon, and survey, and take levels of any land;

to dig or bore into the sub-soil;

to do all other acts necessary to ascertain whether the land is adapted to the purpose projected by such Engineer; or by the Collector;

Power to mark out line.

to set out the boundaries of the land proposed to be taken, and the intended line of the work proposed to be made thereon;

to mark such levels, boundaries, and line, by placing marks and cutting trenches;

Power to clear land.

and, where otherwise the survey cannot be completed or the levels taken, to cut down and clear away any part of any standing crop, fence, or jungle.

Previous notice of entry.

Provided that no person shall enter into any building or upon any enclosed court or garden attached to a dwelling-house (unless with the consent of the occupier thereof) without previously giving such occupier at least seven days' notice in writing of his intention to do so.

Payment for damage.

The Engineer or other person so authorized shall at the time of such entry pay or tender payment for all necessary damage to be done as aforesaid, and, in case of dispute as to the sufficiency of the amount so paid or tendered, he shall at once refer the dispute to the decision of the Collector, and such decision shall be final.

PART V.

Acquisition of lands.

Acquisition of land.

25. Whenever in the course of proceedings under this Act, save in those cases in which the Collector has proceeded under the provisions of Part III, it appears that land is required for any of the purposes thereof, proceedings shall be forthwith taken for the acquisition of such land in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being for the acquisition of lands for public purposes.

When land taken, proclamation to be published.

26. Whenever any land shall have been taken or used under the provisions of Part III, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (C) annexed to this Act at convenient places on or near the land so taken, stating that Government has taken possession of the land, and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land shall be made to him. Thereupon the land shall vest absolutely in the Government free from all incumbrances, subject, however, to the claims for compensation to be ascertained in manner as in this Part is provided.

Contents of proclamation.

27. Such proclamation shall state the particulars of the land so taken, and shall require all persons interested in the land to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at a time and place therein mentioned (such time not being earlier than fifteen days after the date of issuing the proclamation), and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interest.

Further notice to be served on certain parties.

28. The Collector shall also serve notice to the same effect on the occupier (if any) of such land, and on all such persons known or believed to be interested therein, or to be entitled to act for persons so interested, as reside, or have agents authorized to receive service on their behalf, within the revenue district in which the land is situate.

Proceedings after notice.

29. After service of such notice proceedings shall be had and taken to determine the amount of compensation to be payable in respect of such land, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Compensation for consequential damage.

30. Whenever any land other than land required or taken by the Engineer, or any right of fishery, right of drainage, right of the use of water, or other right or property, shall have been injuriously affected by the due exercise of the powers or provisions of this Act, the person in whom such property or right is vested may prefer a claim by petition to the Collector for compensation.

Application to be made within two years.

31. No claim shall be entertained which shall be made later than two years next after the completion of the work by which such right is injuriously affected.

Procedure for such compensation.

32. When any such claim is made, proceedings shall be taken in view to determine the amount of compensation, if any, which should be made, and the person to whom the same should be payable, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Matters to be considered in determining compensation.

33. In determining the amount of compensation to be awarded in such cases, the Judge and Assessors shall take into consideration—

First, the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land;

Secondly, the damage sustained by the claimant by reason of such acquisition injuriously affecting the property or right;

Thirdly, the consequent diminution of the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land.

Matters not to be considered in determining compensation.

But the Judge or Assessors shall not take into consideration—

First, the degree of urgency which has led to the acquisition;

Secondly, any damage sustained by the claimant, which, if caused by a private person, would not in any suit instituted against such person justify a decree for damages.

Land, &c., taken possession of to vest in Government.

34. All buildings, land, earth, pathways, sluices, gates, bermes, hedges, belonging to, or forming part of, any embankment or watercourse, of which charge has been or may hereafter be taken by the officers of Government, shall vest in the Government, and shall be held on behalf of the Government in respect of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) annexed to this Act, and in respect of other works on behalf of the persons interested in the lands to be protected or benefited by such embankment or watercourse, subject to the provisions of Section 63; and all monies received on account of such lands shall be payable to the Engineer and credited to the cost of the construction and maintenance of such works respectively.

PART VI.

COST OF WORKS, PROCEEDINGS, &C.

1. *Ascertainment thereof.*

Embankments in Schedule (D).

35. The provisions in this Part contained shall not apply to any of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) to this Act annexed, save so far as any works or repairs are executed therein or in relation thereto under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act; or to any of such embankments as may hereafter be erected for the protection of lands which at the time of the passing of this Act are protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule, save so far as the erection of such embankments may protect lands not protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule. All sums payable in respect of any works or repairs executed therein, or in relation to the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule except under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act, shall be paid by the Government.

Exclusion from Schedule.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II of this Act, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interests to retain any embankment mentioned in Schedule (D), the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that the same shall be no longer included in the said schedule. Provided that the Lieutenant-Governor may restore the same to the said schedule if on any subsequent inquiry similarly conducted it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor that it is necessary so to do.

Addition to Schedule.

The Lieutenant-Governor may at any time after the passing of this Act, by a notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that any embankment not mentioned in Schedule (D) be included in the said schedule, and the provisions of this section shall apply to such embankment.

Contribution of public money towards the maintenance of the embankments in the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (F) to be continued.

36. In accordance with the custom heretofore in force in respect of the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) annexed to this Act, the Government shall continue to contribute annually the sum noted therein for each pergunnah respectively towards the maintenance of the embankments thereof.

If such embankments are declared to be public, Collector to keep a separate account.

If the embankments maintained in any such pergunnah shall at any time be declared to be public embankments under the provisions of Section 4, the Collector shall, from the date of such declaration, keep a separate account for such pergunnah, in which the aforesaid sum shall be credited at the commencement of each financial year. The unexpended balance at the close of each year shall be carried on to the credit of the account in the next succeeding year, and shall be available for the cost of repairing or erecting all the embankments which it may be deemed necessary to maintain in such pergunnah.

Contribution may be discontinued if it be found unnecessary for the public interest to maintain the embankments.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on an inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interest to retain any embankment in either of the said pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that such contribution shall cease in respect of such pergunnah. Provided that such contribution shall again be made in accordance with the provisions hereinbefore contained, if it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor, on the report of an inquiry similarly conducted, that the maintenance of any embankment in such pergunnah has again become necessary for the public interest.

Estimates and specifications to be prepared.

37. Specifications of any works or repairs to be executed under the provisions of this Act, and estimates of the expenses to be incurred therein or relating thereto, including such proportion of establishment charges as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, shall be prepared by the Engineer as soon after the month of October in each year as may be practicable. And whenever it appears that the actual expenses to be incurred will exceed the amount mentioned in the said estimates by one-tenth, the Engineer shall forthwith prepare further estimates, and, if necessary, further specifications. Copies of all specifications and estimates shall be transmitted to the office of the Collector, together with vernacular translations thereof, or such abstracts thereof as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time direct, and may be examined by any person interested in such works or repairs. Notice of the receipt of specifications and estimates shall be served for all estates chargeable for, or likely to be affected by, the said works or repairs; and should any objection in regard to the amount of such expenses be preferred by any such person within a period of one month from the date of such notice, the Collector shall pass such orders as may appear to him reasonable and proper. Such order shall be subject in any case to an appeal by the person making such objection to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Preparation and settlement of accounts.

38. The accounts of the actual expense incurred in executing any works or repairs shall be prepared as soon as possible after the completion thereof. The Engineer shall sign a certificate stating the true amount of all such expenses, and the names of the estates chargeable for, and of the estates and villages affected by, the said works and repairs. Copies of the said accounts and certificates shall be forwarded to the office of the Collector, and may be there examined by any person interested. Notice of the receipt thereof shall be served for the said estates and villages, and such others as in the opinion of the Collector are liable to contribute to the payment of the said amount; and if, within thirty days from the service of such notice, any interested person shall object to the accounts on the ground either that the work charged for has not been performed, or that the whole sum charged has not been expended, or that the rates of charge are higher than those mentioned in the estimates, the Collector shall inquire into such objection, and may pass any order thereon subject in any case to an appeal by the objector to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Total sum payable.

39. The Collector shall add to the amount appearing in the said certificate all sums which have been paid or have become payable in respect of compensation, costs and expenses under and incidental to any proceedings taken or directed to be taken under Parts II and V of this Act, including costs of all surveys and plans. He shall thereupon make an order specifying the total sum found payable, and in respect of works done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the persons by whom, or in respect, of other works the estates in respect of which, the same is payable to him. If the order is made in respect of work done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the same shall forthwith be served upon the party or parties liable to pay; otherwise the Collector shall proceed under the provisions in the next chapter contained.

Interest.

Interest may be charged upon any sum paid as compensation from the date of payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding 5 per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct.

Parties liable to pay.

40. The said total sum, save so far as is otherwise provided in this Act, shall be paid to the Collector by the zemindars of the estates in which are situated the lands benefited or protected by the repairs or works executed. Provided that where any specific sum has hitherto been annually demanded in respect of any embankment not included in Schedule (D), and when the said embankment is at the time of this Act coming into operation being maintained by Government, then such special payments shall, after the passing of this Act, thenceforth cease and determine.

Every zemindar, who is liable under this rule for the payment of the whole or a portion of such total sum, shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of every tenure which is declared to be a part of his estate, the sum apportioned to such tenure by the Collector, under the provisions of Section 45. And similarly, every proprietor shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of any subordinate tenure which is declared to be a part of his tenure, the sum apportioned to such subordinate tenure by the Collector, under the said provisions.

2. *Apportionment thereof.*

Notice to be given before apportionment.

41. So soon as the total sum payable as aforesaid has been ascertained, the Collector shall cause a notice to be served for every one of the said estates and villages mentioned in Section 38. Every such notice shall specify

the estates and villages aforesaid, and that an inquiry will be held at a day and place therein named for the purpose of apportioning amongst the zemindars and proprietors the said total sum, with interest and the costs of apportionment.

Mode of inquiry as to the proportion chargeable to each estate.

42. On the day fixed in the said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days later than the date of any service of such notice, the Collector shall proceed to make the said inquiry. In making this inquiry he shall receive such evidence as may be tendered by, or on behalf of, the said zemindars and proprietors, and by, or on behalf of, any other persons who may claim to be interested therein.

Names of proprietors.

43. In any such inquiry the Collector shall take down in writing the names of all persons who may claim, or who may be alleged by any party interested, to be proprietors of tenures within any of the estates mentioned in such notice. In default of appearance of any such person, the Collector shall issue and serve a notice calling on him to appear at a date and place therein mentioned, and to show cause against being included in the order of apportionment to be made therein, and shall adjourn the inquiry till such date.

Apportionment amongst zemindars.

44. At such or any subsequently adjourned inquiry, the Collector, if there be only one estate liable, shall charge the zemindar thereof with the total amount payable; and if there be two or more estates, he shall apportion the same amongst the zemindars thereof, rateably in proportion to the respective benefits derived by such estates from such works or repairs; or in proportion to the areas of the lands benefited or protected thereby, and comprised within such estates respectively; or with the sanction of the local Government in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates, if, before the passing of this Act, such proportion has been usually adopted.

Provided that the said total amount payable in respect of the embankments on the right bank of the river Gunduk shall be chargeable, in accordance with the custom in force for such estates, to the zemindars of all the estates situated in the district of Sarun, in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates.

Proviso in respect of the pergunnahs in Schedule (E.)

Provided also that the sum standing to the credit of a pergunnah in Schedule (E) in the account kept by the Collector, at the time when the total amount payable is fixed under the provisions of Section 39, shall be deducted from the total amount payable in respect of such portion of any embankment as is situated in such pergunnah; and that the zemindars of the estates situated therein shall be charged only with the balance of the amount (if any) which may remain payable.

Apportionment amongst proprietors.

45. The Collector shall, in like manner, apportion, except in respect of the said Gunduk embankments, the amount payable in respect of each estate amongst all the tenures therein rateably in the proportion of benefit so received or area so benefited or protected, first deducting therefrom such sum as, on the like principle of proportion, is payable in respect of such portion of the estate as is not included within any tenure.

Apportionment where the lands held without payment of rent, not being estates on the register of revenue-free tenures.

46. All lands held without payment of rent not being estates entered in the register of revenue-free tenures, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to form a part of the tenure within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any tenure, then to be a part of the estate within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any estate, then to be a part of such conterminous estate as the Collector, in whose district such conterminous estate is situated, shall, by an order under his seal and signature, declare.

Amount apportioned payable by instalments.

47. The amount apportioned to any estate or tenure shall be payable in equal instalments on such days as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, provided that no instalment shall exceed four annas for every acre of land in respect of which the same is payable, and that not more than four instalments shall be payable in any one year.

Interest.

Interest shall be charged on the unpaid portion of the said amount from the date of the same becoming due until payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding five per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time determine.

Final order of apportionment.

48. On the completion of the apportionment the Collector shall make an order specifying the estates and tenures, and the several sums payable in respect thereof, the instalments of such sums, and the dates on which the same are payable.

3. *Recovery thereof.*

Orders for payment.

49. The Collector shall, within thirty days from the final order of apportionment, make and serve for every estate therein mentioned an order, stating the amount with interest due in respect thereof, and that the same is payable to him, and the date or dates at which such amount or instalments thereof shall become payable to him.

Recovery from zemindars.

50. If such sum or any instalment thereof be not, pursuant to the said order, paid, the same with interest shall be recoverable as arrears of a demand under the provisions of Bengal Act VII of 1868 (*to make further provision for the recovery of arrears of land revenue and public demands recoverable as arrears of land revenue*).

Recovery by zemindars or proprietors.

51. Every zemindar or proprietor to whom any sum or instalment thereof is payable under the said order, may recover the same with interest as aforesaid in the manner provided for the recovery of arrears of rent in respect of putnee tenures by the provisions of Clauses 2 and 3 of Section 8, Sections 9, 10, 14, 15, and Clauses 1, 2, and 3 of Section 17 of Regulation VIII of 1819, as amended by Bengal Act VIII of 1865; provided that the right or interest of any person holding from the proprietor of such tenure shall not be affected by any sale held under these provisions.

PART VII.

Miscellaneous.

Penalty for obstructing persons in exercise of powers of Act.

52. Whoever wilfully obstructs any person duly authorized under this Act in removing or levelling any embankment, house, hut, or other building, or in the lawful exercise of any of the powers in this Act conferred, shall, in case such obstruction shall not amount to an offence within the provisions of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for any period not exceeding six months, at the discretion of the Magistrate, or to fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, commutable, if not paid, to a period of imprisonment not exceeding six months.

Penalty on unauthorized interference with embankments or drainage.

53. Every person who, without the previous permission of the Engineer, shall erect, or cause or wilfully permit to be erected, any new embankment, or shall obstruct or divert, or cause or wilfully permit to be obstructed or diverted, any watercourse, if such embankment or watercourse is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede, any public embankment or any public watercourse, or shall abet any such act, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or in default of payment, to imprisonment of either description for a period not exceeding six months.

Penalties for injuring works under Act.

54. No person shall, without due authority, cut through, or attempt to cut through, any public embankment, or destroy, or attempt to destroy any such embankment, or open or shut, or obstruct any sluice in any such embankment, or any public watercourse; and every person who shall commit any breach of the provisions of this section shall, in case the act shall not amount to mischief within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding one month, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Penalties for diverting rivers or permitting cattle to graze on embankments.

55. Every person who shall make any dam or other obstruction for the purpose of diverting or opposing the current of a river, wherein or whereon there are public embankments, without the permission of the officer in immediate charge of the embankments, or shall refuse or neglect to remove any such dam or obstruction when so required by the Engineer, or shall cut or otherwise alter the banks of any embanked river, or shall remove the earth from any public embankment, or shall drive stakes into it, or by any other wilful act destroy or diminish the efficiency of such embankment; and every person who shall cause or knowingly and wilfully permit any cattle to graze upon any such embankment, or shall tether, or cause or wilfully permit any cattle to be tethered upon any such embankment, or who shall root up any grass or other vegetation growing on any such embankment, shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Obstructions to be removed and damage repaired.

56. Whenever any person is convicted of an offence under either of the three last preceding sections, the convicting Magistrate may order that he shall remove the embankment or obstruction, or repair the damage, in respect of which the conviction is held, within a period to be fixed in such order. If such person neglects or refuses to obey such order within the fixed period, the Engineer may remove such embankment or obstruction or repair such damage, and the cost of such removal or repair shall be levied from such person in addition to any other penalty in the manner provided in Section 307 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Service.

57. Every proclamation, notice or order in and by this Act required to be served may, unless when otherwise provided, be served—

(1) by delivering a copy of the same to the person to whom it is directed, or on failure of such service by posting a copy on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person resides, or by delivering a copy to any agent authorized to appear generally for the person to whom such proclamation, notice or order is directed; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing a copy of such proclamation, notice or order directed to the said person at his usual place of abode, or at the place where he may be known to reside; or

(3) by posting a copy of the proclamation, notice or order at the mal-cutcherry of the estate, village or tenure to which the same relates; or if no such mal-cutcherry be found, on some conspicuous place on the said estate, village or tenure, and by delivering, in the case of estates paying their annual revenue by four instalments, another copy thereof to the agent who shall have paid an instalment of revenue next before or after the preparation of such proclamation, notice or order. In all cases where two or more persons are holders of an estate, village or tenure service under this clause shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service on each and all of such persons.

No proceedings to be impeached for want of form.

58. No proceedings under this Act shall be impeached or affected by reason of any mistake in the name of any person thereby rendered liable to pay any sum of money, or in the description of any estate or tenure or land in respect of which he is rendered liable to pay; provided the directions of this Act be in substance and effect complied with; and no proceedings under this Act shall for want of form be quashed or set aside in any Court of Justice.

Appeal from orders made on objection.

59. Every order passed by the Collector in respect to applications under Section 4, Clauses 6 and 7, or under Sections 8, 39, and 48, shall be appealable to the Commissioner of Revenue, and every order of the Commissioner, except when otherwise directed by this Act, shall be appealable to the Board of Revenue, but no appeal shall lie under this section against any order unless the same be presented within one month from the date of the order.

Orders to be final.

60. Subject to the right of appeal above-mentioned and to the order and control of Government, every order passed under the provisions aforesaid shall be final, and shall not be open to revision by any Civil Court.

Powers on inquiry and appeal.

61. In any inquiry or appeal held under this Act, the Collector and the Commissioner shall respectively have the same powers

as those conferred on Courts by the Code of Civil Procedure of summoning and examining witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

General control of Commissioner and Government.

62. All the powers of a Collector under this Act shall be exercised under the general control and orders of the Commissioner of the Division, and all the powers of Collectors and Commissioners shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Board of Revenue and of the Government.

Disposal of lands no longer required for embankments.

63. Whenever the maintenance of any public embankment, or the retention of any land appropriated to the purposes thereof, may no longer be required, and the permanent relinquishment of the same may be deemed expedient, such land shall be conveyed by the Collector to the proprietor of the land, within the limits of which it may be situated, on payment of the compensation, if any, which was paid for such land when the same was taken for the purpose of the embankment. If the proprietor of such lands refuse or neglect to pay such price within a reasonable time after demand, the same shall be sold by the Collector for such price as he can obtain for the same. All sums obtained for the conveyance of lands under the provisions of this section shall, after the payment of all expenses incurred on account of the same, be applied to the payment of the cost of any new embankment or drainage works affecting the said lands, and in such case the residue only of the cost of such new works shall be charged upon the zemindars of estates benefited as hereinbefore provided.

Collector may delegate any of his powers to a Deputy Collector.

64. A Collector may delegate any of his powers under this Act to a Deputy Collector, but from any order passed by a Deputy Collector to whom powers have been so delegated, an appeal shall lie to the Collector if presented within thirty days of the date of the order.

Jurisdiction.

65. All offences created by this Act shall be inquired into and tried by a Magistrate of the first or second class.

Saving of Bengal Act V of 1871.

66. Nothing in this Act shall affect the provisions of "the Hooghly and Burdwan Drainage Act 1871."

SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

SCHEDULE A.—(*Referred to in Section* 5.)

All persons interested are hereby required to take notice that it is my intention to [*here state the nature of the work to be undertaken*] for the purpose of [*state the purpose*]. For the execution of this work the undermentioned land will be required to be taken up:—

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Area of land.

Plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed work, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the villages of the various estates likely to be affected by the said work, are open for inspection by any interested person at this office who is allowed to take copies thereof.

The total probable cost of such work will be the sum of Rs. , and the rate per acre of the area benefited or protected by the said work is estimated at Rs. .

The following estates and villages will probably be affected by the work proposed [*here set out a list of the estates and villages*]:

Any person interested and desirous of showing cause against the execution of the works specified, is hereby required to appear before the Collector for that purpose on the day of

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE B.—(*Referred to in Section* 12.)

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the land hereunder specified has been taken up and notice thereof has been given to the Collector of

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Approximate boundaries and area of land.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE C.—(*Referred to in Section* 26.)

All persons interested are required to take notice that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the Collector of has taken possession on account of the Government of [*here state particulars of the land taken*], and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land must be made to the Collector. All persons having any such claims are therefore required to appear personally or by agent on day of at , and to state the nature of their respective interests in such land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE D.—(*Referred to in Sections* 34, 35, *and* 40.)

No. 1.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Isnagore to Kola.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 3 miles 4,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Isnagore of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kola in the said pergunnah.

No. 2.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Chota Roopram to Narooa.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 4 miles 770 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Chota Roopram of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Narooa in the said pergunnah.

No. 3.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Srirampore to Ganchia.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 7 miles 2,686 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Srirampore of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ganchia in the said pergunnah.

No. 4.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Kursi to Kulakuri.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 6 miles 5,265 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Kursi of Pergunnah Bogrée, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kulakuri in the said pergunnah.

No. 5.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Bagputta to Radhachuck.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 20 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bagputta of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Radhachuck of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 6.

Left Embankment of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers, 5 miles 250 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Ramnagur of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gasna of Pergunnah Jehanabad.

No. 7.

Right Embankment of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers, 6 miles 3,200 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Digra of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sowey of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 8.

Left Embankment on the Bukhshi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Bukhshi Khall, 6 miles 4,330 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bukhshi of Pergunnah Karijee Mundleghaut, and near the junction of the Roopnarain River and Bukhshi Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gyghattee in the said pergunnah where the Gyghattee Khall leaves the Damoodah.

No. 9.

Right Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the River Roopnarain, 29 miles 2,373 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground distant 57 feet south-east by compass from the Machnan masonry sluice on the right bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, in the village of Machnan of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the zero mile-post on the bank of the Tidal Canal, Reach I. This mile-post bears 500 feet south-west by compass from the Canal Toll-house, in the village of Camalpore of Pergunnah Mysadul.

No. 10.

Right Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,410 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 187 feet west of a temple on the Tumlook Road, in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 11.

Left Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,370 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, and on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 12.

Right Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 3,430 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soodhapore of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 675 feet east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice, in the village of Syedpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 13.

Left Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 1,670 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Mysda of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 170 feet north-east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice

on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, in the village of Rogonathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 14.

Right Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 3,990 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar, in the village of Jasamnathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 15.

Left Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 1,690 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Hugla in the said pergunnah.

No. 16.

Right Embankment on the Doobachutty Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Doobachutty Khall, 1 mile 3,510 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at a distance of 550 feet north north-east of the Bhoodah Factory Chimney in the village of Bhoodah of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 57 feet south-east of the Machnan masonry sluice, in the village of Machnan in the said pergunnah.

No. 17.

Mohunkhally Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 28 miles 3,258 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the village of Kooltigree where the Mohunkhally River runs into the Roopnarain River, and passing along the right bank of the Mohunkhally River through the villages of Joligunsam, Seetapore, Manoo to Basantopore, where the Mohunkhally and Doobachutty Rivers bifurcate, thence skirting the left bank of the Doobachutty River it passes through the villages of Shahpore, Bosorepore, and Barmogria to Kachara, thence skirting the Roopnarain, right bank, it passes through the village of Doodcoura and Bagchina, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 18.

Pannah Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 9 miles 3,640 feet more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its junction with the Cossye River near a temple, in the village of Bargobindoo, Pergunnah Barda. It passes through the villages of Baramdi and Rancebazar on the left bank of the Selye River and then along the right bank of the Kanta Khall through the villages of Bhaugadow, Parna, Barandijheel, Tubli and Dhurmpore, and terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 19.

Ghattal Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 10 miles 1,850 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its bifurcation with the Argor River, and passing along the *left* bank of the Selye River and through the villages of Srirampore, Bassodebpore, and Singpore, it skirts the right bank of the Argora Khall through the villages of Ramchunderpore, Rogonathchuck and others, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 20.

Sheikpore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 5,108 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the bifurcation of the Rivers Sankra and Jhoomee in the village of Sheikpore of Pergunnah Boyrah, and passing along the left bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Srimantpore, Anandopore, and Thakooranchuck, thence along the right bank of the Sankra River through the villages of Nursingchuck, Koolat, Goozrat, and others, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 21.

Khashar Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 5 miles 5,240 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the point of bifurcation of the Jhoomee and Amada Rivers in the village of Lalchuck, Pergunnah Barda, and passing along the right bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Parbuttichuck, Prosadchuck, and Joybag, and thence along the left bank of the Amada River through the villages of Khashar, Sewoi, and Lalchuck, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 22.

Chetooa Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 45 miles 1,420 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and Mohunkhally Khall in the village of Moishgatta, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and passing along the left bank of the Mohunkhally Khall through the villages of Dukinbar, Gowreechuck, Gobindnuggur, and Bosuntopore, thence along the left bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Kola, Mohcshpore, Gocoolnuggur and Islampore, thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the villages of Soorutpore, Rogonathpore, and Konagore to the junction of the Selye and Roopnarain Rivers at Protabpore, and thence along the right bank of the Roopnarain River through the villages of Hurrishpore, Joleconaram, Raneechuck, and Gopeegunge, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 23.

Doosaspore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 2,350 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the right bank of the Cossye River, distant 704 feet and bearing 20° from the Doosaspore sluice in the

village of Dossaspore of Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the right bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Nobinbasdeopore, Koonjpore, Mohespore, Telondee, and Brickobanupore, thence passing along the left bank of the Petooa Khall through the villages of Futtehpore, Godyepore, and Dhamkola, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Kritibaspore, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 24.

Narajole Embankment.

This is an embankment 7 miles 1,735 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye river in the village of Samat, Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the left bank of the Cossye River to the village of Mudunmohunpore, and thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the village of Ramdebpore, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Chandikhally, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 25.

Bindabunchuck Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Bindabunchuck, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and running along the *right* bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 26.

Dhangaria Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 2,520 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Dhangaria, Pergunnah Jehanabad, and running along the *left* bank of the Roopnarain River, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 27.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 7 miles 3,980 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Gourbazar of Pergunnah Sheregarh, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Toomnee Khall with the Adjai River in the village of Kejladee of Pergunnah Shanpaharee.

No. 28.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 4 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground near a masonry sluice near the junction of the Toomnee and Balpaharee Khalls in the village of Bistopore of Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Urjunboonee in the said pergunnah.

No. 29.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 11 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Satkonea, Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sagurposta of Pergunnah Gopeebhoom.

No. 30.

Left Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Adjai River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Singhee of Pergunnah Azmutshahi, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bamoonea in the said pergunnah.

No. 31.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 4,488 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sadipore of Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 32.

Left Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Damoodah River, 107 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sillia, Pergunnah Champanuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Allipore of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 33.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Lakea, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bergang in the said pergunnah.

No. 34.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 3,828 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bulrampore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 35.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the villlage of Zangirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Srekistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 36.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 18 miles,

more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Oozirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Dehi Barsut of Pergunnah Barsut.

No. 37.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 29 miles 3,560 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Gyghattee Khall with the Damoodah River in the village of Gyghattee, Pergunnah Arsa, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Roopnarain and Hughli Rivers at the 32nd milepost on the Roopnarain left embankment in the village of Magrapathur of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 38.

Left Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Roopnarain, 31 miles 3,762 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and the Bakhsee Khall in the village of Bakhsee, Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Hughli and Roopnarain Rivers at the 32nd milepost of the Roopnarain embankment in the village of Magrapathur, Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 39.

This is a continuous line of embankment 41 miles and 155 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Khodalgobra, Pergunnah Birkul, and running generally parallel with the coast line of the Bay of Bengal, terminates at a masonry pillar on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal.

No. 40.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal, and running along the right bank of the Russulpore River as far as the Contai and Tumlook Road, and thence along the right bank of the Serpai River, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta.

No. 41.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Russulpore River, 2 miles 4,868 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Sanberia, Pergunnah Bahirimutta.

No. 42.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Serpai River as far as the village of Kessoorkunda on the Contai and Midnapore Road, and thence in a northerly direction to Chowmook on the Bagdah River, and thence along the right bank of the Balliaghye Khall to the east of the Dhoobdia Jheel, terminates at a masonry pillar on the sand ridge in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi.

No. 43.

This is a continuous line of embankment 17½ miles, more or less, in length. It commences at the great sea dyke, east of the Peechabunnee sluice, on the left bank of the Peechabunnee Khall, and running along the said bank as far as the masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi, and thence along the right bank, terminates at the great sea dyke west of the Peechabunnee sluice.

No. 44.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Bagdah River, 3 miles 2,528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Astichuck, Pergunnah Paharpore.

No. 45.

This is a continuous line of embankment 95 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the left bank of the Iktiarpore Khall to its junction with the Madakhally River, thence running along the left bank of the Madakhally River to the Chowdachoolee Inspection Bungalow at the confluence of the Russulpore River and the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall, thence running along the left bank of the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall to its embouchure in the Bay of Bengal, thence running parallel to the coast line as far as the mouth of the River Huldee, thence following the right bank of this river as far as the junction of the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers, and lastly running along the right bank of the Kaliaghye River, terminates at a masonry pillar at the village of Nilkantapore, Pergunnah Jalamutta.

No. 46.

This is a continuous line of embankment 5 miles, more or less, in length on the right bank of the Kaliaghye River. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Kharan, Pergunnah Pataspore, and terminates at another masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 47.

This is a circuit embankment 34 miles 1,000 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground near the Barju Ghaut in the village of Barju, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the right bank of the Madakhally River, the left bank of the Bagdah River, and the right bank of the Chackbowani Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Barju, Simulbari, Dismila, Khamgara, Idalpore, Kalurathari, Lischintar, Ullalbara, Koniabar, Bhastagara, Khala Kalkadari, Sundarpore, Mallickpore, Ballabpore, Sukakhola, Udaypore, Gopalpore, Baro Adapore, Tamlapura, Chakbata, Calsai, Culbaria, Chakmathuri, Chakahabani Bhayrabdari, South Chando, Manglepore, Dakhindara, Partabdigi, Bamanbasan, Sitadigi, Kistanuggur, Panesoori, Sardabar, Mathura, Chakrosal Khacura, Mangalchuck,

Tonabila, Arjamuggur, Purulia, Mahesda, Khamgara, Malda, Barjee, and Pergunnahs Narnamutta, Kismat Pataspore, Kismat Danto, Kharaig, Fattabjhan, Pataspore, and Bhatgar.

No. 48.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,541 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall in the village of Naturea, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and passing through the villages of Udbadal, Champainuggur, Conasdigi, Nathara, Khatmari, Etabaria, Naudigi, Manikjar, Hasgoria, Manikjor Basdebbaria, Patarbara, Pergunnah Narnamutta, terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 49.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,525 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Iktiarpore Khall, Madakhally River, and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Iktiarpore Khall in the village of Rogonathchuk, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Madakhally River, left bank of the Udbadal Khall, and right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Udbadal, Patna, Dumurdari, Podutardi, South Biada, Ichhapore, Pauchgaria, Bhupatinuggur, Rogonathchuck, Nandichuck, Khorinet, Gobindapore, Jogomohunpore, Champainuggur, Kanjadapore, Udbadal, and the Pergunnahs of Narnamutta and Koaal.

No. 50.

This is a continuous line of embankment 3 miles 3,255 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at a pillar in the village of Radhapore, Pergunnah Erinch.

No. 51.

This is a circuit embankment 7 miles 2,735 feet, more or less, in length, between the Kaliaghye River and the Bagui Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Kaliaghye River with the Bagui Khall in the village of Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, and passing through the villages of Gocóolpore, Gholahat, Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 52.

This is a circuit embankment 20 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the south side of the junction of the Thalputti Khall with the Russulpore River in the village of Gumgar, Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee, and running along the left bank of the Russulpore River to its confluence with the sea, then following the coast line to the embouchure of the Thalputti Khall in the Bay of Bengal, and thence running along the south bank of the Thalputti Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Gorabar, Debichuck, Dandchuck, Katka, Sampore, Baga, Padurbaria, Neuapata, Mohendranuggur, Kolagachia, Pauchbari, Osilchuck, Honabaria, Orukbaria, Salconda, Sahibchuck, Bamenchuck, Barabari, Phulbari and Mulichuck, all in the Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee.

No. 53.

This is a continuous line of embankment 60 miles 4,110 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye River in the village of Bargoda, Pergunnah Tumlook, and running along the left bank of the Cossye and Huldee Rivers to the confluence of the latter with the River Hooghly, and thence along the right bank of the Hooghly and Roopnarain Rivers, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Banka, about one-fourth of a mile north of a Hindu temple, on the left bank of the Banka Khall.

No. 54.

This is a circuit embankment 12 miles 2,5[illegible]0 feet, more or less, in length, situated between the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the said rivers, and running along the left bank of the Kaliaghye River and the right bank of the Cossye River, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Murso, Nonakhari, Lachanpore, Narkuldi, Soonabhoy, Asnan, Chaundibarya, Machodal, Kholakhally, Kalkadari, Pauchpukhiria, Kistochuck, and Salugaria, all in the Pergunnah Tumlook.

No. 55.

Rampore Beauleah old Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 17,700 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kasubpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar to be fixed at the village Tallamuree, Pergunnah Laskarpore.

No. 56.

Rampore Beauleah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 8,180 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Bolanpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kudulkuttee, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, where it joins the road to Dinagepore.

No. 57.

Maldah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Mahanuddy River, 11,519 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kootubpore, Pergunnah Ameerabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Moheshpore, Pergunnah Vatra.

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No. 58.

Left Embankment on the River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the River Hooghly, 5 miles 4,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at

Munneekhalee Khall at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Juggonnathnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of the Hooghly River and Churrial Khall.

No. 59.

Right bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Churrial Khall, 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Meejghur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of Hooghly River and Churrial Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ghurbanmonea, on the north bank of Churrial Khall near the junction of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road.

No. 60.

Left bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Churrial Khall, 3,280 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore near the junction of left bank of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village of Joychundeepore near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall.

No. 61.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 19 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore, near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall, and continues along the left bank of Hooghly River to Poojallee Khall, on both sides of Poojallee Khall, between the River Hooghly and the road leading from Calcutta to Atcheepore, and again down the left bank of the River Hooghly to the right bank of Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 62.

Right bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta, on the north side of the khall near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Fulta Khall in the village of Soharah.

No. 63.

Left bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,360 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Fulta Khall, in the village of Bosoodeapore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 64.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 11 miles 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemoolgunge, on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River.

No. 65.

Right bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 3,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemulgunge on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the khall in the village of Durree Govindpore.

No. 66.

Left bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 4,800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, in the village of Jungalparah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Ramchundernuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall.

No. 67.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 3 miles 2,260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Ramchunderpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 68.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 7 miles 3,100 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek in the village of Dearnah.

No. 69.

Left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 6 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Dearnah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 70.

Left bank of the Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 71.

Right bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Janikeeganee.

No. 72.

Left bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Gourypore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durgannuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 73.

Left bank of River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durgannuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore.

No. 74.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 8 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore, and terminates at a masonry pillar near the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore.

No. 75.

Right bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah.

No. 76.

Left bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, 9 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee.

No. 77.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 26 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant.

No. 78.

Right Bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 602 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, near a drainage sluice.

No. 79.

Left bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 2,040 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Kamaratha.

No. 80.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 19 miles, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Kharee Khall, in the village of Kamaratha, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee.

No. 81.

Right bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Pealee River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee.

No. 82.

Right bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Soorjipore, or Puschunbahum Khall, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee, and terminates at Puschunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah.

No. 83.

Left bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Soorjipore or Puschunbahum Khall, 4 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a Puchunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall, in the village of Ramnuggur.

No. 84.

Right bank of the Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left side of Pealee River, 9 miles 2,160 feet, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall in the village of Ramnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Saungur, near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 85.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 3 miles 3,960 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River in Soonderbun lot, No. 45, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Baugmaree Khall, in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River with Baugmaree Khall.

No. 86.

Left bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Baugmaree Khall, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River and Baugmaree Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Ath Ramdhur.

No. 87.

Right bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right side of Baugmaree Khall, 1 mile 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Koolauree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe.

No. 88.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Pealee River, 4 miles 2,460 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Povan, about a quarter of a mile north of the Calcutta and South-Eastern Railway.

No. 89.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Shrikishenpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 90.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhurree River, in the village of Balleahpore, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the same river near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 91.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 2 miles 3,120 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar near the junction of the Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers, in the village of Saungur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near its junction with Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur.

No. 92.

South side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous embankment on south side of Tolly's Canal, 10 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, near the junction of Biddiadhuree River and Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the south side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Kurramabad.

No. 93.

North side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the north side of Tolly's Canal, 2 miles 4,020 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the north side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Nowabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the jungle in the village of Tehooraha.

No. 94.

Bhagirutlee Embankments.

This is a line of disconnected embankment on the left bank of the Bhagirutlee River, extending from Plassey Bazar, Pergunnah Plassey, District Nuddea, to Dadmootee, Pergunnah Rokunpore, district Moorshedabad, a distance of about 93 miles.

No. 95.

Katchekuta Embankment.

This is a continuous line of embankment about 4,000 feet in length on the right bank of the Matabbanga River. It commences in the village of Luckimpore, Pergunnah Bajpore, District Nuddea, and terminates at the bottom of the new cut opposite the village of Radhakantpore, in the same pergunnah and district.

SCHEDULE E.—*(Referred to in sections 36 and 44.)*

Pergunnah.	District.	Amount of contribution.
		Rs A. P.
Futtehsingh ...	Moorshedabad ...	1,706 10 8
Rokunpore ...	Ditto ...	1,466 2 0

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Sixth Publication.]

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in a month :—

A Bill to provide for the Voluntary Registration of Mahomedan Marriages and Divorces.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the voluntary registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces within the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; and whereas it is expedient that Registrars of such marriages and divorces should be recognised and licensed by the Local Government, it is enacted as follows :—

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to issue a license to any person being a Mahomedan, either by name or as holding any office for the time being, authorising him to act as Registrar of Mahomedan marriages and divorces.

2. Such licenses may be given on the recommendation of the Magistrate of the district, or in Calcutta, of the Commissioner of Police, to any member of any Mahomedan sect who can show that he is usually resorted to as a professional witness in such cases by his co-religionists, or that he has practised the duties of Kazi, and that he is well versed in Mahomedan law, provided always that satisfactory evidence is produced of his being a person of good moral character.

3. No Mahomedan marriage or divorce which would otherwise be valid shall be held to be invalid merely by reason of its not having been registered before a Registrar licensed under this Act.

4. Each licensed Registrar under this Act shall keep a Register Book in a form to be laid down by the Local Government in which he shall enter all marriages and divorces,—the parties to which shall desire to have them so registered. He shall also, if requested at the time, give an extract of any entry affecting them to either of the parties to such entry.

5. The entry of any marriage or divorce in the Register Book shall be signed by the Registrar, and signed, sealed, or marked by the persons married or divorced, and shall be attested by at least two credible witnesses who were present at the ceremony, and every such entry shall be made in order from the beginning to the end of the book, and any extract of any entry given to the parties shall be numbered to correspond with the number of the entry in the Register Book, and shall be authenticated by signature of the Registrar.

6. The Registrar shall keep safely the said Register Book until the same shall be filled, and shall then, or if he shall leave the district, make over the same to the District Registrar of Assurances for safe custody.

7. Any Registrar who shall discover any error to have been committed in the form or substance of any such entry may, within one month next after the discovery of such error, in the presence of the parties married, or divorced, or in case of their death or absence, in the presence of two other credible witnesses, who shall respectively

attest the same, correct the erroneous entry according to the truth of the case by entry in the margin without any alteration of the original entry, and shall sign the marginal entry, and add thereunto the day of the month and year when such correction shall be made, and shall if possible give or cause to be delivered a corrected copy of the extract to the parties to the original entry.

8. Every Registrar shall at all reasonable times, and on the payment of such fees as may be agreed upon, search or permit search to be made in any such Register Books, and shall give a copy under his hand of any entry or entries in the same.

9. Every certified extract of any entry in any Register Book purporting to be signed by the licensed Registrar, shall be received as evidence of the marriage or divorce purporting to be so entered or of the facts purporting to be so certified therein, without further proof of such Register Book or extract, unless and until the genuineness of such entry or extract or the truth of the facts set out in it be disproved.

10. Whoever shall wilfully destroy or injure or cause to be destroyed or injured any such Register Book or any part thereof, or any such authenticated extract as aforesaid, or shall wilfully insert or cause to be inserted any false entry in any such Register Book or authenticated extract, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to seven years, and shall also be liable to fine.

11. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to draw up rules and prescribe forms for giving effect to the provisions of this Act, and to charge a fee not exceeding Rs. 2 for each license granted under the Act, provided always that no rule shall be laid down to interfere with the taking by any licensed Registrar from the parties to any marriage or divorce of any fee, which custom or his position may entitle him to demand.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The attention of the Government has for some time past been drawn to the increasing number of offences against marriage shown in the criminal returns, especially in the eastern and Mahomedan districts. The remarkably small number of convictions obtained in such cases taken together with their increasing numbers, seemed to indicate the existence of a grievance which the Criminal Courts are at present unable to redress. Inquiry has proved that this is in fact the case. The loose notions regarding the marriage tie prevalent among the lower orders of Mahomedans lead to the frequent institution of criminal charges, while the absence of any authorized system of registration of marriage and divorce (since the office of Kazi ceased to be recognized by law) makes it difficult to furnish the amount of proof which the Criminal Courts require to warrant their taking action.

It appears to the Government that the legal recognition of an authorized system of registering Mahomedan marriages and divorces will go far to supply the existing want, and this Bill provides such a system. The Registrar will, as regards such registration, take the place which was filled by the old Kazis, and certified copies of extracts from his register are made *primâ facie* proof of the facts recited therein. But the registration of marriages and divorces is left optional with the parties concerned, and all questions of remuneration are left to be settled between the Registrar and the parties who avail themselves of his services.

H. L. DAMPIER.

The 29th November 1873.

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Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

Saturday, the 20th December 1873.

Present:

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL, *presiding*.
The Hon'ble G. C. PAUL, *Acting Advocate-General*.
The Hon'ble V. H. SCHALCH,
The Hon'ble H. L. DAMPIER,
The Hon'ble LORD ULICK BROWNE,
The Hon'ble C. E. BERNARD,
The Hon'ble MOULVY ABDOOL LUTEEF, KHAN BAHADOOR,
The Hon'ble T. M. ROBINSON,
The Hon'ble RAJAH JOTEENDRO MOHUN TAGORE, BAHADOOR,
The Hon'ble BABOO DIGUMBER MITTER,
and
The Hon'ble B. D. COLVIN.

EMIGRATION TO THE LABOR DISTRICTS.

THE further consideration of the Bill to amend the law relating to the emigration of laborers to the districts of Assam, Cachar and Sylhet, and to regulate contract labor and service, in order to the settlement of its clauses, was resumed.

THE HON'BLE THE ADVOCATE-GENERAL said he had to move a few verbal amendments in order to render the terms of the Act homogeneous, namely, to express, as far as possible, throughout the Bill the same idea by the same words. The first amendment he had to move was a verbal one, to substitute the word "contracts" for "a contract" in line 4 of Section 3.

The motion was agreed to.

The following amendments were also made on the motion of the Advocate-General :—

In Section 7, line 5, the words "and executed according to the provisions of" were substituted for "in accordance with."

In Section 49, line 13, "a depôt in a place approved of" were substituted for "the depôt registered": depôts not being registered but approved of under Section 35.

In Section 109, line 5, the word "are" was inserted after "or any of them," to complete the grammatical construction of the sentence.

In Section 122, which was a new section, there were two kinds of seizure of deserters spoken of. The term "apprehend" was used where an employer apprehended a deserter upon his own motion under the provisions of the law. The term "arrest" was used where the apprehension was made under a warrant. The words "or arrested" were, on the motion of the Advocate-General inserted after "apprehended" throughout the 5th clause of the section so as to make it more clear that the fine might be imposed or the compensation awarded in both classes of cases, that was to say, where either the apprehension or arrest was made without sufficient cause.

The first clause of Section 5 stood as follows:

"Every contract made with an emigrant, and all arrear of wages due under any such contract, and all fines imposed on any employer under the provisions of this Act, shall be a charge on the lands upon which such laborer has been engaged to work."

THE HON'BLE THE ADVOCATE-GENERAL said it was quite obvious that the word "emigrant" there used meant a laborer as defined under the Bill. The emigrant became a laborer after he got up to the tea districts. He did not think it was intended to give emigrants contracting outside the Act a lien on the estate: such a person would have whatever rights he acquired under his contract outside the Act. The Advocate-General moved the substitution of "laborer" for "emigrant" in line 1.

HIS HONOR THE PRESIDENT said there was no doubt that the amendment which the Advocate-General proposed was somewhat confusing; but inasmuch as the words "every contract made with an emigrant" would operate only as regards emigrants outside the Act under one-year contracts, the section as it stood would not apply to the ordinary laborers under the Act. The result of the amendment would be to put contracts made outside the Act on the footing of any other ordinary contract. HIS HONOR'S only doubt was whether there might not be some obscurity involved in the section as proposed to be amended, because under the definition a man was an emigrant until he arrived in the labor districts.

THE HON'BLE THE ADVOCATE-GENERAL said the contract was made with an "emigrant." When he got up to the labor districts he became a "laborer." As was suggested to the Advocate-General by the Hon'ble Member on his right (Mr. Dampier), the section might be made clearer by using the words "any contract made under the provisions of this Act," it not being the intention to give contracts made outside the Act any privileges or rights beyond what would be given to them under the law. But if the language of the section was allowed to stand as it was, emigrants with contracts for one year would acquire certain rights and claims upon the land. If an emigrant by his contract got a lien upon the land, well and good; but if he did not get it by the law, he would not get it by this section. The amendments which the Advocate-General would propose in lieu of what he had previously moved, would be as follow:

In line 1 to substitute the words "every contract made according to the provisions of this Act" for "every contract made with an emigrant."

In lines 7 and 8 to substitute the words "any person has been engaged to labor under such contract" for "such laborer has been engaged to work."

In clause 2, line 3, to substitute "person" for "laborer."

His Honor the President said, by the amendments now proposed any laborer under a free contract would not become a special charge upon the land. His position would not depend upon the special provisions of Section 5. It was proposed that a free contract should fall under the operation of the ordinary law, and not under this section.

The motion was then agreed to.

Verbal amendments were, on the motion of the Advocate-General, made in Sections 15 and 78, and in the note to schedule (A).

His Honor the President moved that in Section 89, in the last line but one, the figures "78" be inserted after "76," and in the last line the figures "83" be inserted after "82"; the effect of the amendments would be that the section as amended would run thus:—

"The Magistrate of a district, or of a division of a district, may depute any subordinate Magistrate to exercise the powers and authorities conferred, and perform the duties imposed on a Magistrate under the provisions of Sections 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, and 88."

He might mention that the judicial powers of Magistrates under this Act were entrusted only to Magistrates of the higher grades, those exercising the powers of Magistrates of the 1st and 2nd classes; but under the provisions of this section certain powers which did not require to be exercised by high judicial officers—the executive powers of inspection of vessels and such like, might be deputed by superior Magistrates to subordinate Magistrates of any class. In order to render this procedure uniform His Honor proposed to add these two sections, which were on all fours with the other sections in the list, and to make the rule complete under which certain duties, and certain duties only, could be executed by any subordinate officer who was deputed for the purpose by his superior officer.

The motion was agreed to.

On the motion of the President, verbal amendments were made in Section 122 and in the note to schedule (A).

His Honor the President said, it had been pointed out to him that in some cases it would be inconvenient if a steamer were detained unnecessarily during six hours of daylight at every station in which a Magistrate was posted. We hoped to render the transit of steamers on the Berhampooter more rapid than at present. It might be that a halting station was not a Magistrate's station, and it would be necessary to halt again on reaching the Magistrate's post. We thought it necessary that the Magistrate should have the power proposed of inspecting these emigrant vessels; but it did not seem necessary that practically a whole day should be lost in all cases. We therefore proposed the insertion of certain words which would give a discretion to Magistrates. The first part of the section, with the addition of the words proposed, would read thus:

"Every licensed vessel carrying emigrants shall stop at every place in which a Magistrate is stationed intermediate between the places of embarkation and disembarkation of such emigrants, and shall remain during not less than six hours of daylight, *unless the Magistrate shall permit an earlier departure.*"

The consequence of the amendment would be that, when everything was in order, the Magistrate might go on board for half an hour, and if satisfied that everything was right, might allow the vessel to proceed on its voyage.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon'ble the Advocate-General moved that the Bill as amended be passed.

The Hon'ble Mr. Robinson said, before the final vote was taken on this Bill, he would trouble the Council with a very few words. On the introduction of the Bill a desire was expressed by him, on behalf of the Tea interest, that ample time should be given for the consideration of the Bill, and full enquiries made upon the effect of the many alterations proposed by it. He was now anxious to say that the promise that was made at that time by the Government that that should be the case had been most fully and completely fulfilled. No Bill that had ever been before the Council had taken, he believed, so long a time to pass,

or had received such ample discussion, or in regard to which so much and such a variety of information had been collected from both official and non-official sources, as in regard to this Bill. And he rejoiced the more that that had been the case, because he thought it must be admitted that the enquiries that had been made tended to show that the planters as a body had treated their laborers fairly and humanely, and had shown every disposition to act in accordance with the law in all matters connected with their business. The Bill, like all Bills, had been finally settled by a series of compromises, and as it would now be passed, he thought that these compromises, having been made in a spirit of fairness, had brought it into a state equitable to the interests concerned. He thought that every question that had been raised had been fully and fairly considered, and there had been every disposition on the part of the Government to consult the interests both of planters and coolies. He trusted that, in the course of a few years, legislation of this kind would be no longer necessary for the Tea districts; that their condition would be so changed that the execution and enforcement of contracts might safely be left to the operation of the ordinary law of the land. Meantime, he earnestly hoped that there would be no further legislation on this subject, which had been now so often and carefully discussed, and that no measure relating to it would again be brought before this or the Supreme Council, unless it was the introduction of a short Act to repeal this Bill entirely.

His Honor the President said, before putting the question to the vote, he thought it right that he should, on the part of the Government, express the very great gratification with which he had listened to the observations of the Hon'ble Member. We did value extremely the testimony that he had been good enough to bear as to the fairness and fullness with which the questions which had been raised had been discussed. His Honor was glad that the Hon'ble Member had been good enough to bear testimony to the fact that ample opportunity for full discussion by all parties had been given. He trusted they had now, by the labors of the Committee and the Council, and more especially by the labors of the learned Advocate-General, who was in charge of this Bill, arrived at a conclusion satisfactory to all parties. He took it that he might receive the expression of opinion which the Hon'ble Member had now given as a testimony to the belief of those whom he represented, as it was our belief, that the compromises to which we had arrived at were the best compromises which the wisdom of this Council could devise; and so far as human foresight could foresee, we hoped that they would work well. His Honor thoroughly endorsed what the Hon'ble Member had said with regard to the enquiries that had been made, that they did show that the planters, as a body, had treated their coolies fairly and well; and he was sure that it was the wish of Government, and of all of us, that we should do the utmost that we could to promote this great Tea industry; to promote the development of those districts which were so lately covered with jungle; to do everything in our power to promote the welfare of these districts, the increase of tea cultivation, and the general development of the productions and the revenue of the country.

In regard to the question which had lately most occupied the attention of the Council, and which had been settled by a compromise, he was more and more sanguine that we had made a fair compromise. Assam was a long way off, and some of the opinions from that district did not arrive until a late stage of our proceedings; but he was happy to find that they went to corroborate and endorse the views the Council had arrived at. He found that in Assam, although the planters were not so sanguine as they were in Cachar, there seemed to be a general concurrence of opinion that it was desirable that free labor should, to some extent, be tried. It was suggested by several experienced planters and others that it was quite possible that free labor might sooner or later find its way into Assam. We were told that recruits for the regiments in Assam came of themselves from various parts of the North-Western Provinces, and it was suggested that when the roads which were now being opened were put into proper order, and resting and cooking-places and other conveniences for travelling provided, free labor would find its way into Assam. That would be an extremely desirable result. His Honor not only concurred in most of the obser-

vations that had been made by the Hon'ble Member, but he thoroughly concurred in the last observation, that he hoped legislation on this subject might not be further necessary. His Honor hoped and trusted that the Bill, which was now about to be passed through its final stage—if the Council should see fit to pass the Bill and it should receive the assent of the Viceroy—might suffice for some time to come, and be beneficial in its results; and he hoped that the next occasion on which legislation might be proposed, it might be in the shape the Hon'ble Member had suggested, namely, that all special legislation be brought to an end, and that the labor districts being fitted for free emigration, might be brought under the operation of the ordinary law of the land.

The motion was agreed to.

REGISTRATION OF MAHOMEDAN MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier said the Select Committee on the Bill to provide for the Voluntary Registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces was required to report within one month. But the Hon'ble Member whose knowledge was most special on the subject had only just returned to his place in Council. It would therefore be impossible to submit a report within the month, and he now asked that the Committee be allowed to report within two months of the date of appointment.

The motion was agreed to.

The Council was adjourned to a day of which notice would be given.

EMIGRATION FROM DISTRESSED DISTRICTS.

Dated Calcutta, the 1st December, 1873.

From—A. Wilson, Esq., Secretary, Landholders' and Commercial Association.
To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Statistical Department.

I am in receipt of your letter No. 3517 of 19th ultimo, regarding the impending scarcity of food in Bengal, and requesting the Association to favor His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor with any suggestions that the members may be able to make, as to the best mode of promoting emigration to the tea districts during this exceptional season, and as to the terms on which planters may be willing to bear part of the cost of importing emigrants, and agree to employ them as laborers.

2. In reply, I am directed to say that the members of the Association feel deeply the emergency of the present threatened famine, and avail themselves of this opportunity of recording with pleasure their cordial approval of the measures taken by His Honor in conjunction with the Government of India, to avert, so far as human agency can, the impending calamity.

3. After careful consideration, the committee instruct me to submit the following suggestions relative to the emigration of laborers into Assam and Cachar, as one means of relieving to some extent the famine districts of a portion of their surplus population.

4. They are of opinion that if His Honor has decided on promoting the emigration of these laborers, the first point that Government must see to and arrange for at once, is the establishment of central depôts at the principal ghauts on the rivers where steamers and boats usually call on their upward voyage, and where the laborers and their wives and families can be inspected by the planters, or their agents, desirous of employing them. Planters could not enter into any special agreements as proposed with laborers to work on their gardens, until such inspection had been held, and people fitted for the work carefully selected.

5. The committee are of opinion that efficient able-bodied men and women of the *working* class from Behar, would readily find employment on the different gardens in Assam and Cachar, on the condition that the charge per head did not exceed Rs. 15, landed at any of these central depôts referred to above, and that these special agreements between planters and laborers did not determine before the end of the tea season of 1875.

6. I am also instructed to convey to Government the opinion of the committee that an immediate and favorable settlement of the waste land rules, now in abeyance, would enable planters to assist His Honor's Government to a very much greater extent, by the employment of a larger number of people from the famine districts than they can be expected to do at present.

Many planters are now most anxiously waiting for the publication of these new rules, as in several cases, which have been brought to the notice of the Association, serious pecuniary loss has been sustained by *bonâ fide* proprietors of tea gardens, anxious to extend and improve their property, but at present unable to do so.

The committee feel it necessary to refer to His Honor's Resolution of the 25th April, 1872, in which he strongly deprecates sending any Up-country or Hindustani coolies from above Bhaugulpore as laborers to any of the tea districts, on account of their unsuitableness for work in such a climate as that of Assam and Cachar.

The opinion of the majority of planters coincides with that of His Honor, and the committee beg, therefore, that it may be had in remembrance, should any great mortality take place amongst these emigrants, that they were sent to the tea districts under the exceptional circumstances now existing, and engaged by planters with the view to assist Government in its measures for the relief of the districts most seriously threatened with distress from the failure of their crops.

No. 4092, dated Calcutta, the 22nd December, 1873.

From—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Statistical Department.
To—The Secretary to the Landholders' and Commercial Association.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st December, offering the suggestions of the Association as to the best mode of promoting emigration to the tea districts during the present season of high prices, and in reply to communicate the following observations made by the Lieutenant-Governor.

2. The last paragraph of your letter, regarding the suitability of the tea districts for Hindustani laborers, raises very important questions. It is the case that after visiting Assam in 1871 the Lieutenant-Governor did, as noticed by the Association, express grave doubts as to the suitability of the Assam climate for this class of laborers. That opinion of His Honor was based on what he heard from planters and others in Assam. The Association now say that the majority of planters coincide in that opinion, and your letter begs that this may be held in remembrance should any great mortality occur among the people whose emgration it is now proposed to promote. Such a suggestion, however, His Honor thinks, lays a very grave responsibility on the Government, and the Lieutenant-Governor has very gravely considered the matter. In consequence of the opinion which the Lieutenant-Governor had formed in 1871, a full inquiry was made into the question whether the tea districts really are unsuitable to the Hindustani constitution. There was a good deal of variety of opinion, but the general result of the opinions of those best qualified to judge and of the most experienced officers of Government, was that if these people are at once sent to remote, jungly, and unhealthy gardens, they do suffer more than other classes, especially in the first year, before they have become acclimated, and have accustomed themselves to a diet different from that they have in their own country. But there was a very general opinion that if they are put on well-cleared and healthy gardens in parts of the country well opened out, where there are bazars and markets, and are carefully acclimatised, and enabled to procure the food they like, they become very good laborers, and thrive just as well as others; and that they do very well for tea-house and such in-door work, and in the cold weather particularly, as well as any other classes of laborers.

3. It is admitted that the classification of laborers for mortuary returns is not very exact or reliable; but still, even allowing for a large margin of errors of classification, the following table seems strongly to militate against the

conclusion that in most large gardens the Hindustani laborers are more unhealthy than others. In his annual report the Commissioner of Assam wrote that—

"The percentage of deaths in 1872 according to nationality was—

Nationality of laborers.	All Assam.		Kameroop.		Bishnath.		Chardooar.		Mungledye.		Nowgong.		Upper Assam.	
	Average number.	Percentage of deaths.	Average number.	Percentage of deaths.	Average number.	Percentage of deaths.	Average number.	Percentage of deaths.	Average number.	Percentage of deaths.	Average number.	Percentage of deaths.	Average number.	Percentage of deaths.
Bengal ...	9,826·25	5·81	111·5	3·58	565·75	3·54	484·50	5·77	301·75	1·99	307·	3·25	8,057·75	5·57
Chota Nagpore	7,359·	3·54	54·	Nil	109·25	3·66	206·75	1·45	136·	3·67	229·	5·23	6,624·	3·61
North-Western Provinces ...	3,265·50	8·61	59·75	1·67	155·	5·80	313·	2·23	22·25	4·49	85·5	4·67	2,625·	3·68
Nepal ...	31·50	Nil	1	Nil	1·25	Nil	4·25	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	25·	Nil
Madras ...	131·	·52	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	13·25	7·54	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	177·75	1·12

4. The result of the inquiry made in accordance with the orders quoted by your Association was that the Lieutenant-Governor determined not to stop the emigration of people from the Up-country Hindustani districts to the tea districts. At the same time Sir George Campbell quite feels that if in this time of scarcity such emigration is specially promoted, Government must be very careful that Hindustanis from the open cultivated districts of Behar are not bound down to labor in jungly and unhealthy tea gardens. I am therefore to request that in any applications for coolies to be supplied by aided emigration, full particulars regarding the situation and character of the gardens in which they are to be employed may be furnished.

5. Looking to all the circumstances, the Lieutenant-Governor would not like to bind down laborers supplied by aided emigration for a larger term than the one year for which it is proposed to allow free contracts by the new labor districts rule. In addition to the one year the planters will have what may be called the good-will of the coolies, that is, he will have the first chance of re-engaging the people settled in his estate. As regards the proposal for the establishment of river-side depôts, I am to say that it would not be possible to import coolies and then let planters choose or reject from among them, but Government would form depôts in the districts whence they come, and where planters might send agents to satisfy themselves.

7. With reference to paragraph 6 of your letter, I am to say that the Government of India has been moved to publish the new rules for the sale of waste lands as early as possible.

8. The Lieutenant-Governor will be glad to know if the Association thinks that emigration can be advantageously promoted on the terms above set forth.

LIBERALITY OF BABOO JOYKISSEN MOOKERJEA.

THE following papers are published with an expression of the Lieutenant-Governor's satisfaction at Baboo Joykissen Mookerjea's thoughtful liberality to his ryots, and of his confidence that this good example will be followed by many other zemindars in Bengal:—

No. 157, dated Burdwan, the 18th December, 1873.

From—C. T. BUCKLAND, Esq., Commissioner of Burdwan.

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Statistical Department.

AT the suggestion of the Collector of Hooghly, I have the honor to submit, for the information of Government, extract from a letter from Baboo Joykishen Mookerjea regarding the measures which he proposes to adopt for the alleviation of distress among the ryots on his estates. Mr. Pellew makes the following remarks:—

"It is needless for me to speak of the active benevolence always displayed by Baboo Joykissen Mookerjea in season of need, as it is well known to Government. I think that the publication of his letter may have a good effect in stirring up other zemindars to do their duty."

2. I have requested the Collector to convey my thanks to Baboo Joykissen Mookerjea for his conduct, and trust that it will meet with the further approbation of the Lieutenant-Governor.

Extract from a letter from Baboo JOYKISSEN MOOKERJEA *of Ooterparah to the Collector of Hooghly, dated 10th December,* 1873.

"I BEG leave to add that I have been trying to do, in a humble way, what I can to prevent and mitigiate the distress of the people in those of my villages which are likely to suffer most by the failure of the crops. I have issued orders to my mofussil agents to suspend the collection of more than half the balance of the current year's rent in Dwarbasini, Hasnan, and several other villages. One-half of the portion thus remitted will be realized next year if there be a good amun crop, but the other half will be given up altogether. I have also sent trustworthy agents to visit my estates, and to exempt altogether from the payment of rent all ryots who are too poor to pay and to give advances to those of them who have no food-grain, such advances being recoverable next year without interest if there be a good crop. I also intend to buy large quantities of rice and store them for sale at cost price in those villages where food-grain is likely to be scarce. This last measure will not become necessary before the beginning of February, when in addition to the food-grain I shall have to advance large sums for the cultivation of aus paddy in March."

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS AND SALT IN THE UNDER-MENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL ON THE 20TH DECEMBER 1873.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in

QUANTITIES PER RUPE

No.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Barley. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, best sort. Present return.	Rice, best sort. Next preceding return.	Rice, best sort. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Present return.	Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Next preceding return.	Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Corresponding return of last year.	Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar. Present return.	Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar. Next preceding return.	Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar. Corresponding return of last year.	Lesser Millet—Ragi or Mu[illegible] and Cheena. Present return.	Lesser Millet—Ragi or Mu[illegible] and Cheena. Next preceding return.	Lesser Millet—Ragi or Mu[illegible] and Cheena. Corresponding [illegible]
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2	Bhoomoorah	12 0	12 8	14 8	16 0	20 0	18 12	11 4	11 0	15 4	A 16 4	B 14 8 A 16 4	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	10 8	10 8	12 8	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	16 0	15 0	13 8	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore	10 0	10 0	10 8	...	...	...	12 8	13 0	17 0	17 0	19 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly	11 8	11 8	13 0	...	...	...	9 6	9 4	13 4	13 4	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Central Districts.																					
7	Calcutta	11 12	11 7	...	16 0	[illegible] 0	...	9 12	9 8	...	11 12	13 8	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	...	...	...	...
8	24-Pergunnahs ...	...	...	12 0	...	...	20 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	C 11 8	11 14	18 12	D 16 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Nuddea	11 7	11 15	14 8	22 13½	0 0	32 0	11 7	11 7	16 0	13 1	13 1	17 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Jessore	10 0	10 4	13 5	...	...	...	12 0	12 8	17 12	E 17 0	18 4	26 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Moorshedabad ...	13 0	13 0	16 0	D 24 to 25	5 0	35 to 38	10 0	10 0	14 0	13 8	13 0	20 0	18 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Dinagepore	11 0	11 0	12 0	14 8	4 8	22 8	12 8	12 8	20 0	14 8	14 8	27 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Maldah	12 8	12 8	15 0	22 0	2 0	35 0	11 8	11 4	22 0	12 0	12 0	23 0	16 0	20 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rajshahye	10 14	10 14	14 4	18 12	8 12	30 0	11 4	11 4	15 0	12 12	12 12	21 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra	10 2	11 2	11 5	...	...	...	9 6	11 4	15 0	13 0	15 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Rajpore	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	8 4	9 12	22 0	12 0	12 12	37 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Pubna	15 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	10 0	12 0	17 0	17 4	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Darjeeling	5 0	5 0	6 0	8 0	3 0	10 0	5 0	5 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0	8 0	1[illegible]
18	Julpigoree	10 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	...	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Orissa Buhar* ...																					
	Eastern Districts.																					
18	[illegible]	10 10	10 4	12 0	21 0	20 0	35 0	B 14 0	13 0	21 0	18 0	B 16 0 A 18 0	32 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	[illegible]dpore	15 0	14 0	21 0	D 30 0	30 0	35 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	A 17 8	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	[illegible]ghegunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	... A 11 8 to 14 8	11 8 to 14 8	12 4 to 16 0	18 8	17 0	18 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensing ...	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	20 0	A 6 0	16 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Sylhet†	8 0	8 0	11 0	8 0	7 0	...	14 14	12 4	28 8	20 2	19 4	38 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Cachar†	8 14	8 6	9 6	...	...	...	13 5	12 4	16 0	17 12	15 4	27 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Chittagong† ...	8 0	8 0	15 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Noakhally† ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	9 0	16 0	17 0	15 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26	Tipperah	10 0	9 8	12 0	...	...	...	16 0	15 0	20 0	20 0 to 21 4	16 0 to 17 0	32 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Chittagong Hill Tracts† ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	13 13	13 13	17 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah† ...	...	8 0	11 4	...	...	...	12 3	11 4	26 6	20 0	17 7	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

A. New rice.
B. Old rice.
C. Price of common rice in the interior ranges from 13·4 to 18 seers per rupee.

a Bundles.

...mentioned Districts of Bengal on the 20th December 1873.

...EER OF 80 TOLAHS.															AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									
...E OR INDIAN-CORN.		GRAM.			FIRE-WOOD.			SALT.			ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABORER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON, CARPENTER OR BLACKSMITH.			DISTRICTS.
Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	BENGAL.
																				Western Districts.
...	...	15 0	15 0	22 0	100 0	80 0	...	8 8	9 0	9 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Burdwan.
19 0	35 0	16 4	16 4	18 0	320 0	360 0	...	8 2	8 2	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bankoorah.
...	...	12 12	12 8	21 0	240 0	240 0	200 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Beerbhoom.
...	...	12 0	12 0	17 8	180 0	180 0	180 0	8 4	8 4	8 12	4 0	...	...	6 0	...	...	7 8	...	...	Midnapore.
...	...	13 8	13 8	21 0	120 0	120 0	...	8 12	9 0	9 0	6 0	...	...	5 0	...	...	7 8 to 12 0	...	...	Hooghly.
...	...	13 0	13 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Howrah.
																				Central Districts.
4 8	...	14 12	14 8	...	160 0	110 0	...	8 12	8 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Calcutta.
...	...	13 5	14 8	17 12	120 0	120 0	...	9 0	9 0	9 3	6 0	...	...	...	6 0	...	...	11 to 16	...	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	16 4	16 4	26 10	120 0	120 0	...	8 10½	8 10½	8 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nuddea.
...	...	13 0	12 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jessore.
...	...	16 0	16 0	27 0	120 0	120 0	...	9 0	9 0	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moorshedabad.
...	...	10 4	10 8	20 0	160 0	160 0	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dinagepore.
21 0	24 0	13 0	12 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	140 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maldah.
...	...	13 8	13 8	...	400 0	400 0	...	8 2½	8 2½	...	3 12 to 7 8	...	...	4 to 5	...	...	4-8 to 7	...	...	Rajshahye.
...	...	11 2	11 4	16 5	88 0	107 0	120 0	7 6	7 8	7 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rungpore.
...	...	12 0	9 12	12 0	67 0	67½	80 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bograh.
...	...	15 0	15 0	26 4	200 0	200 0	...	8 4	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pubna.
18 0	18 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Darjeeling.
...	...	9 0	9 0	...	160 0	160 0	...	6 5	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Julpigoree.
																				Cooch Behar.*
																				Eastern Districts.
...	...	11 0	10 10	21 0	80 0	80 0	...	8 15	8 15	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dacca.
...	...	13 8 D	13 8	22 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Furreedpore.
...	...	8 to 12	7 to 12	...	160 0	160 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Backergunge.
...	...	9 0	9 0	18 0	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mymensing.
...	...	10 0	10 0	19 4	107 0	107 0	...	8 8	8 8	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sylhet.†
...	...	10 10	10 10	14 14	64 0	64 0	64 0	7 9	7 9	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cachar.†
...	...	10 0	13 0	17 0	160 0	140 0	160 0	8 8	8 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.†
...	...	8 0	8 0	13 0	280 0	280 0	...	8 0	7 8	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Noakhallee.†
...	...	10 0	9 8	18 0	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	9 0	5 8	...	...	6 0	...	...	8 8 to 16 0	...	...	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	...	7 4	7 4	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.†
...	...	8 0	8 5	10 8	12 0	12 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hill Tipperah.†

† In the interior.
* Price of common rice in the interior ranges from 15-3 to 22-10 per rupee.
‡ Agricultural labor is not generally paid in cash. Labor is exchanged for labor, and blacksmiths generally do work in job.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in the undermentioned

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE.

DISTRICTS.	Wheat. Present return.	Wheat. Next preceding return.	Wheat. Corresponding return of last year.	Wheat. Present return.	Barley. Next preceding return.	Barley. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, best sort. Present return.	Rice, best sort. Next preceding return.	Rice, best sort. Corresponding return of last year.	Rice, common. Present return.	Rice, common. Next preceding return.	Rice, common. Corresponding return of last year.	Fullerer Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Present return.	Fullerer Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Next preceding return.	Fullerer Millet—Cumboo, Bajra. Corresponding return of last year.	Greater Millet—Cholum, Jowar. Present return.	Greater Millet—Cholum, Jowar. Next preceding return.	Greater Millet—Cholum, Jowar. Corresponding return of last year.	Lesser Millet—Ragi or Mandua and Cheena. Present return.	Lesser Millet—Ragi or Mandua and Cheena. Next preceding return.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BEHAR.																				
Patna	16 0	16 4	24 0	18 0	19 0	31 4	12 0	12 0	...	14 8	14 8	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gya	11 4	11 0	15 0	17 8	16 0	32 8	9 4	9 0	12 0	11 4	11 4	20 8	...	...	...	D 16 0	16 0	21 0	17 0	16 8
Shahabad	14 0	14 0	15 4	20 0	19 0	30 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	18 0	17 8	...	D 18 0	18 0	29 0	D 14 0	14 0
Tirhoot	11 0	11 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	9 8	9 8	18 0	10 8	11 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	F 19 1	19 3
Sarun	14 0	14 0	15 0	18 0	18 0	30 0	9 0	9 0	13 0	13 12	13 8	23 0	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	31 0	18 0	18 0
Chumparun ...	11 0	11 0	15 0	...	20 0	31 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0
Monghyr	13 6	13 6	17 8	19 0	19 9	36 7	9 4	9 4	14 7	13 6	13 6	19 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhagulpore ...	12 10	12 10	15 12	18 13	16 15	25 4	A 12 8	12 10	22 11	13 4	13 14	25 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 0	25 0
Purneah	12 0	12 0	17 0	...	...	40 0	10 0	10 0	25 0	12 0	11 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southal Pergunnahs	11 0	11 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	20 0	20 0	30 0	...	...	...	25 0	25
ORISSA.																				
Pattiah	13 2	13 2	15 12	...	...	...	17 1	17 1	19 11	23 10	24 15	34 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 7	14 7
Pooree†	10 8	11 13	17 1	...	...	...	18 6	18 6	23 10	21 0	23 10	31 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balasore	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	16 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPORE.																				
South-West Frontier Agency.																				
Hazareebaugh ...	13 0	10 0	16 4	17 0	16 0	22 0	9 0	8 0	12 0	14 8	13 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	19 8
Lohardugga ...	10 0	9 0	12 0	...	...	18 0	14 0	15 0	22 0	18 0	17 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	28 0	28 0
Singbhoom† ...	14 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	20 0	22 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manbhoom ...	10 8	10 8	12 0	D 20 0	20 0	{ 20 0 / 10 / 30 0 }	14 0	14 0	24 0	16 0	16 0	28 0	D 30 0	30 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS.																				
Goalpara†	10 0	11 9	20 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kamroop†	8 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	13 0	16 0	13 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nowgong†	8 0	9 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	16 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar†	11 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpore† ...	...	...	13 0	...	...	16 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	10 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cachar†	6 0	7 0	10 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	5 8	6 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills.*																				
Khasya and Jynteah Hills.†	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	7 0	12 0	11 0	9 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garo Hills.*																				

F Average price in the interior only.
* Return not received.
† Return for week ending 13th December received after the publication of the last *Gazette*.

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd December 1873.

tricts of Bengal on the 20th December 1878.—(Continued.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.																		AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									
E OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIRE-WOOD.			SALT.			ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON, CARPENTER OR BLACKSMITH.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																					BEHAR.
Ch. S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	
0 18 8	34 8	20 0	19 0	34 8	150 0	140 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Patna.
4 15 0	34 0	15 4	15 6	27 0	160 0	160 0	...	7 4	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gyá.
8 18 0	32 0	18 8	18 8	30 0	160 0	160 0	...	8 4	8 4	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shahabad.
0 16 0	...	15 0	15 0	24 0	140 0	140 0	...	7 12	7 12	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tirhoot.
0 18 0	...	16 0	16 0	28 0	160 0	160 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sarun.
0 20 0	35 0	14 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	7 4	2 13	...	...	4 0	...	...	5 0	...	...	Champaran.
8 16 8	39 9	16 8	16 2	33 6	168 0	147 0	...	7 8	7 8	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Monghyr.
1 17 11	46 0	15 13	15 12	27 12	176 12	176 12	164 2	8 3	8 3	8 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhaugulpore.
...	...	12 0	12 0	26 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Purneah.
20 0	50 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	180 0	180 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sonthal Pergunnahs.
																				ORISSA.
...	...	26 4	26 4	21 0	260 0	260 0	...	9 2	9 2	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuttack.†
...	...	23 10	23 10	21 0	105 0	105 0	...	8 8	8 8	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.†
...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	280 0	280 0	...	7 0	7 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore.
																				CHOTA NAGPOR.
																				South-Western Frontier Agency.
...	28 0	14 0	13 0	23 8	240 0	240 0	...	7 0	6 12	7 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hazareebagh.
20 0	24 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	168 0	180 0	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lohardugga.
...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	320 0	320 0	...	6 0	6 0	6 0	3 0	...	...	4 8	4 8 to 5	6 to	8 0	...	...	Singbhoom.†
5 0 to 0	24 0 to 30 0	28 0 to 75 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	280 0	280 0	280 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	3 12	...	...	3 0	...	...	2 6	...	...	Maunbhoom.
																				ASSAM AND THE CENTRAL HILLS.
...		12 0	12 0	13 0	160 0	160 0	...	8 8	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Goalpara.†
...	...	8 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	7 0	8 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kamroop.†
...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	160 0	160 0	...	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 0	...	...	8 0	...	...	12 to 20 0	...	...	Durrung.†
...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	...	...	7 0	...	...	9 to 27 0	...	...	Nowgong.†
...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	120 0	120 0	...	6 8	6 8	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Seebsangor.†
6 0	...	6 0	7 0	9 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Luckimpore.†
																				Naga Hills.*
0 ...	...	6 10	6 4	8 0	320 0	320 0	...	5 4	6 4	5 0	3 6	...	...	8 to	0 0	...	15 to 16 0	14 as.		Khasi & Jynteah Hills.*
																				Garo Hills.*

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Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

...t showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 20th December 1873.

District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
Western Districts.		
Burdwan, 23rd Dec.* 1873	Nil	Weather fair and cold. Reaping of the late paddy crop is going on; an average five-anna crop is expected. Prospects of winter crops and sugarcane are fair. Grain market shows tendency to rise. Export continues, particularly from Nadunghat in Culna sub-division by boats. Fever in *statu quo*.
Bancoorah, 20th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Dry and clear weather. The reaping of the hymunty or winter paddy is still in progress. The new rice is being extensively sold in the Bancoorah bazar. The price of rice is much the same as last week. The sugarcane and cold weather crops must suffer from the continued want of rain. The harvesting of the teel (oil-seed) has begun in many places.
Beerbhoom, 20th „ „	Nil	Bright and unseasonably warm weather. No change in the prospects of the crops; harvest of late rice approaching completion; sugarcane declining and being cut, immature in some places. Exportation by rail chiefly to Bhaugulpore and Patna Divisions 8,445 maunds.
Midnapore, 20th „ „	Nil	Weather cold and clear. The rain last week is said to have done some damage to the standing rice at Contai, otherwise it has improved the prospects of the cold weather crops. It was confined to the north and eastern portions of the district.
Hooghly, 26th „ „	Nil	Clear weather throughout; wind from north and north-east. The rain of last week has done more good than was expected to the cold weather crops, and ploughing and sowing is going on to some extent. Rice crop is the same as before.
Howrah, 20th „ „	Nil	Fine weather everywhere. The late rice is now about two-thirds reaped. There is no doubt that *at the least* a full eight-anna crop will be gathered. The Shampore and Collooberiah thannahs have a good twelve-anna, but the purchases made by the Calcutta grain dealers are absolutely enormous and seem to be denuding the district of rice. The ryots are selling their crops at Rs. 2 the maund, and the dealers seem to be selling actually all not required for their own households. Towns-folk and the large class of poor people who do not cultivate are bitterly complaining that no food will be left in the district for them.
Central Districts.		
24-Pergunnahs, 23rd† Dec. 1873.	Nil.	The weather has been cooler during the week, but not so cold as it is usually at this time of the year. No rain has fallen. The harvest of the late rice crop is going on rapidly. In Baraset and parts of Diamond Harbour the outturn is better than was expected. In the northern and southern parts of Satkhira, prospects were reported to be bad, and in other parts of the sub-division an eight-anna crop is still expected. Cold weather sowings in Baraset and Barriepore are doing pretty well. The outturn of kalai and khesary pulses in Diamond Harbour has not been good, and the price of the latter has risen to nearly three times its ordinary rate. There has been no change in other sub-divisions of the district since last report. Fever prevails in parts of the south suburban town, Bascerhat, Diamond Harbour, and Barrackpore. It is reported to be abating in Satkhira, Baraset, and Barriepore.
Nuddea, 20th „ „	Nil	Fine weather throughout the week. The reports of the late rice crop from Meherpore and Ranaghat sub-divisions are somewhat more favorable than before, otherwise prospects are unaltered. Arhur (pulse) and teel (oil-seed) appear to have everywhere given a fair outturn. Prices show a tendency to decline except in the sudder sub-division. Public health good.
Jessore, 20th „ „	Nil	Weather cold and clear, no rain has fallen. The *Chotan* paddy is nearly harvested and the *Boran* paddy is coming on well. There is no change in the prospects of the winter crops. Prices of rice remain low. It would appear that there will be at least an eight-anna crop of rice if not more.
Moorshedabad, 20th Dec. 1873.	Nil	The cloudy weather continues, but the clouds disperse without rain. The late rice is nearly all cut. The cutting of mashkalai (pulse) and teel (oil-seed) has also begun with prospects of good crops; the former may yield fourteen annas in some parts. *Boro* paddy seedlings are ready, and the ground has also been prepared for transplantation, but except on the borders of "beels," cultivators are waiting for plantation before transplanting. Sugarcane is in fair condition, but the drought has rain before its juice. It may still yield an average crop. Indigo looks well. For weakened cold weather crops rain is much wanted. Small-pox continues in places the other mentioned in last report, and has also broken out in Sujagunge and Burwa.
Dinagepore, 20th „ „	Nil	No rain, but clouds gathering and looks as if rain would fall soon. No alteration in the state and prospects of crops from last week.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)				
		Central Districts.—(Contd.)		
RAJSHAHYE DIVN.—(*Contd.*)	11	Maldah, 20th Dec. 1873	Nil	Mornings occasionally foggy, days sunny, and nights cold. Clouds still collect at times. No change in the weather. The winter rice crop, which is being harvested, will not be more than a four-anna crop. The *kalai* crop now ripening will be an average one, and the cold weather crops, wheat, peas, &c., still promise a fair average yield; rain would do these much good. Prices stationary and supplies at local markets more plentiful; work going on on the ordinary district roads and on those newly projected as relief works. Places for storing grain for relief works selected, and arrangements for afore golahs progressing. Rice arriving from Godagari for relief works in Dinagepore.
	12	Rajshahye, 20th „ „	Nil	No change in the weather. There having been no change in the weather, there is very little to be said in addition to last week's report. Urhur and kalai (pulses) and mulberry are still doing well, and there is a promise of a fair crop of indigo. In some parts of Nattore the mustard crops are very good. The other cold weather crops require rain very much. In some parts of Sinigrah there is already a scarcity of water, and it is feared that later this will aggravate in no small degree the sufferings of the poorer class of inhabitants in that tract of country. Every effort is being made to induce these people to sink wells and to improve their tanks. Prices remain steady. A few cases of cholera have occurred in several parts of the districts, chiefly in Nattore.
	13	Rungpore, 20th „ „	Nil	Days becoming colder with fogs occasionally. Cutting of rice crops still progressing; new rice is coming into the market and prices are easier, from Rs. 2-8 to 4 a maund. Sugarcane favorable, mustard generally good; other winter crops are being sown and ploughing going on everywhere.
	14	Bogra, 20th „ „	Nil	No signs of rain. As might be expected no improvement is reported with respect to the late rice crop. Sugarcane in certain parts is doing fairly. Maskalai (pulse) is being gathered in parts. Yield of sesamum (oil-seed) in Dhunat outpost is four annas only.
	15	Pubna, 20th „ „	Nil	Sky clear, weather cold, no rain at all; heavy fogs in the mornings. The ryots are now reaping the *Boro amun* dhan—late paddy. Of the winter crops, moog (pulse) has nearly been collected from the fields. Maskalai (pulse) and teel (oil-seed) have been commenced to be cut. Prospects of sugarcane and turmeric good. Heavy rain is required for the growth of the other winter crops, viz. wheat, barley, gram, and mottor and khesari (pulses) and mustard, which are daily becoming worse for the drought. Fever very prevalent. Many deaths reported from the sub-division, and a very large proportion of the population invalided.
COOCH BEHAR DIVN.	16	Darjeeling, 20th „ „	Nil	Misty and chilly weather, little sunshine, very cold. The hymunty or late rice crop is being reaped and still gives the prospect of a ten-anna outturn; common rice maintains the same price as during previous week, viz. Rs. 4 per maund. Bhoota (Indian-corn) has fallen still lower than last week, being now Rs. 2 per maund.
	17	Julpigoree, 20th „ „	Nil	Clear and fine weather, but decidedly hotter than is usual at this time of the year. The hymunty or late rice crop is rapidly being reaped, three-fourths of it being already cut. Cold weather crops promising well. There is no change of any importance to note, the crop being cut comes up to the estimate previously made. Exportation goes on largely, and the people generally are now consuming new rice. Manufactured jute is selling at twice the price it did this time last year.
		Cooch Behar, 20th „ „	Nil	No signs of rain. The mornings are not so foggy as in other years. There is no improvement in the prospects of the crops since last report. The tobacco and the mustard crops have already suffered from want of rain. Large quantities of rice are still being exported to Rungpore and other districts.
		Eastern Districts.		
DACCA DIVISION.	18	Dacca, 23rd* „ „	Nil	Weather still warm for the season. Heavy dews, prospects of crops fair, rice nearly all cut.
	19	Furreedpore, 20th „ „	Nil	There has been no rain up to date, but some clouds about. The weather is cool and looks to be settled fair. The reports from every side on the cold weather crops are bad, and the condition of the district is not altered except for the worse by another week without rain. Early rice is being sown on the Cachi Chur, or recently formed chur lands. *Boro* paddy is being sown in the beels in the south of the district.
	20	Backergunge, 20th „ „	Nil	Weather clear and cold. State and prospects of the crops are good. The harvest is turning out better than was expected, and the high prices are doing good to the ryots, *i. e.*, to three-fourths of the population.
	21	Mymensing, 20th „ „	Nil	Fine calm weather and considerably colder than last week. Heavy dew at night. Teel (oil-seed) and pulses will be a good average crop. The rice crop is still being harvested, and the accounts from most parts of the district are tolerably favorable. Price of food has fallen somewhat this week. Fever is still reported prevalent in the Attea sub-division.

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BENGAL.—(*Contd.*)				
		Eastern Districts.—(*Contd.*)		
DACCA DIVN.—(*Contd.*)	22	Sylhet, 13th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Not so cool as might be expected at this time of the year. Very severe shock of earth-quake at 5-45 A.M. of Tuesday the 9th December. The whole of the *kalaria* and ten annas of the late rice crops reaped. 9,944 maunds of rice and 5,500 maunds of paddy exported from the district. Price of rice falling. Cholera broken out at Lakhai, Laskharpur, and Chattak. Small-pox at Nabigunge.
	23	Cachar, 13th „ „	Nil	Weather cooler, with foggy mornings. Rice crops are being rapidly cut. Price of rice has fallen in the sudder station.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.	24	Chittagong, 13th „ „	Nil	Weather clear, fine, and seasonable. Paddy is being cut all over the district. Insects are disappearing, and the damage done appears to be slight. Cold weather crops generally doing well. Cholera reported from Meerkaserai, Potea, Rangonia, and fever stationary.
	25	Noakhally, 13th „ „	Nil	Weather fair, still hot during the day. The fair sunny weather is causing the "seni" insects to disappear. The reaping of the late rice is still going on. The prospects of the standing crops are favorable. The cold weather crops,—khesary (pulse) and chillies are doing well. Price of rice has fallen slightly. This is partly due to the in-coming of the new rice. Sporadic cases of cholera are met with in the town and suburbs.
	26	Tipperah, 20th „ „	Nil	Weather fine and cool. No change in the state of the crops to report since last week. Exportations continue very busy without forcing prices. Small winter crops are thriving fairly. Cholera has appeared in many places in the district and more specially in Comillah, where cases have been rather frequent for the last few days.
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts, 13th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Cool throughout the whole week, foggy in the morning. The cotton is being gathered. Mustard is in flower, prospects of which are good. The outturn of the cotton will not be equal to that of an average year, owing to the early cessation of rain. There is no fear up to date of scarcity. The rain of last week has given an impetus to the mustard and other cold weather crops and has not damaged the standing rice crop.
		Hill Tipperah, 13th „ „	Nil	Weather bright and cold. Reaping of the paddy crops continues; the danger apprehended from insects has passed. Mustard and chillie crops fair.
BEHAR.				
PATNA DIVISION.	28	Patna, 22nd* „ „	·05	A very light rain fell on the night of the 21st December. It is expected to have been heavier to the south. The rice crop is still being cut in Behar, and the reports of the cold weather crops are even more favorable than last week. The insects which were destroying them having in a great measure disappeared. Health of the district good.
	29	Gya, 20th „ „	Nil	Weather cool, no rain fell in any part of the district. The rice crop is being harvested. The prospects of the cold weather crops are better than at first reported. In the western part of the district, where the fields are watered by the canal water, a good crop is expected. Up to 13th December about 9,500 beegahs were irrigated. Health of the district is good.
	30	Shahabad, 20th „ „	Nil	Weather clear, west wind all the week; cloudy, warm, and threatening rain on the 20th December. The cold weather crop which has germinated shows no change for the worse since last week. Rain is required. A slight fall in prices. Private importations of food-grains have considerably fallen.
	31	Tirhoot, 20th „ „	Nil	In the Madhoobani sub-division rice crop is being gathered in now, and it cannot be said that the outturn would be greater than the former estimate, perhaps less. Cold weather crops are withering from lack of rain, and will all perish if rain does not come soon. In Setamarhee there is nothing particularly to report, the prospect of the crop continues same as reported last week. In the Tajpore sub-division the prospects have not materially altered since last week; no more land has been sown, but some of the paddy lands have been prepared. The little paddy that has survived the drought is being cut; everything looks very lean and dry in the north of the sub-division. Prices nearly stationary. In the Durbhangah sub-division three-fourths of the rice crop cut down. By the end of the week the harvest will be pretty right completed. Rahur (pulse) and mustard continue to look well, also janerah (millet), the latter being a fair crop in the Rosserah and a good one in the Nagurbustee police jurisdictions. The small portion of the cold weather crop, *e.g.*, barley, wheat, and peas, which have been sown, looks better in the Durbhangah thannah than in Rosserah. Rain, however, being much wanted in both places. No decadence from last week's position is observable either in those localities or in Baheyrah. The continued drought has had a worse effect in Singhya. The prospects of the Sudder and Hajeepore are the same as reported last week.
	32	Sarun, 20th „ „	Nil	Weather clear and cold during the week, but cloudy on the 20th December. West wind prevailing. The paddy harvest almost completed and in some places yielded fairly, but the outturn for the district has not probably been under estimated at a tenth of an average crop. There has been no change in the state of the cold weather crops except for the worse as regards the crops in the unirrigated fields which are being sickened by the long drought. The cultivators are, however, nowhere backward in irrigating wherever practicable, and the irrigated crops are still doing well. Rahur (pulse) is in full blossom and looks promising. Sugarcane is being manufactured and yielding fairly. There seems to be no scarcity of supplies in the bazars. Prices of food-grains stationary.
	33	Chumparun, 20th „ „	Nil	Weather cool, west-wind and cloudy with a promise of rain. Little or no change in the state of the crops since last week, everything depends upon the next week.

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BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)				
BHAGULPORE DITTO.	34	Monghyr, 20th Dec. 1973	Nil	Weather set fair. The rice crop, such as it is, is being cut and harvested. After visiting every rice pergunnah the Collector finds his first estimate of an average three-anna crop all round generally correct. The part of the district which grows cold weather crops, at least equal to the rice area, is generally looking well, though backward. At present a fair cold weather crop is hoped for, whether rain falls or not.
	35	Bhaugulpore, 23rd* „ „	Nil	Weather seasonable. The cold weather crops still promise to be very good, except in Mudhopoorah, where the seeds have not germinated in parts. General health good.
	36	Purneah, 20th „ „	Nil	No change in the weather. No change from last week's report as regards outturn of rice. All the cold weather crops except mustard in the south wants rain. Importation of grain in the south from Sahebgunge and Rajmehal and in the north from Julpigoree, and the good crop in Kusi is keeping prices down. The tobacco especially wants rain. In the neighbourhood of Kudbah and Kushba Amour insects are said to be destroying the cold weather crops.
	37	Sonthal Pergunnahs, 20th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Cold everywhere, with occasional clouds, but no rain. Rice is being cut everywhere. The crop is stated to be eight or nine annas in the west. *Kurthi* is a little better than was feared some time ago. There is a good deal of fair sugarcane in Deoghur. The rest of the cold weather crops, mustard and pulses, is hardly anything.
ORISSA.				
ORISSA DIVISION.	38	Cuttack, 23rd* „ „	Nil	Seasonable weather. Prospects of crops favorable. Prices have risen very slightly; average of common rice throughout the district 26 seers per rupee. Public health good.
	39	Pooree, 13th „ „	1·5	The weather was cloudy, with north wind during the greater part of the week; rain fell on the 6th and 7th December, and for the last three days it has been fair with changing wind blowing from the south and north. The weather at the time of the report was bright and warm, but rather hazy, but it was variable with tendency to cloudiness. The reaping of the Baghoo or second rice crop is well nigh completed, and the outturn is good. The late rice has ripened and is beginning to be reaped and a fair yield is expected. The sowing of the Dalua (Boro) rice crop has in part commenced. The bad weather which lately prevailed has not done so much injury to the crops as was expected. Stocks of grain are as usual, and the supply is equal to the demand. Purchases are being made by merchants in the town and in the interior for export to Bengal and Madras and foreign ports. Prices are still moderate in the mofussil.
	40	Balasore, 20th „ „	Nil	Seasonable weather. On inquiring from those best calculated to give an opinion, it appears probable that the outturn of rice from the whole district will be twelve annas. The cold weather crops which are only of small extent, except those about Jellasore, where there was no rain last week, are doing well. Rice selling at Balasore town 19 seers per rupee. Bhudruck sub-division.—Harvesting of rice continues. Rice is scarce and difficult to get in many of the markets. The price however has fallen somewhat, 32 seers per rupee of moderately clean rice being procurable at Bhudruck market. Crops have failed in Pergunnah Sosu and its neighbourhood, and relief measures are urgently required there. Public health good, excepting a little fever.
CHOTA NAGPORE.				
		South-West Frontier Agency.		
	41	Hazareebaugh, 20th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Weather clear and bright and cloudy and threatening alternately. The greater portion of the rice crop has now been harvested, and the estimate of outturn is said to be about ten annas. The prospect of the cold weather crops is unfavorable. The small quantity sown is said to be suffering from the drought, and blight caused by the cloudy weather has fallen on the mustard; if rain hold off much longer a short cold weather crop will be inevitable. Prices much the same as last week. There have been no special reports received this week from the south and west. In the Pachamba or Kurrackdilla sub-division, the outturn of the later rice crop in the lower lands has been far better than was expected. In some parts quite up to an ordinary year. Husked rice was this day selling at Pachamba for sixteen seers to the rupee, closier prices being about fourteen seers. The importation from Behar noticed in last week's report have ceased; it was very trifling and possibly owing to unfounded rumours. The kurti and teel crops have been poor. There has been no rain.
	42	Lohardugga, 20th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Weather clear for the greater part of the week. There was a slight shower which appears to have been pretty general over the district. There is little to add to last week's report. The slight shower of rain have done good, but more is very much wanted for the cold weather crops. From Palamow the reports are much the same as before. The paddy having been thrashed out shows an outturn of about five annas for the whole sub-division. There was a little rain on the 10th, but not enough to do much good.
	43	Singbhoom, 13th „ „	0·25	A little rain has fallen. Sky again clear. Days and nights cool and pleasant. Nothing to add to the last report. The paddy has all or nearly all been cut. The late rain will do some good to the musuri pulse and gram still on the ground.

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CHOTA NAGPORE.—(*Contd.*)			
	South-West Frontier Agency.—(*Contd.*)		
44	Maunbhoom, 20th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Weather cool. Mornings and evenings cold, bright sun during the day. No material change in the prospects of the crops since last week. The rain which fell on the 10th instant appears to have been very partial. In the Chilleama pergunnah the crops have been very bad, and in many villages there is but a two-anna to four-anna crop. All the paddy has now been cut. Wheat and barley are doing well. Public health good.
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS			
45	Goalparah, 13th „ „	Nil	The whole week was fair and bright. The prospects of the late rice which is now being harvested are more or less disheartening everywhere, except the tracts near the Bhootan, Garo, and Kurribaree Hills, where a twelve-anna crop is expected. The outturn in Dhoobree sub-division, where most part was parched up, is six, and in the sudder sub-division eight annas; on the whole eight annas may be obtained.
46	Kamroop, 22nd* „ „	Nil	Mornings raw and misty, days clear and cold; dry wind chiefly north-east and east. Want of rain does not promise favorably for the sugarcane and mustard crops. Late rice is still being reaped, but a fair outturn is not expected. Public health good.
47	Durrung, 13th „ „	Nil	Temperature rather high for this time of the year; heavy fogs in the mornings, little north-east breeze. No change in the state and prospects of the crops since last report. There will be an eight-anna rice crop all round, but in some mouzahs the crop has entirely perished. The cold weather crops also greatly need rain.
48	Nowgong, 13th „ „	Nil	Weather seasonable, with heavy dews at night and foggy mornings. The rice crop being rapidly cut and gathered in. Cold weather crops doing poorly; mustard and sugarcane doing well. Tea operations quite over and bushes being pruned. General health good.
49	Seebsaugor, 13th „ „	Nil	No change in the weather and no rain. No change also in the state and prospects of the crops.
50	Luckimpore, 13th „ „	Nil	No rain during the week, the middle of the day is still hot, but the mornings and evenings are very cold. Nothing new. Cold weather crops continuing promising. Public health improving, but fever still hangs about.
51	Naga Hills, 6th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Weather dry and cool, but warm at noon. The *pathar* crops are now in course of being cut. They are below the average from want of rain. The terrai and joom crops have all been cut and gathered in, and the outturn is reported to have been a remarkably good one.
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills, 13th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Fine weather. The only crop standing is murwah, which is doing well.
53	Garo Hills, 13th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Weather very hazy; clouds have sometimes collected about the Tura range, but no rain has fallen. Yams and such like are the only crops which remain uncollected. Jooming has been commenced.

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BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
	WESTERN DISTRICTS.						
BURDWAN.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan	Nil	1·15	57·67	13th Dec.	
		Cutwa	Nil	Nil	39·37	ditto.	
		Culna	Nil	Nil	46·18	ditto.	
		Bood-Bood	Nil	0·19	48·49	ditto.	
		Raneegunge	Nil	Nil	44·85	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	Nil	0·49	44·51	ditto.	
	Bencoorah ...	Bancoorah	Nil	0·07	47·34	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom ...	Sooree	Nil	Nil	53·45	ditto.	
	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	Nil	0·04	44·81	ditto.	
		Tumlook	Nil	1·14	48·65	ditto.	
		Gurbetta	Nil	0·50	46·86	ditto.	
		Contai ... Dy. Collr.'s Office ...	0·10	0·80	47·25	ditto.	
		Contai ... Exe. Engr.'s Office ...	Nil	1·20	53·10	ditto.	
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly	Nil	0·75	39·64	ditto.	
		Serampore	Nil	1·26	44·50	ditto.	
	Howrah ...	Howrah	0·06	0·78	47·57	ditto.	
	CENTRAL DISTRICTS.						
PRESIDENCY.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	0·70	0·10	49·73	ditto.	
		Calcutta	Nil	0·82	45·21	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	0·03	0·41	45·88	ditto.	
		Alipore ... Jail	0·10	0·50	44·01	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut	Nil	Nil	43·62	ditto.	
		Baraset	0·04	0·52	40·89	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour	0·09	0·05	51·18	ditto.	
		Barripore	Nil	0·03	52·32	ditto.	
		Satkherah	0·10	0·02	47·86	ditto.	
		Barrackpore	Nil	1·42	47·46	ditto.	
		Dum-Dum	0·06	0·55	49·41	ditto.	
	Nuddea ...	Kishnaghur	Nil	Nil	46·80	ditto.	
		Bongong	Nil	Nil	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore	Nil	Nil	52·41	ditto.	
		Choondangah	Nil	Nil	46·02	ditto.	
		Kooshteah	Nil	Nil	38·66	ditto.	
		Ranaghat	Nil	Not rec.	34·51	6th Dec.	
	Jessore ...	Jessore	0·02	0·08	44·59	13th Dec.	
		Nurrail	Not rec.	Not rec.	66·71	22nd Nov.	
		Khoolnea	0·10	Nil	59·46	18th Dec.	
		Jenadah	Nil	Nil	43·15	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut	0·60	Nil	56·03	ditto.	
		Magoorah	Nil	Nil	47·72	ditto.	
RAJSHAHYE.	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	Nil	Nil	31·61	ditto.	
		Ramporehaut	Nil	Nil	28·71	ditto.	
		City Moorshedabad	Nil	Nil	27·21	ditto.	
		Jungipore	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Azimgunge	Nil	Nil	35·38	ditto.	
		Lalgolla	Nil	Nil	41·51	ditto ...	From 1st Feb.
	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	Nil	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah ...	Maldah	Nil	Nil	27·02	ditto.	
	Rajshahye ...	Beauleah	Nil	Nil	32·13	ditto.	
		Nattore	Nil	Nil	43·78	ditto.	
	Rungpore ...	Rungpore	Nil	Nil	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge	Nil	Nil	47·28	ditto.	
		Titalya	Nil	Nil	82·72	ditto.	
	Bograh ...	Bograh	Nil	Nil	36·74	ditto.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	Nil	Nil	43·18	ditto.	
		Serajgunge	Nil	Nil	35·26	ditto ...	Not. rec. 26th Oct. to 1st Nov.
COOCH BEHAR.	Darjeeling ...	Darjeeling ... Telegraph Office ...	Not rec.	Not rec.	93·66	15th Nov.	
		Darjeeling ... Hospital ...	Nil	Nil	77·74	18th Dec. ...	Not rec 9th to 22nd Nov.
	Julpigoree ...	Julpigoree	Nil	Nil	88·20	ditto.	
		Falacotta	Nil	Nil	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah	Nil	Nil	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar	Nil	Nil	115·55	ditto.	
	Bhutan Dwars ...	Buxa	Nil	Nil	175·64	ditto ...	Not received 23rd to 29th Nov.

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BENGAL—*(Continued.)*			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
	EASTERN DISTRICTS.						
DACCA.	Dacca ...	Dacca ... Telegraph Office ...	Nil	Nil	61·33	13th Dec.	
		Dacca ... Hospital ...	0·01	Nil	59·24	ditto.	
		Moonsheegunge	Nil	Nil	63·47	ditto.	
		Maniekgunge	Nil	Nil	48·86	ditto.	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	0·02	Nil	50·57	ditto.	
		Goalundo	Nil	Not rec.	42·08	6th Dec.	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisaul	1·00	Nil	61·71	13th Dec.	
		Perozepore	0·69	Nil	57·18	ditto.	
		Madaripore	0·38	Nil	60·73	ditto.	
		Patoakhally	1·71	Nil	91·73	ditto.	
		Dowlat Khan	1·32	Nil	101·08	ditto.	
	Mymensing ...	Mymensing	Nil	Nil	61·39	ditto.	
		Jamalpore	Nil	Nil	48·69	ditto.	
		Attcah	Nil	Nil	44·11	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge	Nil	Nil	67·94	ditto.	
	Sylhet ..	Sylhet	Nil	Nil	126·72	ditto.	
	Cachar ...	Cachar	0·12	Nil	102·97	ditto.	
		Hylakandy	0·36	Not rec.	88·61	6th Dec.	
		Koyah	0·26	ditto ...	86·13	ditto.	
CHITTAGONG.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office ...	0·90	Nil	85·50	13th Dec.	
		Chittagong Jail	0·83	Nil	86·38	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar	0·52	Not rec.	152·92	6th Dec.	
	Noakhally ...	Noakhally	1·33	Nil	118·10	13th Dec.	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	1·00	Nil	73·00	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah	0·12	Nil	58·44	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill	Not rec.	Nil	73·35	ditto ...	Not received 30th Nov. to 6th Dec.
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	0·76	Nil	58·35	ditto.	
BEHAR.							
PATNA.	Patna	Patna	Nil	Nil	30·49	ditto.	
		Behar	Nil	Nil	38·14	ditto.	
		Barh	Nil	Nil	33·30	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Jail	Nil	Nil	34·16	ditto.	
		Dinapore ... Cantonment ...	Nil	Nil	34·75	ditto.	
	Gya	Gya	Nil	Nil	35·51	ditto.	
		Nowadah	Nil	Nil	41·03	ditto.	
		Arungabad	Nil	Nil	33·04	ditto ...	Not rec. 23rd to 29th Nov.
		Jehanabad	Nil	Nil	38·73	ditto.	
	Shahabad	Arrah	Nil	Nil	37·72	ditto.	
		Sasseram	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar	Nil	Nil	22·23	ditto.	
		Bhubooah...	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozufferpore	Nil	Nil	29·03	ditto ...	Not rec. 9th to 15th Nov.
		Durbhangah	Nil	Nil	34·46	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
		Hajeepore	Nil	Nil	35·36	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
		Mudhubani	Nil	Nil	27·61	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
		Seetamaree	Nil	Nil	37·10	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
		Tajpore	Nil	Nil	31·11	ditto.	
	Sarun	Chuprah	Nil	Nil	33·88	ditto.	
		Sewan	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Champarun ...	Moteehari	Nil	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
BHAGULPORE.	Monghyr	Monghyr	Nil	Nil	38·22	ditto.	
		Begooserai	Not rec.	Nil	35·95	ditto ...	Not rec. 23rd Nov. to 6th Dec.
		Jamooie	Nil	Nil	43·09	ditto.	
	Bhaugulpore ...	Bhaugulpore	Nil	Nil	28·68	ditto.	
		Soopool	Nil	Nil	26·73	ditto.	
		Mudheypoorah	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Banka	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Sunborsa	Nil	Nil	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah	Nil	Nil	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge	Nil	Nil	37·69	ditto ...	Not rec. 23rd to 29th Nov.
		Arrareah	Nil	Nil	36·00	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Sonthal Pergunnahs...	Deoghur	Nil	Nil	44·94	ditto.	
		Jamtara	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto ...	Not recorded 1st June to 6th July.
		Rajmehal	Nil	Nil	23·00	ditto.	
		Moheshpore	Nil	Nil	25·24	ditto ...	From 15th June, and not recorded 21st Sept. to 4th Oct.
		Nya-Doomka	Nil	Nil	53·00	ditto.	
		Godda	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto.	

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 30th Nov. to 6th Dec. 1873.	Rain from 7th to 13th Dec. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack ... Telegraph Office ...	0·10	0.10	53·90	13th Dec.	
		Cuttack ... Hospital ...	0·18	0·23	38·61	ditto.	
		Jajipore	Nil	1·05	36·58	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	0·03	0·10	57·63	ditto.	
		Jugatsingpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	41·38	1st Nov. ...	Not recorded from 1st Nov.
		False Point	1·25	0·30	59·90	13th Dec.	
	Pooree ...	Pooree	1·12	0·89	57·72	ditto.	
		Khurdah	0·36	0·34	49·92	ditto.	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	Nil	0·60	48·47	ditto.	
		Bhuddrack	Nil	0·07	35·75	ditto.	
		Jellasore	Nil	Nil	48·75	ditto ...	From 1st April.
		Sorah	Nil	0·60	37·15	ditto ...	Ditto.
		Chandbally	Nil	Nil	35·25	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sambalpore	Not rec.	Not rec	51·25	22nd Nov.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebaugh ...	Hazareebaugh ... Jail ...	Nil	Nil	59·04	13th Dec.	
		Hazareebaugh ... Dispensary ...	Nil	Nil	53·91	ditto.	
		Pachumba	Nil	Nil	51·80	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah ...	Ranchee	Nil	Nil	49·95	ditto.	
		Palamow	Nil	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singhbhoom ...	Chyebassa	Nil	0·25	38·79	ditto.	
	Maunbhoom ...	Purulia	Nil	0·29	40·96	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Goalparah ...	Goalparah	Nil	Nil	68·21	ditto ...	Not received 9th to 15th Nov.
		Phoobree	Nil	Nil	91·42	ditto ...	Ditto.
	Kamroop ...	Gowhatty	Nil	Nil	49·11	ditto.	
		Burpettah	Nil	Not rec.	70·78	6th Dec.	
	Durrung ...	Tezpore	Nil	ditto ...	65·89	ditto.	
		Mungledye	Nil	ditto ...	53·90	ditto.	
	Nowgong ...	Nowgong	Nil	Nil	70·61	13th Dec.	
	Seebsaugor ...	Seebsaugor	Nil	Not rec.	72·71	6th Nov.	
		Golaghat	Nil	ditto ...	66·79	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	Nil	ditto ...	59·52	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	Nil	ditto ...	76·27	ditto.	
	Luckimpore ...	Debrooghur	Nil	ditto ...	90·94	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	Nil	ditto ...	101·55	ditto.	
		Suddya	Nil	ditto ...	83·19	ditto.	
	Naga Hills ...	Samoogoodting	Not rec.	ditto ...	43·74	29th Nov.	
	Khasi and Jynteah Hills ...	Shillong	Nil	ditto ...	53·57	6th Dec.	
		Jaowai	Nil	ditto ...	74·49	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	Nil	ditto ...	293·84	ditto.	
	Garo Hills ...	Tura	Nil	Nil	85·22	13th Dec.	
		Benares	Nil	Not rec.	35·83	6th Dec.	
		Akyab	Nil	Nil	202·60	13th Dec.	

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CALCUTTA,
The 20th December 1873.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 14th to 20th Dec. 1873.

Station.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level.	Thermometer. Dry.	Thermometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. =100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. * Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials
Calcutta.	Dec. 14th	10	30·122	30·141	69·6	61·6	60	N by W	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·974	29·992	75·5	62·0	42	N N W	...	...	.....	b
	15th	10	30·130	30·149	71·6	62·7	57	N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	30·020	30·038	76·0	65·5	54	E N E	...	...	.....	b
	16th	10	30·180	30·199	72·0	64·5	64	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	30·058	30·076	77·0	65·0	53	E N E	...	...	C	
	17th	10	30·195	30·214	71·4	62·4	57	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	30·060	30·078	76·6	66·6	56	E N E	...	...	.....	b
	18th	10	30·144	30·163	71·5	64·5	69	E N E	...	...	C	
		16	29·980	29·998	76·5	66·5	61	E N E	...	...	C	
	19th	10	30·086	30·105	72·0	61·0	62	E N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·946	29·964	76·5	66·5	56	E N E	...	...	.....	b
	20th	10	30·080	30·099	72·5	65·5	66	E N E	...	...	.....	b
		16	29·949	29·967	76·5	65·3	52	N E	...	...	.....	b
Saugor Island.	Dec. 14th	10	30·142	30·143	70	63	65	N	8·6	...	.....	b, m
		16	29·982	29·988	77	63	41	N N E	10·5	...	.....	b
	15th	10	30·141	30·147	73	64	58	N N W	7·3	...	.....	b, m
		16	30·032	30·038	77	65	49	N N W	8·3	...	CS	b, m
	16th	10	30·194	30·200	74	67	67	N N W	5·1	...	C	b, m
		16	30·061	30·067	78	65	46	N N W	7·5	...	CS	b, m
	17th	10	30·201	30·207	73	64	58	N N E	5·9	...	C	b, m
		16	30·068	30·074	77	67	56	N	6·8	...	CS	b, m
	18th	10	30·160	30·166	72	64	62	N N W	5·3	...	C	b, m
		16	29·999	30·005	77	66	53	N	5·4	...	CS	b, m
	19th	10	30·105	30·111	72	67	75	N N W	6·7	...	.....	b, m
		16	29·956	29·962	77	65	49	N	7·1	...	.....	b, m
	20th	10	30·089	30·095	73	66	67	N	3·6	...	.....	b, m
		16	29·951	29·957	77	66	53	N	6·5	...	C	b
Chittagong.	Dec. 14th	10	30·096	30·101	71	67	80	N	5·2	...	.....	b, m
		16	29·890	29·984	76	67	60	W S W	6·7	...	.....	b, v
	15th	10	30·099	30·104	70	67	84	N	5·3	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·902	29·936	77	65	49	W	7·2	...	.....	b, v
	16th	10	30·064	30·159	72	68	80	N	10·5	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·945	30·038	79	68	54	W	4·7	...	.....	b, v
	17th	10	30·074	30·169	75	64	70	N	5·0	...	.....	b, m
		16	29·940	30·033	79	66	47	W	3·4	...	.....	b, v
	18th	10	30·064	30·159	73	67	75	N N W	3·9	...	.....	b, m
		16	29·885	29·979	77	67	56	W S W	3·5	...	C	b, m
	19th	10	29·972	30·067	69	64	74	N N W	4·1	...	.....	b, m
		16	P	P	75	65	55	W S W	3·6	...	.....	b, v
	20th	10	29·932	30·027	68	65	84	N	3·6	...	.....	b, v
		16	29·845	29·939	77	67	56	W	2·3	...	.....	b, v
Madras.	Dec. 13th	10	30·085	30·115	82	75	70	N by W	3	...	.....	c
		16	29·967	29·997	82	76	70	N by E	13	...	.....	c
	14th	10	30·045	30·075	82	75	70	N by E	14	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·932	29·962	80	74	74	N by E	12	...	.....	b, c
	15th	10	30·048	30·078	84	76	67	N E	14	...	.....	c
		16	29·953	29·983	81	74	70	N E by N	16	...	.....	b, c
	16th	10	30·098	30·128	82	75	70	N by E	15	...	.....	b
		16	29·976	30·006	81	72	62	N by E	14	...	.....	b
	17th	10	30·078	30·108	82	[illegible]	74	N N E	15	0·12	.....	c
		16	29·984	30·014	77	74	86	N E by E	3	0·23	.....	cloudy.
	18th	10	30·074	30·104	82	76	74	N E by N	13	0·62	.....	c
		16	29·943	29·978	81	74	70	N E	12	...	.....	c
	19th	10	30·045	30·075	82	74	66	N E by N	10	...	.....	c
		16	29·923	29·953	81	74	70	N N E	12	...	.....	c
Cuttack.	Dec. 14th	10	30·031	30·114	77	63	41	N N E	0·4	...	.....	b
		16	29·903	29·986	81	66	41	W N W	2·0	...	.....	b
	15th	10	30·069	30·153	73	62	50	W	0·2	...	.....	b
		16	29·939	30·022	80	63	34	N N E	2·7	...	C	b
	16th	10	30·112	30·196	73	63	54	N N E	0·3	...	C	b
		16	29·979	30·062	82	65	35	N N E	2·3	...	C	b
	17th	10	30·122	30·206	72	62	53	E N E	0·1	...	C	b
		16	29·981	30·064	79	64	40	E	2·0	...	C	b
	18th	10	30·072	30·156	74	63	51	N	0·1	...	C	b
		16	29·911	29·994	75	66	47	W N W	1·0	...	C	b
	19th	10	30·025	30·109	72	64	62	N W	0·2	...	.....	b
		16	29·881	29·964	80	66	44	N N E	1·7	...	.....	b
	20th	10	29·992	30·076	74	65	59	N W	0·2	...	.....	b
		16	29·931	30·014	79	65	43	N E	2·4	...	.....	b
Akyab.	Dec. 14th	10	30·063	30·085	73	70	85	N E	1·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·932	29·954	80	77	86	W S W	3·6	...	.....	b
	15th	10	30·080	30·102	75	71	81	N E	2·4	...	.....	b
		16	29·989	30·011	80	73	66	W	3·8	...	.....	b
	16th	10	30·118	30·140	78	70	65	E N E	2·1	...	.....	b
		16	30·016	30·038	81	75	74	W	5·5	...	.....	b
	17th	10	30·138	30·160	78	72	73	N E	2·7	...	.....	b
		16	30·014	30·035	83	76	71	S W	4·3	...	.....	b
	18th	10	30·100	30·122	75	72	85	E N E	2·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·952	29·974	82	75	70	N W	4·5	...	.....	b
	19th	10	30·038	30·060	78	73	77	N E	2·2	...	.....	b
		16	29·914	29·936	79	74	77	N W	6·3	...	.....	b
	20th	10	30·033	30·055	75	72	85	N E	2·6	...	.....	b
		16	29·924	29·946	79	74	77	W S W	4·6	...	.....	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

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CALCUTTA,
The 20th December 1873.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, from 15th to 21st December 1873.

Month.	Date.	Mean reduced barometer.	Thermometer. Highest reading.	Thermometer. Lowest reading.	Thermometer. Max. solar radiation.	Mean dry bulb.	Mean wet bulb.	Computed mean dew-point.	Mean degree of humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Max. pressure.	Wind. Daily velocity.	Rain.	Moon's phases.	General Remarks.
		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	°			Lb.	Miles	In.		
Dec. ...	15th	30·066	78·5	61·0	129·0	68·7	62·3	57·2	0·58	N N W & E N E	...	121·9	...	...	Chiefly clear.
	16th	·107	78·4	62·5	131·5	69·7	62·6	56·9	·65	E N E	...	113·7	...	...	Clear and cirri.
	17th	·119	78·0	61·5	131·5	69·6	63·5	58·6	·70	E N E	...	84·2	...	...	Clear and cirri. Slightly foggy at 5 and 8 A.M., and 9 and 10 P.M.
	18th	·059	78·4	62·5	130·0	69·6	63·8	59·2	·71	E N E	...	73·4	...	...	Clear and cirri. Slightly foggy at 10 and 11 P.M.
	19th	·000	78·5	61·6	130·5	69·3	63·8	59·4	·72	E N E	...	77·0	...	...	Chiefly clear. Slightly foggy from 9 to 11 P.M.
	20th	29·996	78·3	62·2	133·4	69·4	63·4	58·6	·70	E N E & N E	...	82·5	...	●	Clear and cirrostrati.
	21st	30·055	78·5	61·0	132·5	69·1	61·9	56·1	·65	N E	0·4	116·8	...	...	Chiefly clear. Slightly foggy at 6 and 7 A.M.

The mean barometer, as likewise the dry and wet bulb thermometer means are derived from the twenty-four hourly observations made during the day.

The dew-point is computed with the Greenwich constants. The figures in column 10 represent the humidity of the air, the complete saturation of which being taken at unity. The receiver of the lower rain gauge is 1½ feet, and that of the anemometer 70 feet 10 inches above the level of the ground. The velocity of wind, as indicated by Robinson's anemometer, is registered from noon to noon.

		°
The extreme variation of temperature during the past seven days	...	17·5
The maximum temperature during the past seven days	...	78·5
The maximum temperature during the corresponding period of the past year	...	80·5
The mean humidity during the past seven days	...	0·69
The mean humidity during the corresponding period of the past year	...	0·74
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 15th to 21st ... by lower rain gauge	...	Nil
The total fall of rain from 15th to 21st ... by anemometer gauge	...	Nil
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	0·01
Ditto ditto between the 1st January and the 21st December	...	45·27
Ditto ditto ditto, average of nineteen previous years	...	69·29

GOPEENAUTH SEN,
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The 22nd December 1873.

Abstract of the Results of the Hourly Meteorological Observations taken at the Surveyor-General's Office, Calcutta, in the month of November 1873.

LATITUDE 22° 33′ 1″ North. Longitude 88° 20′ 34″ East. Height of the cistern of the standard barometer above the sea level, 18·11 feet.

MONTHLY RESULTS.

	Inches.
Mean height of the barometer for the month	30·007
Max. height of the barometer occurred at 9 A.M. on the 17th	30·138
Min. height of the barometer occurred at 5 P.M. on the 1st	29·823
Extreme range of the barometer during the month	0·315
Mean of the daily max. pressures	30·074
Ditto ditto min. ditto	29·950
Mean daily range of the barometer during the month	0·124

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Mean dry bulb thermometer for the month	75·6
Max. temperature occurred at 3 P.M. on the 6th	90·7
Min. temperature occurred at 6 A.M. on the 18th	64·0
Extreme range of the temperature during the month	26·7
Mean of the daily max. temperature	83·9
Ditto ditto min. ditto	68·7
Mean daily range of the temperature during the month	15·2

Mean wet bulb thermometer for the month	68·5
Mean dry bulb thermometer above mean wet bulb thermometer	7·1
Computed mean dew-point for the month	63·5
Mean dry bulb thermometer above computed mean dew-point	12·1
	Inches.
Mean elastic force of vapour for the month	0·588
	Troy grain.
Mean weight of vapour for the month	6·39
Additional weight of vapour required for complete saturation	3·09
Mean degree of humidity for the month, complete saturation being unity ...	0·67
	⊖
Mean max. solar radiation thermometer for the month	129·8
	Inches.
Rained 4 days,—max. fall of rain during 24 hours	0·09
Total amount of rain during the month	0·14
Total amount of rain indicated by the gauge* attached to the anemometer during the month	0·05
Prevailing direction of the wind	N. E. & E. N. E.

* Height, 70 feet 10 inches above ground.

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The 22nd December 1873.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT.—No. 453.—*The 22nd December 1873.*

Statement showing heights over mean sea level and low water on Rivers Ganges, Bhagirutty, and Brahmaputra during the month of November 1873.

Date.	Miles.	Distance.	River Ganges. Benares. Height over low water.	Benares. Height over mean sea level.	Buxar. Height over low water.	Buxar. Height over mean sea level.	Dinapore. Height over low water.	Dinapore. Height over mean sea level.	Monghyr. Height over low water.	Monghyr. Height over mean sea level.	Sahibgunge. Height over low water.	Sahibgunge. Height over mean sea level.	Rampore Beauleah. Height over low water.	Rampore Beauleah. Height over mean sea level.	Goalundo. Height over low water.	Goalundo. Height over mean sea level.	River Bhagirutty. Berhampore. Height over low water.	Berhampore. Height over mean sea level.	Kishnaghur. Height over low water.	Kishnaghur. Height over mean sea level.	Brahmapootra. Gowhatty. Height over low water.	Gowhatty. Height over mean sea level.
					20.		177.	87.	287.	119.	381.	94.	471.	90.	591.	120.			70.			
					From Benares.		From Benares.	From Buxar.	From Benares.	From Dinapore.	From Benares.	From Monghyr.	From Benares.	From Sahibgunge.	From Benares.	From Rampore Beauleah.			From Berhampore.			
1st			.....	.....	11'5"	177'40	3'8½"	143'70	5'7"	107'43	6'6"	74'50	8'10"	50'83	8'6"	17'44	5'7"	37'28	3'8"	12'45	4'11"	153'35
2nd			.....	.....	11'3"	177'23	5'6½"	145'55	5'6"	107'35	6'4"	74'33	.....	.....	8'3"	17'44	5'3"	37'65	3'7"	12'37	4'9½	153'58
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4th			.....	.....	10'10"	176'82	5'2½"	145'10	5'2"	107'01	6'0"	74'00	.....	.....	8'8"	17'60	5'0½"	37'46	3'5½"	12'24	4'5½"	153'66
5th			.....	.....	10'8"	176'63	4'11½"	144'94	5'0"	106'85	5'10"	73'84	.....	.....	8'4"	17'27	4'10½"	37'27	3'3"	12'20	4'0"	152'78
6th			.....	.....	10'7"	176'57	4'8½"	144'73	4'10"	106'68	5'9"	73'73	.....	.....	8'4"	17'27	4'8"	37'06	3'3"	12'04	3'11"	152'60
7th			.....	.....	10'5"	176'40	4'6½"	144'53	4'9"	106'50	5'7"	73'52	.....	.....	8'0"	16'94	4'6"	36'90	3'6½"	12'33	3'9½"	152'53
8th			.....	.....	10'3"	176'23	4'4"	144'42	4'7"	106'48	5'5"	73'41	.....	.....	7'9"	16'69	4'4"	36'73	3'4"	12'29	3'8"	152'24
9th			.....	.....	10'1"	176'07	4'4½"	144'35	4'6"	106'35	5'4"	73'33	.....	.....	7'6"	16'44	4'2"	36'56	3'4"	12'12	3'3½"	152'06
10th			.....	.....	10'0"	175'93	4'1½"	144'13	4'4"	106'18	5'3"	73'25	.....	.....	7'3"	16'19	4'0½"	36'44	2'11½"	11'73	3'2½"	151'96
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16th			.....	.....	9'3"	175'23	2'11½"	142'97	3'8"	105'51	4'6"	72'50	.....	.....	6'1"	15'27	3'3"	35'65	2'5"	11'29	3'0"	151'76
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18th			.....	.....	9'0"	174'98	2'7"	142'57	3'6"	105'35	4'3"	72'25	.....	.....	5'11"	14'85	3'1½"	35'50	2'4"	11'12	2'9½"	151'56
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20th			.....	.....	8'10"	174'82	2'4"	142'32	3'3"	105'10	4'1"	72'08	.....	.....	5'10"	14'77	2'11½"	35'35	2'3"	11'04	2'7"	151'36
21st			.....	.....	8'8"	174'65	2'2"	142'24	3'2"	105'01	3'11"	71'91	.....	.....	5'9"	14'60	2'10½"	35'27	2'2½"	10'99	2'6"	151'26
22nd			.....	.....	8'7"	174'57	2'2½"	142'20	3'1"	104'93	3'10"	71'83	.....	.....	5'8"	14'60	2'9½"	35'19	2'2"	10'95	2'4½"	151'16
23rd			.....	.....	8'6"	174'48	2'2"	142'16	3'0"	104'85	3'9"	71'75	.....	.....	5'8"	14'60	2'9"	35'15	2'2"	10'95	2'6"	151'26
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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—IRRIGATION BRANCH.

KHUREEF SEASON 1873, COMMENCING ON THE 1ST JUNE 1873.

Irrigation Operations of Lower Bengal during the month of November 1873.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Supply of water in the Canals.		Rice irrigation.				Sugarcane and other perennial crop irrigation.			Grand total of area leased up to the end of the month (total of columns 9 & 12).	Grand total of corresponding period of last year.	Rainfall.			Remarks.
			Estimated full discharge in cubic feet per second.	Average discharge in cubic feet per second throughout the month.	Area leased on or before the 1st June 1873.	Area leased subsequent to the 1st June 1873 and up to the 1st of the month.	Area leased during the month.	Total area leased up to date (total of columns 6, 7 & 8).	Area leased up to the 1st of the month.	Area leased during the month.	Total area leased up to date (total of columns 10 & 11).			Inches during month.	Inches during khureef season.	Average of ten previous years for the same period.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
Orissa ...	Cuttack ...	Kendraparah ...	1,269	180	2,776	1,675	210	4,661	*a* 49	3	52	4,713	3,448	0·30	32·87	57·81	*a* In last month's statement an excess of 18 acres was shown by mistake.
		High Level ...	675	87	1,202	1,153	297	2,654	.....	1	1	2,655	923				*b* The details of column 9 are— Acres. At the rate of Re. 1 ... 4,570; " " Rs. 1·8 ... 3,783; Total ... 8,353
		Taldandah ...	1,300	71·89	74	197	421	692	22	1	23	715	30				*c* The details of column 12 are— Acres. Sugarcane ... 81; Huldi ... 25; Garden produce ... 14; Total ... 120
		Machgong ...	650	20·10	124	221	6	351	44	.....	44	395	69				
		Total ...	.....	.....	4,176	3,248	934	*b* 8,358	115	5	*c* 120	*d* 8,478	3,771	.....	.....	.....	*d* In addition to this, 373 acres have been assessed at double water-rates under Section 14, Act VIII of 1867 (B. C.).
South-Western ...	Midnapore ...	Midnapore ...	875	262·08	1,380	24,897	1,221	27,498	.....	.....	.....	27,498	8,628	0·2	32·87	9 years 59·48	*f* The details are— Acres. At the rate of Rs. 1·8 ... 12,936; " " Rs. 1·12 ... 253; " " Rs. 2 ... 6,015; " " Rs. 2·4 ... 13,819; Total ... 33,023
	Howrah ...	Panchcoorah ...	240	175	.....	5,240	290	5,530	.....	.....	.....	5,530	3,564	.....	46·03	3 years 41·21	
		Total ...	.....	.....	1,380	30,137	1,511	*f* 33,028	.....	.....	.....	33,028	12,192	.....	.....	.....	
		Grand Total...	.....	.....	5,556	33,385	2,445	41,386	115	5	120	41,506	15,963	.....	.....	.....	In addition to this, 3,079 acres have been assessed for illicit irrigation at Rs. 3 per acre.

The 20th December 1873.

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Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th December 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	1,260	889 0 0	83 18 0	4,084 0	409 0 0	40 18 0	129 16 0
Or per mile of railway	46	33 0 0	3 6 0	172 0	15 0 0	1 10 0	4 16 0
For previous 22 weeks of half-year	28,076	21,941 0 0	2,194 2 0	85,038 0	7,701 0 0	770 2 0	2,964 4 0
Total for 23 weeks ...	29,336	22,830 0 0	2,283 0 0	89,122 0	8,110 0 0	811 0 0	3,094 0 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,251	892 10 9	89 5 4	2,828 20	303 11 9	30 7 6	119 12 10
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	45	32 12 1	3 5 6	107 19	11 2 3	1 2 3	4 7 9
Total to corresponding date of previous year	29,082	22,029 14 7	2,292 10 9	92,075 1	8,568 10 0	850 7 4	3,053 7 1

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th December 1873, on 158¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	30,507	22,197 9 9	2,025 10 7	115,352 20	38,457 1 2	3,523 4 7	5,551 15 2
Or per mile of railway	193	139 11 2	12 16 2	729 0	243 0 3	22 5 9	35 1 8
For previous 22 weeks of half-year...	637,484	4,03,607 0 0	36,897 14 7	2558,427 20	8,59,223 1 3	79,678 17 4	116,076 11 11
Total for 23 weeks	667,991	4,25,714 9 9	39,024 5 2	2,673,780 0	9,07,680 2 5	83,204 1 11	122,228 7 1
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	27,965½	18,568 15 10	1,702 3 2	80,856 14	32,467 12 10	2,976 4 4	4,678 7 6
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	171	118 10 5	16 17 7	517 0	207 7 5	19 0 4	29 17 11
Total to corresponding date of previous year	11,47,779½	4,01,634 12 11	36,816 10 3	3,417,737 32	9,62,803 13 4	88,257 0 4	125,873 10 7

NALHATI STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th December 1873, on 27¼ miles open.

		Rs. A. P	£ s. d	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	1,727½	1,466 0 0	146 12 0	14,255 0	1,427 0 0	114 14 0	261 6 0
Or per mile of railway	63	54 0 0	5 8 0	523 0	42 0 0	4 4 0	9 12 0
For previous 23 weeks of half-year...	29,336	22,830 0 0	2,283 0 0	89,722 0	8,110 0 0	811 0 0	3,094 0 0
Total for 24 weeks ...	31,063½	24,296 0 0	2,429 12 0	103,977 0	9,257 0 0	926 14 0	3,355 6 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,614½	1,261 11 0	126 3 5	2,524 0	208 1 6	20 16 3	148 19 8
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	59	46 4 10	4 12 7	92 25	7 10 2	0 15 3	5 7 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year	30,666½	23,291 9 7	2,329 3 2	94,599 1	8,711 11 6	871 3 7	3,200 6 9

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th December 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	9,929	1,199 0 0	119 18 0	11,002 0	374 0 0	37 8 0	157 6 0
Or per mile of railway	322	43 0 0	4 6 0	393 0	13 0 0	1 6 0	5 12 0
For previous 23 weeks of half-year	1,23,605	19,850 0 0	1,985 0 0	392,682 0	13,031 0 0	1,303 2 0	3,288 2 0
Total for 24 weeks	1,32,834	20,540 0 0	2,054 18 0	403,664 0	13,405 0 0	1,340 10 0	3,395 8 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,771	1,146 10 0	114 13 3	26,013 24	901 10 0	90 3 3	204 16 6
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	278	40 15 0	4 1 11	929 0	32 3 0	3 4 5	7 6 4
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,32,674	20,461 3 1	2,046 2 6	363,760 1	10,480 5 8	1,048 0 9	3,094 3 5

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th December 1873, on 1,280 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	101,306	c 2,17,845 7 6	19,969 3 5	* 1,104,830 30	* 4,99,144 6 9	45,754 16 1	65,723 1 6
Or per mile of railway	.....	170 3 1	15 12 0	.....	389 15 3	35 14 11	51 6 11
For previous 23 weeks of half-year	2,448,353	33,56,638 4 6	307,600 3 6	16,060,985 10	71,69,618 15 6	657,215 1 5	964,815 4 11
Total for 24 weeks	2,549,659	35,73,483 12 0	327,569 6 11	17,165,816 0	76,68,763 6 3	702,969 19 16	1,030,539 6 5
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	105,840	1,96,195 3 6	17,984 13 8	725,032 10	44,334 14 0	40,611 16 7	58,596 4 3
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	153 4 6	14 1 0	.....	346 1 11	31 14 7	45 15 7
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,371,273	33,23,455 10 8	304,650 2 1	11,368,485 0	65,54,973 8 5	600,872 11 5	905,522 13 6

c Rs. 1,064-13 added on account of special train for Viceroy and Hon'ble Miss Baring.
c Rs. 2,968-2 added on account of special train for Maharajah of Gwalior's bride, &c.
* Rs. 40,547-3 added on account of estimated proportion of freight on food-grains due from Government for this week.
* Mds. 27,991 and Rs. 13,604 added on account of difference between approximate and audited returns of previous weeks.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th December 1873, on 223½ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	4,439	* 21,124 1 3	1,936 7 6	72,744 20	† 18,459 7 0	1,692 2 3	3,628 9 9
Or per mile of railway	.....	94 8 3	8 13 3	.....	82 9 3	7 11 5	16 4 8
For previous 23 weeks of half-year...	92,138	2,87,140 13 6	26,321 4 10	10,48,987 20	3,23,744 9 6	29,676 11 9	55,997 16 7
Total for 24 weeks... ...	96,577	3,08,264 14 9	28,257 12 4	11,21,732 0	3,42,204 0 0	31,368 14 0	59,626 6 4
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,270	19,186 13 5	1,758 15 11	59,915 10	18,364 5 7	1,683 7 11	3,442 3 10
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	85 13 7	7 17 5	.....	82 2 8	7 10 7	15 3 0
Total to corresponding date of previous year	107,498	3,32,168 7 10	30,418 15 7	890,191 0	2,81,611 0 0	25,814 6 10	56,263 2 5

* Rs. 2,363-10 added on account of special train for Maharajah of Gwalior's bride, &c.
† Rs. 659-8 added on account of estimated proportion of freight on food-grains due by Government for this week.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 2149.

GENERAL.—*The 24th December* 1873.—Mr. John Barlow, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, having joined his appointment at Gya on the afternoon of the 6th November, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 5th August 1873 is cancelled.

The 29th December 1873.—Mr. Thomas Walton is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Furreedpore in the First Grade during the absence on leave of Mr. W. S. Wells, or until further orders.

The services of Mr. Arthur Rattray, Extra Assistant Commissioner, returned from leave, are placed at the disposal of the Commissioner of Patna, for employment in connection with Scarcity and Relief.

Baboo Dwarkanath Dey, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to Howrah from the date on which he returned from leave.

The 30th December 1873.—Mr. Frederick Grant, Extra Assistant Commissioner, reported his return from furlough to Bombay on the 12th December 1873. Mr. Grant is appointed to have temporary charge of the Godda Division, in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Mr. C. A. S. Bedford, Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge of Godda, is transferred temporarily to the Sudder Station of Bhaugulpore.

Mr. Augustus Rivers Thompson having resumed charge of the office of Secretary to the Government of Bengal on the forenoon of the 22nd December 1873, the unexpired portion of the subsidiary leave which was granted to him under orders of the 16th idem is cancelled.

Mr. Henry Laurence Oliphant, Deputy Commissioner of Lohardaggah, is allowed privilege leave for one month under Section 21, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. Francis Richard Cockerell, C.S., is allowed subsidiary leave for ten days from the 27th December 1873, the day following the date of his arrival at Bombay on his return from furlough, to enable him to join his appointment.

POLICE.—*The 30th December* 1873.—Mr. C. E. Gouldsbury will resume his appointment as Assistant Superintendent of Police from this date. Mr. Gouldsbury will continue to be attached to the Darjeeling District for the present. He is vested with the powers of a Moonsiff, and with the Revenue powers of an Extra Assistant Commissioner.

EDUCATION.—*The 24th December* 1873.—Mr. M. H. L. Beebee, M.A., of the Bengal Educational Service, is allowed subsidiary leave from the 17th to the 19th October 1873, to enable him to join his appointment on his return from leave.

Mr. S. Lobb, M.A., Principal of the Kishnaghur College, is re-appointed to act in the Second Class of the Bengal Educational Service from the 2nd December 1873.

Mr. H. Blochmann, M.A., Acting Principal of the Calcutta Madrasah, is re-appointed to act in the Third Class of the Bengal Educational Service from the 2nd December 1873.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the District School Committee of Goalparah, viz.—

Baboo Opendro Chunder Mozoomdar, Sub-Deputy Collector.
" Sadiram Das, Sheristadar, Manager's Office, Court of Wards, Bijnee.

The 29th December 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the District School Committee of Hazareebaugh:—

Mr. Henry Murray Tobin, Assistant Commissioner.
Baboo Karunamoy Banerjee, Extra Assistant Commissioner.
" Harihur Churn Lall, Extra Assistant Commissioner.

MEDICAL.—*The 22nd December* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the Committee for the Management of the Charitable Dispensary at Doomka, in the Sonthal Pergunnahs District:—

Mr John Boxwell	...	Officiating Deputy Commissioner.
" Browne Wood	...	Deputy Commissioner and Settlement Officer.
" E. J. Meara	...	Executive Engineer.
" Henry Dawson	...	Officiating District Superintendent of Police.
" William Miller Smith	...	Extra Assistant Commissioner.
" James Fuller Blumhardt	...	Extra Assistant Commissioner and Assistant Settlement Officer.
" John Rowland	...	Extra Assistant Commissioner.
Rajah Gopal Chunder Sing Bahadoor		Zemindar.
Baboo Woodit Narain Singha	...	Ditto.
" Indra Narain Roy	...	Ditto.
" Sreemunt Dey	...	Ditto.
" Kenaram Ghose	...	Ditto.
" Sreenath Dutt	...	Agent.
" Bhutto Lall	...	Ditto.

Surgeon L. Cameron, M.D., Officiating Civil Surgeon, Sonthal Pergunnahs, to be Secretary to the Committee.

The 24th December 1873.—Surgeon S. Brereton, Officiating Civil Surgeon of the Chittagong Hill Tracts, is allowed two months' short leave in India, under Rule 2 of G. G. No. 613, dated 14th July 1871. Sub-Assistant Surgeon Haran Chunder Das will remain in civil medical charge of the Chittagong Hill Tracts during Surgeon Brereton's absence.

The 29th December 1873.—Sub-Assistant Surgeon Rojoni Lal Sett, in charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Jehanabad, is allowed one month's privilege leave under Section 21, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code.

Bengali Class Native Doctor Gobind Chunder Sen is appointed to have temporary medical charge of the Sub-division of Jehanabad and of the Charitable Dispensary there.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 24th December* 1873.—Mr. John George Charles to be Vice-Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners for the town of Patna.

The 29th December 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Baboo Gobind Chunder Mookerjee of his appointment as a Municipal Commissioner for the town of Ooterparah.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 29th December 1873.—With reference to the resolution of this Government, in the General Department, dated 15th April 1873, in which it was announced that "all promotions, "substantive or acting, which may be made to the different grades of Judges or Magistrate-"Collectors from this date up to the time when the orders of the Secretary of State may be "received, will be conditional on the approval of the Secretary of State," it is hereby notified that the proposals made for the establishment of parallel lines of promotion in the executive and judicial branches of the Covenanted Civil Service in Bengal have received the sanction of His Grace the Secretary of State. The appointments which were made provisionally are therefore confirmed.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd December 1873.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to fix the 15th of January 1874 as the latest date on which applications from candidates for permission to appear at the Native Civil Service Examination to be held in February next will be received by Magistrates of districts.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

RELAXATION OF LAND IMPROVEMENT ADVANCE RULES.

The 22nd December 1873.—In continuation of Notification of the 20th November 1873, it is notified that the relaxation of the above rules therein published will have effect in the District of Nuddea in the Presidency Division.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 17th December 1873.—The following Rules for Native Civil Service Examinations and Civil Service Classes coming into force after the Examination of 1874, are published for general information:—

NATIVE CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS AND CIVIL SERVICE CLASSES.

[Rules to come into force after the examination of 1874.]

INTRODUCTORY.

Now that there have been held two annual examinations for the Native Civil Service, and that a third examination is to take place in February 1874, the Lieutenant-Governor wishes to place the Native Civil Service examinations and the preparatory classes for those examinations on a permanent footing.

2. All appointments in the Subordinate Executive Service, and all posts of Rs. 50 monthly salary and upwards in the sub-divisional establishments, both in Regulation and Non-Regulation Provinces, will ordinarily be reserved for persons who pass the Native Civil Service examination. Gazetted appointments in the Police and Opium Departments will generally be conferred on persons who pass this examination; but candidates will not be eligible for these departments save under a special certificate, which can only be granted under the orders of the Lieutenant-Governor. A list* of the persons who passed the Native Civil Service examinations of 1872 and 1873 shewing the appointments they now hold, is appended to these rules. Lists of successful examinees will be published in the *Gazette*, so that Commissioners, Magistrates, and Educational Committees may select for ministerial or other appointments passed candidates for whom vacancies in the Native Civil Service may not be immediately available.

* Appendix A.

ELIGIBILITY AND PRELIMINARIES TO THE EXAMINATION.

Admissible to examination.

3. All candidates eligible for appointments under rules 5 and 6 (below), who satisfy the preliminary requirements, will be admitted to the Native Civil Service Examination. No candidate will be admitted to the special examination for the Police, Non-Regulation Service, or the Opium Department without a special certificate, which can only be granted under the orders of the Lieutenant-Governor.

4. The preliminary requirements which all candidates must satisfy are—

(*a*) *Certificate of Character.*

A certificate will be required from every candidate of his character, respectability and general moral fitness, such certificate being signed by two gentlemen of his own nationality, resident in the district of which he is a native or where he usually resides, and also signed by the Judge or Magistrate of such district. The certificate of the two first named is expected to be based upon personal knowledge, and the certificate of the Judge or Magistrate to indicate that the gentlemen who have signed it are qualified by their position and character to give such a certificate, and that the Judge or Magistrate himself knows nothing to the prejudice of the candidate. In the case of the town of Calcutta, instead of the signature of the Judge or Magistrate, the certificate should bear that of any Judge of the High Court, or the Commissioner of Police, or the Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

(*b*) *Certificate of Sound Health.*

Each candidate will be required to produce a certificate from a Government medical officer stating that the candidate is generally a man of sound health, that he has expressed his willingness to serve in any district of the Lower Provinces, and that he (the medical officer) believes him to be capable of doing so, so far as can be judged antecedently.

(c) *Certificate of ability to Ride or Walk.*

Every candidate for the higher appointments will also be required to prove that he can ride, and for this purpose he may apply to the Magistrate of the district, who will either satisfy himself on the point, or select some other person he thinks competent for that purpose. The examiner must satisfy himself from his own personal observation that the candidate can ride not less than 12 miles at a rapid pace, and is in this respect competent for all practical purposes of district work; and if such examiner be not the Magistrate himself, the certificate must be countersigned by the Magistrate.

All the candidates who have not been locally examined will be required to appear before some person in Calcutta who will be selected for the purpose.

Every candidate for an appointment of less than Rs. 100 will be required to prove either that he can ride as above, or that he can walk twelve miles within 3½ hours without difficulty or prostration, to be certified in the same manner as the riding.

Persons eligible for all appointments.

5. The following persons having passed the required standard will be eligible to the Native Civil Service in all appointments:—

(a) Persons who have served Government for six years.

(b) Persons who have passed the Entrance Examination and have served Government for three years.

Provided that they have in cases (a) or (b) attained and have held for not less than one year a responsible permanent appointment, above that of copyist, with a salary not less than Rs. 25 in one of the civil departments of the Government service, and can produce a sufficient certificate of ability, good conduct, and fitness for promotion from their official superiors.

(c) Persons who have taken a University degree in arts, law, medicine, or engineering.

(d) Persons who, having passed the First Arts Examination or an examination of corresponding degree in one of the special colleges, attend the Civil Service classes for one year and acquit themselves well at the Native Civil Service examination.

(e) Persons who having passed the Entrance Examination attend the Civil Service classes for two years and acquit themselves well at the Native Civil Service Examination.

(f) Persons who may be specially declared eligible for all appointments by a certificate under the hand of a Secretary to Government.

Persons eligible for appointments of less than Rs. 100 per mensem.

6. The following persons having passed the required standard will be eligible to the Native Civil Service in appointments of less than Rs. 100 per mensem:—

(a) Persons who have served Government with credit and efficiency for not less than three years, whose thorough facility in the use of the vernacular is certified, and who pass a preliminary examination in English.

(b) Natives of Hindustan, Orissa, and Assam, natives of Bengal of Mahommedan families, and natives of any other districts which may be hereafter specially notified, who have served Government with credit and efficiency for not less than three years, and who can show that they have received a thoroughly good education in the vernacular. This privilege is limited to two years from this date, and it must be understood that such persons cannot expect advancement unless they qualify in English, that being the language of official correspondence in Bengal.

(c) Persons who have passed the Entrance Examination.

(d) Persons who may have been specially declared eligible for appointments of the lower grade by a certificate under the hand of a Secretary to Government.

7. Candidates who have not served Government for three years, and one year of whose service has not been passed in a post such as is described in rule 5 (above) are required to pass in—

The Vernacular.	Drawing.
Chemistry.	Engineering.
Botany.	Surveying.
Law.	Gymnastics.

Candidates who have served Government for three years as above, are required to pass in—

The Vernacular.
Law.
Drawing.
Surveying.

With these latter candidates the other subjects will be optional, but will count for a place in the list of successful candidates.

8. Candidates who produce certificates of having passed the undermentioned examinations will be exempted from liability to pass in the following subjects, namely—

(a) Persons who have passed the University First Arts Examination in chemistry, are exempt from liability to pass in that subject.

(b) Persons who have passed the B. A. Examination, Branch B, group 3 or group 4 (or any corresponding science course to be hereafter notified by Government), will be exempt from liability to pass in chemistry and botany.

(c) Persons who have gained a Civil Engineering College certificate of the overseer's or of any higher grade, will be exempt from liability to examination in drawing, surveying and engineering.

(d) Persons who have taken a degree in Indian law, or who have gained a first grade pleader's certificate, will be exempt from liability to examination in law.

Candidates who are entitled to exemption under this rule will be credited at the examination with two-thirds of full marks for the subject for which such exemption is allowed.

PROCEDURE TO GAIN ADMISSION.

9. Applications for admission to the Native Civil Service examination may be made—

(a) By persons who attend Civil Service classes to the Principal of the College where the classes may be held.

(b) By persons who have not attended Civil Service classes to the Magistrate of any one of the following districts:—

Alipore,	Rajshahye,	Chittagong,	Purneah,
Kishnagurh,	Rungpore,	Comillah,	Cuttack,
Jessore,	Julpigoree,	Patna,	Ranchee,
Burdwan,	Dacca,	Gya,	Gowhatty,
Hooghly,	Furreedpore,	Arrah,	Durrung,
Midnapore,	Burrisaul,	Mozufferpore,	Debroogurh,
Berhampore,	Mymensing,	Chuprah,	
Dinagepore,	Sylhet,	Bhaugulpore,	

where the medical officers will also examine candidates and grant certificates of sound health under Appendix B.

Fees.

10. Every candidate when submitting his application for admission to examination should state the subjects in which he desires to be examined, and annex certificates in any subjects in which he is required or permitted by these rules to show that he is duly qualified. He must at the same time tender a fee for each subject in which he has to be examined, computed according to the scale given below, if he is a candidate for the higher class of appointments:—

	Rs.
Elementary English examination for European candidates ...	8
Law	8
Surveying and engineering	8
Each vernacular	4
Medical examination	4
Riding or walking examination	4

Candidates for appointments of less than Rs. 100 per mensem will pay fees at half the above rates.

11. The authority receiving the application, if he is satisfied that the candidate is admissible to the examination under these rules, shall receive and credit the fees, will desire the candidate to undergo the required medical and riding or walking examination, if he has not already obtained certificates thereof, and when all certificates are complete, shall forward the application with the certificates of health, character, &c., riding or walking, of payment of fees, and certificates in any subject described in Rule 8, to the Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal (Examination Department). No fee is required when a certificate is sufficient and is produced.

Preliminary examination of native candidates at outstations.

12. A preliminary examination in English and the vernacular of those candidates who have not already qualified in those subjects, will be held. Persons who have passed the First Arts Examination, or the Entrance Examination in the first division, or who possess a University degree or certificate in Law or Engineering, will not be liable to the preliminary examination in English. Persons who have gained vernacular scholarships, or who have served with credit in vernacular offices, will not be liable to the preliminary examination in the vernacular. The preliminary examinations will be held on some date in December, to be locally notified by the Magistrate of the District, at the stations named in Rule 9 (above).

ANNUAL EXAMINATION AT CENTRES.

Date of examination.

13. The annual examination of candidates for admission into the roll of persons qualified for admission into the Native Civil Service under this Government will be held on some day in the month of January, 1875, not later than the 20th of that month, at Hooghly, Dacca, Patna, Cuttack, and Gowhatty. There will, if need be, be special examinations for the Police, the Non-Regulation

Provinces, and the Opium Department. For the ordinary branches of the service there will be two standards—one higher, qualifying for all appointments, and another lower, qualifying for appointments of less than Rs. 100 per mensem only.

Preliminary examination of European candidates in English at the centres.

14. Previous to the other examinations, European candidates who have not passed any University examination will be required, besides passing an examination in English, to show that they possess a thorough knowledge of writing and arithmetic. They must be able to write well, quickly, and correctly, from dictation, to compose a report, and to do all ordinary arithmetic correctly and quickly, which must be duly certified by the examiners.

By European is meant any person whose native language is English or any other European tongue.

Examination subjects.

15. The Native Civil Service examination on the subjects named in rule 6 will be conducted so as to test the knowledge of the candidates as follow :—

Examination in the Vernacular.

Vernacular examination for native candidates.

16. All native candidates will be required to show that they can read and write office papers and orders in the vernacular with complete facility.

Vernacular examination for European candidates.

All European candidates will be examined as to their ability to speak and understand a vernacular language, to read it in print, and translate it. Their knowledge of it must be sufficient to enable them to do business easily immediately on appointment.

Vernacular languages.

The vernacular language in which candidates will be required to pass under the two preceding rules may be either Bengali or Hindustani, Ooriah or Assamese.

Candidates who pass in Bengali only will not be eligible for vacancies in Behar, nor will candidates who pass in Hindustani only be eligible for vacancies in Bengal or Orissa.

Examination in Drawing, Surveying, and Engineering.

17. Candidates will be examined in the following subjects :—

I.—*Drawing.*

II.—*Surveying, in which are included*—

1.—Mensuration.
2.—Surveying with chain, and with compass and chain.
3.—Levelling.
4.—Construction of field-book, plotting, tracing on the ground.
5.—Construction and use of scales.

III.—*Engineering, in which are included*—

1.—General knowledge of properties of building materials in most common use, and of constructive trades.
2.—Estimating for a simple building or bridge.
3.—Construction of simple buildings.
4.—Construction of simple roof and bridge trusses for small spans.
5.—Elements of road-making (including the construction of culverts and small bridges).

Examination in Law.

18. Candidates will be examined in the elements of the law prevailing in Bengal in the following branches :—

(*a*) To qualify for the Police and Non-Regulation appointments—

Criminal Law.

Penal Code.
New Code of Criminal Procedure.
Police Act V of 1861.

In this examination books will be allowed.

(*b*) To qualify for Subordinate Executive Service and other civil appointments—

1. Criminal Law as in (*a*).
2. Revenue and General Law as follows :—

Regulations I, VIII, and XLVIII of 1793, and XII of 1817.
Ditto I, II, and VIII of 1819.
Ditto VII of 1822, IX and XI of 1825, and IX of 1833.

Acts IX of 1847, XXXI of 1858, and IV (B.C.) of 1868.
" XI of 1859.
" VII (B.C.) of 1868 and VIII (B.C.) of 1869.
" XXI of 1856, XXIII of 1860, and modifying Act of the Bengal Council.
" V of 1861.
" VIII of 1871.
" X (B.C.) of 1871.

Municipal Acts in force in Lower Bengal.

In the examination in Revenue and General Law books will not be allowed.

(c) To qualify for the Opium Department—

Act XXI of 1856.
" XIII of 1857.

The Board's Rules for the guidance of officers in the Opium Department.

In this examination books will not be allowed.

19. The examination papers for candidates for both grades of the service will be the same; but the passing marks will be considerably higher for the higher than for the lower grade; Candidates for the higher grade of appointments must do their papers in English; candidates for the lower grade may write their answers in their vernacular. A candidate who passes for the lower grade only will not be eligible for promotion to the higher grade of appointments until he passes for the higher grade at some future examination in at least two of the following subjects:—(1) Law, (2) Chemistry with Botany, (3) Drawing, Surveying and Engineering. Candidates who pass for the higher grade will be subject to no further examination except the higher standard departmental examination, and the opium laws examination for those candidates who are appointed to the Opium Department without having taken the opium papers.

At each examination the passed candidates will be ranked in order of merit in each subject and on the whole.

Certificate of qualification.

20. To every candidate who passes the examinations above prescribed, a certificate will be given, stating the subjects and the grade in which he has passed, and the place which he held in each subject and on the whole. But appointments can only be given to successful candidates as vacancies occur, and the Government does not guarantee that every successful candidate shall get an appointment.

NATIVE CIVIL SERVICE CLASSES.

Two kinds of Civil Service Classes.

21. As some of the subjects required for the Native Civil Service examination are not taught in the ordinary course of Bengal colleges, the Lieutenant-Governor has arranged for instructing persons who desire to qualify for that examination. Under the foregoing rules there are two classes of persons eligible for the higher class of Native Civil Service appointments, namely—

Non-service holders.

(1) Young men who have not served Government for three or more years in responsible posts.

Service-holders.

(2) Men who have served Government for three or more years.

The former class of candidates have to pass in more subjects than the latter. For those who have not served the Lieutenant-Governor would establish a Civil Service course at the Hooghly and Patna Colleges; and for those who have served special classes will, if there be a sufficient number of candidates, be established at the Presidency, Hooghly, and Patna Colleges.

22. For candidates who have passed the F. A. or B. A. examination, or any corresponding examination in the special colleges, there will be a one-year Civil Service course, which will include—

(1) The Chemistry lectures being delivered to the II year students reading for the F. A. examination.
(2) The Botany lectures being delivered to the III or IV year students.
(3) A special course of law lectures from the Civil Service classes lecturer.
(4) A special course of teaching from the teacher of surveying, &c.

The students of this one-year Civil Service course will have to go up for the ordinary University F.A. and B.A. examination papers in chemistry and botany; and will be examined in law and surveying, &c., at the Native Civil Service examination.

23. From candidates who have passed only the Entrance Examination a two-year Civil Service course will be required. These candidates will, during their first year, attend the ordinary college lectures for first year students in English, in history, in mathematics, and in natural science; while they will attend special classes in drawing, surveying, &c., in place of learning a second language—or Psychology. They will not be allowed to go on to the second year unless the Principal of the College certifies that they have done creditably in the first year.

During their second year they will join and attend the same lectures as the candidates referred to in the next preceding rule. The students of the two-year Civil Service course will pass the ordinary college examinations at the end of their first year; and at the end of their second year they will go up for the same examinations as the candidates of the one-year course.

24. Candidates who wish to attend the Civil Service classes must join the Civil Service classes not later than the 15th February of each year, and they must attend not less than 75 per cent. of the lectures prescribed for their course. The Principal of the College will not certify candidates who may be irregular at lecture as admissible to the Native Civil Service examination.

25. All scholarships granted by the Bengal Government will be tenable at Civil Service classes just as at any affiliated college. The fees for the Civil Service course will be Rs. 4 a month, besides the fee of Rs. 10 for instruction in riding and gymnastics.

26. For the candidates who have served Government the Lieutenant-Governor will establish a four-months course, from the 15th September to the 15th January at the colleges marginally noted, provided that at least 25 intending candidates for this class present themselves for admission before the 15th September. No admissions to this special class can be made after the 15th September. The Principal will have discretion to admit to this special class any candidate who, holding a University certificate in science, law or engineering, has only a few subjects to prepare for the Native Civil Service examination. The Principal can also admit to this special class any persons who may be declared to be specially eligible either by the Government or by the Commissioner.

Presidency.
Hooghly.
Patna.

27. Service-holders and others intending to enter for this four-months Civil Service course are warned that they will have to practise mensuration and drawing before they come, since they will find it difficult to get through the subjects in four months. They will receive lectures in law from the Civil Service lecturer, and will be instructed in drawing and surveying by the special teacher. Candidates admitted to this class will pay, besides the fee for riding and gymnastics, an entrance fee of Rs. 5, and a monthly fee of Rs. 3 for their lectures.

28. The following detail of the text-books and instruction in the subjects of drawing, surveying, and engineering, is prescribed for the Civil Service course:—

Subject.	Details.	Text-books and mode of acquiring.
	Surveying.	
1. Mensuration	Of the line, superficies, and the simpler solids. Cubical contents of earth-work in cuttings and embankments.	Todhunter's Mensuration.
2. Surveying with chain, and with compass and chain.	To make a survey of a tract of country 2 or 3 square miles in area.	Roorkee Papers on Surveying, chapters II, III. Also practically taught in the field.
3. Levelling	To make all the necessary sections for a supposed road between two given points.	Roorkee Papers on Surveying, chapters XI, XIII. Practical instruction in the field.
4. Construction of field-book, plotting and tracing on the ground.	To lay out the foundations of a simple building on the ground.	Instruction by lecture. Roorkee Papers on Surveying.
	Drawing.	
1. Construction and use of scales ...	Geometrical figures, orthographic projection as applied to the delineation of simple engineering structures.	Ellis Davidson on "Projection." Davidson on "Linear Drawing." Class instruction.
	Engineering.	
1. General knowledge of properties of building materials in most common use, and of constructive trades.	Stone, brick, timber, lime, mortar, cement.	Roorkee Treatise, volume I, chapters 1 2, 4, 5.
2. Estimating of a simple building or bridge.	To design simple drawbridges, culverts, and wooden bridges of small span, and to estimate the quantity and cost thereof.	Instruction principally by lecture.
3. Construction of simple buildings ...	Stone masonry, brick masonry, masonry in arches and foundations.	Roorkee Treatise, volume I, chapters 13, 14, 15, to end of paragraph 299; 16 to end of paragraph 322.
4. Construction of simple roofs and bridge trusses for small spans.	... ...	Instruction by lecture.
5. Elements of road-making, including the construction of culverts and small bridges.	Laying out roads, formation of cuttings and embankments, construction of road surface, drainage, &c.	Roorkee Treatise, volume I, section 5; volume II, section 8.

The service-holder class will receive instruction in surveying, &c., and in drawing only.

29. The Lieutenant-Governor will be particularly glad if heads of offices can give deserving and capable public servants leave of absence on favorable terms for the purpose of qualifying in the above special subjects.

30. Students who, after passing the Entrance Examination, have gone creditably through one year's college course, will be eligible for admission to the one year's Civil Service course, which is to begin from January 1874. Thereafter any young man who has only passed the Entrance Examination, must take the full two years' Civil Service course.

APPENDIX A.

Statement showing the names of successful candidates at the Subordinate Executive Service Examination of 1872, and the appointments which they now hold under the Government.

Names of successful candidates at the Subordinate Executive Service Examination of 1872.	Appointments which they now hold under the Government.	Salary.
		Rs.
Moulvie Abdool Hye	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca.	200
Babu Amer Nath Bhuttacharjee ...	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pubna.	200
,, Bejoy Krishna Bose ...	Officiating ditto ditto, Midnapore	200
Mr. John Christian	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent ...	200
Babu Danesh Chunder Roy ...	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya	200
,, Dwarka Nath Roy ...	Ditto ditto, Bograh	200
Mr. James Earnest Hand ...	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent ...	200
Babu Huri Mohon Sen ...	Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge.	200
,, Kali Nath Dey	Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tipperah.	200
,, Luchme Narian	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chumparun.	200
Mr. A. C. Mackertich	Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sylhet.	200
Babu Mohendro Nath Gupto ...	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore.	200
,, Medni Prosad	Officiating ditto ditto, Shahabad	200
,, Mohini Mohon Chuckerbutty	Ditto ditto, Jessore	200
,, Nil Chunder Chuckerbutty ...	Ditto ditto, Dinagepore	200
,, Rajonce Nath Chatterjea ...	Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purneah.	200
,, Raj Mohun Dey	Extra Assistant Commissioner, Luckimpore...	200
Mr. H. M. Hinde	Ditto ditto, Nowgong	200
Babu Troylucco Nath Sen	Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge.	200

APPENDIX A.—(*Continued.*)

Statement showing the names (in order of merit) of successful candidates at the Native Civil Service Examination of 1873, and the nature of appointments they now hold under the Government.

Names of successful candidates at the Native Civil Service Examination of 1873.	Class in which they passed.	Appointments which they have got under the Government.	Pay of appointment.	Districts to which they have been posted.	REMARKS.
			Rs.		
Babu Bipin Behary Mookerjea ...	1st Class.	Acting Deputy Magistracy	200	Mymensingh.	
„ Radha Shyam Sinha	„	Sub-Deputyship	150	Hooghly.	
„ Jankey Prosad	„	Ditto	150	Shahabad.	
„ Poornoo Chunder Roy, B.A. ...	„	Ditto	100	24-Pergunnahs.	
„ Khetter Gopal Roy	„	Ditto	150	Nuddea.	
„ Sant Prosad	„	Ditto	150	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
„ Mohim Chunder Ghose, B.A. ...	„	Ditto	150	24-Pergunnahs.	
„ Nolin Chunder Roy	„	Canoongoeship	50	Rajshahye.	
„ Mohanundo Gupto, B.A. ...	„	Acting Deputy Magistracy	200	Midnapore.	
„ Gouri Sunker Biswas	„	Ditto	200	Sarun.	
„ Rosomoy Dutt	„	Sub-Deputyship	100	Noakhally.	
„ Chunder Naryan Gupto, B.A. ...	„	Ditto	150	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
„ Jogut Chunder Roy	„	Canoongoeship	50	Moorshedabad.	
Mr. G. M. Gregory	„	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship ...	200	Benares Agency.	
Babu Rojonee Comar Dutt	„	.....	...	.....	Appointment not yet reported by the Commissioner.
„ Okhoy Coomar Chatterjee ...	„	Sub-Deputyship	150	Moorshedabad.	
„ Nilmony Coowar	„	Ditto	150	Midnapore.	
„ Gunga Nath Roy	„	Ditto	100	Chumparun.	
„ Shama Puddo Chowdry ...	„	Ditto	150	Midnapore.	
„ Tarini Lal Chowdry	„	Ditto	150	Chittagong.	
„ Rogh[illegible] Nundun Prosad ...	„	Ditto	150	Tirhoot.	
„ Nobin Kissen Banerjea ...	„	Acting Deputy Magistracy	200	24-Pergunnahs.	
Mr. G. A. Lorimer*	„	.....	...	.....	Unappointed, as he already has a post of school-master, on Rs. 250.
Moonshee Ather Hossen	„	Sub-Deputyship	100	Tirhoot.	

Moonshee [illegible] Rozz					
Babu Radha Ka[illegible] Banerjea ...	,,	Ditto	100	Jessore.	
Moulvie Mahomed-ul-Nobi	,,	Canoongoeship	50	Chittagong.	
Babu Jogendro Nath Sen	,,	Ditto	50	Pubnah.	
Moonshee Salamut Ally	,,	Sub-Deputyship	100	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
Babu Soorjee Coomar Sen	,,	Ditto	100	Nuddea.	
Mr. A. Christian	,,	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship ...	200	Benares Agency.	
Babu Shoshibhusun Dutt, B.A. ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship	150	Jessore.	
,, Mohesh Chunder Sen, B.A. ...	,,	Acting Deputy Magistracy	200	Furreedpore.	
,, Brojo Mohon Roy	,,	Sub-Deputyship	150	Pubnah.	
,, Umakanto Das	,,	Acting Deputy Magistracy	200	Tipperah.	
,, Prankissen Roy	,,	Sub-Deputyship	150	Burdwan.	
,, Koylash Chunder Bose ...	,,	Ditto	150	Rajshahye.	
,, Krishna Comar Sen	,,	Acting Deputy Magistracy	200	Rungpore.	
,, Chunder Coomar Dutt ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship	100	Dacca.	
,, Aushootosh Gupto	,,	Officiating Sub-Deputyship	100	Dacca.	
,, Annoda Prosad Pattack ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship	100	Burdwan.	
,, Ram Churn Lal	,,	Ditto	100	Gya.	
,, Komul Nath Ghose	,,	Ditto	150	Pooree.	
,, Chandy Charan Bose	,,	Ditto	150	Mymensingh.	
,, Rai Churn Ghose, B. A. ...	,,	Ditto	100	Maunbhoom.	
Moonshee Shere Ali	,,	Ditto	150	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
Mr. G. A. Baptiste	,,	Special Deputy Collectorship	200	Patna Division.	
Moonshee Mahomed Solam Hydar ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship	150	Lohardugga.	
Mr. G. McL. Smith	,,	Ditto	100	Nuddea.	
Babu Mohendro Chunder Mozoomdar, B. A.	,,	Ditto	100	Furreedpore.	
Babu Behary Lal Mitter, B. A. ...	,,	Ditto	100	Rungpore.	
,, Gour Mohon Bysack	,,	Ditto	150	Tipperah.	
,, Sosi Seker Dutt	,,	Ditto	100	Moorshedabad.	
,, Jogendro Nath Gupto	,,	Ditto	100	Burdwan.	
Mr. T. J. Mendes*	,,	.....	...	.....	Unappointed, as he already has a post of Rs. 200 as an Inspector of Police.
Babu Gobind Chunder Bysack, B. L.*	,,	.....	...	.....	
,, Girindro Nath Chatterjee ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship	100	24-Pergunnahs.	
,, Aushootosh Sirkar	,,	.....	...	.....	Appointment not yet reported by the Commissioner.

* Names of persons who still remain unappointed, or who have declined to accept appointments offered them, are marked with asterisks.

APPENDIX A.—(*Continued.*)

Names of successful candidates at the Native Civil Service Examination of 1873.	Class in which they passed.	Appointments which they have got under the Government.	Pay of appointment.	Districts to which they have been posted.	REMARKS.
			Rs.		
Babu Deno Nath Dey	1st Class.	Sub-Deputyship	100	Howrah.	
„ Annodaprosaud Sen	„	Ditto	100	Jessore.	
„ Jogut Chunder Shome ...	„	Ditto	100	24-Pergunnahs.	
„ Shama Churn Das	„	Ditto	100	Shahabad.	
Syud Zakir Hossen	„	Ditto	150	Bhaugulpore.	
Syud Sadiq Ally	„	Ditto	100	Tirhoot.	
Babu Umesh Chunder Banerjee ...	„	Ditto	150	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
Shaik Azad Buksh	„	Ditto	100	.....	Resigned to join an appointment in the Registration Department.
Babu Kastooree Lal	„	Ditto	100	Hazareebaugh.	
„ Dwarka Prosad...	„	Ditto	100	Patna.	
„ Rajendro Nath Roy	„	Special Deputy Collectorship...	200	Patna Division.	
Moonshee Indur Behary	„	Sub-Deputyship	100	Patna.	
Mr. C. N. Banerjea*	„	.....	...	.....	Declined an appointment on Rs. 100, as he has a post under Government on higher salary.
Babu Deno Nath Ghose	„	Sub-Deputyship	100	Bancoorah.	
„ Heeralal Biswas	„	Ditto	100	Nuddea.	
„ Opendro Chunder Mozoomdar	„	Ditto	100	.....	
„ Okhoy Coomar Bose	„	Ditto	100	Maldah.	
Mr. J. C. Sarkies	„	Officiating Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship.	125	Benares Agency.	
„ J. C. Shaw	„	Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship ...	200		
„ L. L. Parrott	„	Officiating Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agentship.	125		
Moonshee Khyrut Ahmed*	2nd Class.	.....	...	.....	Declined appointment of Rs. 50.
„ Mahomed Nussirooddeen*	„	.....	...	.....	Ditto ditto ditto.
Babu Shama Churn Mitter	„	Canoongoeship	50	Monghyr.	Ditto ditto ditto.
Mohemed Serajul H[illegible]*	„	.....	...	.....	

Moonshee Abdool Rozzak	,,	Canoongoeship...	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Babu Benode Beharry Sircar ...	,,	Sub-Deputyship	100	Beer[illegible]n.	
Moonshee Fuzloor Rohman	,,	Canoongoeship	50	Pubnah.	
Babu Poolin Chunder Sanial	,,	Ditto	50	Furreedpore.	
,, Barada Doss Bose	,,	Ditto	50	Jessore.	
Muolive Faizoollah Khan	,,	Ditto	50	Chittagong.	
Moonshee Berhamdeo Naryan ...	,,	Ditto	50	Tirhoot.	
Babu Jodoo Nath Das	,,	Ditto	50	Dacca.	
,, Bhogobutty Churn Bhuttacharjee	,,	Ditto	50	Burdwan.	
,, Ram Anoogroho Naryan* ...	,,	.....	...	.....	Has got no appointment. The Commissioner has been asked to appoint him to the first vacancy.
Moonshee Shama Churn	,,	Canoongoeship...	50	Shahabad.	
,, Nundjee	,,	Ditto	50	Lohardugga.	
Babu Chunder Coomar Mitter ...	,,	Ditto	50	Sylhet.	
,, Pran Kissen Das	,,	Ditto	50	Jessore.	
,, Danesh Prosad...	,,	Sub-Deputyship	100	Monghyr.	
,, Hem Chunder Mitter	,,	Canoongoeship...	50	Nuddea.	
,, Moonshee Rajkissore Naryan ..	,,	Ditto	50	Sarun.	
,, Gogun Chunder Chatterjee ...	,,	Ditto	50	Moorshedabad.	
,, Shoshi Bhusen Sen	,,	Ditto	50	Midnapore.	
,, Jodu Nauth Sircar	,,	Ditto	50	Gya.	
,, Lal Mohun Shome	,,	Ditto	50	Midnapore.	
,, Nobin Kissen Banerjee ...	,,	Ditto	50	Nuddea.	
,, Radha Kissore Sett	,,	Ditto	50	Ditto.	
,, Bonomally Paramanick ...	3rd Class	Ditto	50	Ditto.	
,, Koylash Chunder Chatterjea ...	,,	Ditto	50	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
,, Abinash Chunder Bhutta ...	,,	Ditto	50	Lohardugga.	
,, Bipin Behary Paramanick ...	,,	Ditto	50	24-Pergunnahs.	
,, Deno Nath Chuckerbutty ...	,,	Ditto	50	Rungpore.	
,, Grish Chunder Sircar* ...	,,	.....	...	.....	Unappointed.
,, Hem Chunder Bhutta ...	,,	Ditto	25	Noakhally.	
,, Rash Behary Dutt	,,	Ditto	50	Bhaugulpore.	
,, Hursho Nath Gangooly ...	,,	Ditto	50	Pooree	Has resigned and accepted a ministerial appointment in Jessore.
,, Nilmoney Banerjee*	,,	.....	...	.....	Still unappointed.
,, Boydo Nath Mookerjea* ...	,,	.....	...	.....	Declined an appointment of Rs. 50.

* Names of persons who still remain unappointed, or who have declined to accept appointments offered to them, are marked with asterisks.

APPENDIX A.—(*Concluded.*)

Names of successful candidates at the Native Civil Service Examination of 1873.	Class in which they passed.	Appointments which they have got under the Government.	Pay of appointment.	Districts to which they have been posted.	REMARKS.
			Rs.		
Babu Shama Churn Dutt	3rd Class.	Canoongoeship..	50	Burdwan.	
Moonshee Abul Hossein	,,	Ditto	25	Maldah.	
Babu Hurra Mohon Dutt	,,	Ditto	25	Moorshedabad.	
,, Shurut Chunder Das	,,	Ditto	25	24-Pergunnahs.	
,, Abinash Chunder Bhutta ..	,,	Ditto	50	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
,, Ram Dyal Chuckerbutty ..	,,	Ditto	25	Maunbhoom.	
,, Nilambur Pal	,,	Ditto	50	Balasore.	
,, Bhugwan Chunder Bose ..	,,	Ditto	50	Backergunge.	
,, Janokey Nath Shaha	,,	Ditto	50	Burdwan.	
,, Ram Soonder Bysack* ..	,,	.....	..	.....	Still unappointed. He is head clerk in the Office of the Inspector of Schools, Eastern Bengal Circle, on a salary of Rs. 80.
,, Jogendro Chunder Bhungo ..	,,	Ditto	25	Dinagepore.	
,, Okhoy Coomar Chatterjea ..	,,	Ditto	50	Sylhet.	
,, Bhawani Shahoy*	,,	.....	..	.....	Still unappointed.
Moonshee Wajee Ooddeen Ahmud ..	,,	Ditto	50	Rajshahye.	
Babu Deno Nath Ghose	,,	Ditto	50	Midnapore.	
,, Hem Chunder Mookerjea ..	,,	Ditto	50	Ditto.	
,, Dwarka Nath Newgy	,,	Ditto	50	Hooghly.	
,, Gouri Sunker	,,	Ditto	50	Tirhoot.	
,, Indresshur Borooah	,,	.....	..	.....	Appointment not yet reported by the Commissioner.
,, Bhoobun Mohon Soor.. ..	,,	Ditto	50	Hooghly.	
,, Hurry Hur Nath	,,	Ditto	50	Bhaugulpore.	
,, Shyam Naryan Pundit ..	,,	Ditto	50	Patna.	
,, Behary Lal Ghosaul	,,	Ditto	50	Dacca.	
,, Nundo Kissore Dyal	,,	Ditto	50	Chum[illegible]an.	
Moonshee Hubbeebur Rohoman ..	,,	Ditto	50	[illegible]unge.	

Babu Bunkoo Beharry Buxee*	„	.....	..	.....	[illegible] no appointment. The Commissioner has been asked to appoint him to the first vacancy.
Babu Khoodeeram Poddar	„	Ditto	25	Nuddea.	
Moonshee Joogul Kissore	„	Ditto	50	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
Babu Koylash Chuder Pal	„	Ditto	50	Tipperah.	
„ Chunder Siker Dey	„	Ditto	25	Jessore.	
Moonshee Abdul Waheb	„	Ditto	50	Backergunge.	
„ Shaheb Jaun	„	Ditto	50	Ditto.	
„ Abdul Aziz*	„	.....	..	.....	Unappointed.
Babu Protab Naryan Sing	„	Sub-Deputyship	100	Bhaugulpore.	
Moonshee Mahomed Khan	„	Canoongoeship	50	Tirhoot.	
Syud Mahomed Yahia	„	Ditto	50	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
Mahomed Waris Ali Khan	„	Ditto	50	Purneah.	
Babu Gonesh Prosad*	„	.....	..	.....	He is a Deputy Inspector of Schools.
Nazir Roheem Oollah	„	Ditto	25	Hazareebaugh.	
Babu Rhagendro Nath Roy*	„	Ditto	..	.....	Declined an appointment of Rs. 50.
„ Russick Lal Bose	„	Ditto	50	Mymensing.	
„ Parsuram Barooah	„	.....	..	.....	Appointment not yet reported by the Commissioner.

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H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

REMITTANCE TO ENGLAND ON THE PUBLIC SERVICE NOT TO BE MADE BY PRIVATE BILLS.

No. 3263.

RESOLUTION.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA—FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 27th November 1873.

The Governor-General in Council observes that not unfrequently the Local Governments, or even individual public officers, remit money to England for public purposes by private bills.

2. Such a practice is altogether irregular, and it should cease without exception.

3. No money should be paid in England on account of the public service in India except through the Secretary of State, whether that service be chargeable to imperial, provincial, or local funds.

4. Nor, ordinarily, ought there to be any direct transactions, on the public service, between officers or authorities in India and firms or persons in England, which entail payment of money to the latter; for, as a rule, books or stores obtained from England have to be procured through the Secretary of State for India, and in the cases where the strict rules on this head are observed there can be no occasion for remittances from India.

5. When a remittance to England on the public service is necessary, it should in no case be made by private bills, but invariably through the Government of India, who will arrange for the payment of the money by the Secretary of State for India, and for the settlement of the loss by exchange if the remittance be on account of a foreign administration, or for a local fund, &c.

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be sent to the several Secretariats of the Government of India, to the Local Governments and Administrations, the Comptroller-General, the Accountants-General, the Deputy Accountants-General in independent charge, the Director-General of the Post Office, and the Mint Master.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1873.—In continuation of the Notification dated 1st March 1873, regarding the planting and cutting of trees, and the cutting of branches which interfere with telegraph wires, published at pages 335-36 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, the attention of all officers subordinate to the Government of Bengal is drawn to the following orders contained in a Resolution recorded in the Public Works Department of the Government of India, dated 23rd October 1873, No. 1551—77SR, on the subject of cutting trees which interfere with the construction of railway lines:—

"1. The Government of the Punjab has represented that for 5 miles on the west side of the Grand Trunk Road in the Goojrat District the trees planted and reared with the utmost trouble and great expense have been cut down by the orders of the officials of the Railway and Telegraph Departments. The Lieutenant-Governor, believing this wholesale destruction to have been unnecessary, trusts that no trees will in future be destroyed without the permission of the Deputy Commissioner of the District. On receiving this communication the Government of India ordered that inquiry should be instituted concerning the circumstances under which the trees were injured.

"2. The Telegraph Department explain that their wires were for the use of the railway, and that they believed the trees were in charge of the Railway Officers, whose permission being obtained, only such trees were removed or pruned as obstructed the setting up of the telegraph wires.

"3. The Superintendent of Works on the Chenab Bridge believes that the actual amount of damage caused by the Railway and Telegraph Officers has not been so great as is supposed. He explains that all the trees were young and too close together to permit their

roper development, so that the pruning was an improvement. He says that it was osolutely necessary to remove trees which stood on places now occupied by the ballast of he line. He describes the growth near the railway as keekur bushes, and says that in many f the curves drivers of engines could not have obtained a sufficiently clear look-out if they ad been allowed to remain, and that the removal of some trees was also desirable to prevent ccidents in the case of their being blown down across the railway.

"4. The Chief Engineer of the Punjab Northern (State) Railway states that he is mpressed with the importance of protecting trees in the Punjab as much as possible, and he egrets that the Superintendent of Works did not place himself in communication with the Deputy Commissioner. The Chief Engineer also observes that it was clearly wrong to cut he trees before it became absolutely necessary to do so.

"5. The Officiating Chief Engineer of the Punjab Northern (State) Railway has further epresented the damage done to trees by the camp followers with troops marching along the oad. This matter appears to require the attention of the military authorities.

"6. The Governor-General in Council believing the removal of the trees to have been unnecessary before locomotive engines were placed on the Railway, is of opinion that the Railway Officers must have acted with undue precipitancy when they pruned and cleared away the young trees along the Grand Trunk Road in the vicinity of the Railway without consulting the civil authorities. The Government of India desire to encourage the growth of trees throughout the Punjab in every way possible, and the Governor-General in Council expects that all Railway and other Officials will act in concert with the civil authorities in the preservation of trees. Circular No. 74T on this subject has been issued to the Officers of the Telegraph Department, and His Excellency in Council desires that Officers in charge of Railways will in future consider these orders applicable to themselves in principle and spirit."

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 22nd December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a camping ground for the Royal Artillery Range in the District of the 24-Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land is required extending in almost a north-easterly direction parallel to the new Jafferpore Artillery Range, and situated on the south side of the same, commencing about 200 yards from the starting point of the Range, in the village of Jafferpore, in the Pergunnah Habileeshohur, measuring 300 yards in length and 88 yards in breadth, more or less.

Also a portion of land measuring 135 yards in length and 9 yards in breadth in the village of Chununpooker for the construction of a road joining into the Bungsee Mundal's road and leading to the Jafferpore Range. This piece of land extends in an easterly direction, and is situated on the west of the Ghoseparrah road in front of the proposed Eastern Bengal Railway crossing.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 19th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the Rajshahi Madrissa in Mohulla Chhirushurpura, in the town of Rampore Beauleah, Pergunnah Gursehat, Zillah Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 beegahs 9 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north partly by the public road leading to Sahibbazar and partly by a tank in the occupation of Shyam Lal and Russick Lal Chowdhory and others; on the south partly by land in the occupation of Madhub and Nundo Bearers and Baboo Barada Kant Sen and partly by a lane leading to the Charitable Dispensary; on the west by the same public lane leading to the Charitable Dispensary; and on the east by a public lane which runs along the western boundary of the High School, is required within the aforesaid town of Rampore Beauleah.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the plot of land is to be seen in the Collector's office.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 19th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for widening the existing road No. 2, from Poorub Durwaza to the East Indian Railway Ghât Station in Mohullah Maroofgunge, in the Town of Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring 2,074 feet long and 30 feet broad, aggregating 2 (local) beegahs and 6 cottahs, more or less, is required in the Mohullah aforesaid.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Pblication]

DECLARATION.

The 22nd December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a Rifle Range at Khogol, Pergunnah Phoolwaree, District Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land situated in Mouzahs Asapore, Adumpore, Dulochuck, and Luckneebigah, in Pergunnah Phoolwaree, Zillah Patna, and bounded on the north by an Ukura; on the east by the Ukura aforesaid, and by the lands of Gobind Pershad Radhakissen, Ram Nath Mahto, Bullo Mahto, Prayag Mahto, and Ram Lochun Lall, the Dâk Bungalow compound, and the waste land belonging to a Mr. Syriot; on the south by the waste lands aforesaid; and on the west by the lands of Prayag Mahto, Bullo Mahto, Ram Nath Mahto, Ram Lochun Lall, Bhola Missir, Radha Kissen and Gobind Pershad, and measuring more or less 1 acre and 34 poles, is required.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 12th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of a road from Sewan to Busuntpore, in Pergunnahs Barrah and Barrai, Zillah Sarun, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 25 miles in length and 100 feet in breadth, and partly occupied by an old tract, is required.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

C. BERNARD,
Acting Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 10th December 1873.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for straightening the Boal Khali Canal in the district of Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land is required measuring 2 acres 2 roods 21 poles and 2½ yards, more or less, and bounded as follows:—

North by the surveyed lands of Mouzah Halim Khar Chur, plots 1051, 1052, 1029, 1030, and 1025, and of Mouzah Chur Khizirpoor, plots 238, 239, and 240.

South by the surveyed lands of Mouzah Chur Khizirpoor, plots 241, 242, 243, 244, 239, and 238, and of Mouzah Halim Khar Chur, plots 1205, 1026, 1028, 1055, and 1056, and the tank in possession of Konoo Sing, plot No. 1054.

East by Boal Khali Canal.

West by Boal Khali Canal, situated west of plot No. 241 of the surveyed land of Mouzah Chur Khizirpoor.

This Declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 of the Government of India to all whom it may concern.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 426.—*Fort William, the* 23*rd December* 1873.—*Ecclesiastical.*—The services of the Reverend E. M. Beasley, a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Agriculture, Revenue and Commerce, are republished for general information :—

No. 1484.—*Fort William, the* 24*th December* 1873.—*Notifications.*—*Forests.*—Mr. E. Forrest, Assistant Conservator of Forests, in the 3rd grade, is transferred from Bengal to the Punjab.

Mr. H. B. Condon, Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests, in the Punjab, is transferred to Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 2908 *P.*—*Fort William, the* 23*rd December* 1873.—*Political.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. George M. Struthers as Acting Consul for the Netherlands at Calcutta during the temporary absence of Mr. E. VanCutsem.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information :—

No. 3937.—*Fort William, the* 24*th December* 1873.—*Accounts.*—The following Resolution is published for general information :—

The Governor-General in Council having reason to believe that the Government Savings Bank in Bombay was being employed for purposes which it was not intended to serve, caused enquiries to be made as to the character of the more recent accounts, the classes by whom deposits were made, and the way in which the accounts were worked.

From these enquiries it appears that there are numerous accounts, many of them recently opened, in which the maximum sum allowed has been deposited at once; and that the limit prescribed as to the amount of each account has been in practice evaded, the same person having opened more than one account.

The object of Government Savings Banks is to afford to the industrial classes and to persons of limited means, facilities for the accumulation of small savings. The essential character of the class of accounts that it is desirable to encourage is, that they are growing accounts. It was not the intention of Government to encourage the deposit at Savings Bank rate of interest of considerable sums of money.

In order, therefore, to ensure that Savings Banks shall be used only for legitimate purposes, His Excellency in Council is pleased to rule as follows :—

1*st.*—Without the special permission of the head of the office, which should be very sparingly given, no one may deposit in any Government Savings Bank in India more than Rs. 500 in one year or more than Rs. 1,000 in all.

2*nd.*—Ordinarily, no one may open for himself or the members of his family more than one account.

No. 3865.—*The* 23*rd December* 1873.—*Pensions and Gratuities.*—*Erratum.*—In Financial Notification No. 3801, dated 18th December 1873, published at page 1018 of Part I of the *Gazette of India* of the 20th idem, for "Supplement A" read "Supplement F."

No. 3924.—*The* 24*th December* 1873.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following be inserted as Rule 1 (*a*) under Section 63 of the Civil Pension Code :—

1 (*a*).—Service rendered before the age of sixteen years does not qualify.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 1300.—*Fort William, the* 24*th December* 1873.—The following Regimental Order issued to the Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps is confirmed :—

Dated 24*th November* 1873.—Making the following appointment :—

James Anderson, Esq., to be Assistant Surgeon, *vice* Assistant Surgeon J. G. G. Grant, M.D., who is permitted, at his own request, to resign his appointment.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2150.

JUDICIAL.—*The 16th December* 1873.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates in the District of Sarun, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

For the Chupra Bench.

Mr. George Field, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent.
Baboo Upendra Deo Narain Sing, Zemindar of Chynepore.

For the Hutwa Bench.

Baboo Tiloke Dhari Sahu, Zemindar of Hutwa.
Mr. Hickson, Private Tutor to the minor Rajah of Hutwa.
Baboo Bhoobunessur Dutt, Assistant Manager of Raj Hutwa.

The 29th December 1873.—Captain B. H. Preston is vested with powers under Section 20, Act XXII of 1864, to try breaches of the Rules and Regulations made under Section 17 of the Act in the cantonment of Dorundah, during Captain H. C. D. Bayley's absence on leave, or until further orders.

ERRATUM.—*The 30th December* 1873.—In Rule 28, Clauses 1 and 2 of the new Registration Rules published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th instant,—

For "*Full signature of Attorney,*" read "*Full signature of Principal.*"

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th December 1873.—With a view to afford greater facilities than at present exist for the Registration of Deeds in the District of 24-Pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased, under the authority vested in him by Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, to sanction the re-adjustment of the limits of the existing Sub-districts and the formation of the under-mentioned new Sub-districts :—

1. The Sub-district of Alipore will henceforth comprise Thannah Alipore and the portion of the Suburbs of Calcutta situated south of the Ballygunge Road.

2. A new Sub-district with Head-Quarters at Sealdah will comprise Thannah Bhangor and the portion of the Suburbs of Calcutta south of the Circular Road and Baliyaghatta Canals and north of the Ballygunge Road.

3. The Sub-district of Baranagar will comprise Thannah Ariyadaha and the portion of the Suburbs of Calcutta situated north of the Circular Road and Baliyaghatta Canals.

4. The Sub-district of Baraset will comprise Thannahs Baraset, Deganga, and Habra.

5. The new Sub-district of Naihati will comprise Thannah Naihati.

6. The present Sub-district of Barrackpore will henceforth be conterminous with the cantonment of Barrackpore.

7. The new Sub-district of Khardah will include Thannahs Dum-Dum and Nawabgunge except the cantonment of Barrackpore.

8. The Sub-district of Bishtopore will include, as hitherto, the Thannahs of Bishtopore and Achipore.

9. The Sub-district of Basirhat will comprise Thannahs Harwa, Basirhat, and Kalinga. In Kalinga the Sub-Registrar of Basirhat will exercise, as heretofore, concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registrar of Gobardanga.

10. The Sub-Registry office at Gobardanga will be restricted to Thannah Kalinga only, the Sub-Registrar exercising in it, as heretofore, concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registrar of Basirhat.

11. The new Sub-district of Taki will include Thannah Hasnabad.

12. The Sub-district of Baruipore will be restricted to Thannahs Baruipore and Mutlah.

13. The new Sub-district of Jaynagar will include Thannah Jaynagar only.

14. The present Sub-district of Diamond Harbour will be restricted to Thannahs Gobindpore and Sultanpore only.

15. The new Sub-district of Debipore will comprise Thannahs Debipore and Bankipore.

16. The present Sub-district of Satkhira will be restricted to Thannahs Satkhira and Magura.

17. The new Sub-district of Kaliganj will include Thannahs Kaliganj and Asasuni.

18. The new Sub-district of Kalarua will include the Thannah of that name.

The following persons are appointed to be Sub-Registrars of the Sub-districts entered against their names :—

Baboo Nabin Krishna Basu ...	... Sealdah.
,, Jogendra Chandra Mukerjya ...	... Naihati.
,, Rajkrishna Banerjee ...	... Khardah.
,, Gyanendra Kumar Roy Chowdry ...	... Taki.
,, Dwarka Nath Ghose ...	... Jaynagar.
,, Priya Nath Basu	... Debipore.
,, Sarada Charan Gan ...	... Kaligunj.
,, Rajchunder Goopta	... Kalarua.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

[First Publication.]
NOTIFICATION.

The 24th December 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorize the extension, from the 1st January 1874, of the provisions of Section 34 of Act V of 1861 (an Act for the Regulation of the Police) to the Sub-Divisional Station of Begoo Serai, in the District of Monghyr.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]
NOTIFICATION.

The 29th December 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension, from the 1st January 1874, of the provisions of Section 34 of Act V of 1861 (an Act for the Regulation of the Police) to the town of Chattra in the District of Hazareebaugh.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]
NOTIFICATION.

The 30th December 1873.—The period of one month having elapsed since the publication of the plan of lighting certain specified streets of the town of Howrah with gas in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th November, and no objections having been raised to it, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to notify his sanction to the plan, and, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2, Act V of 1873 of the Bengal Council, to publish it hereby for general information :—

Under the provisions of Section 2 of Act V (B. C.) of 1873, the following plan for the future lighting of that area of the Town of Howrah which is at present lighted with gas is hereby published for general information by order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

PLAN.

1. The portion of the town which is lighted is bounded as follows :—

On the north by Hurrogunge Road, on the south by Ramkistopore Ghaut Road, on the east by the River Hooghly, and on the west by the Grand Trunk Road. A map of this portion is herewith submitted, on which is shown in blue lines the streets which are lighted, and in red lines those which the Commissioners propose to light on receipt of His Honor's sanction.

2. The following are the names of the streets and the number of lamps in each at present lighted, as also the names of the streets proposed to be lighted and the number of lamps in each.

Names of the streets and the number of lamps in each at present lighted.

Grand Trunk Road	52	Brought forward ..	114
Ramkistopore Ghaut Road ..	7	Ghoosery Road	4
Telkul Ghaut Road	12	Golabaree Road	8
Avenue Road	7	Baptist Burial Ground Road ..	9
Church Road	5	New Street	1
Chandmarree Road	8	Ross Road	4
Tindal Garden Road	9	Seal's New Lane	2
Lall Diggee Road	4	Hurrogunge Road	12
King's Road	4	Howrah Road	44
Rosemarree Lane	3	Howrah Ghaut Road	3
Salt Gola Lane	3		
Carried over ..	114	Total ..	201

Names of the streets and the number of lamps in each proposed to be lighted.

Khetter Mitter's Lane	10	Brought forward	33
Watkins' Lane	5	Mackenzie's Lane	2
Dobson's Lane	15	Ticcaparrah and Jelleaparrah Lane	4
Strand Road	3	Total	39
Carried over	33		

3. It will be observed from the map* that when the last named streets are lighted, *all* the public roads within the portion of the town described in paragraph 2 will be lighted; that is to say, all the highways which are vested in the Commissioners, and over which they have control.

* *Vide* note deposited in the Bengal Office.

4. The outlay in erecting the lamps at present lighted, numbering 201, was Rs. 10,628, and the estimated cost of erecting the 39 lamps which are required to complete the lighted area is Rs. 2,437-8.

5. The cost of erecting the existing lamps was met from general funds, and the Commissioners propose to pay for the erection of the extra lamps from the saving which will be effected in the allotment for lighting charges for the months of January, February, and March next. This of course is calculated on the principle that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be pleased to authorize the Commissioners to levy the rate from the 4th quarter of the current year 1873-74, viz. January to March 1874, the Commissioners, on their part, undertaking that the extra lamps shall be ready for lighting from 1st January.

6. The cost of lighting the 240 lamps will be Rs. 24,000 per annum. To this cost the Commissioners are bound by the existing contract with the Gas Company, from which they have no escape. The contract has still 18 years to run. To this is to be added a sum of Rs. 1,200 for contingent charges of repairs to lamps, making a total of Rs. 25,200 per annum.

7. The total valuation of buildings and lands situated within the area is Rs. 8,72,867. A rate of 3 per cent. on this valuation would yield Rs. 26,186 per annum, and if from this sum a deduction is made of, say, Rs. 486 on account of collection charges, there would remain a net income of Rs. 25,700, which would cover the expenses of lighting and maintaining the lamps within the portion of the town in which it is proposed to levy the rate for the present.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 24th November 1873.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd December 1873.—With reference to the Notification of the 11th instant, published at page 1400 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, and other previous Notifications of the kind, the Lieutenant-Governor desires it to be distinctly understood that the powers thereby vested in Joint-Magistrates or other Senior Assistant Magistrates, of hearing appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the Second and Third Classes, are to last for six months only. His Honor is wholly opposed to giving appellate powers to any but very high and competent officers or Courts, and has always refused to recognize that the hearing of criminal appeals entails undue labor on Magistrates of districts. In the instances above referred to these powers have been given only temporarily, as a very special case, in distressed districts in order that there may be no shadow of reason for supposing that the District Magistrates are tied down by work at Head-quarters.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1873.—Under the provisions of Section 3, Act III of 1864 of the Bengal Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to notify that from and after the 1st April 1874 the limits of the Darjeeling Municipality, in supersession of those specified in Notification* of the 29th April 1865, shall be as follows:—

* Published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th May 1865, page 874.

Beginning from the junction of the Rungbee and cart roads the south boundary of the Goompahar forest reserve to a point due south of the south-west angle of the boundary of the municipal grazing ground, thence a line through the reserve joining the two points above mentioned, thence the west and north boundaries of the municipal grazing ground to the cart road; thence the cart road to the boundary of location No. 99 (Rose Bank), with the south and west boundaries of which the municipal boundary will coincide. From the north-west angle of the Rose Bank boundary the municipal boundary will be a straight line to the south-west angle of location No. 121. From here it will coincide with the west boundaries of locations Nos. 121, 98, 100, 139, 77, 80, 79, and 78, to the north-west angle of the last mentioned location. Thence straight line to the south-west angle of No. 107. Thence the west boundary of that location, and the south and west boundaries

of No. 122; from the north-west angle of No. 122 a straight line to the south-west angle of No. 142. Thence the boundary of that location to its north-west angle, thence a straight line to a point two hundred yards due west of the north-western angle of location No. 136. Thence a line connecting the above points to the north and east boundaries of that location. From the south-east angle of No. 136 a line to the north-east angle of No. 141; thence the east boundary of that location. From the south-east angle of the boundary of No. 141 a line to the north-east angle of No. 110, then the east boundary of that location, then a line connecting its south-east angle with the north-east angle of location No. 43, then the north-east boundary of that location. Thence a line from its eastern angle in a south direction to the Birch Hill road. Thence that road to its junction with the Lebong road, the Lebong road to its junction with the Runjeet road, and the Runjeet road to the Bundum Jobro. Thence a straight line to the Chowrasta, thence the Calcutta road to its junction with the Cantonment road, and thence a straight line to the point where the Rungbee road cuts the eastern boundary of Harrington Location, thence the east boundary of Harrington Location as far as the north boundary of Graham's Town Location, thence the south and east boundaries of Graham's Town Location and the east boundary of Enfield Location to the cart road. Thence the west boundary of the cart road reverse to the junction of the Rungbee and cart roads.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 23rd December 1873.—The following Rules framed under Section 69 of the Indian Registration Act, 1871, are published for general information:—

Changes of incumbency to be reported.

1. Registrars and Sub-Registrars, on giving or receiving charge of their respective offices, shall report the fact to the Inspector-General. In the case of Sub-Registrars, such reports shall be made through the District Registrar.

Temporary appointments to be reported.

2. Whenever a District Registrar makes a temporary appointment under section 12, he shall at once report the fact to the Inspector-General.

3. The report referred to in section 13 shall be submitted to Government by the Inspector-General at the end of each month.

4. Head-quarter Sub-Registrars having been permanently placed in charge of district registry offices, special appointments under section 11 are no longer necessary.

Registrar may assume charge of the office of absent sub-registrar.

5. When a Sub-Registrar is absent, or his office is temporarily vacant, if the District Registrar is unable to appoint a suitable substitute, he may himself assume charge of the sub-registry office, until the return of the Sub-Registrar or appointment of a successor; and, in such cases, the extra or additional fee chargeable for registration by a Registrar under section 30 (a) shall not be charged upon registrations effected during the absence of the Sub-Registrar.

Leave to rural sub-registrars.

6. Rural Sub-Registrars are not subject to the uncovenanted leave rules. Leave should not generally be granted to them. But in cases of urgent necessity, leave may be granted to them and substitutes appointed by the Registrar. But no leave exceeding one month shall be granted without the previous sanction of the Inspector-General. All leave granted to rural Sub-Registrars shall be at once reported to the Inspector-General and included by him in the monthly report submitted under rule 3.

Section 15.

7. The seals of District Registrars and Deputy Registrars made under section 12 of Act VI of 1864 shall be taken to be seals of Registrars and Sub-Registrars under this Act.

Seals.

8. The seal shall always remain in the personal custody of the registering officer.

Languages commonly used—section 19.

9. The following languages shall be considered to be commonly used in the districts named, viz.—

In the Patna Division and the districts of Bhaugulpore and Monghyr—English, Hindi, and Hindustani.

In the Chota Nagpore and Cooch Behar Divisions, and in the district of Purneah and the Southal Pergunnahs—English, Hindi, Hindustani, and Bengali.

In the Burdwan, Presidency, Rajshahye, Dacca, and Chittagong Divisions—English, Bengali, and Hindustani.

In the Orissa Division—English, Bengali, Hindustani, and Uriya.

In the Assam Division—English, Bengali, Hindustani, and Assamese.

Copies of Bengali, Uriya, or Assamese documents sent to other presidencies.

10. When a copy of a Bengali, Uriya, or Assamese document is forwarded under section 65 of the Act to a Registrar in another presidency, it shall be accompanied by information in English respecting the names and additions of all persons executing and claiming under it, and a description of the property situated in the Registrar's district sufficient for its identification.

11. A power of attorney intended for use in another presidency, if authenticated in Bengali, Uriya, or Assamese, by an officer unacquainted with English, may, if the parties desire it, be forwarded by him to the District Registrar for the endorsement on it of an English translation of the authentication.

12. A power of attorney authenticated in a language unknown to a registering officer, to whom it may be presented, may, if the parties desire it, be by him submitted to the Registrar or Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal, as the case may be, who will procure an English translation of the authentication.

Interlineations, &c.,—section 20.

13. When the executant of any document appears personally, he shall be required to attest all interlineations, &c. When he appears by agent, &c., the attestation of such agent, &c., shall be accepted unless the interlineations, &c., are of an important character. A registering officer shall also be at liberty on due cause being shown to accept the attestation of an agent, &c., in case of important interlineations, &c.

Territorial divisions.

14. The territorial divisions to be recognized under section 21 (b) shall be registration districts, sub-districts, and thanahs; also parganahs and mauzahs, where they are known, and collectorate districts if different from registration districts.

Maps and plans.

15. Copies of maps or plans shall be attested by the signatures of the persons executing the document or their agents; and the original map or plan contained in the document shall at the time of registration be signed and sealed by the registering officer.

16. Whenever under section 30 (b) the Registrar of Calcutta registers a document accompanied by a map relating to property, no part of which lies within his own district, a copy of the map shall be supplied for record in his own office in addition to the number required by section 21 (c).

17. When a document containing a map or plan is presented for re-registration under the proviso to section 23, it shall not be necessary for the parties to deposit fresh copies of the map or plan under section 21 (c). But the registering officer shall certify against the copy in the register book that the map or plan attached to the document is the same as that which was attached to it on its first presentation.

Documents presented or admitted after four months, —sections 24 and 34.

18. When a document is presented or admitted more than four months after execution, the Registrar may either register it himself, in which case an extra fee under heading K, as well as the penalty under heading O, shall be levied, or he may direct its registration (on payment of the penalty under heading O) by any Sub-Registrar in whose office it could have been registered if presented within four months. In such cases the date on which the application was made to the Registrar shall be regarded as the date of presentation.

Daily sittings, holidays, —section 26.

19. Every Sub-Registrar shall sit daily during certain hours which shall be approved by the Registrar, and made known to the public by a notice in some conspicuous place outside the office. The holidays to be observed in registration offices shall be the days on which the Bank of Bengal is closed by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Commissions, under sections 33 and 38.

20. A commission shall ordinarily be issued by a registering officer to some salaried member of his establishment, and the order shall be briefly endorsed on the document in words to this effect :—

"A commission is hereby issued under section 33 (or 38) of the Indian Registration Act, 1871, to (name and designation of the officer) for the purpose of inquiring whether the within power (or document) has been executed by A B, son of C D of , by whom it purports to have been executed."

21. If the person to be examined under section 38 be not resident within the district or sub-district of the registering officer, a commission shall be directed to the Registrar of the district in which such person resides, who may redirect it to the Sub-Registrar, who may, if he cannot personally attend, redirect it to any officer of his establishment.

22. When the commission has been executed, the commissioner shall return the document to the office from which it was issued, with a report which shall be endorsed upon the document in the following terms :—"Having visited the residence of A B, son of C D, at , I have this day examined the said A B, who has been identified to my satisfaction by E F, son of G H, &c., residents of , and the said A B admitted (or denied) the execution of the within power (or document).

Full signature of executant.
Full signature of witnesses.
Full signature of commissioner.

Sections 33 and 38, and Section 180 of Act VIII of 1859.

23. A commissioner may examine witnesses in the same manner as a registering officer, and persons refusing to give testimony to a commissioner, on being required to do so, shall be subject to the same penalties and punishments which they would incur for the same offence if committed in a registration office.

Idem.

24. It shall be competent to a registering officer to examine the commissioner personally in his office, touching any of the matters referred to by him or mentioned in his report, or the manner in which he may have conducted the investigation.

25. All applications for visits under section 31, 33 or 38, or for the issue of commissions under section 33 or 38, shall be accompanied by the amount of fees chargeable as well as the amount of travelling allowance claimable by the registering officer or commissioner.

26. A separate commission fee shall be charged upon every signature which requires attestation, but travelling allowance shall only be charged for the actual distance travelled. Provided that where two or more persons who execute the same document or documents relating to the same transaction reside together, only one commission fee shall be charged so far as those persons are concerned.

27. The distances for which travelling allowance is charged shall be calculated according to the table which is drawn up in the Collector's office for the service of processes. A copy of this table shall be exhibited in every registration office.

Powers of attorney.

28. The form of authentication of powers of attorney shall be as follows :—

(1)—When the principal executing the power appears at the registration office—

"Executed in my presence on the day of 18 , by A B, son of C D, of , who is personally known to me (or whose identity was proved by the testimony of E F, son of G H, of), and recorded as No. for 18 ."

Full signature of principal.
Full signature of witness or witnesses.
Seal and signature of registering officer and date.

(2)—When the principal is exempted from appearance—

"Having visited and examined at his (or her) residence the principal A B, who is personally known to me (or whose identity was proved by the evidence of C D, son of E F, of), I am satisfied that this power of attorney has been voluntarily executed by him (or her), and I accordingly authenticate it under section 33 of Act VIII of 1871, and record it as No. for 187 ."

Full signature of principal.
Full signature of witnesses.
Seal and signature of registering officer.

When the Sub-Registrar himself does not examine the executant, he should make the following endorsement below the report of the commissioner as provided for in Rule 22 :—

"From the above report, I am satisfied, &c." (as above).

29. Interlineations, blanks, erasures, or alterations in powers of attorney authenticated under section 35, should be attested by a note under the Sub-Registrar's signature at the time of authentication. When there are no interlineations, &c., the fact should be noted in the same way.

30. General powers of attorney are available under this Act, if they contain or imply an authority to appear in a registration office, and are executed in accordance with section 33. Powers already executed may be made available by the execution, in accordance with section 33, of an additional clause empowering an attorney to appear in a registry office.

31. If an authority to register be included in a document to be registered, the document must of course bear the additional stamp duty chargeable on the power of attorney.

32. Powers which do not contain or imply an authority to appear in a registration office shall not be authenticated under section 33.

33. Whenever a power of attorney is used in a registration office, an endorsement shall be made upon it in the following form :—

Presented this day.

Date (Sd.) A. B.,
Seal *Registrar or Sub-Registrar of*

34. All powers of attorney shall be returned when no longer required to the parties by whom they were presented.

Issue of process.

35. The summonses referred to in sections 36 and 37 shall be executed through the revenue authorities, and the peon's fee shall be regulated according to the rules for the service of processes by such authorities. Provided that when, for special reasons, the local Government shall so direct, the processes required in any particular office may be executed through the court of the moonsiff within whose jurisdiction such office lies. In such cases the peon's fee shall be regulated by the rules for the service of processes in civil court.

36. If the summons be addressed to a person who is alleged to have executed the document, it shall require him to attend in person, or by agent; if it be addressed to any person whose evidence is required to prove a fact, it shall require him to attend in person.

37. Every application for summons must be accompanied by the amount of expenses payable to the witness, as well as the amount of peon's fees usually chargeable by the revenue authority or civil court through which the summons is to be issued; and in forwarding for compliance an application for summons, the registering officer shall also forward the witnesses' expenses and the peon's fee.

38. In case of a person summoned under section 37 neglecting to appear, or if a summons under that section cannot be served, the registering officer may call upon the revenue officer or civil court through whom his summonses are served to take any further action authorized by the law for the time being in force for the purpose of securing the attendance of the person whose evidence is required, and such a requisition must be accompanied by the proper fee. It rests with the registering officer to specify the form of action to be taken.

39. No Rural Sub-Registrar shall issue a requisition under the preceding rule without the previous sanction of the District Registrar, or (in the case of an additional Sub-Registrar) of the ex-officio Sub-Registrar to whose sub-district he is attached.

Wills deposited under section 42.

40. A will shall not be received for deposit otherwise than in the manner laid down in section 42. A will received through the post office shall be returned to the testator *bearing*.

41. Every entry made in Book V under the provisions of section 43 shall be signed in full and dated by the Registrar.

42. When a sealed cover is withdrawn under section 44, the fact shall be noted in register No. V, and the entry shall be signed by the person by whom the withdrawal is made as well as by the Registrar.

43. When a sealed cover is opened under section 45, the fact shall be noted in register V, and the entry signed by the Registrar. If a cover is opened under order of a civil court, this shall be mentioned in the entry.

Wills called for by a civil court under section 46.

44. When a will is forwarded to any court under section 46, it shall be accompanied by a memorandum of the fee for opening the cover and copying charges, and it shall be the duty of the court to levy and remit such fee and charges to the Registrar.

Wills to be examined.

45. Sealed covers deposited with a Registrar under section 42 shall be examined monthly, and their condition reported to the Inspector-General.

46. On the presentation of a document for registration, the registering officer shall first satisfy himself—

(1) That it has been presented at the proper office (sections 28, 29, and 30);

(2) That it bears the proper stamp;
and if it purport to be, or is known to be, a counterpart—
That it is "available" under the proviso of article 16, Schedule II of the General Stamp Act, 1869.

(3) That it is in the usual language of the district, or is accompanied by a translation and a true copy (section 19);

(4) That in the case of important interlineations section 20 and rule 13 have been complied with;

(5) That (if the document refers to immovable property) the description is sufficient (section 21);

(6) That it has been presented within the proper time (sections 23, 25, and 26);

(7) That it has been presented by a person authorized to do so (section 32).

Certificate of admissibility.

47. If the requirements of the law have been complied with in all these particulars, the following certificate shall be entered on the face of the deed:—

Admissible under rule 46. Correctly stamped under the General Stamp Act, schedule , No. .

Levy of fee,—section 78.

48. After entry of the certificate under rule 47, the registering officer shall receive the fee or any fine payable under section 24, and enter the amount on the document close to such certificate, and at the same time the requisite entry shall be made in the fee book.

First endorsement.

49. The document shall now be endorsed to the following effect:—

"Presented for registration at A.M. (or P.M.) on the day of 187 , at the sub-registry office (or elsewhere), by A B, son of C D, of [attorney for E F, one of the claimants under a power (No. for 187) executed in the presence of Sub-Registrar of]." (Sd.) A. B.

50. The amount of the fee paid shall be entered on the receipt given under section 52.

Documents inadmissible on presentation.

51. If [rule 46 (1)] the deed has not been presented in the proper office, it shall be simply returned to the presenting party. In this case no entry need be made in Book II.

52. If [rule 46 (2)] the stamp is incorrect, the deed shall be impounded and forwarded to the Collector (section 23 of the General Stamp Act).

NOTE.—If the executant of a deed who is in doubt about the proper stamp consults a registering officer on the subject before formal presentation, the required information may be given to him without impounding the deed. But any deed formally presented with an insufficient stamp must be impounded.

53. If Rules 46 (3) to (7) have not been complied with, or if the presenting party refuses to pay the proper fee, the deed must be returned to the presenting party with the endorsement

"Registration refused,"

an entry being made at the same time in Book II.

NOTE.—Orders under this rule may be deferred at the request of the parties in order to enable them to comply with the requirements of the law, or for a reference to the Registrar under section 24. But in such cases an order of refusal shall be passed if the requirements of the law have not been complied with within eight months from the date of execution.

Fines under sections 24 and 34.

54. When a fine has already been paid under section 24, a second fine shall not be levied under section 34.

Second endorsement.

55. The endorsement under section 58 shall be to the following effect :—

"Execution is admitted by A B, son of C D, of , zamindar (or cultivator, &c.,) by caste—

(Sd.) A. B.

Identified by E F, son of G H, of , zamindar (or cultivator, &c.,) by caste—
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(Sd.) E. F.,
Sub-Registrar of .

When execution is admitted by an agent, the following words shall be added :—

"Agent for K L, under a power of attorney (No. for 187) executed in the presence of the Sub-Registrar of ."

When the executant or his agent is personally known to the registering officer, the words "personally known to me," should be substituted for the identification clause.

When receipt of consideration is acknowledged, the following clause should be added :—

"The receipt of rupees as consideration is admitted by the above A B"

56. The endorsement referred to in the preceding rule shall invariably be recorded in the handwriting of the registering officer.

57. When a person who cannot write signs his name by means of a mark, his name shall be recorded at length, and the writer of the name shall also sign his own name in attestation that the said mark was affixed in his presence.

58. Whenever a registering officer administers an oath, he shall separately record the evidence of the witness examined.

59. When a document is presented which has only been executed by some of the parties to it, the other executants may attend and execute the document and admit their execution without the payment of any further fee, so long as the certificate of registration under section 60 has not been endorsed thereon; but if the registration of the document has been completed, it must be presented afresh for re-registration and a second fee shall be payable.

Document to be copied after admission.

60. When all the persons executing a document, or their representatives, assigns or agents, have appeared and admitted its execution, the document shall be copied in the register.

61. When two or more copies of the same document are brought for registration at the same time, it shall not be necessary to enter the document more than once in the register, but all the endorsements shall be written upon each copy.

62. All endorsements shall be made in red ink, excepting signatures, which may be made in black ink.

63. When there is not room on a document for the necessary endorsements, they shall be made on a separate quarter sheet of hand-laid medium paper which should be supplied by the office and attached to the document, a note being at the same time made on the document itself and signed by the registering officer.

Final endorsement.

64. When a document has been copied, the registering officer shall proceed to make in the following form the endorsement required by section 60 :—

"Registered in Book , Volume
Page Being No. for 18 ."

Copyist and comparer to sign their name.

65. The register copy of every document shall be compared with the original by some person other than the copyist, and both the copyist and the comparer shall append their signatures. The registering officer shall authenticate by his initials all corrections in the copy and all notes which may be necessary under section 20 of the Act. He shall also affix his initials to each page, and shall certify with his full signature each copy to be a true one.

66. No erasures shall be made with a knife in any register book, but mistakes shall be corrected when necessary with the pen, and shall invariably be attested by the registering officer.

67. The register books shall have two margins. On the left hand margin shall be copied in red ink the value of the stamp and all the endorsements made in the office; in the centre shall be copied the deed itself in black ink, and the right hand margin shall be left vacant for notes under section 20 and rule 13.

68. Several volumes of Books I and IV may, if necessary, be kept in use simultaneously when the documents registered are so numerous as to make this course necessary. Books II, III, and V shall be continued from year to year until they are full, and in small offices where the number of documents registered is inconsiderable, the same volume of Books I and IV may also be used for two or more years.

Certificate of closure.

69. When a book is closed, a certificate to that effect shall be appended at the close of the written portion, and a certificate showing the number of pages written upon shall be entered on the first page.

70. When, owing to omission or error in any document which has been registered, a supplementary document rectifying such mistake or omission is presented for registration, a note of such rectification shall be made in the margin of the register in which the original document is registered.

71. When a document occupies more than one sheet of paper, the seal and the signature of the registering officer shall be attached to every sheet.

Refusal of duly presented documents.

72. The circumstances under which a document should at once be refused on presentation are given in rules 51—53. A document duly presented and accepted for the purpose of enquiry, will not be admitted to registration under the following circumstances :—

(1) If one or more of the executing parties deny execution.
(2) If one or more of the executing parties fail to appear and to admit execution.
(3) If a person by whom the document purports to be executed be dead, and his representative or assign deny execution. (Section 35.)
(4) If a person purporting to have executed the document appear to be a minor, an idiot or a lunatic. (Section 35.)
(5) If the registering officer be not satisfied of the identity of any person appearing before him and alleging that he executed the document. (Section 35.)
(6) If the registering officer be not satisfied as to the truth of the allegation that a person who executed the document is dead. (Section 35.)
(7) If the admitting agent's power of attorney has not been made in accordance with the Act; or if an alleged representative or assign has failed to prove his *status*. (Section 35.)

73. In cases (1) and (4) registration must be at once refused. In cases (2), (3), (5), (6), (7) the order of refusal should ordinarily be deferred till eight months have elapsed from the date of execution. But if the parties declare their inability to comply with the requirements of the law, or for any other reason wish that the document should at once be refused and returned to them, this may be done. The reasons of refusal must be given in Book II.

Reasons of refusal to be clearly stated.

74. In recording the reasons for refusal to register, the particulars should be fully and clearly stated in each particular case. When one out of several executants declines to comply with the requirements of the law, his name should be given; when the registering officer is doubtful as to the identity of a party admitting execution, the grounds of his suspicion should be stated.

Section 70.

75. Applications for the remission of fines under section 70 may be filed with the registering officer, but no such application shall be received until the fine has been paid. The application shall be forwarded to the Inspector-General with any remarks which the registering officer may wish to make.

Copies and memoranda.

76. In addition to the bound volume of Book I, every registering officer shall keep a file in which he will file copies and memoranda of registered documents which have been forwarded to his office under sections 64, 65, 66 or 67 of the Act. This file shall be bound into a volume or volumes of convenient size at the end of the year. The entries in this volume shall be numbered consecutively, but in a series distinct from that of original registrations in Book I.

77. These copies shall be made on paper of the same size and description as the sheets of the bound books. Memoranda shall be drawn up in the prescribed form.

78. Memoranda for sub-districts in another district shall be enclosed to the Registrar of that district, together with the copy for his own office; but no memorandum need make mention of any property other than that which is situated in the sub-district to which the memorandum is to be sent.

79. When a copy of a document is sent to the Registrar of another district under sections 65—67 of the Act, a memorandum need not be sent to any Sub-Registrar whose office has been amalgamated with that of the Registrar of such district.

80. The date on which copies and memoranda are despatched under the last rule, shall be entered in the right-hand margin of the book in which the document has been copied.

Receipts for copies and memoranda.

81. When a memorandum or copy under sections 64—67 is transmitted from one office to another, it shall be accompanied by a receipt in the prescribed printed form, which shall at once be signed and returned by the receiving officer. If delay occurs in the return of the receipt, the despatching officer should takeed for it. All such receipts when returned should be filed separately.

Copies and translations of documents in foreign language.

82. The copies and translations of documents required to be filed under sections 19 and 62 shall be made upon hand-laid medium paper. They shall be kept in a separate file, a reference being made to this in the right-hand margin of the page on which the translation is copied in the register book. The file shall be bound from time to time, when it contains a sufficient number of copies and translations to form a volume. For the purposes of this rule the requisite paper may be sold to the public at one anna per sheet.

Index of persons.

83. The personal index No. I shall contain the following headings :—

1. Name of person.
2. Addition.
3. Interest in the transaction, as purchaser, mortgagee, decree-holder, &c.
4. Office of registration.

5. Serial number.
6. Book.
7. Volume.
8. Page.

Index of places.

84. The local index No. II shall contain the following headings:—

1. Name of property or of mauzah; or, in towns, of street.
2. Name of parganah or thanah.
3. Sub-district in which the property is situated.
4. Nature of the transaction, as sale of land, decree for possession of house, &c.
5. Office of registration.
6. Serial number.
7. Book.
8. Volume.
9. Page.

Index III.

85. Index III shall contain the same headings as No. I.

86. Except in rural offices, all indexes shall be kept in English.

Arrangement of entries.

87. English indexes shall be kept according to the letters of the alphabet, the entries under each letter being arranged according to the vowel of the first syllable, if the word begins with a consonant; or according to the second vowel in the word if it begins with a vowel.

Translation.

88. If the documents to be indexed are written or executed in English, the names of the persons and places shall be spelt in the same way in which they are written in the documents. If the documents are written or executed in a vernacular language, the spelling shall be regulated according to Professor H. H. Wilson's system of transliteration, as modified by the Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

Family name.

89. In the case of Europeans and of those Hindus who have hereditary family names, the surname or family name shall be taken as the index word. In all other cases native names shall be indexed as they stand. A mere title or designation of caste shall not be taken as the index word.

90. When a document is executed on behalf or in favour of Government, the index entry shall be made under G., *Government*, the name of the officer executing the document being entered in the column headed *Addition*; if on behalf or in favour of the Court of Wards, under *W., Wards, Court of*; and in the case of any other Court, under *C.* The names of companies shall be entered as they stand, the article only being omitted; thus—*Land Mortgage Bank of India, Limited*, under *L.*; *Ganges Steam Navigation Company, Limited*, under G.

91. The name of the depositor of a sealed cover shall be entered in index I.

Two or more names in one document to be entered separately.

92. When there are two or more executants or claimants, their names shall be separately entered in index I or III. Similarly, when two or more properties are conveyed by a single document, they shall be separately entered in Index II. But no Sub-Registrar need enter in his Index II any property which does not lie in his own sub-district.

93. Copies and memoranda of documents shall be indexed in the same way as original documents, but the entries relating to them shall be made in red ink.

94. In rural offices, the indexes shall be kept in the vernacular, the names being merely arranged according to their first letters. One copy of indexes I, II, and III, shall be made for office use in a bound volume; and a duplicate of the entries made each month in indexes I and II shall be submitted at its close to the Sub-divisional Sub-Registrar. In the Head Quarters Sub-division, and wherever the Sub-divisional system has not yet been introduced, the duplicate will be sent to the Registrar. Rules 83, 84, 85, 89, 90, and 92, above, apply to the indexes of Rural Sub-Registrars.

95. The Sub-Registrar, on receiving the indexes I and II from the Rural Sub-Registrars, shall translate the same, and incorporate them in his own indexes, noting the place of registration of each document. He shall also, at the end of each year, or at such shorter intervals as the Registrar shall direct, prepare on hand-laid medium paper a copy of the incorporated index, and submit it to the Registrar.

Duplicate indexes of amalgamated offices.

96. Where the office of a Registrar has been amalgamated with that of a Sub-Registrar, the duplicate copy of the Sub-Registrar's indexes shall be sent for safe custody to the office of the Registrar of Calcutta, or to such other place as the Inspector-General may direct.

One office of record in each district.

97. The Registrar's office shall be a central office of record for each district, and the books and papers of subordinate offices (which are not to be destroyed) shall be transferred to it from time to time.

Old records to be permanently preserved.

98. The following records belonging to the period anterior to the enactment of Act XVI of 1864 shall be henceforward permanently preserved in district registry offices:—

All registers of documents and their indexes.

Duplicate copies of documents required to be filed under Regulation XX of 1812.

Registers of powers of attorney.
Original powers required to be filed under Regulation XX of 1812.
Kazis' records.

Books to be kept in all offices.

99. Besides register books I, II, III, and IV, and indexes I, II, and III, the following records shall be kept in all registry offices :—

A register of powers of attorney in the prescribed form.
A register of visits and commissions in the prescribed form.
A fee book in the prescribed form.
A cash book in the form prescribed by the Accountant-General.
A catalogue in the prescribed form
A chalan book in the prescribed form.
A file of receipts given under section 52 and returned on delivery of registered documents.
A file of receipts for copies and memoranda under rule 81.

Additional books in district offices.

100. The following additional books shall be kept in all district offices :—

Book V.
A register of letters received.
A register of letters despatched.

Transfer of books.

101. In January of each year the following records for the previous year shall be transferred from sub-registry offices to the district office :—

Book I (including the file of copies), and book IV under Act VIII of 1871, and index III.
Copies and translations filed under section 19.

102. Books II and III, and the register of attested powers of attorney, shall be transferred to the district office as soon as they are filled.

103. In the case of all rural offices, and wherever the sub-registry office is not a masonry building, each volume of the register books shall be forwarded to the district office as soon as it has been filled and indexed without waiting till the end of the year.

Records to be preserved in perpetuity.

104. For the period since Act XVI of 1864 came into force the following records shall be preserved in perpetuity in all district offices :—

All register books and their indexes prescribed by Acts XVI of 1864 and XX of 1866 and VIII of 1871, as well those of the district registry offices as those received from the sub-registry offices.
Registers of powers of attorney.
Catalogue.
Cash book.
Fee book.
Reports of the destruction of records, and lists of the papers destroyed.

105. The following records shall be preserved in perpetuity in all sub-registry offices :—

Book III, under Act XVI of 1864, and Book V, under Act XX of 1866.
The rough indexes, under Act XVI of 1864.
Original indexes I and II, under Acts XX of 1866 and VIII of 1871.
Catalogue.
Cash book.
Fee book.

Section 83.

106. When a registered document is destroyed under section 83, a note to that effect shall be made in the book in which it is registered.

Records to be destroyed after three years.

107. The following records may be destroyed after the expiration of three full years from the period to which they relate :—

Registers of visits and commissions.
Chalan books.
The receipts referred to in section 52.
Receipts referred to in rule 81.
All correspondence, whether in English or in the vernacular, which is of an ordinary routine character, and which the Registrar considers may be destroyed.
Monthly returns, petitions, and other records and papers not otherwise specified.

108. No books or papers whatever shall be destroyed at a sub-registry office without the previous sanction of the Inspector-General.

109. The register books and indexes of the general registry offices under Act XVI of 1864 and Act XX of 1866, shall be preserved in the Calcutta Registry Office.

110. All applications for search or for copies should be made to the registering officer himself.

Applications for search or copies.

If an application is made in writing, the registering officer should initial it at once, giving the date. If an application is made *vivâ voce*, the registering officer should write on a slip of paper, "Give copy," or some

such brief order, adding his initials and date. All such applications and orders should be preserved on a separate file, the date on which a search has been made or copy completed being noted. Applications made through Sub-Regsitrars for copies from registers deposited in the district office must be in writing, and should be at once transmitted to the Registrar for compliance. No stamp is required on applications for searches or copies.

111. Registrars shall permit search and grant copies of entries in the registers kept up previous to the enactment of Act VIII of 1871, at the same rate of fees, and to the same extent as in the case of registers under that Act.

112. A call for information from any court or revenue authority shall, if it necessitates search in the registers, be accompanied by the necessary fee for search. Officers of Government shall be permitted to inspect the registers without fee; but if the production of a register book in any court is required, it shall be produced by an officer of the registration establishment deputed for that purpose, who will be entitled to claim payment of his expenses like any other witness.

113. Registering officers shall take care that their clerks have no dealings with the public, except in their presence. They shall themselves receive documents which are tendered for registration; and when they are registered, shall return them with their own hands.

114. The serial number of the last document in each book completed and ready for return shall be daily notified in some conspicuous place outside every office.

Catalogue.

115. A catalogue in the prescribed form shall be kept up and permanently preserved in every registry office. On the occasion of every permanent change in the incumbency, the officer receiving charge should compare his books with the catalogue, and certify therein that he has found them correct.

Table of fees.

116. A printed table of fees in English and the vernacular of the district shall be suspended in some conspicuous place in every registry office.

117. Columns 1, 7, and 13 in the fee book should be filled up as soon as any document is presented, except in the case of documents presented at the wrong office and returned under rule 51; columns 8 and 9 should be filled up as soon as a document is admitted or refused; columns 10 and 11, as soon as registration has been completed; column 12, as soon as the document has been delivered and column 14, as soon as the required copies and memoranda have been despatched.

118. Where the Sub-Registrar is a salaried officer, and only receives commission, in addition to his salary, he should remit the fees to the treasury daily. Remittances to the treasury should be accompanied by the Chalan Book duly filled up in duplicate. One copy of each chalan will then be kept by the treasury officer and the other returned with his signature.

119. Before the 1st of September of each year, every Sub-Registrar shall submit to the Registrar to whom he is subordinate, an indent in the prescribed form for all register books and other registration forms which will be required in his office during the following calendar year.

Indent for register books or other forms.

120. Every Registrar shall submit to the Inspector-General before the 15th September of each year an indent in quadruplicate in the prescribed form for all register books, and other registration forms which will be required for his own office, and those of the Sub-Registrars subordinate to him during the following calendar year. When it is desired that the supply of register books, &c., should be forwarded to any sub-registry office direct instead of being sent through the office of the Registrar to whom he is subordinate, an intimation to that effect should accompany the Registrar's indent, and the indents of such Sub-Registrars should be submitted separately in quadruplicate with the Registrar's endorsement instead of being embodied in the Registrar's indent.

121. When delay occurs in supplying register books and other registration forms, reminders should be addressed, not to the Inspector-General of Registration, but to the Superintendent of the Alipore Jail Press, the number of the Stationery office order being quoted. Reminders are useless without it.

122. Indents for the forms enumerated in the margin which have been prescribed by the Accountant-General should be submitted in triplicate in March of each year direct to the Superintendent of Stationery.

1A. Accountant-General's form indent form.
116. Commission list of Sub-Registrars.
117. Salary list of gazetted officers of the Registration Department.
118. Salary list of sanctioned establishments of the Registration Department.
119. Bill for contingent charges of the Registration Department.
120. Travelling allowance of Registrars.
121. Travelling allowance of ministerial officers of the Registration Department.
126. Refund of registration fees.
127. Bill for refund of registration fees for sudder sub-registry office.
128. Bill for refund of registration fee for sub-divisional and rural sub-registry office.
138. Detailed bill of contingent charges for countersignature.
141. Leave statement.
183. Cash book of registration.
184. Acquittance roll of establishment.
200. Monthly chalan of officers paid by fees only.

123. Rural Sub-Registrars may be supplied with registration ink and other stationery from the district office at cost price, which should be ascertained from the Superintendent of Stationery. The hand-laid medium paper required for copies under sections 64 and 65 will be supplied to them gratis.

Indents for stationery:

JUNE.—Patna, Bhaugulpore, and Rajshahye Divisions, except the district of Rajshahye.

JULY.—Dacca, Cooch Behar, and Assam Divisions.

AUGUST.—Calcutta offices, viz., those belonging to the Judicial, Revenue, Financial, Public Works, Telegraph, and Post Office Departments.

SEPTEMBER.—Calcutta offices, viz., the Secretariat Offices, and those belonging to the Military, Ecclesiastical, and Marine Departments, and all not included in the foregoing.

OCTOBER.—Burmah, Straits Settlements, Tenasserim, Arracan, and the Chittagong Divisions.

NOVEMBER.—Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, and the Rajshahye district (Rampore Beauleah).

DECEMBER.—Chota Nagpore, Cuttack, and Hyderabad.

124. Before the several dates noted in the margin all District Registrars should send to the Superintendent of Stationery an indent in duplicate in the prescribed form for the stationery (including registration ink) which will be required for the registry offices in their districts during the next twelve months; indents from Sub-Registrars should be submitted to the district office at least 15 days before these dates. The Registrar's indent should include all ink and other stationery likely to be required by rural Sub-Registrars under rule 123 above.

125. All official letters and covers sent by post from any Sub-Registry or District Registry office must be prepaid by service labels. These labels will be supplied to Sub-Registrars (on application) by District Registrars who will disallow unreasonable and excessive demands. A monthly statement of the distribution of service postage labels should be submitted by each District Registrar for the information of the Inspector General. A permanent advance of Rs. 20 for postal charges is allowed to District Registrars. All bills for bearing covers must be accompanied by the covers on which the payments were made as vouchers. Service labels will be purchased by District Registrars as they require them, the expenditure being included in their monthly postal bill supported by the treasury officer's receipts as vouchers.

126. When an officer is temporarily placed in charge of the office of a special Sub-Registrar during his absence on inspection duty in the interior of his district, he is not entitled to draw commission which the Special Sub-Registrar retains.

127. The security bonds of head-clerks should be examined at the close of each financial year, the result being reported to the Inspector-General.

128. The receipts entered in the fee book need not be entered in detail in the cash book. Their daily totals will be sufficient. But all other receipts and all payments whatsoever must be entered in full detail in the cash book. All cash received must at once be entered either in the fee book or in the cash book. No money should under any circumstances be kept out of account. The cash book should be balanced every day, and signed after careful examination by the registering officer.

129. All permanent advances must be repaid into the treasury on the 31st of March of each year, and drawn again in the following month.

130. Registrars and Sub-Registrars who are paid by fixed salaries will draw their pay in Accountant-General's form No. 117, and the bill may be paid without the countersignature of superior authority.

131. Salaried Sub-Registrars who are also entitled to a percentage on the fees, will draw their commission at the end of each month in Accountant-General's form No. 116, at such rate as may have been sanctioned by Government, but upon such fees only as shall have been actually paid into the treasury during the month. No commission is payable on fines, or on the extra fees for registration by a Registrar, or on the receipts for the sale of paper. Commission bills require the Registrar's countersignature before payment.

132. Sub-Registrars who are paid by fees only, and receive 50 per cent. and upwards of those fees will retain them until the end of each month, and then remit the Government share of them to the treasury, with an account current in duplicate in the prescribed form A. G. B. No. 200.

133. Salary bills for permanent establishments will be drawn in Accountant-General's form No. 118, by the head of the office. They do not require the countersignature of higher authority.

134. Bills for extra establishments paid by salary may be drawn in the same way as those for fixed establishments, the orders sanctioning their entertainment being always quoted in the bill.

135. Bills for wages of extra writers paid at contract rates require the countersignature of the Inspector-General before payment.

136. Travelling allowances of registering officers and their clerks will be drawn in Accountant-General's form Nos. 120 and 121 respectively; and in both cases they must invariably be submitted to the Inspector-General for countersignature before payment, whatever may be the amount of the bill.

137. When ministerial officers of the department are deputed to give evidence or to produce records before any court, their travelling expenses will be paid by the court.

138. House and office rent sanctioned by Government may be drawn by the head of the office without the countersignature of higher authority, the number and date of the Government order being always quoted in the bill.

139. Office furniture must not be purchased without the sanction of the Inspector-General. An estimate of the probable cost should accompany all applications for such sanction.

140. The salary of sweepers cannot be charged to contingencies. The wages of pankha-pullers may be so charged when their employment has been sanctioned.

141. No charges for printing may be incurred without the special sanction of the Inspector-General. Such printed forms as are necessary will be printed at the Alipore Jail Press under the authority of the Inspector-General.

142. English stationery procurable from the Stationery Office may not be purchased in the local market, but charges for petty articles, such as sealing-ink, paste, thread, country paper, &c., may be included in the monthly contingent bill.

143. Sub-Registrars' contingent bills should be presented for payment at the end of each month, and if the total charge does not exceed Rs. 10, the Registrar's countersignature is sufficient for audit.

144. Registrars' contingent bills not exceeding Rs. 10 in amount, do not require countersignature.

145. A permanent advance of Rs. 10 is allowed to all Registrars and ex-officio Sub-Registrars for ordinary contingent charges. When the expenditure during any month on account of contingencies in any Registrar's or ex-officio Sub-Registrar's office exceeds the amount of the permanent advance the amount expended may be drawn by an abstract bill or bills (see Accountant-General's form No. 119) submitted during the month under the Registrar's signature or countersignature. But in such cases a detailed bill (see Accountant-General's form No. 138) accompanied by vouchers must also be submitted at the end of the month.

146. A duplicate bill should never be submitted unless the original is lost in transit or otherwise, in which case a certificate should be attached to the effect that the bill has not been cashed at the treasury.

147. Bills, monthly returns, and regular indents, should not be accompanied by covering letters. The envelopes containing them should be marked "Returns." Letters and urgent indents should be separately sent.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th December 1873.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a new Sub-Registry Office at Sabang in the District of Midnapore. The Sub-Registrar of Sabang will exercise in and for Thannah Sabang concurrent jurisdiction with the Sudder Sub-Registrar of Midnapore.

Baboo Horish Chundra Bosu is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Sabang.

This Notification will take effect on and from the 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Furreedpore conterminous with Thannah Bhusna, and having its Head-quarters at Syadpur.

Moulvi Syad Ashraf Ali is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Syadpur.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Tirhoot conterminous with Thannah Mahua in the Sub-District of Hajipore.

Baboo Mathuranáth is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mahua.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Bancoorah conterminous with Thannah Bishenpore, and having its Head-quarters in the town of that name.

Baboo Ram Kishor Singh is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Bishenpore.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a Sub-District in the District of Tirhoot conterminous with Thannah Katra, at present included in the Head-quarters Sub-District.

Shaikh Tasadduq Hosain is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Katra.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd December 1873.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act VIII of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new Sub-District in the District of Bancoorah conterminous with Thannah Gangajalghati, and having its Head-quarters at Maliarah.

Babu Damodar Sinhadurjia is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Maliarah.

This Notification will take effect on and from 1st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 16th December 1873.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to notify the following amendment in the rules for the election of Municipal Commissioners in the Town of Serampore under Section 1 of Act II of 1873 of the Bengal Council, published at page 1145, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 1st October 1873:—

In rule 6, *for* "25th December," *read* "27th December."

A. MACKENZIE,
Junior Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 27th December 1873.

No. 455.—*Leave of Absence.*—Mr. L. T. Deefholts, Overseer, First Grade, attached to the Singbhoom and Maunbhoom District, is allowed privilege leave for three months under Section 12, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

The 29th December 1873.

No. 456.—Baboo Nobin Chunder Biswas, Overseer, First Grade, attached to the Lohardugga District, is allowed privilege leave for three months under the above rules.

No. 457.—The following order, issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

"*No.* 797, *of the* 22*nd December* 1873.—The following Officers and Upper Subordinates are transferred from the Military Works Branch and posted as follows:—

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"Madho Ram, Sub-Engineer, First Grade, Sub-Conductor W. Cummings, Supervisor, First Grade, and Sergeant G. Wilkinson, Supervisor, First Grade, to Bengal Provincial Branch.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 29th December 1873.

No. 458.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of new Jail buildings at Nya Doomka, in the village of Footoband Ghaut Doomka, District of Sonthal Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land,

measuring more or less, beegahs 60-10-11, and bounded as follows is required within the aforesaid village of Footoband Ghaut Doomka :—

North,—the public road leading from the Bhaugulpore and Soory Road across the bund of Footoband tank to Mr. Grant's garden.

West,—a line drawn from the tâl tree on the side of Footoband tank to the north-west corner of Mr. Grant's new mangoe tope.

South,—the boundary drain of the new mangoe tope and by a line drawn from the north-east corner of the drain to the south-west corner of the Sub-Assistant Commissioner's compound.

East,—the compound of the Sub-Assistant Commissioner's bungalow.

This Declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. D.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 23rd December 1873.

No. 602.—*Transfer.*—Baboo B. Kamajee, Probationary Overseer, Third Grade, from the Cossye Division of the South-Western Circle to the Cuttack Workshop Division of the Orissa Circle.

The 24th December 1873.

No. 603.—*Postings.*—Baboo Kushwukt Roy, Sub-Overseer, First Grade, transferred from the North-Western Provinces to Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Buxar Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 16th December 1873.

No. 604.—Baboo Issur Chunder Ghose, Overseer, First Grade, to the Buxar Division.

No. 605.—Baboo Doorga Puda Ghosal, Overseer, Third Grade, transferred from the North-Western Provinces to Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Arrah Division.

No. 606.—Mr. G. J. Burke, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, transferred from the Punjab to Bengal Irrigation Branch, is posted to the Buxar Division.

The 29th December 1873.

No. 607.—*Notification.*—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 793, *dated* 19*th December* 1873.—Mr. C. H. Roberts, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Irrigation Branch, Bengal, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department, with effect from the 13th October 1873."

H. W. GULLIVER, LIEUT.-COL., *R.E.*,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Circular Orders by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

No. 24A.

TO—ALL DISTRICT JUDGES AND JUDICIAL COMMISSIONERS.

Dated Calcutta, the 29th December 1873.

HIGH COURT.
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.
Civil.

THE subjoined list of holidays is to continue in force until further orders, and no annual lists will in future be published.

District Judges will, in each year, ascertain and fix for their own Courts and the Courts subordinate to them the dates on which the prescribed holidays will fall.

Whenever a holiday of any kind falls on the same day with any other holiday, or on a Sunday, the common day alone is to be observed.

By order of the High Court,
H. J. S. COTTON, *Offg. Registrar.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following list of days to be observed as close holidays in the Subordinate Civil Courts has been prepared and is published by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, as directed by Section 17 of Act VI of 1871 :—

In the said list the days printed in italics are to be observed only in the districts of Behar, and those printed in small capitals elsewhere than in Behar.

Holidays.	Number of days.
I.—Christian Holidays, and Holidays unconnected with Religious Observances.	
New Year's Day, and the two days following	3
Good Friday, and the day following	2
Queen's Birth-day	1
Christmas Day, and the two days following	3
II.—Hindoo Holidays.	
Bussunt Punchoomee	2
Shib Rattree	2
Dole Jattra	2
Baronee Gunga Snan	1
Sreeram Nobomee...	1
Mohabisheeb Sunkranti	1
Dussohara Gunga Snan	1
Ruth Jattra	1
Olta Ruth	1
Jummoustomee...	2
Juggut Dhattree Pooja	2
Chutteer Mela	6
Kartick Pooja	2
III.—Mohammedan Holidays.	
Eed-uz-zoha	2
Mohurrum...	5
Akhere Chahar Shumba	1
Futtehi-dooz-dohum	1
Shube Barrat	1
Eed-ul-fetr	2
IV.—The Dusserah Vacation.	
To commence from the Mohaloya and end in the Bhratriditia, viz. Mohaloya, Doorga Pooja, Lukhi Pooja, Dewali or Kali Pooja, and Bhratriditia	33

H. J. S. COTTON, *Offg. Registrar.*

TREASURY NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Deputy Collector Baboo Gouree Shunkar Biswas has been temporarily placed in charge of the Sarun Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

S. C. BAYLEY, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, Bankipore, the 15th December 1873.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

Gilchrist Scholarship Examination.

NOTIFICATION.

WITH reference to the Government Notification dated the 12th December 1868, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th December 1868, page 2044, it is hereby notified that an examination for the Gilchrist Scholarships will be held on Monday, the 19th January 1874, at the Presidency College, Calcutta, at 10 A.M.

W. S. ATKINSON, *Director of Public Instruction.*

FORT WILLIAM, the 23rd December 1873.

List of successful candidates at the Examination in Surveying, Drawing, and Physical Geography.

PRESIDENCY CIRCLE, 1873.

NAMES OF CANDIDATES.	School.
CHOTA NAGPORE DIVISION.	
PASS MARK 60.	
Pramada Chandra Mukharji ...	Hazaribag Govt.
Surjyanarayan Chaudhari ...	Purulia Govt.
Kante Charan Mukharji ...	ditto.
Ramkalpa Chakravarti ...	ditto.
Balaram Sinha ...	ditto.
Salegram Lal ...	Ranchi Govt.
Dasarat Lal ...	ditto.
Guru Charan Lal ...	ditto.
Nanak Sahoy ...	ditto.
Bipin Bihari Mukharji ...	Chaibasa Govt.
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.	
PASS MARK 70.	
Biprodas Pal ...	Kishnaghur College.
Byankulal Mitra ...	ditto.
Nagendranath Sanyal ...	ditto.
Madhusudan Basu ...	ditto.
Khudiram Mukharji ...	ditto.
Gostabehari Sen ...	ditto.
Rajendra Kumar Ghosh ...	ditto.
Ashutosh Sarkar ...	ditto.
Benodlal Goswami ...	ditto.
Mohini Mohan Chattarji ...	ditto.
Girindra Gopal Ghosh ...	Ranaghat Aided.
Kedar Nath Mukharji ...	ditto.
Basant Kumar Chattarji ...	Kustea Aided.
Abdul Khalik ...	ditto.
Girijakant Chaudhari ...	Kishnaghur A. V.
Bepin Behari Sen ...	ditto.
Bhupati Bhusan Chakravarti ...	ditto.
Safatulla ...	ditto.
Narendra Nath Mitra ...	ditto.
Kaliprasunna Mukharji ...	ditto.
Lalbehari Roy ...	ditto.
Girindra Nath Mittra ...	ditto.
Ahibhusan Ganguli ...	ditto.
Heralal Basu ...	Jessore Govt.
Harish Chandra Mukharji ...	ditto.
Gopal Chandra Bhattacharji ...	Sridhurpur Aided.
Kedarnath Muzumdar ...	ditto.
Kalikumar Das ...	Noral Aided.
Gopal Das Basu ...	ditto.
CALCUTTA.	
Priyanath Mittra ...	Hindu School.
Upendra Krishna Datta ...	ditto.
Gynendra Nath Mukharji ...	ditto.
Kherod Chandra Chandra ...	ditto.
Debendra Nath Chatterji ...	ditto.
Nandalal Ghosh ...	ditto.
Dhanapati Bannerji ...	ditto.
Tarini Charan Pal ...	ditto.
Gyanendra Nath De ...	ditto.
Haridas Gargari ...	ditto.
Jogesh Chandra Basu ...	ditto.
Jogendra Nath Ghosh ...	Hare School.
Purna Chandra Basak ...	ditto.
Kali Charan De ...	ditto.
Haridas Chatterji (jr.) ...	ditto.
Raj Kumar Mitra ...	ditto.
Sasi Bhushan De ...	ditto.
Hari Mohun Datta ...	ditto.
Uma Charan Ghosh ...	ditto.
Upendra Krishna Datta ...	ditto.
Rajkumar Bhattacharji ...	ditto.
Munmatha Nath Basu ...	ditto.

NAMES OF CANDIDATES.	School.
CALCUTTA.—(Continued.)	
Kherod Chundra Basu ...	Hare School.
Charu Chundra Basu ...	ditto.
Bhupendra Nath Das ...	ditto.
Dakhina Charan Muzumdar ...	ditto.
Davendra Nath Mitra ...	ditto.
Srigopal Basu ...	ditto.
Rajendra Nath De ...	ditto.
Panch Kauri Gupta ...	ditto.
Pyari Charan De ...	ditto.
Braja Nath Basu ...	ditto.
Shevaram Basu ...	ditto.
Surrendranath Mitra ...	ditto.
Abdar Sabhan ...	Madrissa.
Abdur Rahaman ...	ditto.
Fazlal Karim II ...	ditto.
Amin Uddon ...	ditto.
Lulfa Rahman ...	ditto.
Sayyid Manzur Arrahmen ...	ditto.
Ikran ul Huq ...	ditto.
Badrudduja ...	ditto.
Fazlal Karim I ...	ditto.
Abdurraut ...	ditto.
Ikram Ali Khan ...	ditto.
Mukhdum Bakhsh ...	ditto.
Rakhal Chundra Basu ...	F. C. Institution.
Gopal Chandra Chatterji ...	ditto.
Amulya Charan Chatterji ...	ditto.
Rajendra Lal Maitra ...	ditto.
Baladev Sinha ...	Metropolitan Institution.
Benaya Krishna Mukherji ...	ditto.
Saroda Prasad Ghosh ...	ditto.
Ganesh Chundra Mukherji ...	ditto.
Jogendra Chandra Chatterji ...	ditto.
Jogendranath Chakravarti ...	Oriental Seminary.
Lal Behari Ghosh ...	ditto.
Hardas Basak ...	ditto.
Keshav Lal Basu ...	Calcutta School.
Jogendra Nath Basu ...	ditto.
Ram Charan Sinha ...	General Assembly's Institution.
Parbatti Charan De ...	ditto.
Mohendra Nath Bhattacharji ...	Sanskrit College.
Kedarnath Basu ...	ditto.
Bhavadeva Chatterji ...	ditto.
Purna Chandra Chakravarti ...	ditto.
Amritalal Brahma ...	ditto.
Asutosh Gupta ...	Kasipur Aided.
Bankubehary Banerji ...	ditto.
Nibaran Chandra Chatterji ...	ditto.
Mahendra Nath Bagchi ...	ditto.
Jadu Nath Chakravarti ...	Baripur Aided.
Hem Chandra Mittra ...	ditto.
Jadu Nath Basu ...	ditto.
Kadarnath Datta ...	Harinavi Aided.
Basant Kumar Basu ...	ditto.
Bepinbehari Ghosh ...	Baraset Govt.
Nandalal Banerji ...	ditto.
Purna Chandra Nag ...	ditto.
Jogendranath Sinha ...	ditto.
Upendra Nath Banerji ...	ditto.
Gyan Prasad Ghosh ...	ditto.
Nepal Chandra Sen ...	ditto.
Atul Chandra Bannerji ...	ditto.
Purna Chandra Pal ...	Barrackpore Govt.
Trailucko Nath Marik ...	ditto.

C. B. CLARKE.

Orders by the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

THE under-mentioned Candidates have passed the First Examination in Arts :—

FIRST DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

1	Triguna Charan Sen	Presidency College.
2	Bipinbihari Gupta	Hooghly College.
3	Pares Nath Chattopadhyay	Presidency College.
4	Adharlál Sen	Ditto.
5	Pramatha Nath Basu	Kishnaghur College.
6	Edward Ryan	St. Peter's College.
7	Haridas Mukhopadhyay	Presidency College.
8	Purna Chandra Datta	Ditto.
9	Jogindra Chandra Mukhopadhyay	Ditto.
10	Parmanand	Agra College.
11	Dharmanand Joshi	Bareilly College.
12	Kali Mohan Sen	Presidency College.
	Annadaprasad Basu	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
14	Surendra Nath Dás	Presidency College.
15	Davendra Nath Basu	Ditto.
16	Pundit Bisvambar Nath	Delhi College.
17	Nilkanta Majumdar	Presidency College.
	Mohinimohan Datta	Cathedral Mission College.
	Haraprasad Bhuttacharjya	Sanskrit College.
20	Narendra Nath Basu	Hoogly College.
	Isvar Dás	Lahore College
22	Jadu Nath Gangopadhyay	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
23	Hari Charan Ray	Canning College.
24	Durga Pás Basu	Presidency College.
25	Hiralál Mukhopadhyay	Hooghly College.
	Rama Sankar Misra	Benares College.
	Nizamuddin	Muir Central College.
28	Durga Charan Bandyopadhyay	Ditto.
	Kedar Nath Pandit.	Canning College.
30	Sarat Chandra Mitra	Presidency College.
31	Ganés Chandra Bandyopadhyay	Canning College.
	Jadav Chandra Bhaumik	General Assembly's Institution.
	Bakhtavar Lál	Bareilly College.
34	Amar Chandra Mukhopadhyay	Presidency College.
	Panchkari De	Ditto.
36	Basu Deo Lál	Canning College.
	Madhusudan Rudra	Presidency College.
	Nagendra Nath Sarkar	Ditto.
39	Jadu Nath Ghosh	Ditto.
	Syed Khyrat Ahmed	Patna College.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Akhilesvar Prasad	Patna College.
Bagchi, Upendranath	Presidency College.
Baijnath	Bareilly College.
Bandyopadhyay, Asutosh	Cathedral Mission College.
,, Bhagavaticharan	Dacca College.
,, Girijápada	Presidency College.
,, Kedarnath	Benares College.
,, Krishnachandra	Presidency College.
,, Mahendranath No 1	Ditto.
,, Rakhaldas	Free Church Institution.
Barlow, A.	Teacher.
Basu, Ananta Kumar	Presidency College.
,, Girishchandra	Hooghly College.
,, Mahini Mohan	Dacca College.
Bhagavan Singh	Delhi College.
Bholanath	Ditto.
Bhattacharjya, Chandra Sikhar	Presidency College.
,, Marilal	Sanskrit College.
Biswas, Brajanath	Teacher.
Bowers, W. H.	St. Xavier's College.
Budhkarn	Ajmere College.

Chakravarti, Haribhushan	.. Medical College.
,, Navakumar	.. Dacca College.
,, Rajanikanta	.. Ex-Student, Dacca College.
Chandra, Krishnadás	.. Dacca College.
Chattopadhyay, Abhaycharan	.. Canning College.
,, Haradhan	.. Presidency College.
,, Isvarchandra	.. Patna College.
,, Kuschandra	.. Presidency College.
,, Manimathanath	.. Ditto.
,, Prasanna Kumar	.. Teacher.
,, Saratchandra No. 127	.. Presidency College.
Chaudhuri, Annadaprasad	.. Patna College.
,, Jadavchandra	.. Kishnaghur College.
,, Jogindrachandra	.. Presidency College.
Cleophas, Franklin	.. St. John's College.
Dada, Bapu Rao	.. Sagor High School.
Das, Annadaprasad	.. Presidency College.
,, Chaitanyacharan	.. Teacher.
,, Taraprasanna	.. Dacca College.
Datta, Bijaykrishna	.. Presidency College.
,, Bhagavan Chandra	.. Ditto.
,, Dvija Das	.. Dacca College.
,, Khirad Kumar	.. Presidency College.
,, Nrisinha Kumar	.. Ditto.
,, Prasanna Kumar	.. General Assembly's Institution.
Dhar, Mathura Nath	.. Patna College.
Dosar Jeo Rakhanlal	.. Sagor High School.
Durga Prasad	.. Ditto.
Durga Prasad	.. Teacher.
Ewing, H.	.. La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Gangopadhyay, Bipin Vihari	.. Kishnaghur College.
,, Satya Charan	.. Presidency College.
Ghosh, Asutosh	.. Medical College.
,, Chandidas	.. Presidency College.
,, Ganes Chandra	.. Ditto.
,, Haranath	.. Ditto.
,, Jadav Chandra	.. Ditto.
,, Kalipada	.. Ditto.
,, Priya Nath	.. Ditto.
,, Ram Kalpa	.. Canning College.
,, Ram Lál	.. Cathedral Mission College.
,, Sarada Prasad	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Sarada Prasad	.. Presidency College.
,, Sarat Chandra	.. Ditto.
,, Syama Charan	.. Free Church Institution.
Goonewardene, W. P.	.. St. Thomas' College.
Goswami, Jogendra Nath	.. Presidency College.
Gupta, Girindra Kumar	.. Patna College.
Haldar, Purna Chandra	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Halfhide, R. H.	.. La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Ishri Prasad	.. Bareilly College.
Janki Prasad	.. Canning College.
Jugal Kisor	.. Patna College.
Kar, Nagendra Nath	.. Benares College.
Kaviraj, Sures Chandra	.. Patna College.
Kissen Sing	.. Lahore College.
Kunja Behari Lal	.. Muir Central College.
Khan, Abdulla	.. L. M. S. Institution, Mirzapore.
Lachman Prasad	.. Canning College.
Lahiri, Mahendranath	.. Cathedral Mission College.
Lissant C. G.	.. La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Madhav Prasad	.. Benares College.
Muhammud Hassan	.. Delhi College.
Muhammud Hassan	.. Canning College.
Maitra, Kassi Nath	.. Presidency College.
Mati Lall	.. St. John's College.
McCarthy, John	.. St. Peter's College.
Mewa Ram	.. Bareilly College.

Misra, Umasankar	.. Benares College.
Mitra, Jogindra Chandra	.. Presidency College.
,, Jogindra Nath	.. Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Bamapada	.. Hooghly College.
,, Bihari Lal	.. Krishnaghur College.
,, Durga Nath	.. Free Church Institution.
,, Dwarika Nath	.. Presidency College.
,, Haripurna	.. Muir Central College.
,, Kamiksha Nath	.. Patna College.
,, Mahendra Nath	.. Presidency College.
,, Nitya Charan	.. Free Church Institution.
Nanak Ram	.. Delhi College.
Nandi, Nanda Gopal	.. Presidency College.
Nolan, Thomas	.. St. Peter's College.
Pal, Kisari Mohan	.. Teacher.
,, Nivaran Chandra	.. St. Xavier's College.
,, Raj Chandra	.. Presidency College.
Palit, Jogendra Nath	.. Ditto.
,, Preo Nath	.. Ditto.
Pande, Ramavatar	.. L. M. S. Institution, Mirzapur.
Rajak, Bihari Lal	.. Presidency College.
Rajjan Lal	.. Agra College.
Ram Lachman	.. Delhi College.
Ray, Haraprasad	.. Free Church Institution.
,, Umaprasad	.. Presidency College.
Raza Hussein	.. Bareilly College.
Sarkar, Bipin Bihari	.. Presidency College.
,, Nanda Lal	.. Teacher.
Sen, Bama Charan	.. Dacca College.
,, Bireswar	.. Jaynarayan's College.
,, Gadadhar	.. Presidency College.
,, Lal Mohan	.. Ditto.
Senwiratne, A.	.. St. Thomas' College.
Sett, Mani Lal	.. Free Church Institution.
Sheo Lal	.. Delhi College.
Sil, Benod Bihary	.. Cathedral Mission College.
,, Kanie Lal	.. Presidency College.
Singh, Biseswar	.. Ditto.
Sinha, Ambica Charan	.. Patna College.
,, Brajes Chandra	.. Berhampore College.
Surjan Das	.. Lahore College.
Syad, Abul Fazl	.. Hooghly College.
,, Faizuddin Hussan	.. Dacca College.
Tarafdar, Chandra Kissor	.. Presidency College.
Wainwright, Ed. E.	.. St. John's College.
Wirasinghe, A. W. M.	.. St. Thomas' College.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Hakam	.. Presidency College.
Abul Hasan	.. Teacher.
Abdus Samad	.. Hooghly College.
Adhikari, Tarak Nath	.. Ditto.
Adhya, Binad Vihari	.. Presidency College.
Bandyopadhyay, Asvini Kumar	.. Ex-Student, Dacca College.
,, Avinas Chandra	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Bama Charan	.. Free Church Institution.
,, Giris Chandra	.. Presidency College.
,, Nanda Gopal	.. Ditto.
,, Rajendra Lal	.. Ditto.
Baral, Manik Lal	.. Ditto.
Basak, Ras Vihari	.. Ditto.
Basu, Abinas Chandra	.. Ditto.
,, Brajendra Kumar	.. Patna College.
,, Dwarka Nath	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Hara Charan	.. Dacca College.
,, Iswara Chandra	.. Ditto.
,, Manawari Lal	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Rajkumar	.. Presidency College.
,, Umes Chandra	.. Free Church Institution.

Basudeo, Rao Herdiker	.. Sagor High School.
Bezbarua, Govinda Chandra	.. Cathedral Mission College.
Bhaduri, Prankrishna	.. Presidency College.
Bhattacharjya, Bhabadeb	.. Cathedral Mission College.
,, Kalikrishna	.. Sanskrit College.
,, Manik Chandra	.. Free Church Institution.
,, Ram Nath	.. Canning College.
,, Thakur Das	.. Ditto.
Bisvas, Gagan Chandra	.. Presidency College.
Buzlul Karim	.. Medical College.
Chakravarti, Bhawani Chandra	.. Agra College.
,, Ramraman	.. Serampore College.
Chattopadhyay, Bagala Charan	.. Presidency College.
,, Dwarka Nath	.. Patna College.
,, Govinda Chandra	.. Presidency College.
,, Jwala Prasad	.. Canning College.
,, Khirod Chandra	.. Free Church Institution.
,, Prasanna Kumar	.. Sagor High School.
,, Rakhal Das	.. Hooghly College.
Chanduri, Chandra Nath	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Kedar Nath	.. Teacher.
,, Mohini Mohan	.. General Assembly's Institution.
Datta, Avinas Chandra	.. Presidency College.
,, Hari Charan	.. Dacca College.
,, Jogendra Chandra	.. Hooghly College.
,, Kamal Krishna	.. Presidency College.
,, Kunja Vihari	.. Ditto.
,, Mahendra Nath	.. Sanskrit College.
Das, Hari Nath	.. Dacca College.
,, Sita Nath	.. Presidency College.
,, Tarak Chandra	.. Ditto.
,, Upendra Nath	.. Cathedral Mission College.
Daulat Ram	.. Lahore College.
De, Kali Mohan	.. Dacca College.
Dhani Ram	.. Delhi College.
Gangopadhyay, Hariprasad	.. Hooghly College.
,, Hira Lal	.. Presidency College.
,, Kshetra Mohan	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Ghosh, Khirad Chandra	.. Presidency College.
,, Khudiram	.. Berhampore College.
,, Mahananda	.. Ditto.
,, Mohini Mohan	.. Patna College.
,, Mani Mohan	.. Presidency College.
Gupta, Gopal Chandra	.. Free Church Institution.
,, Mohendra Nath	.. General Assembly's Institution
,, Purna Chandra	.. Dacca College.
Gya Prasad	.. Agra College.
Haldar, Madan Mohan	.. Free Church Institution.
Hasan, Syad Ryazat	.. Patna College.
Hazra, Govindajivan	.. Berhampore College.
Hira Lal	.. Lahore College.
Inayetulla Khan	.. Hooghly College.
Jordan, G.	.. St. Xavier's College.
Joshi, Manikya Lal	.. Teacher.
Kamala Prasad	.. Muir Central College.
Karmakar, Prahlad Chandra	.. Free Church Institution.
Kasiram	.. Bareilly College.
Lachminaryan	.. Delhi College.
Lahiri, Purna Chandra	.. Cathedral Mission College.
Lakshmi Chand	.. Teacher.
Mahadeo Rao Pulnaitker	.. Sagor High School.
Maiti, Krishna Chandra	.. Cuttack High School.
Mati Lal	.. Agra College.
Mir, Sajjad Ali	.. Krishnaghur College.
Mitra, Bhuvan Mohan	.. Presidency College.
,, Girindra Nath	.. Medical College.
,, Khogendra Nath	.. Presidency College.
,, Madhab Chandra	.. Sanskrit College.
,, Umes Chandra	.. Presidency College.

Mukhopadhyay, Avinas Chandra	..	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Jamini Kumar	..	Dacca College.
,, Janaki Nath	..	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Kanti Chandra	..	Cathedral Mission College.
,, Mati Lal	..	Hooghly College.
,, Prasanna Chandra	..	Presidency College.
,, Tulsidas	..	Ditto.
Nag, Revati Kanta	..	Ditto.
,, Hem Chandra	..	General Assembly's Institution.
Nandi, Bipra Charana	..	Presidency College.
Nath, Haribar	..	Patna College.
Navarangi Lal	..	Ditto.
Pain, Bipin Vihari	..	Serampore College.
Pal, Tulsi Charan	..	Presidency College.
Pandit, Alopiprasad	..	Delhi College.
Raha, Krishna Gopal	..	Presidency College.
Ram Charan	..	Christ Church College.
Ray, Bipin Vihari	..	Sanskrit College.
,, Janaki Natha	..	Teacher.
,, Mathura Prasad	..	Benares College.
,, Runga Lal	..	Presidency College.
,, Sarada Prasad	..	Krishnaghur College.
,, Sarada Kumar	..	Dacca College.
Ray, Chowdhuri, Purna Chandra	..	St. Xavier's College.
Ronaldson, E.	..	Ditto.
Saudagar Lal	..	Delhi College.
Saha, Akshay Kumar	..	Free Church Institution.
Sahay, Bhavani	..	Patna College.
Sankar, Dayal	..	Agra College.
Sanyal, Basanta Kumar	..	Benares College.
,, Joges Chandra	..	Presidency College.
,, Tarini Kanta	..	Free Church Institution.
Syamla Nanda	..	Patna College.
Sen, Kedar Nath	..	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Nava Krishna	..	Presidency College.
,, Rajani Kanta	..	Dacca College.
Sukla Tularam	..	Agra College.
Tiwari, Ram Narayan	..	Christ Church College, Cawnpore.
,, Siva Sankar	..	Teacher.
130 Zuhuruddin	..	Presidency College.

The undermentioned Candidates have passed the Entrance Examination:—

FIRST DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Agasti, Suryyakumar	..	Kuchiacole Rajgram School.
Ahmed, Takrim-ud-din	..	Hare School.
Ali Muhammad Khan	..	Bareilly College.
Anthony, A. H.	..	Mussoorce School.
Apear, A. T.	..	St. Xavier's College.
Aya Ram	..	Lahore Zillah School.
Bagchi, Mahendranath	..	Kasipore Kasinath School.
Bagley, W. A.	..	F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Balmokund	..	Agra College.
Bandyopadhyay, Avinashchandra	..	Digapotea H. C. E. School.
,, Bhushanchandra	..	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Haridas	..	F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
,, Upendranath	..	Baraset School.
Basak, Purnachandra	..	Hare School.
Basu, Amarendranath	..	Midnapore High School.
,, Bipin Vihari	..	Hindu School.
,, Gopal Chandra	..	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Haricharan	..	Berhampore Collegiate School.
,, Joges Chandra	..	Hindu School.
,, Kedarnath	..	Sanskrit College.
,, Rakhal Chandra	..	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Trailokyanath	..	South Baharoo School.
Batavyal, Atul Chandra	..	Sanskrit College.

Beveridge, R. N.	.. Doveton College.
Bhaduri, Gokulchandra	.. Howrah School.
Bhattacharjya, Asutosh	.. Canning College.
,, Bangachandra	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Gopalchandra	.. Sridhurpore H. C. E. School.
,, Mahendranath	.. Sanskrit College.
,, Rajkumar	.. Hare School.
,, Sasi Bhushan	.. Metropolitan Institution.
Biswas, Janakinath	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
Brijmohanlal	.. Sultanpore School.
Chakravarti, Anandachandra	.. Dacca Jugannath School.
,, Upendranath	.. Ooterparah School.
Chandra, Khiredchandra	.. Hindu School.
Chattopadhyay, Brajagopal	.. Devogram School.
,, Devandranath	.. Hindu School.
,, Haranchandra (A)	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Haricharan	.. Jonye Training School.
,, Priyagopal	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Sitalakanta	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Upendranath	.. Ooterparah School.
Chaudhuri, Annadagovinda	.. Banleah High School.
,, Buddhinath	.. Benares College.
,, Jadavchandra	.. Bauleah High School.
,, Sukdev	.. Howrah School.
Chhajjumul	.. Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Chitty, A. C.	.. St. Thomas' Collegiate School.
D'Souza, C. J.	.. La Martiniere Calcutta, College.
Das, Dhairyyanarayan	.. Goalparah School.
,, Harendrakumar	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Hemchandra	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Jagutbandhu	.. Balasore School.
,, Sundarimohan	.. Sylhet Government School.
Datta, Guanendranath	.. Hindu School.
,, Kedarnath	.. Horinavi A. S. School.
,, Mahendranath	.. L. M. High School, Benares.
,, Upendrakrishna	.. Hindu School.
De, Bipinvihari	.. Beerbhoom Government School.
,, Nivaranchandra	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Farrant, J. T.	.. Bishop Cotton School, Simla.
Fitzwilliam, J. J.	.. Calcutta Free School.
Furrell, H. S.	.. St. Xavier's College.
Gangee Sah	.. Almorah Mission School.
Gargari, Haridas	.. Hindu School.
Ghosh, Chhatradhar	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Nandalal	.. Hindu School.
,, Saradaprasad	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Srinath	.. Konnugger English School.
Ghoshal, Hariprasad	.. Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
Grant, W.	.. Doveton College.
Gupta, Asutosh	.. Kossipore Kasinath School.
Haldar, Basantakumar	.. Jessore School.
Kennedy, J.	.. St. Peter's College, Agra.
,, P.	.. Teacher.
Keshee Ramchandra Joglekar	.. Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Lachman Das	.. Bareilly College.
Laha, Dharmadas	.. Kuchiacole Rajgram School.
Lattey, D. B.	.. Teacher.
Lewis, J.	.. Doveton College.
MacCullagh, R. J.	.. St. Xavier's College.
Maitra, Batakrishna	.. Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Majumdar, Dakshinacharan	.. Hare School.
,, Mahimachandra	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
Mallik, Ramcharan	.. Beersingha A. S. School.
,, Sasibhushan	.. Howrah School.
Mayill, T.	.. St. Xavier's College.
Mazharul Anwar	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
Mitra, Devandranath	.. Hare School.
,, Narasinhaprasad	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Surendranath	.. Hare School.

Mitra, Upendranath	... Hare School.
Muhammad Ibrahim	.. Delhi Zillah School.
Mukhopadhyay, Binaykrishna	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Dwarkanath	.. Ooterparah School.
,, Ganeschandra	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Kalikrishna	.. Delhi Zillah School.
,, Kedarnath	.. Ranaghat School.
,, Kshetramohan	.. Sylhet Government School.
,, Makundadev	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Panchanan	.. Delhi Zillah School.
,, Priyanath	.. Canning College.
Munsi, Srinarayan	.. Bauleah High School.
Mylan, J. G.	.. St. Xavier's College.
Nág, Kedarnath	.. Balasore School.
,, Kunjalal	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
Nagalingam, S.	.. St. Thomas' Collegiate School.
Nanhak Chand	.. Benares College.
Pál, Kedarnath	.. Konnugger English School.
,, Ramdayal	... Tumlook Hamilton's English School.
,, Syámácharan	.. Garden Reach School.
Pálit, Jadunath	.. Patna Collegiate School.
Parsottamdas	... Humès High School, Etawah.
Pattadar, Gurugovinda	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
Pogose, J. N.	... St. Paul's School.
Rahmat Ali	... Jubbulpore High School.
Ray, Amritalal	... Howrah School.
,, Dharanath	... Khagrah L. M. S. School.
,, Jagadischandra	... Ditto.
,, Jogeschandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Khiradachandra	... Khagrah L. M. S. School.
,, Nilkamal	... Commillah School.
,, Piyarilal	... St. Xavier's College.
Raynor, F. J.	... Mussooree School.
Sajivanlal, Lala.	... Benares College.
Sakhawat Hosen, Syed	... Bhaugulpore H. C. E. School.
Sanyal, Abhaycharan	... Bengalitollah Preparatory School.
Sarkar, Asutosh	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Hari Charan	.. Mymensing School.
,, Umesh Chandra	.. Cuttack High School.
Sells, H. M. DeGrave	.. Hampton Court, Mussooree.
Sevakram Lala	.. Benares College.
Sinha, Baladev	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Narendra Prasanna	.. Beerbhoom Government School.
Seetal Prosad	.. Gya Zillah School.
Strantenbergh, P.	.. St. Xavier's College.
Sukul, Kalisankar	.. Mymensing School.
Sur, Jogneswar	.. Ooterparah School.
Tate, G. P.	.. Bishop Cotton School, Simla.
Tilakaratna, D. A.	.. St. Thomas' Collegiate School.
Waters, J. H.	.. La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Wight, J.	.. St. Xavier's College.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdur Rahim	.. Patna Normal School.
Adhikari, Hurikrishna	... Navadwip E. School.
Agasti, Ramnarayan	.. Kachincole Rajgram School.
Agnibotri, Narbadaprasad	.. Jubbulpore High School.
Ahmed Hossen, Syed	.. Seetapore High School.
Ahsan-uddin	.. Moradabad Government School.
Aman Ali	.. Chittagong School.
Anna, Ram Chundra Gokhle	.. F. C. Institution, Nagpore
Awasthi, Ramcharan	.. Christ Church Collegiate School, Cawnpore.
Babulal	.. C. M. School, Lucknow.
Badrinaryan	.. Lukhimpore High School.
Baldeo Prasad	.. Bareilly College.
Bandyopadhyay, Aghor Nath	.. Sanskrit College.
,, Amar Nath	.. Canning College.
,, Atul Chandra	... Jonye Training School.
,, Bidubhushan	.. Mooragatcha School.

Bandyopadhyay, Devendranath	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Haridas	... Goverdangah School.
,, Jadunath	.. Bauleah High School.
,, Jogindra Chandra	.. Pakoor School.
,, Jogindra Nath	.. Mohespore School.
,, Jyotis Chandra	.. Burdwan Maharaja's School.
,, Kalinath	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Kalipada	.. Bullagurh English Aided School.
,, Kalipada	.. Jeypore Moharaja's College.
,, Kunjavihari	.. Monghyr Government School.
,, Nandalal	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Priyagopal	.. Ilsoba Mondlye English School.
,, Saratchandra	.. Hooghly Branch School.
,, Sridas	.. Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Umacharan	.. Chinsurah Hindu School.
,, Umeschandra	.. Sanskrit College.
Banke Lal	.... Bareilly College.
Barker, J. J.	.. St. Xavier's College.
Basak, Kedarnath	.. Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
,, Lalit Mohan	.. Hindu School.
,, Nrityalal	.. General Assembly's Institution.
Basdeo Lal	.. Patna Normal School.
Basu, Asminikumar	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Basantakumar	.. Hurinavi A. S. School.
,, Biharilal	.. Burdwan Maharaja's School.
,, Chandrabhushan	.. Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Haridas	.. Dinagepore School.
,, Hiralal	.. Jessore School.
,, Jaminikanta	.. Mymensing School.
,, Kesavlal	.. Calcutta School.
,, Kherodchandra	.. Hare School.
,, Madhusudan	.. Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Manmathanath	.. Hare School.
,, Manmathanath	.. Boroe School.
,, Nrityagopal	.. Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
,, Pramathanath	.. Canning College.
,, Prasannakumar	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Priyanath	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Rajanikanta	.. Noakhally School.
,, Rajendranath	.. Hindu School.
,, Rajnarayan	.. Ditto.
,, Sanatkumar	.. Hare School.
,, Saradaprasad	.. Ooterparah School.
,, Sasibhushan	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Sivaram	.. Hare School.
,, Surendra Kumar	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Upendranath	.. Noral Aided School.
Bhaduri, Jagatchandra	.. Bauleah High School.
Bhattacharjya, Bishnuchandra	.. Kandee School.
,, Devendranath	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Jugadas	.. Bancoorah School.
,, Lakshmikanta	.. Mymensing School.
,, Mahananda	.. Benares College.
,, Maheswar	.. Maldah Zillah School.
,, Ramdas	.. Serampore College.
Bhawaniprasad	.. Bareilly College.
Bijakisor	.. Delhi Zillah School.
Bishan Lal	.. Jeypore Maharaja's College.
Bisveswar Nath	.. Cawnpore Zillah School.
Biswas, Prasannanath	.. Bhaugulpore H. C. School.
,, Ramcharan	.. Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
Blanchett, T. J.	.. Mussooree School.
Boilard, N.	.. Patna Collegiate School.
Brahma, Amritalal	.. Sanskrit College.
Casey, R.	.. St. Peter's College, Agra.
Chakravarti, Abhaychandra	.. Khagrah L. M. S. School.
,, Aghornath	.. South Baharoo School.
,, Bhupatibhushan	.. Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Gopalchandra	.. Furreedpore Government School.
,, Jadunath	.. Barripore School.
,, Jogendranath	.. Oriental Seminary.

Chakravarti, Nagendranath	... Kandee School.
,, Navinchandra, 2nd	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Nilmadhav	... Mihirpore Aided School.
,, Purnachandra	... Sanskrit College.
,, Sasikumar	... Maldah School.
,, Trailokyanath	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
Chandra, Manamohan	... Beerbhoom Government School.
Chattopadhyay, Akshaykumar	... Garden Reach School.
,, Amulyacharan	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
,, Asutosh	... Benares College.
,, Bhavadev	... Sanskrit College.
,, Bipinvihari	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Bireswar	... Gossy Durgapore School.
,, Birinchilal	.. Ditto.
,, Gopalchandra	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
,, Gopalchandra	.. Howrah School.
,, Haridas (Junior)	.. Hare School.
,, Jogindrachandra	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Jogindranath	.. Hooghly Branch School.
,, Kamalakhya	.. Beerbhoom Government School.
,, Krishnalal	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Kshirodaprasad	.. Hare School.
,, Mohinimohan	.. Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Priyanath	.. Ooterparah School.
,, Rajanikanta	.. Commillah School.
,, Sadananda	.. Benares College.
,, Tarapada	.. Sanskrit College.
,, Tarinidas	.. Devogram School.
,, Umeschandra	.. Beerbhoom Government School.
,, Upendranath	.. Maldah Zillah School.
Chaube, Haragovind	.. Agra College.
Chaudhuri, Bamacharan	.. Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Chaubarja Prasad	.. Gondah High School.
Chunilal	.. Canning College.
Collins, J. L.	.. St. George's College, Mussooree.
Dalchand	.. Bareilly College.
Damoodardas	.. Ditto.
Das, Adityabhushan	.. Jessore School.
,, Akshaycharan	.. Howrah School.
,, Chandramohan	.. Maldah Zillah School.
,, Kalikumar	.. Noral Aided School.
,, Rajanikanta	... Behar English School.
,, Surijyakumar	.. Dacca Jagannath School.
,, Tapadhar	... Nowgong Zillah School.
,, Taraprasanna	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Umeschandra	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Datta, Akshaykumar	.. Hooghly Branch School.
,, Bankavihari	.. Howrah School.
,, Chunilal	... Sarun School.
,, Hemchandra	... Hare School.
,, Mathuranath	.. Albert Institution.
,, Nitaichand	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Upendrakrishna	.. Hare School.
,, Upendranath	.. South Baharoo School.
Davis, E.	.. St. Joseph's School.
De, Anandamohan	.. Mymensing School.
,, Birchandra	.. Canning College.
,, Guanendranath	.. Hindu School.
,, Haricharan	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Kalicharan	.. Hare School.
,, Lalitmohan	.. Culna F. C. Branch School.
,, Mahendranath	.. Hare School.
,, Sasibhushan	.. Ditto.
,, Sureschandra	... Ditto.
Dhar, Nagendra Nath	... Hooghly Branch School.
,, Trailokyanath	... Burrisa School.
Divakar, Balkrishna Chape	... F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
,, Daje Dhowlay	... Ditto.
Dube, Mohanlal	... Jubbulpore High School.
,, Shew Dyal	... Hurdui Zillah School.
Durgacharan	... Teacher.

Fuzlul Kurim I.	... Calcutta Mudrassa.
" " II.	... Ditto.
Fox, W. A.	... St. Paul's School.
Gangadatta Panta	... Bareilly College.
Gangopadhyay, Chandi Charan	... Hindu School.
" Devendra Nath	... Allahabad Govt. Zillah High School.
" Narendra Nath	... Ditto.
George, G.	... Armenian Philanthropic Academy.
Ghosh, Annadaprasad	... Oriental Seminary.
" Avinas Chandra	... Bhastarah School.
" Ayodhya Nath	... Kuchiacole Rajgram School.
" Bhavani Charan	... Metropolitan Institution
" Bidubhushan	... Jessore School.
" Biharilal	... Agurparah C. M. S. Institution.
" Giris Chandra	... Seebpore Aided School.
" Gosaindas	... Garden Reach School.
" Hira Lal	... Jessore School.
" Hridaynath	... Beauleah High School.
" Jogindra Nath	... Hare School.
" Jogindra Nath	... Khagrah L. M. S. School.
" Kalicharan	... Howrah School.
" Kalinarayan	... Patna Normal School.
" Lalvihari	... Oriental Seminary.
" Piyarimohan	... Dacca Collegiate School
" Rajendrachandra	... Hooghly Branch School.
" Rajkrishna	... Taky H. C. E. School.
" Saratchandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
" Sivchandra	... F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
" Taraknath	... St. Peter's C. M. School, Allahabad.
" Umacharan	... Hare School.
Ghoshal, Akshaykumar	... Ooterparah School
" Gnanadaprasad	... Baraset School.
Giri, Gajendranarayan	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Gopal, Ramchandra Pusatkar	... F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Goswami, Nrityagopal	... Sanskrit College.
" Radhagovinda	... Ballagurh Eng. Aided School.
" Syamlal	... Metropolitan Institution.
Grossmann, W.	... St. Xavier's College.
Gulzarilal, I	... Bareilly College.
" II	... Ditto.
Gupta, Gangagovinda	... Dacca Collegiate School.
" Gopalchandra	... Barabanki High School.
" Kedarnath Das	... Burrisaul School.
" Mathuranath	... Kishnaghur A. V. School.
Habibullah, Mahamed	... Jubbulpore High School.
Hanumanprasad	... Ditto.
Hazra, Jadavchandra Ghosh	... Kandee School.
" Jadunath	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
Heysham, H. S.	... Doveton College.
Indersarup	... Faizabad High School.
Jagannath	... Muttra Zillah School.
Janakinath	... Ajmere College.
Jaychand	... Lahore Mission School.
Johannes, J.	... Calcutta Boys' School.
Johns, G.	... St. Peter's College, Agra.
Jotirbid, Badridatta	... Bareilly College.
Kalkaprasad, I.	... Ditto.
Kalkaprasad, II.	... Ditto.
Kanhayalal	... Canning College.
Kar, Chandrakisor	... Pogose School.
" Pratap Chandra	... Serampore College.
Kasiram	... Loodianah Mission School.
Kedarnath	... Allygurh Zillah School.
Kundu, Trailokyanath	... Midnapore High School.
Lachman Das	... St. John's College.
Lachmi Narayan	... Canning College.
Lachmi Ojha	... Gya Zillah School.
Lahiri, Nikunjamohan	... Bauleah High School.
Lakhpat Rai	... Goojrat Zillah School.
Lala Dayasankar	... Benares College.

Lala Hargovind Dyal	... Canning College.
,, Mahavir Prasad	... Ditto.
,, Ramasmaranalal	... Benares College.
Lloyd, A. H. C.	... Doveton College.
Ludlam, W. N.	... Private Student.
Mahanta, Radhikanath	... Seal's Free College.
Mahapatra, Jonardan	... Pooree School.
Maheswar Prasad	... Gya Zillah School.
Maitra, Umes Chandra	... Pubna Zillah School.
Maitri, Bhutnath	... Barabanki High School.
Majumdar, Bipinvihari	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Kedarnath	... Sridhurpore H. C. School.
Manahar Lal	... Allygurh Zillah School.
Mandal, Kisarilal	... F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
,, Nilmani	... Ooterparah School.
,, Rameswar	... Beersingha A. S. School.
Marik, Trailokyanath	... Barrackpore School.
Mathra Prasad	Budaon Government Zillah School.
McPherson, A. J.	... Calcutta Boy's School.
Misra, Durgadas	... Pandra School.
,, Gokulprasad	... Hurdui Zillah School.
Mitchell, H.	... Lind Cottage, Private Academy, Mussooree.
Mithan Lal	... Bareilly College.
Mitra, Akshaykumar	... Hare School.
,, Apurvakrishna	... Oriental Seminary.
,, Banawarilal	... F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Chandicharan	... Useful Arts' School.
,, Girindranath	... Hindu School.
,, Hemchandra	... Barripore School.
,, Hiralal	... General Assembly's Institution.
,, Jogindranath	... Garden Reach School.
,, Kantichandra	... Cutwa English School.
,, Khirodchandra	... Oriental Seminary.
,, Priyanath	... Hindu School.
,, Priyanath	... Burrisaul School.
,, Rajendranath	... Hindu School.
,, Taraknath	... Konnugger English School.
Mohanlal	... St. John's College.
Muhammad Siddik	... Jeypore Maharaja's College.
Mukhopadhyay, Ambikacharan	... Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Atulchandra	... Bhangulpore H. C. School.
,, Avinaschandra	... Christ Church Collegiate School, Cawnpore.
,, Bamacharan	... Metropolitan Institution.
,, Benimadhav	... Allahabad Govt. Zillah High School.
,, Biharilal	... Santipore E. School (old.)
,, Bipinvihari	... Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Chandra Kumar	... Ooterparah School.
,, Dinanath	... Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Durgadas	... Berhampore Collegiate School.
,, Girindralal	... Tezpore Government E. School.
,, Gopalchandra	... Cuttack High School.
,, Hemchandra	... Oriental Seminary.
,, Janakinath	... Beerbhoom Government School.
,, Jivankrishna	... Mihirpore Aided School
,, Jogindranath	... Nebodhia A. S. School.
,, Khudiram	... Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Pramadachandra	... Hazaribaugh School.
,, Rajanikanta	... Digapotia H. C. E. School.
,, Ramprasanna	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Surendranath	... Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Tarinicharan	... Bancoorah School.
,, Tinkari	... Garden Reach School.
,, Umeschandra	... Bancoorah School.
Nandkisor Lal	... Moradpore School, Bankipore.
Nayak, Sitaram	... Benares College.
Nihalchand	... Peshawar Mission School.
Niogi, Taraknath	... Bauleah High School.
Nunnai Singh	... St. Stephen's College.
Nye, Biharilal	... Bollutee School.
O'Dea, Patrick P.	... St. George's College, Mussooree.
O'Neill, H.	... St. Xavier's College.

Ohdadar, Gnanendranath	.. Seetapore School.
Pakrusi, Gopalchandra	.. Benares College.
Pal, Aghornath	... Santipore E. School (old).
,, Nitaicharan	.. Hindu School.
,, Purnachandra	.. Barrackpore School.
,, Ramnarayan	.. Ooterparah School.
,, Tarinicharan	.. Hindu School.
Palit, Sasibhushan	.. Cuttack High School.
Pascal, E. H.	.. Doveton College.
Patak, Jwalaprasad	.. Benares College.
Patnayak, Sivchandra	.. Private Student.
Patra, Haridas	.. Serampore College.
Prabhu Lal	.. Roy Bareilly High School.
Raghunath	.. Canning College.
Ram Chandra	.. St. Stephen's College.
Ramchandra Krishna Velma	.. F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Ramjus Mall	.. Agra College.
Ramprasad	.. Hume's High School, Etawah.
Ramsahay	.. Bareilly College.
Ray, Abhaycharan	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Chandranarayan	.. Hooghly Branch School.
,, Dinanath	.. Hume's High School, Etawah.
,, Gopalnarayan	.. Bhaugulpore H. C. School.
,, Harischandra	... Rungpore School.
,, Kaliprasanna	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Lalvihari	.. Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Mahendranath	... Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Munnilal	... Benares College.
,, Nilkanta	... Midnapore High School.
,, Nitadvihari	... Howrah School.
,, Ramkisor	... Dacca Jagannath School.
,, Ramlal	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Saradaranjan	... Mymensing School.
,, Upendranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
Reilly, G.	... Doveton College.
Rupchand	... Lahore Mission School.
Sachchit Prasad	... Benares College.
Saha, Lakshminarayan	... Midnapore High School.
,, Raimohan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
Sahay, Nilkanta	... Gya Zillah School.
,, Shewnath	... Sarun School.
Saligram	... Canning College.
Sannu Lal	... Muttra Zillah School.
Sanyal, Jogneswar	... Cuttack High School.
,, Saratchandra	... Bauleah High School.
Sarkar, Bihari Lal	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Naku Lal	.. Howrah School.
,, Sukhamoy	.. Khagra L. M. S. School.
Sarkies, S. C.	.. St. Paul's School.
Sen, Ananta Lal	.. Midnapore High School.
,, Basanta Kumar	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Durga Prasanna	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Gaur Chandra	.. Cuttack High School.
,, Goshta Bihari	.. Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Guru Nath	.. Chittagong High School.
,, Jadav Chandra	.. Jenkins' School, Cooch Behar.
,, Jogneswar	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Kanti Bhusan	.. Ditto.
,, Narendra Nath	.. Hare School.
,, Raj Mohan	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Surendra Kumar	.. Hindu School.
,, Umes Chandra	.. Furreedpore Government School.
Seneviratne, E. A.	.. St. Thomas' Collegiate School.
Shaik Karam Ahmed	.. Canning College.
,, Mashiat Ulla	.. Gowhatty High School.
Shircore, W.	.. Doveton College.
Sikdar, Kisari Mohan	.. Kumarkhali School.
Sil, Bipin Bihari	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Jogindra Nath, 2nd	.. Ditto.

Sil, Ram Krishna	Culna F. C. Branch School.
Sinaes, W.,	St. Joseph's School.
Sinha, Brijnandan	Patna Normal School.
,, Harendranarayan	Berhampore Collegiate School.
,, Jogeschandra	Kandee School.
,, Kshetralal	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Kunjalal	Bhaugulpore H. C. School.
,, Lalmohan	Berhampore Collegiate School.
,, Parameswar	Benares College.
,, Prabhudas	Ditto.
,, Ramcharan	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Srikanta	Howrah School.
Sitaram	Teacher.
Smith, H. R.	St. Xavier's College.
Som, Chandicharan	Dacca Collegiate School.
Sukul, Bansgopal	Roy Bareilly High School.
Swift, W. S.	Goojranwallah Mission School.
Syamlal	Muttra Zillah School.
Syed Dustur Ali	Hurdui High School.
,, Khursed Ali	Patna Normal School.
,, Mauzurar Rahman	Calcutta Madrassa.
Thakur Prasad	Victoria School.
Tiwari, Dolarilal	Bareilly College.
Umrao Sing	Lahore Zillah School.
Wirekoon, J. W.	Kandy Collegiate School.
Woongarala Ramaujaya	F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Wylie, M. S.	Loodiana Mission School.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Haleem	L. M. High School, Benares.
Abdul Waheed	Calcutta Madrassa.
Abul Fuzl Muhammad Abdur Rahoman	Ditto.
Achargya, Kailaschandra	Kuchincole Rajgram School.
Adya, Devendra Lal	Hindu School.
Ahia Ali Khan	Bancoorah School.
Amin-ud-din	Calcutta Madrassa.
Amjad Ali	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Anantprasad	St. John's College.
Bagchi, Taranath	Pubna Zillah School.
Baij Nath	Seetapore High School.
Baksi, Dwarkanath	Khagra L. M. S. School.
Banarasi Das	Delhi Zillah School.
Bandyopadhyay, Anantlal	Bancoorah School.
,, Binadvihari	Ooterparah School.
,, Bisveswar	Santipore E. School (old).
,, Chandramohan	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Devendrakumar	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Dhanapati	Hindu School.
,, Gopalchandra	Dinagepore School.
,, Harimohan	Garden Reach School.
,, Harinarayan	Konnugger E. School.
,, Hemchandra	Noral Aided School.
,, Hemchandra	F. C Institution, Chinsurah.
,, Jitendranath	Sanskrit College.
,, Kalikrishna	Hooghly Branch School.
,, Mahendranath (Jun.)	South Baharoo School.
,, Nandalal	Baraset School.
,, Nilmani	Private Student.
,, Sasibhushan	Canning College.
,, Siddeswar	Baraset School.
,, Siddeswar	Metropolitan Institution.
Basu, Aghornath	Seal's Free College.
,, Basantakumar	Dacca Jagannath School.
,, Bijaygovinda	New Presidency School.
,, Bipinvihari	F. C. Instituion, Chinsurah.
,, Deviprasanna	Seebpore Institution.
,, Jagadischandra	Metropolitan Institution.
,, Jogendrakumar	Pogose School.
,, Madhusudan	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Madhusudan	St. John's College.

Basu Manmathanath	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Nandakumar	.. Dacca Jagannath School.
Batavyal, Naryandas	.. Sanskrit College.
Benjamin, J.	.. C. M. School. Lucknow.
Bhadainlal	.. C. M. High School, Jubbulpore.
Bhadari, Janakinath	... Khaja Abdul Gunney's Free School.
Bhattacharjya, Amarnath	.. St. Peter's C. M. School, Allahabad.
,, Guruprasad	.. Seetapore High School.
,, Hemchandra	.. Allahabad Govt. Zillah High School.
,, Nilmani	.. Mooragatcha School.
,, Prasannakumar	.. Victoria School.
,, Priyanath	.. Tumlook Hamilton's English School.
,, Rajanikanta	.. L. M. High School, Benares.
,, Sivchandra	.. Monghyr Government School.
,, Taraknath	.. Barrackpore School.
,, Tarinicharan	.. Noral Aided School.
Bhanmik, Devendra Chandra	.. Fureedpore Government School.
Bhawani Prasad	.. Jubbulpore High School.
Bhullar Mall	.. Peshawar Mission School.
Biswas, Kamikhyanath	.. Hindu School.
,, Nakurchandra	.. Barabanki High School.
,, Navinchandra	.. Cutwa English School.
Chakravarti, Amritalal	.. Horinavi A. S. School.
,, Gopalchandra	.. Chinsurah Hindu School.
,, Kailaschandra	.. Burrisaul School.
,, Purnachandra	.. Metropolitan Insitution.
,, Ramkulpa	.. Purulia Government School.
,, Tarakchandra	.. Mymensing School.
Chandra, Priyalal	.. F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Sen	.. Bareilly College.
Chattopadhyay, Bamacharan	.. F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Basantakumar	.. Kustea School.
,, Chandranath	.. Barrackpore School.
,, Devendranath	.. Agurparah C. M. S. Institution.
,, Haridas (senior)	.. Hare School.
,, Jadunath	.. Devogram School.
,, Jagadananda	.. F. C. Insritution, Calcutta.
,, Kaliprasad	.. Bancoorah School.
,, Matilal	.. Bhaugulpore H. C. School.
,, Nandalal	.. Behala Mission School.
,, Paranchandra	.. Hare School.
,, Priyanath	.. Bauleah High School.
,, Saratchandra	.. F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
Chaube, Joygopal	.. Agra College.
Chaudhuri, Kasisankar	.. Bauleah High School.
,, Satischandra	.. Furreedpore Government School.
,, Suryanarayan	.. Purulea Government School.
Chunilal	.. Amritsur Zillah School.
D'Costa, J.	.. St. Joseph's School.
Das, Bhupendranath	.. Hare School.
,, Chandramohan	.. Rungpore School.
,, Chunilal	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Dinavandhu	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Gangacharan	.. Sylhet Government School.
,, Gnanendrachandra	.. Intally Institution.
,, Jagavandhu	.. Commillah School.
,, Jogindranath	.. Baraset School.
,, Kailaschandra	.. Dacca Jaganath School.
,, Krishnachandra	.. Khaja Abdool Gunney's Free School.
,, Mahendranath	.. Balasore School.
,, Nandalal	.. Bancoorah School.
,, Rajkrishna	.. Barrackpore School.
Datta, Abhaycharan	.. Burdwan Maharaja's School.
,, Annadaprasad	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Gangagati	.. Commillah School.
,, Harimohan	.. Hare School.
,, Kamalchandra	.. Commillah School.
,, Kshetromohan	.. Oriental Seminary.
,, Nripendranath	.. F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Piyarimohan	.. Dacca Collegiate School.

Datta, Ramkumar	.. Calcutta Training Academy.
,, Sasibhushan	.. Pogose School.
,, Sripaticharan	.. Midnapore School.
De, Adharchandra	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Parvaticharan	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Parvaticharan	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Saradaprasad	.. Intally Institution.
Deokinandan	.. Victoria School.
Dev, Satyapreya	.. Konnugger E. School.
Devi Prasad	.. Bareilly College.
Dhar, Narendranath	.. Pogose School.
Furid-Ud-deen	.. F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Gangopadhyay, Akshaykumar	.. Bangala Bazar Branch School.
,, Gangadhur	.. Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
,, Jogindranath	.. Seebpore Institution.
,, Krisnadhan	.. Behala Mission School.
,, Rajanikumar	.. Dacca Jaganath School.
,, Saradakanta	.. Burrisaul School.
Gaurisankar	.. Jeypor Moharaja's College.
Ghosh, Asutosh	.. Nizamut School.
,, Bidubhusan	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Bipinchandra	.. Sylhet Government School.
,, Chandranath	.. Bauleah High School.
,, Dinanath	.. Cuttack High School.
,, Gangadhar	.. Noral Aided School.
,, Jadunath	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Jadunath	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Jogindralal	.. Bauleah High School.
,, Jogindranath	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Kedarnath	.. Garden Reach School.
,, Krishundhan	.. Hooghly Branch School.
,, Mathuranath	.. Mymensing School.
,, Matuklal	.. Nyehati St. Stephen's Mission School.
,, Nilmadhav	.. St. Peter's C. M. School, Allahabad.
,, Prasannakumar	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Satyakumar	.. Burdwan Maharaja's School.
,, Suryakumar	.. Ooterparah School.
,, Tarapada	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Trailokyanath	.. Nyehati St. Stephen's Mission School.
Ghoshal, Bipinvihari	.. Bengal Institution.
,, Haripada	.. Budla A. V. School.
,, Matilal	.. F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
Golam Quadir	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
Goluknath, E.	.. Jullundur Mission School.
Goswami, Binadlal	.. Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Gorachand	.. Ajoodhya H. C. E. School.
Govindram	... Private Student.
Govindrao	.. Benares College.
Gregory, S. T.	.. Armenian Philanthropic Academy.
Gupta, Govindachandra das	.. Dacca Jaganath School.
,, Nirmalchandra	.. Calcutta Training Academy.
,, Piyarimohan	.. Dacca Jaganath School.
,, Prasannanath das	.. Calcutta School.
,, Sirischandra das	.. Rungpore School.
,, Tarinikumar	.. Burrisaul School.
Haldar, Aunadakanta	.. Noakhally School.
Har Prasad	.. St. John's College.
Hari Ballabh	.. Umritsur Zillah School.
Hari Rajeswar	.. City School, Nagpore.
Hurnam Prasad	.. Faizabad High School.
Hazra, Harinath	.. Canning College.
Heysham, C. B.	.. Doveton College.
Ikramul Haq	.. Calcutta Madrassa.
Jagadiswar Prasad	.. Bhaugulpore H. C. School.
Jageswar, Keshev Panday	.. F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Jannat Hosen	.. Gya Zillah School.
Jiwan Ram	.. Moradabad Mission School.
Jumnaprasad	.. Jubbulpore High School.
Jyotirbid, Balkrishna	.. Bareilly College.
Kanhya Lal	.. Hume's High School, Etwah.

Kar, Navadwipchandra	.. Kumarkhali School.
Keshev Balkrishna Dolas	.. Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Keshorao Khandkir	.. Jubbulpore High School.
Kharydhari Lal	.. Gya Zillah School.
Kundu, Kanailal	... Chatmore School.
Laha, Navadwipchandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
Lahiri, Girischandra	... Furreedpore Government School.
,, Hemchandra	.. Serampore College.
,, Maheschandra	... Bengalitollah Preparatory School.
,, Mohinimohan	... Serampore College.
Lakshmi Narayan	... Jeypore Maharaja's College.
Lakshmi Narayan	... L. M. S. Institution, Mirzapore.
Lakshmi Prasad	... Patna Normal School.
Lala Mohanlal	... Benares College.
,, Shew Golam	... Canning College.
Madak, Indrabhushan	... Hindu School.
Madan Mohan	... Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Madhav Lal	... Sarun School.
Mahanti, Satyabadi	... Pooree School.
Mahapatra, Bansidhar	... Cuttack High School.
Maiti, Radhanath	... Midnapore L. M. School.
Maitra, Krishnanath	.. Mooragatcha School.
Majumdar, Janukinath	.. Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Sanatkumar	.. Metropolitan Institution.
Mallik, Benimadhav	.. Hooghly Branch School.
Middleton, W. T.	.. La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
Misra, Ayodhyaprasad	.. Deogurh School.
Mitra, Amritalal	.. Oriental Seminary.
,, Benimadhar	.. Rungpore School.
,, Bipenvihari	.. Dacca Jaganath School.
,, Brajanath	.. Hooghly Branch School.
,, Byankatis Lal	.. Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Priyanath	.. Ooterparah School.
Moti Kasiram	.. F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Muhammad Aslam	.. Sarun School.
Mukhapadhyay, Aghar Nath	.. Sarun School.
,, Arunoday	.. Khagrah L. M. S. School
,, Bhola Nath	.. Ooterparah School.
,, Bijay Nath	.. Hindu School.
,, Gris Chandra	... Ajoodya H. C. E. School.
,, Gnanendra Nath	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Gnanuddipan	.. Behala Mission School.
,, Gopal Chandra	.. L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Hira Lal	.. Aghurparah C. M. S. Institution.
,, Hari Charan	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Harigopal	.. Ilsoba Mondlye English School.
,, Hari Mohan	.. Badla A. V. School.
,, Haris Chandra	.. Jessore School.
,, Indubhushan	.. Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Jogindra Chandra	.. Beerbhoom School.
,, Kali Pada	.. Hindu School.
,, Kedar Nath	.. Bancoorah School.
,, Mohindra Nath	.. Chinsurah, F. Cc. Institution.
,, Narasinha Chandra	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Narayan Chandra	.. Howrah School.
,, Ramkrishna	.. Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Rasiklal	.. Metropolitan Institution.
,, Sasibhushan	.. Behala Mission School.
,, Upendranath	.. Calcutta Training Academy.
Mulchand	.. Jubbulpore High School.
Nago Yadev Rao	.. F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Nayak, Gupinath	.. Pooree School.
Niogi, Kesavcharan	.. Bancoorah School.
,, Mohimchandra	.. Serajgunge School.
Nirmal Prasad	.. Balrampore School
Pal, Bipradas	.. Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Mohimachandra	.. Kumarkhali School.
Palit, Nagendrachandra	.. General Assembly's Institution.
,, Saratchandra	.. Hindu School.
Pannalal	.. Jeypore Maharaja's College.

Pande, Lalaram	...	Benares College.
Paraspay, Bishwanath Wamun	..	C. M. High School, Jubbulpore.
Raghunath Balkrishna	..	F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Ramanath	..	St. Stephen's College.
Ramchandra	..	Benares College.
Ramlagan Lal	..	Moradpore School, Bankipore.
Ray, Baikunthanath	..	Bauleah High School.
,, Chandranath	..	Berhampore Collegiate School.
,, Govindachandra	..	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Harinandan	..	Victoria School.
,, Jadunath	..	Jessore School.
,, Kirtichandra	..	Beerbhoom Government School.
,, Kisarivallabh	..	Saradaprasad Institution, Chuckdiggy.
,, Mahendrachandra	..	Mymensing School.
,, Manimohan	..	Dacca Jaganath School.
,, Nagendranath	..	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Navakumar	..	Dacca Jagannth School.
,, Rajani Kanta	..	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Ramjadu	..	Khagra L. M. S. School.
,, Umesh Chandra	...	Bograh School.
Ray Chaudhari, Baroda Kanta	..	Hooghly Branch School.
Saha, Atul Bihari	..	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Sahay, Dina Nath	..	Sarun School.
Saligram	..	Ludiana Mission School.
Sanyal, Baiakntha Nath	..	Bauleah High School.
,, Gnan Krishna	..	Agra College.
,, Prasanna Kumar	..	Bauleah High School.
Sarkar, Ishan Chandra	..	Mymensing School.
,, Raj Narain	..	Pandra School.
Sen, Amvikacharan	..	Khaja Abdool Gunney's Free School.
,, Anandachandra	..	Dinagepore School.
,, Govindachandra	..	Calcutta School.
,, Govindachandra	..	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Govindachandra	..	Sesraole H. C. School.
,, Karunakumar	..	Dacca Jaganath School.
,, Mahimchandra	..	Serajgange School.
,, Nepalchandra	..	Baraset School.
,, Saratchandra	..	Hare School.
,, Upendranath	..	Metropolitan Institution.
Shaik Abdullah	..	Canning College.
,, Delawar Ali	..	Patna Normal School.
,, Hamait-uddin	..	Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.
Sheo Sankar	..	Jeypore Maharaja's College.
Sil, Syamlal	..	F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
Sinha, Balaram	..	Purulia Government School.
,, Ishanchandra	..	Dacca Jaganath School.
,, Jogindranath	..	Baraset School.
,, Pratapnarayan	..	Patna Collegiate School.
,, Sasibhushan	..	Kandee School.
,, Umeschandra	..	Cutwa English School.
Sinhi, Krishnakisor	..	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Srikrishna Gangadhur	..	F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Sur, Haridas	..	Saradaprasad Institution, Chuckdigy.
Syed Muhammad Kutbuddin	..	Patna Collegiate School.
Tagore, Barendranath	..	Metropolitan Institution.
Tewari, Monsaram	..	Sultanpore School.
Venkates, Gore	..	St. Peter's C. M. School, Allahabad.
Waman Madhoo Cawray	..	F. C. Institution, Nagpore.

SENATE HOUSE, the 30th December 1873.

J. SUTCLIFFE, *Registrar.*

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 909B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1874, will consist of 26,244 chests of Behar, and 18,756 chests of Benares Opium, being of the two seasons 1871-72 and 1872-73 in the proportions marginally noted. The sales will be held on or about the dates specified below. The Member in charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

	Chests.	Chests.
BEHAR.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	8	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	26,236	
		26,244
BENARES.		
Reserve of 1871-72 ...	16	
Supply from 1872-73 ...	18,740	
		18,756
Total ...		45,000

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 5th Jan. 1874	...	2,209	1,541	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. ,,	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	...	26,244	18,756	45,000

The following are the conditions of Sale:—

1. The Opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The Opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by Clause 12 of these Conditions of Sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M.; but if at that hour any of the lots advertized for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Member in charge, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday) at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or, if the whole quantity advertized shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Member in charge may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room, and before the lot is registered in the sale book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this Office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale: or on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts, or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Member in charge shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.

On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.

On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.

And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

6. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the last-mentioned condition, if remaining unredeemed at 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

7. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of Opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before 4 o'clock of the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted.

8. The Opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 4 o'clock of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, and in case any lots of such Opium shall not be so paid

for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth Condition or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the Opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Member in charge shall think fit, and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the Opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale.

9. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of Opium after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots, or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests originally required to be included in each certificate or order.

10. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present Conditions will be received in this Office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale book or his authorized Agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

11. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall, on demand, tender at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal Receipts, or Government Securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these Conditions.

12. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually until a bid is obtained, and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these Conditions.

13. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same agency Opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the Opium to complete the said twenty-five.

14. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the Opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

15. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue: No. 1, certificate of the Opium advertized for sale; No. 2, report of the examination of such Opium.

16. The public are hereby informed that, in providing the investment of the Behar and Benares Opium for the year 1872-73, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years, to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of Opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug when packed at Behar and Benares, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken for the purpose of comparison from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

17. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the Opium advertized for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Member in charge entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of Opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the Opium for shipment.

18. It is hereby further notified that under the 8th Article of the Convention between Great Britain and France, dated the 7th March, 1815, quoted below, the Agents in India of the French Government, or persons duly appointed by them, are entitled to demand that out of the quantities of Behar and Benares Opium declared as above for sale at the twelve sales of the year 1874, there shall be delivered to them, at the average of the particular sale or sales to which the Opium so applied for may belong, a quantity not exceeding in the aggregate 300 chests, and the Agents of the French Government must make requisition specifying the quantity of Opium required by them at any particular sale, within thirty days from the advertisement of such intended sale, provided however that the Agents of the French Government may make such requisition for the whole quantity within thirty days from the publication of this notification. If the Agent of the French Government shall not make the requisition for Opium within the time above mentioned, the entire quantity of about 45,000 chests of

	Chests.
Behar	26,244
Benares	18,756
Total	45,000

Behar and Benares, as above estimated, will be brought to sale in the usual manner; and if they shall make application for a quantity of Opium to be delivered to them out of the quantity advertized for sale at each or any of the twelve sales above mentioned, but shall not pay for it within the prescribed period of payment, the Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right of disposing of the Opium which the French Authorities may so fail to pay for, either by increasing the quantity reserved at the sale next ensuing the date of payment, or by selling it at a sale to be held expressly for the purpose.

Article of the Convention above referred to.

Article VI.—"With regard to the trade in Opium, it is agreed between the high contracting parties that at each of the periodical sales of that article, there shall be reserved for the French Government, and delivered upon requisition duly made by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty, or by the persons duly appointed by them, the number of chests so supplied for provided that such supply shall not exceed three hundred chests in each year, and the price for the same shall be determined by the average rate at which Opium shall have been sold at every such periodical sale, it being understood that if the quantity of Opium applied for at any one time shall not be taken on account of the French Government by the Agents of His Most Christain Majesty within the usual period of delivery, the quantity so applied for shall nevertheless be considered as so much in reduction of the three hundred chests hereinbefore mentioned. The requisitions for Opium, as aforesaid, are to be addressed to the Governor-General at Calcutta within thirty days after notice of the intended sales shall have been published in the *Government Gazette*."—By order of the Member in charge.

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 8th November 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 983 B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first Sale of Opium, the provision of 1871-72, and 1872-73, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 5th January 1874, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,750 chests, viz.—

	1871-72.	1872-73.	Total.
Behar Opium ...	8	2,201	2,209
Benares " ...	16	1,525	1,541
Total	24	3,726	3,750

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual; they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1873 and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 20th January respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 10th January 1874, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 20th January 1874.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the year 1874 on or about the dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Wednesday, 4th Feb. 1874	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 5th Mar. "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th April "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 4th May "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 4th June "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 6th July "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 5th Aug. "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday, 7th Sept. "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday, 7th Oct. "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday, 6th Nov. "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday, 3rd Dec. "	..	2,185	1,565	3,750
Total	..	24,035	17,215	41,250

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 2nd December 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

OPIUM NOTIFICATION.

No. 1086B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the second Sale of Opium, the provision of 1872-73, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Wednesday, the 4th February 1874, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 3,750 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Behar Opium	...	2,185
Benares "	...	1,565
Total	...	3,750

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertized will be the same as usual; they may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 8th November 1873, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 9th and 19th February respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 9th February 1874, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Thursday, the 19th February 1874.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the year 1874 on or about the dates specified below. The Member in Charge of the Opium Department, however, reserves to himself the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates.				Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday,	5th March	1874	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday,	6th April	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday,	4th May	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday,	4th June	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday,	6th July	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday,	5th August	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Monday,	7th September	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Wednesday,	7th October	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Friday,	6th November	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
On or about Thursday,	3rd December	"	...	2,185	1,565	3,750
		Total	...	21,850	15,650	37,500

By order of the Member in Charge,

BOARD OF REVENUE, FORT WILLIAM, the 30th December 1873. T. B. LANE, *Secretary*.

Statement showing the importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on the River Hooghly, subject to Customs Duty, on the 16th December 1873.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	9,64,360	.....	4,02,572	13,66,932
French Kurkutch...	1,956	.....	.....	1,956
Italian "	24,242	.....	.....	24,242
Bombay "	72,251	.....	36,775	1,09,026
Madras "	92,605	.....	.....	92,605
Arabian and Persian Gulfs' Kurkutch and Muscat Rock	4,92,122	.....	14,013	506,135
Total ...	16,47,536	.....	4,53,360	21,00,896

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs*.

CALCUTTA, CUSTOM HOUSE, the 30th December 1873.

Sheriff's Office, the 16th December 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Criminal Sessions of the year 1874, of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the fourteenth day of January next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Session be then and there to prosecute.

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস সন ১৮৭৩ সাল ১৬ ডিসেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৪ সালের ১৪ জানুআরি বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যেপর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৪ সালের প্রথম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারায় প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

T. M. ROBINSON, *Sheriff.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of lands, no longer required by the Government, situated in the district of Bhaugulpore, will be put up to sale at the Collector's Office, at Bhaugulpore, at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 2nd February 1874, corresponding with 21st Maug *B.S.*

The purchasers of these plots will be subject to the following conditions:—

1*st.*—If the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

2*nd.*—If the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the estate to be again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

3*rd.*—The plots will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

4*th.*—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt of the orders of the Collector confirming the sales. But such possession shall be liable to be disturbed in case the final sanction of the Member of the Board of Revenue in charge should not be accorded to the proceedings.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Name of Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile on which the land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area in bigah and acre.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Gopalgunge and Puckree.	229	South ...	11 10 0	3 3 8	.....	.....	Commences on 2,230 feet of mile 229 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By boundary of zillah Bhaugulpore. West—By end of mile 229, as per plan.
2	ditto ...	ditto ...	229	North ...	11 4 0	3 2 32	.....	.....	Commences on 2,330 feet of mile 229 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By boundary of Bhaugulpore District. West—By end of mile 229, as per plan.
3	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Puckree.	230	South ...	11 2 0	3 2 28	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 229, as per plan, and terminates on 2,550 feet of mile 230.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 229, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 5.
4	ditto ...	ditto ...	230	North ...	11 12 3	3 3 14	.....	.....	ditto	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 229, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 6.
5	ditto ...	ditto ...	230	South ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	.....	.....	Commences on 2,550 feet of mile 230 and terminates on 3,720 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 3. West—By boundary of village Sulsempore.
6	ditto ...	ditto ...	230	North ...	6 16 3	2 1 5	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 4. West—By boundary of village Sulsempore.
7	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Sulsempore.	230	South ...	7 15 0	2 2 10	.....	.....	Commences on 3,720 feet of mile 230 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By village boundary. West—By end of mile 230, as per plan.
8	ditto ...	ditto ...	230	North ...	8 18 14	2 3 33	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By village boundary. West—By end of mile 230, as per plan.

9	ditto ...	ditto ...	231	South ...	6 15 0	2 1 0	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 230, as per plan, and terminates on 1,500 feet of mile 231.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 230, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 11.
10	ditto ...	ditto ...	231	North ...	7 0 0	2 1 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 230, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 12.
11	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Annapati.	231	South ...	4 13 7	1 2 7	Occupied by road ...	0 0 3	Commences on 1,500 feet of mile 231 and terminates on 3,460 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 9. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 13.
12	ditto ...	ditto ...	231	North ...	4 15 0	1 2 11	ditto ...	0 0 5	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 10. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 14.
13	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Purushunna.	231	South ...	10 6 15	3 1 28	.....	.....	Commences on 3,460 feet of mile 231 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 11. West—By end of mile 231, as per plan.
14	ditto ...	ditto ...	231	North ...	10 6 15	3 1 28	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 12. West—By end of mile 231, as per plan.
15	ditto ...	ditto ...	232	South ...	9 0 18	2 3 38	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 231, as per plan, and terminates on 2,780 feet of mile 232.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 231 as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 17.
16	ditto ...	ditto ...	232	North ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	ditto	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 231, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 18.
17	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Monjurahi.	232	South ...	7 0 0	2 1 10	.....	.....	Commences on 2,780 feet of mile 232 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 15. West—By end of mile 232, as per plan.
18	ditto ...	ditto ...	232	North ...	8 4 0	2 2 34	.....	.....	ditto	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 16. West—By end of mile 232, as per plan.
19	ditto ...	ditto ...	233	South ...	5 0 0	1 2 25	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 232, as per plan, and terminates on 1,260 feet of mile 233.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 232, as per plan. West—By a village road.
20	ditto ...	ditto ...	233	North ...	5 0 0	1 2 25	.....	.....	ditto	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 232, as per plan. West—By a village road.
21	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Seernaree.	233	South ...	6 15 5	2 0 38	.....	.....	Commences on 1,285 feet of mile 233 and terminates on 3,510 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 23.
22	ditto ...	ditto ...	233	North ...	6 15 5	2 0 38	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By village road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 24.
23	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Soonderpore.	233	South ...	4 6 8	1 1 29	.....	.....	Commences on 3,510 feet of mile 233 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 21. West—By end of mile 233, as per plan.

Consecutive Lot Number.	Name of Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile on which the land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area in bigah and area.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
					B. C. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
24	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Sooderpore.	233	North ...	4 0 9	1 1 13	.....	.....	Commences on 3,540 feet of mile 233 and terminates on 4,990 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 22. West—By Peerpointee Station land.
25	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Mohesrampore or Jhanee.	234	South ...	14 15 5	4 3 21	Occupied by road ...	0 0 8	Commences on 1,070 feet of mile 234 and terminates on 4,020 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Peerpointee Station land. West—By railway level crossing.
26	ditto ...	ditto ...	234	North ...	16 0 0	5 1 6	ditto ...	0 0 8	Commences on 900 feet of mile 234 and terminates on 4,020 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Peerpointee station land. West—By railway level crossing.
27	ditto ...	ditto ...	234	South ...	5 0 8	1 0 0	.....	.....	Commences on 4,040 feet of mile 234 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By railway level crossing. West—By end of mile 234, as per plan.
28	ditto ...	ditto ...	234	North ...	3 2 0	1 0 4	Road common to lots Nos. 25, 26, 27 and 28.	0 0 5	ditto	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By railway level crossing. West—By end of mile 234, as per plan.
29	ditto ...	ditto ...	235	South ...	11 14 10	3 3 21	Occupied by road ...	0 0 7	Commences at the end of mile 234, as per plan, and terminates on 2,980 feet of mile 235.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 234, as per plan. West—By a village road under culvert.
30	ditto ...	ditto ...	235	North ...	11 14 10	3 3 21	ditto ...	0 0 7	ditto	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 234, as per plan. West—By a village road under culvert.
31	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bussuntpore.	235	South ...	19 11 10	6 1 36	.....	.....	Commences on 3,000 feet of mile 235 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road under culvert. West—By end of mile 235, as per plan.
32	ditto ...	ditto ...	235	North ...	19 11 10	6 1 36	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a village road under culvert. West—By end of mile 235, as per plan.
33	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	South ...	10 6 4	3 1 26	.....	...	Commences at the end of mile 235 and terminates on 890 feet of mile 236, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 235, as per plan. West—By a nullah.
34	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	North ...	10 8 4	3 1 31	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 235 and terminates on 950 feet of mile 236, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 235, as per plan. West—By a nullah.
35	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	South ...	13 15 0	4 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 915 feet of mile 236 and terminates on 2,890 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a nullah. West—By a nullah.
36	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	North ...	13 13 0	4 2 2	.....	.....	Commences on 915 feet of mile 236 and terminates on 2,840 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a nullah. West—By a nullah.

37	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Khidarpore.	236	South ...	13 17 0	4 2 12	Occupied by road ...	0 0 4	Commences on 2,950 feet of mile 236 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a nullah. West—By end of mile 236, as per plan.
38	ditto ...	ditto ...	236	North ...	13 14 0	4 2 3	Occupied by road ... Nullah between lots 33 and 35. Nullah between lots 34 and 36.	0 0 4 0 0 11 0 0 11	Commences on 2,980 feet of mile 236 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a nullah. West—By end of mile 236, as per plan.
39	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Khidarpore and Kakurgulla.	237	South ...	11 1 5	3 2 26	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 236 as per plan, and terminates on 2,925 feet of mile 237.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 236, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
40	ditto ...	ditto ...	237	North ...	10 17 0	3 2 15	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 236, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
41	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Kakurgulla.	237	South ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	.....	Commences on 2,950 feet of mile 237 and terminates on 3,470 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By overbridge road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 42.
42	ditto ...	ditto ...	237	North ...	8 0 0	2 2 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By overbridge road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 41.
43	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Mukurrundpore.	237	South ...	8 15 0	2 3 23	.....	.....	Commences on 3,470 feet of mile 237, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 41. West—By end of mile 237, as per plan.
44	ditto ...	ditto ...	237	North ...	8 14 0	2 3 21	Road common to lots 38, 40, 41, and 42.	0 0 16	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 42. West—By end of mile 237, as per plan.
45	ditto ...	ditto ...	238	South ...	11 8 6	3 3 4	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 237, as per plan, and terminates on 2,700 feet of mile 238.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 237, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 47.
46	ditto ...	ditto ...	238	North ...	11 12 0	3 3 14	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 237, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 48.
47	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Rohur.	238	South ...	12 0 4	3 3 35	.....	.....	Commences on 2,700 feet of mile 238 and terminates on 3,900 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 46. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 49.
48	ditto ...	ditto ...	238	North ...	12 0 0	3 3 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 46. West—By eastern boundry of lot No. 50.
49	ditto ...	ditto ...	238	South ...	14 14 0	4 3 18	.....	.....	Commences on 3,900 feet of mile 238 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 47. West—By end of mile 238, as per plan.
50	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Rohur and Muthoorapore.	238	North ...	14 7 6	4 3 26	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 48. West—By end of mile 238, as per plan.
51	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Rohur, Colgong and Muthoorapore.	239	South ...	15 18 0	6 1 1	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 238, as per plan, and terminates on 1,450 feet of mile 239.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 238, as per plan. West—By a village road.

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					B. C. Ch.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
52	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Muthoorapore.	239	North ...	18 0 0	5 1 6	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 238, as per plan, and terminates on 1,540 feet of mile 239.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 238, as per plan. West—By a village road.
53	ditto ...	ditto ...	239	South ...	9 12 0	3 0 28	.....	.....	Commences on 1,470 feet of mile 239 and terminates on 3,270 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 52.
54	ditto ...	ditto ...	239	North ...	9 12 0	3 0 28	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By village road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 53.
55	ditto ...	ditto ...	239	South ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	.....	.....	Commences on 3,270 feet of mile 239, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 55. West—By end of mile 239, as per plan.
56	ditto ...	ditto ...	239	North ...	9 0 0	2 3 36	Road common to lots 51, 52, 53, and 54.	0 0 27	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 54. West—By end of mile 239, as per plan.
57	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	South ...	9 9 8	3 0 21	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 239, as per plan, and terminates on 1,360 feet of mile 240.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 239, as per plan. West—By a road under culvert.
58	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	North ...	9 10 12	3 0 24	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 239, as per plan. West—By a road under culvert.
59	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Sunundra.	240	South ...	9 0 8	2 3 37	.....	.....	Commences on 1,895 feet of mile 240 and terminates on 3,810 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By road under culvert. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 61.
60	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	North ...	9 7 4	3 0 15	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By road under culvert. West—By a nullah.
61	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	South ...	7 13 4	2 2 5	.....	.....	Commences on 3,810 feet of mile 240 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 59. West—By end of mile 240, as per plan.
62	ditto ...	ditto ...	240	North ...	7 8 12	2 1 34	Road common to lots Nos. 57, 58, 59, and 60.	0 0 10	Commences on 3,830 feet of mile 240 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a nullah. West—By end of mile 240, as per plan.
63	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Sunundra and Bishoonpore.	241	South ...	13 14 0	4 2 5	Occupied by road ...	0 0 13	Commences at the end of mile 240, as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 241.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 240, as per plan. West—By road overbridge.
64	ditto ...	ditto ...	241	North ...	13 0 0	4 1 8	ditto ...	0 0 13	ditto ...	North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 240, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.

65	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bishoopore.	241	South ...	14 10 0	4 3 7	.....	.....	.....	Commences on 3,075 feet of mile 241, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By overbridge road. West—By end of mile 241, as per plan.
66	ditto ...	ditto ...	241	North ...	14 10 0	4 3 7	Road common to lots Nos. 63, 64, 65, and 66.	0 0 26	ditto ...		North—Partly by trunk road, and partly by zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By overbridge road. West—By end of mile 241, as per plan.
67	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Ramzaneepore.	242	South ...	5 15 12	1 3 37	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 241, as per plan, and terminates on 1,600 feet of mile 242.		North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 241, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
68	ditto ...	ditto ...	242	North ...	6 0 4	1 3 38	.....	.....	ditto		North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 241, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
69	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Rampore.	242	South ...	9 4 4	3 0 7	.....	.....	Commences on 1,025 feet of mile 242, as per plan, and terminates on 2,775 feet of same.		North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By overbridge road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 71.
70	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Ramzaneepore and Rampore.	242	North ...	9 6 8	3 0 13	.....	.....	ditto		North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By overbridge road. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 72.
71	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bangoma.	242	South ...	13 16 4	4 2 11	.....	.....	Commences on 2,775 feet of mile 242, and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.		North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 69. West—By end of mile 242, as per plan.
72	ditto ...	ditto ...	242	North ...	13 17 12	4 2 15	Road common to lots Nos. 67, 68, 69, and 70.	0 0 16	ditto		North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 70. West—By end of mile 242, as per plan.
73	ditto ...	ditto ...	243	South ...	16 5 12	4 1 22	Occupied by road ...	0 0 4	Commences at the end of mile 242, as per plan, and terminates on 3,960 feet of mile 243.		North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 242, as per plan. West—By a nullah.
74	ditto ...	ditto ...	243	North ...	16 5 4	5 1 21	ditto ...	0 0 4	ditto		North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 242, as per plan. West—By a nullah.
75	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Kalkeegunge.	243	South ...	14 2 0	4 2 26	.....	.....	Commences on 3,970 feet of mile 243 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.		North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By village road. West—By end of mile 243, as per plan.
76	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bangoma.	243	North ...	14 3 0	4 2 29	Road common to lots Nos. 73, 74, 75 and 76. Nullah between lots Nos. 73 and 75. Nullah between lots Nos. 74 and 76.	0 1 13 0 0 29 0 0 26	ditto		North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By village road. West—By end of mile 243, as per plan.
77	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Kalkeegunge.	244	South ...	15 15 8	5 0 35	.....		Commences at the end of mile 243, as per plan, and terminates on 1,880 feet of mile 244.		North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 243, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 79.
78	ditto ...	ditto ...	244	North ...	16 3 12	5 1 16	.....	.....	ditto		North—By trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 243, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 80.

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79	Bhangulpore ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Kalkeegunge.	244	South ...	10 3 12	3 1 19	.....	.....	Commences on 1,880 feet of mile 244 and terminates on 3,500 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of Lot No. 77. West—By a village road under culvert.
80	ditto ...	ditto ...	244	North ...	10 11 4	3 1 39	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 79. West—By a road under culvert.
81	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Janmuhumudpore.	244	South ...	6 18 10	2 1 7	Occupied by road ...	0 1 29	Commences on 2,836 feet of mile 244 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By road under culvert. West—By end of mile 244, as per plan.
82	ditto ...	ditto ...	244	North ...	7 19 8	2 3 22	Road common to lots 79, 80, 81 and 82.	0 0 21	ditto ...	North—By Trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By road under culvert. West—By end of mile 244, as per plan.
83	ditto ...	ditto ...	245	South ...	9 8 0	3 0 17	Occupied by road ...	0 0 16	Commences at the end of mile 244, as per plan, and terminates on 1,185 feet of mile 245.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 244, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 80.
84	ditto ...	ditto ...	245	North ...	9 13 12	3 0 33	ditto ...	0 0 16	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 244, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 83.
85	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Mukhsoodpore.	245	South ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	Commences on 1,885 feet of mile 245 and terminates on 2,935 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 83. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 87.
86	ditto ...	ditto ...	246	North ...	10 5 0	3 1 22	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Trunk road. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 84. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 88.
87	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzahs Mukhsoodpore and Colgong.	245	South ...	14 8 0	4 3 2	.....	.....	Commences on 2,335 feet of mile 245 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 85. West—By end of mile 245, as per plan.
88	ditto ...	ditto ...	245	North ...	16 0 0	4 3 34	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 86. West—By end of mile 245, as per plan.
89	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Colgong.	246	South ...	12 12 8	3 3 15	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 245, as per plan, and terminates on 2,875 feet of mile 246.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 245, as per plan. West—By overbridge road adjoining Colgong station land.
90	ditto ...	ditto ...	246	North ...	11 11 12	3 3 13	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—Partly by Trunk road, and partly by zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 245, as per plan. West—By overbridge road adjoining Colgong station land.

91	ditto ...	ditto ...	247	South ...	11 13 10	3 3 18	.....	.....	Commences on 280 feet of mile 247 and terminates on 2,570 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By pucka wall and wire fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By road under bridge. West—By Coah Nullah.
92	ditto ...	ditto ...	247	North ...	12 10 0	4 0 21	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By Trunk road and zemindaree land. South—By pucka wall and wire fencing. East—By road under bridge. West—By Coah Nullah.
93	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Myshamoond.	247	South ...	13 8 4	4 1 30	.....	.....	Commences on 2,700 feet of mile 247 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Coah Nullah. West—By end of mile 247, as per plan.
94	ditto ...	ditto ...	247	North ...	13 8 4	4 1 30	Encroached upon by nullah common to lots 91, 92, 93 & 94.	0 0 21	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Coah Nullah. West—By end of mile 247, as per plan.
95	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	South ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 247, as per plan, and terminates on 1,790 feet of mile 248.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 247, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 97.
96	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	North ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 247, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 98.
97	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Bhalsur.	248	South ...	11 2 10	3 2 29	.....	.....	Commences on 1,790 feet of mile 248 and terminates on 4,100 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 95. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 99.
98	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	North ...	11 2 10	3 2 29	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 96. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 100.
99	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	South ...	5 18 0	1 3 32	.....	.....	Commences on 4,100 feet of mile 248 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 97. West—By end of mile 248, as per plan.
100	ditto ...	ditto ...	248	North ...	6 1 0	2 0 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 98. West—By end of mile 248, as per plan.
101	ditto ...	ditto ...	249	South ...	12 2 12	4 0 2	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 248, as per plan, and terminates on 2,875 feet of mile 249.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 248, as per plan. West—By a village road.
102	ditto ...	Pergunnah Colgong, Mouzah Colgong.	249	North ...	12 7 12	4 0 15	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 248, as per plan, and terminates on 2,670 feet of mile 249.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 248, as per plan. West—By a village road.
103	ditto ...	ditto ...	249	South ...	10 17 10	3 2 16	Occupied by road ... Occupied by nullah...	0 0 4 0 1 0	Commences on 2,685 feet of mile 249 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By village road. West—By end of mile 249, as per plan.
104	ditto ...	ditto ...	249	North ...	10 3 3	3 1 18	.....	.....	Commences on the outer boundary of the B land of lot No. 105, and runs at right angle to the railway line up to the banks of the Ganges.	North—By the Ganges. South—By northern boundary of lot No. 105. East—By road. West—By zemindaree land.
105	ditto ...	ditto ...	249	North ...	14 4 0	4 2 31	Occupied by road ... Occupied by nullah...	0 0 5 2 0 0	Commences on 2,720 feet of mile 249 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By road. West—By end of mile 249, as per plan.

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106	Bhangulpore ...	Pergunnah Bhangulpore, Mouzah Bhangulpore.	250	South ...	11 10 0	3 3 8	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 249, as per plan, and terminates on 1,650 feet of mile 250.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 249, as per plan. West—By old bed of Geroon nullah.
107	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	North ...	10 0 0	3 1 9	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 249, as per plan. West—By old bed of Geroon nullah.
108	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhangulpore, Mouzah Sunkurpoor Codowar.	250	South ...	19 0 0	6 1 6	.....	.....	Commences on 1,875 feet of mile 250 and terminates on 4,425 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By old bed of Geroon nullah. West—By Geroon Nullah diversion.
109	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	North ...	13 10 3	4 1 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By southern boundary of lot No. 110. South—By railway fencing. East—By old bed of Geroon nullah. West—By Geroon Nullah diversion.
110	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	North ...	108 18 0	36 0 0	.....	.....	Commences from the old bed of Geroon nullah and terminates at a point opposite to the western extremity of Geroon Bridge. The land of this lot is situate on both sides of the Geroon diversion.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By northern boundary of lots Nos. 109 and 112. East—By old bed of Geroon nullah. West—By zemindaree land and of lot No. 112.
111	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	South ...	7 16 8	2 2 14	.....	.....	Commences on 4,700 feet of mile 250 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Geroon nullah diversion. West—By end of mile 250, as per plan.
112	ditto ...	ditto ...	250	North ...	3 12 8	1 0 32	Occupied by nullah	21 3 0	Commences on 4,680 feet of mile 250 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land and land of lot No. 110. South—By railway fencing. East—By Geroon nullah diversion. West—By end of mile 250, as per plan
113	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhangulpore, Mouzah Bhangulpore.	251	South ...	12 0 0	3 3 35	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 250, as per plan, and terminates on 1,740 feet of mile 251.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 250, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 118.
114	ditto ...	ditto ...	251	North ...	13 8 0	4 1 29	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 250, as per plan, and terminates on 1,740 feet of mile 251.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 250, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 116.
115	ditto ...	ditto ...	251	South ...	11 5 5	3 2 36	.....	.....	Commences on 1,740 feet of mile 251 and terminates on 3,700 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 113. West—By a village road.
116	ditto ...	ditto ...	251	North ...	11 4 0	3 2 33	.....	.....	Commences on 1,740 feet of mile 251 and terminates on 3,640 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 114. West—By a village road.
117	ditto ...	ditto ...	251	South ...	7 14 0	2 2 7	.....	.....	Commences on 3,735 feet of mile 251 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road. West—By end of mile 251, as per plan.

118	ditto ...	ditto ...	[illegible]	North ...	8 10 0	2 [illegible] 10	Road common to lots 116, 116, 117, and 118.	0 0 22	Commences at [illegible]2,675 feet of mile 251 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a village road. West—By end of mile 251, as per plan.
119	ditto ...	ditto ...	252	South ...	12 8 0	4 0 16	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 251, as per plan, and terminates on 2,800 feet of mile 252.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 251, as per plan. West—By railway level crossing east of Gheogah station.
120	ditto ...	ditto ...	252	North ...	12 8 0	4 0 16	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 251, as per plan. West—By railway level crossing east of Gheogah station.
121	ditto ...	ditto ...	252	South ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	.....	.....	Commences on 5,150 feet on mile 252 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Gheogah station land. West—By end of mile 252, as per plan.
122	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhangulpore, Mouzah Sunkarpoor Codowar.	252	North ...	0 8 0	0 0 21	.....	.....	Commences on 5,100 feet of mile 252 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Gheogah station land. West—By end of mile 252, as per plan.
123	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	South ...	4 18 6	1 2 20	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 252, as per plan, and terminates on 1,235 feet of mile 253.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 252 as per plan. West—By a village road under culvert.
124	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	North ...	4 18 6	1 2 20	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 252, as per plan. West—By a village road under culvert.
125	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	South ...	7 12 14	2 2 4	.....	.....	Commences on 1,270 feet of mile 253 and terminates on 3,050 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a village road common to lots Nos. 123 and 125. West—By railway level crossing.
126	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	North ...	7 7 0	2 1 29	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By a village road common to lots Nos. 124 and 126. West—By railway level crossing.
127	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	South ...	7 8 0	2 1 32	.....	.....	Commences on 3,090 feet of mile 253 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By railway level crossing. West—By end of mile 253, as per plan.
128	ditto ...	ditto ...	253	North ...	4 14 0	1 2 9	Road common to lots Nos. 123, 124, 125 and 126. Road common to lots Nos. 125, 126, 127 and 128.	0 0 19 0 0 10	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By railway level crossing. West—By end of mile 253, as per plan.
129	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhangulpore, Mouzahs Sunkarpoor Codowar and Sekandarpoor Codowar.	254	South ...	5 17 0	1 3 30	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 253, as per plan, and terminates on 2,600 feet of mile 254.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 253, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 131.
130	ditto ...	ditto ...	254	North ...	5 12 6	1 3 17	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 253, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 131.
131	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhangulpore, Mouzah Sekandarpoor Codowar.	254	South ...	8 12 11	2 3 17	.....	.....	Commences on 2,000 feet of mile 254 and terminates on 3,900 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 130. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 132.

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132	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Sekandarpoor Codowar.	254	North ...	8 12 10	2 3 17	.....	.....	Commences on 2,000 feet of mile 254 and terminates on 3,900 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 130. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 131.
133	ditto ...	ditto ...	254	South ...	9 17 0	3 1 1	.....	.....	Commences on 3,900 feet of mile 254 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 131. West—By end of mile 252, as per plan.
134	ditto ...	ditto ...	254	North ...	9 10 0	3 0 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 132. West—By end of mile 254, as per plan.
135	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Sekandarpoor.	255	South ...	11 8 8	3 3 4	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 254, as per plan, and terminates on 1,220 feet of mile 255.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 254, as per plan. West—By Ghoga nullah diversion.
136	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	North ...	15 10 0	5 0 20	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 254, as per plan. West—By Ghoga nullah diversion.
137	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	South ...	10 10 0	3 1 36	.....	.....	Commences on 1,970 feet of mile 255 and terminates on 3,170 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Ghoga nullah diversion. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 139.
138	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	North ...	10 5 0	3 2 9	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Ghoga nulla diversion. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 140.
139	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	South ...	9 6 6	3 0 13	.....	.....	Commences on 3,170 feet of mile 255 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 137. West—By end of mile 255, as per plan.
140	ditto ...	ditto ...	255	North ...	9 6 6	3 0 13	Occupied by nullah common to lots Nos. 135, 136, 137, and 138.	2 1 30	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 138. West—By end of mile 255, as per plan.
141	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Sekandarpore and Lylok.	256	South ...	10 10 3	3 1 36	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 255, as per plan, and terminates on 2,025 feet of mile 256.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 255, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 143.
142	ditto ...	ditto ...	256	North ...	9 10 5	3 0 23	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 255, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 144.
143	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Lylok.	256	South ...	14 5 0	4 2 34	.....	.....	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 256 and terminates on 4,525 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 141. West—By Ghoga nullah.
144	ditto ...	ditto ...	256	North ...	13 4 0	4 1 18	.....	.....	Commences on 2,025 feet of mile 256 and terminates on 4,400 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 142. West—By Ghoga nullah.

145	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Mossaroo.	256	South ...	3 0 8	1 0 0	.....		Commences on 4,760 feet of mile 256 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By Ghoga nullah. West—By end of mile 256, as per plan.
146	ditto ...	ditto ...	256	North ...	3 10 8	1 0 27	Encroached upon by nullah common to lots 143, 144, 145, and 146.	0 3 0	Commences on 4,680 feet of mile 256 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By Ghoga nullah. West—By end of mile 256, as per plan.
147	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Mossaroo and Furka.	257	South ...	9 10 3	3 0 23	.....	.....	Commences on 930 feet of mile 257 and terminates on 2,930 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By B land retained for the diversion line. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 149.
148	ditto ...	ditto ...	257	North ...	16 10 0	6 1 33	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 256, as per plan, and terminates on 2,930 feet of mile 257.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 256, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 150.
149	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Furka.	257	South ...	12 15 0	4 0 34	.....	.....	Commences on 2,930 feet of mile 257 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 147. West—By end of mile 257, as per plan.
150	ditto ...	ditto ...	257	North ...	12 0 0	3 3 35	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 148. West—By end of mile 257, as per plan.
151	ditto ...	ditto ...	258	South ...	11 15 0	3 3 22	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 257, as per plan, and terminates on 2,500 feet of mile 258.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 257, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 153.
152	ditto ...	ditto ...	258	North ...	11 15 0	3 3 22	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 257, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 154.
153	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Furka and Gousspore.	258	South ...	8 16 0	2 3 26	.....	.....	Commences on 2,500 feet of mile 258 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 151. West—By end of mile 258, as per plan.
154	ditto ...	ditto ...	258	North ...	8 10 0	2 3 10	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 152. West—By end of mile 258, as per plan.
155	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Gousspore.	259	South ...	0 18 12	0 1 10	Occupied by road ...	0 0 4	Commences at the end of mile 258 and terminates on 325 feet of mile 259, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 258, as per plan. West—By B land occupied by temporary diversion line.
156	ditto ...	ditto ...	259	North ...	0 17 0	0 1 5	ditto ...	0 0 4	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 258, as per plan. West—By river Ganges.
157	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Shaboor.	259	South ...	7 3 0	2 1 19	.....	.....	Commences on 2,930 feet of mile 259 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By B land occupied by temporary diversion line. West—By end of mile 259, as per plan.
158	ditto ...	ditto ...	259	North ...	7 10 0	2 1 38	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By river Ganges. West—By end of mile 259, as per plan.

Consecutive Lot Number	Name of Zillah.	Pergunnah and Mouzah.	Number of mile in which the land is situate.	Situated on which side of the Railway.	Approximate area in bigah and acre. B. Ch. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundaries of lot.
159	Bhaugulpore ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Shaboor.	260	South ...	18 0 0	5 3 32	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 259, as per plan, and terminates on 3,050 feet of mile 260.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 259, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 161.
160	ditto ...	ditto ...	260	North ...	18 0 0	5 3 32	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 259, as per plan. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 162.
161	ditto ...	ditto ...	260	South ...	6 15 4	2 0 38	Occupied by road ...	0 0 16	Commences on 3,050 feet of mile 260 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 160. West—By end of mile 260, as per plan.
162	ditto ...	ditto ...	260	North ...	4 7 2	1 1 31	.....	.....	Commences on 3,050 feet of mile 260 and terminates on 4,320 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By western boundary of lot No. 160. West—By public road.
163	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Shaboor, Mullohechuck, and Monshorpore.	261	South ...	5 19 0	1 3 35	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 260, as per plan, and terminates on 2,435 feet of mile 261.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 260, as per plan. West—By railway fencing of land retained for the diversion line.
164	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Jheerkheera.	261	South ...	8 12 0	2 3 15	.....	.....	Commences on 3,430 feet of mile 261 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By land retained for the diversion line. West—By end of mile 261, as per plan.
165	ditto ...	ditto ...	261	North ...	5 12 0	1 3 16	Occupied by road ...	1 3 10	Commences on 3,855 feet of mile 261 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By public thoroughfare. East—By zemindaree land. West—By end of mile 261, as per plan.
166	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Jheerkheera and Gopalpore.	262	South ...	14 6 0	4 2 37	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 261, as per plan, and terminates on 3,490 feet of mile 262.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 261, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
167	ditto ...	ditto ...	262	North ...	13 7 8	4 1 28	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By pathway adjoining railway fencing. East—By end of mile 261, as per plan. West—By overbridge road.
168	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Gopalpore and Assanundpore.	262	South ...	5 6 0	1 3 0	.....	.....	Commences on 3,550 feet of mile 262 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By overbridge road. West—By end of mile 262, as per plan.
169	ditto ...	ditto ...	262	North ...	5 6 0	1 3 0	Occupied by road ...	0 1 20	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By overbridge road. West—By end of mile 262, as per plan.
170	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Jogothpoor.	263	South ...	8 6 3	2 3 0	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 262, as per plan, and terminates on 1,900 feet of mile 263.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 262, as per plan. West—By a foot path under railway bridge.

171	ditto ...	ditto ...	262	North ...	8 6 8	2 3 0	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 262, as per plan. West—By a foot-path under railway bridge.
172	ditto ...	ditto ...	263	South ...	5 7 10	1 3 5	.....	.....	Commences on 1,910 feet of mile 263 and terminates on 2,960 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By a foot-path common to lots Nos. 170 and 173. West—By eastern boundary of lot No. 174.
173	ditto ...	ditto ...	263	North ...	5 7 10	1 3 5	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By foot-path common to lots Nos. 171 and 173. West—By zemindaree land.
174	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Brulepooran.	263	South ...	3 5 8	3 3 38	.....	.....	Commences on 2,960 feet of mile 263 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By western boundary of lot No. 172. West—By end of mile 263, as per plan.
175	ditto ...	ditto ...	263	North ...	3 19 0	1 1 9	.....	.....	Commences on 3,970 feet of mile 263 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By zemindaree land. West—By end of mile 263, as per plan.
176	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Essakchuck.	264	South ...	6 6 0	2 0 13	.....	.....	Commences at the end of mile 263, as per plan, and terminates on 1,815 feet of mile 264.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By end of mile 263, as per plan. West—By railway level crossing.
177	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Essakchuck and Bheekunpore.	264	North ...	6 6 0	2 0 13	.....	.....	ditto ...	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By end of mile 263, as per plan. West—By railway level crossing.
178	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Essakhchuck.	264	South ...	10 10 8	3 1 37	.....	.....	Commences on 1,830 feet of mile 264 and terminates on 4,050 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By railway fencing. South—By zemindaree land. East—By railway level crossing. West—By public thoroughfare.
179	ditto ...	ditto ...	264	North ...	10 4 8	3 1 21	.....	.....	Commences on 1,830 feet of mile 264 and terminates on 4,030 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By railway fencing. East—By railway level crossing. West—By public thoroughfare.
180	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzah Mozahitpore.	264	South ...	1 0 8	0 1 14	.....	.....	Commences on 4,680 feet of mile 264 and terminates on 5,080 feet of same, as per plan.	North—By pucka wall of class A land. South—By zemindaree land. East—By ditto ditto. West—By relinquished class C lands.
181	ditto ...	Pergunnah Bhaugulpore, Mouzahs Moondeechuck and Mozahitpore.	264	North ...	8 3 0	2 2 31	Occupied by road ..	0 3 26	Commences on 4,060 feet of mile 264 and terminates at the end of same, as per plan.	North—By zemindaree land. South—By public road adjoining railway fencing. East—By road common to lots Nos. 180 and 182. West—By end of mile 264, as per plan.

CYNTHEIA; RAILWAY DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 2nd December 1873.

W. HEYSHAM, *Offg. Railway Deputy Collector.*

اشتہار نامہ کچہری ریلوے ڈیپوٹی کلکٹری اجلاس مسٹر ولیم ہیشم صاحب ریلوے ڈیپوٹی کلکٹر مقام بھاگلپور

اس تحریر کی روسے سبھونکو واقف کیا جاتا ہی کہ ضلع بھاگلپور مین سرکار بہادر کا خریدہ ے کلاس زمین یعنی جو زمین ریلوے کمپنی کو رستہ تیار کرنیکے وقت دیا گیا تھا وہی سب زمین ریلوے کمپنی کا اور اوسکو سبھونکا سبب سرکار بہادر واپس لیکے اسجانب کو بیچنیکا اختیار دیا ہی اسواسطے بموجب اوس اختیار کے تفصیل کی لکھی ہوئی لاٹہای کی زمین بتاریخ ۲ فبروری ۱۸۷۴ع مطابق سنہ ۱۲۸۰ بنگلہ ۲۱ ماہ ماگھہ پیر کے دن بارہ بجے کے وقت مقام بھاگلپور کا کلکٹر صاحب کی کچہری مین نیلام پر چڑھائے جائینگے اون زمینوں کی خریدارونکو نیچے کی لکھی ہوئی شرطونکے پابند ہونا پڑیگا فقط ۔

پہلی شرط — — اگر تعداد زر ثمن ایک سو روپیہ سے زیادہ نہو تو کل روپیہ یکبارگی ادا کئے جائینگے فقط ۔

دوسری شرط — — اگر تعداد زر ثمن ایک سو روپیہ سے زیادہ ہو تو جسقدر روپیہ مین نیلام ہو اوسکا ایک چوتھہ فی الفور داخل کرنا ہوگا اور اگر باقی روپیہ نیلام کے بعد نیلام کی تاریخ سے کہ وہ تاریخ بھی ایک روز شمار کیا جائیگا پندرھوین دن کے دو پہر تک ادا نکئے جائین یا اگر وہ روز تعطیل کا ہو جسمین دفتر بند رہے تو اوسکے بعد ہی جس روز پہلے دفتر کھلے اوسکے دوپہر تک ادا نکیا جاے تو نیلام باطل ہوجائیگا اور جسقدر روپیہ داخل ہوچکے ہوں وہ سرکار مین ضبط ہوجائینگے اور وہ جایداد پھر مثل پہلے نیلام کے اشتہار جاری ہونیکے بعدے نیلام پر چڑھائی جائینگی اور اوسکا جو کچھہ خریدار باقیدار کو اوٹھانا پڑیگا فقط ۔

تیسری شرط — — یہہ سب زمین سب سے زیادہ قیمت کی بولی بولنے والے کے ہاتھہ بطور لاخراج کے نیلام کئے جائینگے فقط ۔

چوتھی شرط — — صاحب کلکٹر کے احکام متضمن بحالی نیلام کے پہنچنے پر خریدارون کو دخل دلایا جائیگا مگر جس صورت مین کہ وہ صاحب ممبر بورڈ آف ریونیو جو اس کام کے متعہد ہوں ان کارروائیون کی نسبت منظوری ناطق نہ بخشین تو اوس دخیلکاری مین قصور آئیگا فقط ۔

| لاٹ کا سلسلہ وار نمبر | نام ضلع | نام پرگنہ اور موضع | لاٹ مینکی تعداد جنکے اندر زمین واقع ہی | ریلوے کے کس طرف واقع ہی | تخمینی مواری لاٹ بحساب بیگہ اور ایکر | | |

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نمبر لات کا سلسلہ وار صحیح	نام ضلع	نام پرگنہ اور موضع	لات کی تعداد جنکے اندر زمین واقع ہی	واقع ہی	تخمینی موازی لات بمقابلہ بیگہ اور ایکر								رہ زمین جو ہر لات مین نیلام سے مستثنی کی گئی ہی				لات کی شروع اور انتہا	لات کی چہدی
				کس طرف	بیگہ	کٹھہ	چھٹانک	ایکر	رود	پول	خارج ہونے کی وجوہ	ایکر	رود	پول				
۹	چھاٹگیر	ایضا	۲۳۱	دکھن	۶	۱۶	۰۰	۲	۱	..							۲۳۰ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۳۱ میل کے ۱۵۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۳۰ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم ۱۱ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ
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۱۱	ایضا	پرگنہ ایضا موضع امباڈی	۲۳۱	دکھن	۴	۱۳	۷	۱	۲	۷	رستہ	..	..	۵			۲۳۱ میل کے ۱۵۰۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۴۶۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کے گھراو دکھن زمینداری زمین پورب ۹ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۱۳ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ
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۱۳	ایضا	پرگنہ کرملگانو موضع پرمنہ	۲۳۱	دکھن	۱۰	۶	۱۵	۳	۱	۲۸	.. .. ..	..	..	..			۲۳۱ میل کے ۳۴۶۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۱۱ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۳۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۱۴	ایضا	ایضا	۱۳۱	اوتر	۱۰	۶	۱۵	۳	۱	۲۸	.. .. ..	..	..	..			.. ایضا ..	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۱۲ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۳۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی

۱۵	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۲	دکھن	۹	..	۱۳	..	..	۲	۳	۳۸	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۱ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۳۲ میل کے ۲۷۸۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۳۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم ۱۷ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ
۱۶	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۲	اوتر	۱۰	..	..	..	..	۳	۱	۹	..	..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۳۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم ۱۸ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ
۱۷	ایضا	پرگنہ موضع ملسو راہی	۲۳۲	دکھن	۷	..	..	..	..	۲	۱	۱۰	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۲ میل کے ۲۷۸۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی .	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۱۵ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۳۲ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۱۸	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۲	اوتر	۸	۴	..	۲	۲	۲	۲	۳۴	..	..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۱۸ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۳۲ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۱۹	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۳	دکھن	۵	..	..	..	..	۱	۲	۲۵	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۲ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۳۳ میل کے ۱۲۶۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۳۲ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم گانو کا رستہ
۲۰	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۲	اوتر	۵	..	..	..	..	۱	۲	۲۵	..	..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۳۲ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ
۲۱	ایضا	پرگنہ موضع ہیرساری	۲۳۳	دکھن	۶	۱۵	۵	..	۲	..	..	۳۸	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۳ میل کے ۱۲۸۵ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۵۴۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۳ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ

لاٹ کا نمبر	ضلع	نام پرگنہ اور موضع	لاٹ کی مساحت بیگھہ اور ایکڑ	ریلوے کے کس طرف واقع ہے	تخمینی موازی لاٹ بحساب بیگھہ اور ایکڑ					وہ زمین جو مراعات میں زیادہ سے مستثنیٰ کی گئی ہے				لاٹ کی شروع اور انتہا	لاٹ کی چوحدی
					کٹھہ	بیگھہ	چھٹانک	ایکڑ	رود	بول	خارج ہونے کی وجہ	ایکڑ	رود	بول	
۲۲	۲۴ پرگنہ	پرگنہ کہلگانو موضع شیرماری	۲۳۳	اوتر	۶	۱۵	۵	۲	..	۳۸	..	..	..	..	۲۳۳ میل کے ۲۸۹ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۵۴۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب رستہ گانو کا پچھم ۲۴ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ
۲۳	ایضا	پرگنہ ایضا موضع سذرپور	۲۳۳	دکھن	۴	۶	۸	۱	۱	۲۹	..	..	..	.	۲۳۳ میل کے ۳۵۴۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۱ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۳۳ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۲۴	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۳	اوتر	۴	..	۹	۱	۱	۱۳	..	..	..	..	۲۳۳ میل کے ۳۵۴۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۴۹۹۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۲ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ پچھم پیرپتی اسٹیشن کا زمین
۲۵	ایضا	پرگنہ ایضا موضع مہیش رام پور	۲۳۴	دکھن	۱۴	۱۵	۵	۴	۳	۲۱	رستہ ۸	..	..	۸	۲۳۴ میل کے ۱۰۷۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۴۰۲۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب پیرپتی اسٹیشن کی زمین پچھم ریلوے لوالکرانشن
۲۶	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۴	اوتر	۱۶	..	..	۵	۱	۶	رستہ	..	..	۸	۲۳۴ میل کے ۹۰۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۴۰۲۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب پیرپتی اسٹیشن کا زمین پچھم ریلوے لوالکرانشن
۲۷	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۴	دکھن	۳	..	۸	..	۱	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۴ میل کے ۴۰۴۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ریلوے لوالکرانشن پچھم ۲۳۴ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی

۲۸	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۵	اوتر	۳	۲	..	۱	..	۴	رستہ	..	..	..	۵	..	ایضا	..	..	اوتر زمینداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ریلوے لوالکرانشن پچھم ۳۳۴ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۲۹	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۴	دکھن	۱۱	۱۲	۱۰	۳	۳	۲۱	رستہ	..	..	..	۷	۲۳۴ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۳۵ میل کے ۲۹۸۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی				اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیندارى زمین پورب ۲۳۴ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ
۳۰	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۵	اوتر	۱۱	۱۴	۱۰	۳	۳	۱۲	رستہ	..	..	..	۷	..	ایضا	..	..	اوتر زمیندارى زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۳۴ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ
۳۱	ایضا	پرگنہ ایضا موضع بسنت پور	۲۳۵	دکھن	۱۹	۱۱	۱۰	۶	۱	۳۶	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۵ میل کے ۳۰۰۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی				اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیندارى زمین پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۳۵ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۳۲	ایضا	پرگنہ ایضا موضع ایضا	۲۳۵	اوتر	۱۹	۱۱	۱۰	۶	۱	۳۶	..	..	..	..	..	..	ایضا	..	..	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۳۵ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۳۳	ایضا	یضا	۲۳۶	دکھن	۱۰	۶	۴	۳	۱	۲۶	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۵ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۳۶ میل کے ۸۹۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی				اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۳۵ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم نالا
۳۴	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۶	اوتر	۱۰	۸	۴	۳	۱	۳۱	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۵ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۳۶ میل کے ۹۵۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی				اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۳۵ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم نالا

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۴۱	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۷	دکھن	۸	..	..	..	۲	۲	۲۳	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	۳۳۷ میل کے ۲۰۵۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۴۷۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھرار دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب رستہ اونچا پل کا پچھم ۴۳ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ
۴۲	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۷	اوتر	۸	..	..	..	۲	۲	۲۳	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراد پورب رستہ اونچا پل کا پچھم ۴۴ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ
۴۳	ایضا	پرگنہ ایضا موضع مکرزد پور	۲۳۷	دکھن	۸	۱۵	..	..	۲	۳	۲۳	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۷ میل کے ۳۴۷۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۴۱ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۳۷ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۴۴	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۷	اوتر	۸	۱۴	..	..	۲	۳	۲۱	۳۹ ۴۰ ۴۱ ۴۲ نمبر لاٹ کا لگو رستہ	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	۱۶	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۴۲ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۳۷ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۴۵	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۸	دکھن	۱۱	۸	۶	..	۳	۳	۴	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۷ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۳۸ میل کے ۲۷۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراد دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۳۷ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم ۴۷ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ
۴۶	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۸	اوتر	۱۱	۱۲	..	..	۳	۳	۱۴	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۳۷ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم ۴۸ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ
۴۷	ایضا	پرگنہ ایضا موضع رودھر	۲۳۸	دکھن	۱۲	..	۴	..	۳	۳	۳۵	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۸ میل کے ۲۷۰۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۹۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۴۵ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۴۹ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ

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					بیگھہ	کٹھہ	چھٹانک	ایکر	رود	پول	خارج ہونے کی وجوہ		ایکر	رود	پول	
۴۸	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۸	اوتر	۱۲	..	..	۳	۳	۳۵	..	..	..	..	۲۳۸میل کے ۲۷۰۰ فیت سے ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۹۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۴۶ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۵۰ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ
۴۹	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۸	دکھن	۱۲	۱۴	..	۴	۳	۱۸	..	..	..	..	۲۳۸ میل کے ۳۹۰۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۴۷ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۳۸ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۵۰	ایضا	پرگنہ کہاگانو موضع روہر رمتہور اوور	۲۳۸	اوتر	۱۴	۱۷	..	۴	۳	۲۶	..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب ۴۸ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۳۸ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۵۱	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۹	دکھن	۱۵	۱۸	..	۵	۱	۱	..	..	..	..	۲۳۸ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۳۹ میل کے ۱۴۵۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۳۸ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ گانو کا
۵۲	ایضا	پرگنہ ایضا موضع ایضا	۲۳۹	اوتر	۱۶	..	..	۵	۱	۶	..	..	..	..	۲۳۸ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۳۹ میل کے ۱۵۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب ۲۳۸ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ گانوکا
۵۳	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۹	دکھن	۹	۱۲	..	۳	..	۲۸	..	..	..	..	۲۳۹ میل کے ۱۴۷۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۲۷۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوکا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب رستہ پچھم ۵۵ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ

۵۴	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۶	اوتر	۹	۱۲	..	..	۳	..	۲۸	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	ایضا	..	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب رستہ پچھم ۵۶ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب میوانہ
۵۵	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۹	دکھن	۹	..	..	..		۳	۳۶	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۹ میل کے ۳۲۷۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی		اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۵۳ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم میوانہ پچھم ۲۳۹ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۵۶	ایضا	ایضا	۲۳۹	اوتر	۹	..	..	..	۲	۳	۳۶	..	..	رستہ جوکہ ۵۱، ۵۲، ۵۳، ۵۴ نمبر لاٹ کا لگا ہی	..	..	۲۷	..	..	ایضا	..	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب ۵۴ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم میوانہ پچھم ۲۳۹ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۵۷	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۰	دکھن	۹	۹	۸	..	۳	..	۱۲	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	۲۳۹ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۴۰ میل کے ۸۶۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی		اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۳۹ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ
۵۸	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۰	اوتر	۹	۱۰	۱۲	..	۳	..	۲۴	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	ایضا	..	اوتر نیا رستہ دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب ۲۳۹ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ
۵۹	ایضا	سندرہ	۲۴۰	دکھن	۹	..	۸	..	۲	۳	۳۷	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	۲۴۰ میل کے ۱۸۸۵ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۸۱۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی		اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب رستہ پچھم ۶۱ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب میوانہ
۶۰	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۰	اوتر	۹	۷	۱۴	..	۳	..	۱۵	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	ایضا	..	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب رستہ پچھم نالا

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۶۸	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۲	اوتر	۶	..	۴	۲	۱	۳	۳۸	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۴۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم رستہ
۶۹	ایضا	موضع رامپور	۲۴۲	دکھن	۹	۴	۴	۵	۳	..	۷	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	اوتر رستہ دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۴۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم رستہ
۷۰	ایضا	موضع رامپور رمضانپور	۲۴۲	اوتر	۶	۶	۸	..	۳	..	۱۳	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	۲۴۲ میل کے ۱۰۲۵ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۲۷۷۵ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی .. .. ایضا .. ..
۷۱	ایضا	موضع مانگوما	۲۴۲	دکھن	۱۳	۱۶	۴	۴	۴	۲	۱۱	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۶۹ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۴۲ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی
۷۲	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۱	اوتر	۱۳	۱۷	۱۲	۴	۴	۲	۱۵	رستہ جو کہ ۶۸، ۶۷، ۶۹، ۷۰ نمبر لاٹ کا لگا ہی	..	..	۱۶	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا .. ..
۷۳	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۳	دکھن	۱۰	۵	۱۲	۵	۱	۱	۲۲	رستہ	..	..	۴	..	..	..	۲۴۱ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۴۲ میل کے ۱۰۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۴۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم رستہ

لات کا سلسلہ نمبر	ضلع	نام پرگنہ اور موضع	لات کی لمبائی زمین کی سطح پر	لات کی چوڑائی زمین کی سطح پر	لات کی کس طرف	تخمینی موازی لات بحساب بیگہ اور ایکڑ						زمین جو لات میں نیلام سے مستثنیٰ کی گئی ہے			لات کی شروع اور انتہا	لات کی چوحدی
						بیگہ	کٹھہ	کٹھوانس	ایکڑ	رود	فٹ	خارج ذوبے کی وجوہ	ایکڑ	رود	فٹ	
۷۴	[illegible]	موضع بانگوما	۲۴۳	اوتر		۱۶	۵	۴	۵	۱	۲۱	رستہ	..	..	۴	اوتر رستہ دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب ۲۴۲ میل کا اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہے پچھم نالا
۷۵	ایضاً	موضع کلکی گنج	۲۴۳	دکھن		۱۴	۲	..	۲	۲	۲۶	.. ..	..	..	..	اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمینداری زمین پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۴۳ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشا میں ہے
۷۶	ایضاً	موضع بانگوما	۲۴۳	اوتر		۱۴	۳	..	۳	۲	۲۹	رستہ جو کہ ۷۳، ۷۵ نمبر لات کا بیچ میں ہے نالا جو کہ ۷۵، ۷۶ نمبر لات کا لگا ہے نالا جو کہ ۷۳، ۷۵ نمبر لات کا لگا ہے	..	۱	۱۳	.. .. ایضاً	اوتر رستہ دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۴۳ میل کے اخیر تک جیسا نقشہ میں ہے
۷۷	ایضاً	موضع کلکی گنج	۲۴۴	دکھن		۱۵	۱۵	۸	۳۵	..	۳۵	.. ..	..	..	..	۲۴۳ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہے اور ۲۴۴ میل کے ۱۸۸۰ فیٹ تک ختم ہوتا ہے جیسا نقشہ میں ہے اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمینداری زمین پورب ۲۴۳ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہے پچھم ۷۹ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ
۷۸	ایضاً	ایضاً	۲۴۴	اوتر		۱۶	۳	۱۲	۳	۱	۱۶	.. ..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضاً .. .. ..
۷۹	ایضاً	ایضاً	۲۴۴	دکھن		۱۰	۳	۱۲	۳	۱	۱۹	.. ..	..	..	..	اوتر رستہ دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب ۲۴۲ میل کا اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہے پچھم نالا اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمینداری زمین پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۴۳ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشا میں ہے اوتر رستہ دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۴۳ میل کے اخیر تک جیسا نقشہ میں ہے اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمینداری زمین پورب ۲۴۳ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہے پچھم ۷۹ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب ۲۴۳ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہے پچھم ۸۰ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ اوتر ریلوی کا گھراو دکھن زمینداری زمین پورب ۷۷ نمبر لات کا پچھم پورب سیوانہ پچھم رستہ

۸۰	ایضا	[illegible]	۲۴۵	[illegible]	اوتر	۱۰	۱۱	۵	۳	۱	۳۹	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	اوتر رستہ دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۷۸ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم رستہ
۸۱	ایضا	جان محمد پور	۲۴۴	دکھن	۶	۱۸	۱۰	۲	۱	۷	رستہ	..	۱	۲۹	۲۴۴ میل کے ۳۵۳۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی				اوتر ریلوي کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۴۴ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۸۲	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۴	اوتر	۷	۱۹	۸	۲	۲	۲۲	رستہ جوکہ ۷۹، ۸۰، ۸۱، ۸۲ نمبر لاٹ کا لگا رہی	..	..	۱۲	..	..	ایضا	..	اوتر رستہ دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۴۴ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہي
۸۳	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۵	دکھن	۹	۸	.	۳	..	۱۷	رستہ	..	..	۱۶	۲۴۴ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہي اور ۲۴۵ میل کے ۱۴۸۵ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہي جیسا نقشہ مین ہي				اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداري زمین پورب ۲۴۴ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہي پچھم ۸۹ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ
۸۴	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۵	اوتر	۹	۱۳	۱۲	۳	..	۳۳	.. ایضا ..	..	..	۱۶	..	..	ایضا	..	اوتر زمیداي زمین دکھن ریلوي کا گھراو پورب ۲۴۴ میل کا اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہي پچھم ۸۶ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ
۸۵	ایضا	مقصود پور	۲۴۵	دکھن	۱۰	..	..	۳	۱	۹	..	..	..	..	۲۴۵ میل کے ۱۴۸۵ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہي اور اسیکے ۲۹۳۵ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہي جیسا نقشہ مین ہي				اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداري زمین پورب ۸۳ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۸۷ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ
۸۶	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۵	اوتر	۱۰	۵	..	۳	۱	۲۲	..	..	..	..	..	..	ایضا	..	اوتر رستہ دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۸۴ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۸۸ نمبر لاٹ کا پورب سیوانہ

نمبر لائن	ضلع	نام پرگنہ اور موضع	لائن کی لمبائی	سمت لائن کی طرف	تخمینی موازی لائن بحساب ڈیگریہ اور ایکڑ: ڈیگریہ	کٹھہ	چھٹانک	ایکڑ	رڈ	بیگھہ	زمین جو ہر لائن میں نیلام سے مستثنیٰ کی گئی ہی: خارج ہونے کی وجوہ	ایکڑ	رڈ	بیگھہ	لائن کی شروع اور انتہا	لائن کی چوحدی
۸۷	تھاکانیر	مقصود پور و کھل گانو	۲۴۵	دکھن	۱۴	۸	..	۴	۳	۲	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۴۵ میل کے ۲۹۳۵ نیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکر اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۸۵ نمبر لائن کا پچھم میوانہ پچھم ۲۴۵ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی
۸۸	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۵	اوتر	۱۵	..	..	۵	۳	۳۵	.. .. ..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوی کا گھراو پورب ۸۶ نمبر لائن کا پچھم میوانہ پچھم ۲۴۵ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی
۸۹	ایضا	کھلگانو	۲۴۶	دکھن	۱۱	۱۲	۸	۳	۳	۱۵	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۴۵ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۴۶ میل کے ۲۸۷۵ نیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۴۵ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم کھلگانو اسٹیشن کا لگاو جو اوپر پل کا رستہ
۹۰	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۶	اوتر	۱۱	۱۱	۱۲	۳	۳	۱۳	.. .. ..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین و رستہ دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۴۵ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم کھل گانو اسٹیشن کا لگا رستہ
۹۱	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۷	دکھن	۱۱	۱۳	۱۰	۳	۳	۱۸	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۴۷ میل کے ۲۸۰ نیت سے شروع ہوتاہی اور اسکیر ۲۵۷۰ نیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر پختہ دیوار اور تار کا گھرا ر دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب رستہ پل کی نیچے کا پچھم نالا کوا
۹۲	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۷	اوتر	۱۲	۱۰	..	۴	..	۰۱	.. .. ..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر بڑا رستہ و زمیداری زمین دکھن پختہ دیوار اور تار کا گھراو پورب رستہ پل کی نیچیکا پچھم نالا کوا

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نمبر سلسلہ لاٹ	نام ضلع	نام پرگنہ اور موضع	نمبر تعلقہ یا تپہ	رقبہ لاٹ کی کتنی طرف ہی	قیمتی موازی لاٹ بحساب بیگہ اور ادکر: بیگہ	کٹھہ	چھٹانک	ادکر	روڈ	پول	وہ زمین جو ہر لاٹ میں نیلام سے مستثنی کی گئی ہی: خارج ہوئے کی وجوہ	ادکر	روڈ	پول	لاٹ کی شروع اور انتہا	لاٹ کی چوحدی
۱۰۰	ضلع گورکھپور	پرگنہ کہلگانو موضع بہالمر	۲۴۸	اوتر	۶	۱	..	۲	..	..	..	..	..	..	۲۴۸ میل کے ۵۱۰۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۹۸ نمبر لاٹ کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۲۴۸ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی
۱۰۱	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۹	دکھن	۱۲	۲	۱۲	۴	..	۲	..	..	..	..	۲۴۸ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۴۹ میل کے ۲۶۷۵ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۴۸ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم رستہ گانو کا
۱۰۲	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۹	اوتر	۱۲	۷	۱۲	۴	..	۱۵	..	..	..	..	۲۴۸ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۴۹ میل کے ۲۶۷۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۴۸ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم رستہ گانو کا
۱۰۳	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۹	دکھن	۱۰	۱۷	۱۰	۳	۲	۱۶	رستہ نالا	..	۱	۴	۲۴۹ میل کے ۲۶۸۵ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب رستہ گانو کا پچھم ۲۴۹ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی
۱۰۴	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۹	اوتر	۱۰	۳	۳	۳	۱	۱۸	..	..	..	..	۱۰۵ نمبر لاٹ کا باہر سیوانہ سے شروع ہوتا ہی ریلوے کے لگار ہوکے گنگا تک ختم ہوتا ہی	اوتر دریا دکھن ۱۰۵ نمبر لاٹ کا اوتر سیوانہ پورب رستہ پچھم زمیداری زمین
۱۰۵	ایضا	ایضا	۲۴۹	اوتر	۱۴	۴	..	۴	۲	۳۱	رستہ نالا	..	۲	۵	۲۴۹ میل کے ۲۷۲۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۴۹ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی

نمبر سلسلہ وار نمبر	نام ضلع	نام پرگنہ اور موضع	نمبر لات	تعداد لات واقع ضلع	لات کی کل طرف	تخمینی موازی لات بحساب بیگہ اور ایکڑ: بیگہ	کٹھہ	دھٹانک	ایکڑ	رود	پول	زمین جو ہر لات میں نیلام سے مستثنی کی گئی ہی: خارج ہونے کی وجوہ	ایکڑ	رود	پول	لات کی شروع اور انتہا	لات کی چوحدی
۱۱۳	شرق بہار	سنکر پور کدوار	۲۵۱	۱	دکھن	۱۲	..	..	۳	۳	۳۵	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۵۰ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۵۱ میل کے ۱۷۴۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	وتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۵۰ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم ۲۱۵ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ
۱۱۴	ایضا	ایضا	۲۵۱	۱	اوتر	۱۳	۸	..	۴	۱	۲۹	.. .. ..	..	..	..	.. .. .. ایضا	وتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۲۵۰ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم ۱۱۶ میل کے پورب سیوانہ
۱۱۵	ایضا	ایضا	۲۵۱	۱	دکھن	۱۱	۵	۵	۳	۲	۳۶	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۵۱ میل کے ۱۷۴۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۷۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۱۱۳ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم رستہ
۱۱۶	ایضا	ایضا	۲۵۱	۱	اوتر	۱۱	۴	..	۳	۲	۳۳	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۵۱ میل کے ۱۷۴۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۶۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب ۱۱۴ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم رستہ گانو کا
۱۱۷	ایضا	ایضا	۲۵۱	۱	دکھن	۷	۱۴	..	۲	۲	۷	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۵۱ میل کے ۳۷۳۵ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب رستہ گانو کا پچھم ۲۵۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی
۱۱۸	ایضا	ایضا	۲۵۱	۱	اوتر	۸	۱۰	..	۲	۳	۱۰	رستہ جوکہ ۱۱۵، ۱۱۶، ۱۱۷، ۱۱۸ نمبر لات کا لگا ہی	..	..	۲۲	۲۵۱ میل کے ۳۶۷۵ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۵۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی

لات کا سلسلہ وار نمبر	ضلع	نام پرگنہ اور موضع	تحصیل	تعداد نمبر رقبہ	تخمینی سوائی لات بحساب بیگھہ اور ایکر								زمین جو ہر لات میں نیلام سے مستثنی کی گئی ہی			لات کی شروع اور انتہا	لات کی چوحدی
					کٹھہ	بیگھہ	جھٹانک	ایکر	رود	پول	خارج ہونے کی وجوہ	ایکر	رود	پول			
۱۲۶	ہوگلی	پرگنہ ایضا سنکر پور کدوار	اوتر	۲۵۳	۷	۷	..	۲	۱	۲۹	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۵۳ میل کے ۱۲۷۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۰۵۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھیراو پورب رستہ گانو کا پچھم ریلوے لیویلکراسینگ
۱۲۷	ایضا	ایضا	ایضا	۲۵۳	۷	۸	..	۲	۱	۳۲	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۵۳ میل کے ۳۰۹۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھیراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ریلوے لیویلکراسینگ پچھم ۲۵۳ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی
۱۲۸	ایضا	ایضا	اوتر	۲۵۳	۴	۱۴	..	۱	۲	۹	رستہ لات ۱۲۳، ۱۲۴، ۱۲۵، ۱۲۶، رستہ لات ۱۲۵، ۱۲۶، ۱۲۷، ۱۲۸، کالگاو	..	..	۱۹ ۱۰	.. .. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھیراو پورب ریلوے لیویلکراسینگ پچھم ۲۵۳ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی
۱۲۹	ایضا	پرگنہ ایضا سنکدر پور کدوار	دکھن	۲۵۴	۵	۱۷	..	۱	۳	۳۰	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۵۳ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۵۴ میل کے ۲۰۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھیراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۲۵۳ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم ۱۳۱ میل کے پورب سیوانہ
۱۳۰	ایضا	ایضا	اوتر	۲۵۴	۵	۱۲	۵	۱	۳	۱۷	.. .. ..	..	..	..	.. .. .. ایضا	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھیراو پورب ۲۵۳ میل کے خیر جیسا نقشہ میں ہی پچھم ۱۳۲ نمبر لات کا پورب سیوانہ
۱۳۱	ایضا	ایضا	دکھن	۲۵۴	۸	۱۲	۱۱	۲	۳	۱۷	.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۵۴ میل کے ۲۰۰۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۳۹۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھیراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ۱۲۹ نمبر لات کا پچھم سیوانہ پچھم ۱۳۳ نمبر لات پورب سیوانہ

| نمبر لائن | نام ضلع | نام پرگنه اور ضلع | لائن کی لمبائی واقع ضلع | لائن کی چوڑائی | تخمینی موازی لائن بحصات بیگھہ اور ایکڑ | | |

| لات کا سلسلہ وار نمبر | نام ضلع | نام پرگنہ اور موضع | لات کے اندر زمین واقع ہی کی تعداد | ریلوے کے کس طرف واقع ہی | تخمینی موادی لات بحساب بیگہ اور ایکر | | |

نمبر سلسلہ	نمبر ضلع	نام پرگنہ اور موضع	نمبر پرگنہ اور نمبر موضع	کل رقبہ جو کہ جمع کی گئی ہے	تخمینی مواری لات بیگھہ اور ایکڑ								وہ زمین جو مواری لات میں کیلئے مستثنی کی گئی ہے				لات کی شروع اور انتہا	لات کی چوحدی
													خارج ہونے کی وجوہ	ایکڑ	رڈ	بیگھہ		
					بیگھہ	ایکڑ	رڈ	بیگھہ										
۱۶۵	۲۴ پرگنہ	پرگنہ جھیلر کھیڑہ	۲۶۱	اوتر	۵	۱۲	..		۱	۳	۱۶		رستہ	۱	۳	۱۰	۲۶۱ میل کے ۳۸۵۹ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر زمینداری زمین دکھن رستہ پورب زمینداری زمین پچھم ۲۶۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۱۶۶	ایضا	ایضا اور گوپال پور	۲۶۲	دکھن	۱۳	۶	..		۵	۲	۳۷		.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۶۱ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۶۲ میل کے ۳۴۹۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمینداری زمین پورب ۲۶۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ
۱۶۷	ایضا	ایضا	۲۶۲	اوتر	۱۳	۷	۸		۵	۱	۲۸		.. .. ..	..	..	..	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمینداری زمین دکھن رستہ پورب ۲۶۱ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ
۱۶۸	ایضا	گوپالپور اور سارند پور	۲۶۲	دکھن	۵	۶	..		۱	۳	..		.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۶۲ میل کے ۳۵۵۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے اخیر تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمینداری زمین پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۶۲ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۱۶۹	ایضا	ایضا	۲۶۲	اوتر	۵	۶	..		۱	۳	..		رستہ	..	۱	۲۰	.. .. ایضا	اوتر زمینداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھراو پورب رستہ پچھم ۲۶۲ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی
۱۷۰	ایضا	جگت پور	۲۶۳	دکھن	۸	۶	۳		۲	۳	..		.. .. ..	..	..	..	۲۶۲ میل کے اخیر سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور ۲۶۳ میل کے ۱۹۰۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ مین ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھراو دکھن زمینداری زمین پورب ۲۶۲ میل کے اخیر جیسا نقشہ مین ہی پچھم رستہ

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نمبر سلسلہ وار نمبر	نام ضلع	نام پرگنہ اور موضع	لائن کی لمبائی جو زمین کے اندر رقبہ واقع ہی	نوع زمین جس طرح واقع ہی	تخمینی موزی لائن بحساب بیگھہ اور ایکر						زمین جو ہر لائن میں ریلوے سے مستثنی کی گئی ہی				لائن کی شروع اور انتہا	لائن کی چوحدی
					بیگھہ	کٹھہ	چھٹانک	ایکر	رود	بیگھہ	خارج ہوئے کی وجوہ	ایکر	رود	بیگھہ		
۱۷۸	ہوگلی	اسحاق چک	۲۶۴	دکھن	۱۰	۱۰	۸	۳	۱	۳۷	..	..	..	..	۲۶۴ میل کے ۱۸۳۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۶۰۵۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر ریلوے کا گھیراو دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ریلوے لیویلکراسینگ پچھم رستہ
۱۷۹	ایضا	ایضا	۲۶۴	اوتر	۱۰	۵	۸	۳	۱	۲۱	..	..	..	..	۲۶۴ میل کے ۱۸۳۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۵۰۳۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر زمیداری زمین دکھن ریلوے کا گھیراو پورب ریلوے لیویلکراسینگ پچھم رستہ
۱۸۰	ایضا	مضاہلپور	۲۶۴	دکھن	۱	..	۸	..	۱	۱۵	..	..	..	..	۲۶۴ میل کے ۶۸۰ فیت سے شروع ہوتا ہی اور اسیکے ۵۰۸۰ فیت تک ختم ہوتا ہی جیسا نقشہ میں ہی	اوتر کلاس (اے) زمین کی پختہ دیوار دکھن زمیداری زمین پورب ایضا پچھم ریلوے کا چھوڑا ہوا کلاس (سی) زمین
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LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the District of Sylhet will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's Office of this District on Monday, the 5th January 1874, corresponding with 22nd Pous 1280 (*B.S.*), for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September, but that day having fallen within the Dussarah Vacation, the arrears became due on the 8th October following, being the first open day after the holidays.

1st Class.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 27502.—Taluk Korban, Reza Zemindar, of Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Jadab Ram Sarmah; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 645-15-7. The share of Braja Mohan Das, bearing a Jumma of Rs. 110-2, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, is excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 535-13-7. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 35-0-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31185.—Taluk Adam, Raja Zemindar, Pergunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietors, himself and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,335-4-1. The shares of Muluk Chandra Das, Raj Kisor Das, Madan Mohan Das, Naba Kisor Das, Sivprasad Dutta, Syad Ulla, Sarap Chand Banu, Mussamat Kamida Bibi, on behalf of her minor son Sadat Ali Khan, Sekh Adai Mahomed Ali, Sekh Yaz, Mahomed Anchhar, Ayat Ulla, Radharam Mistari, Chandra Nath Mistari, Durga Ram Mistari, Tara Chand Das, Sujat Ali, Mahomed Azim, Amzad Ulla, Batir Mahomed, Ayin Ulla, Anwar Mahomed, Sukar Mahomed, Sekh Chand, Mahib Ulla, Pir Mahomed, Nazar Mahomed, Joad Ulla, Sekh Biram, Raghu Nath Sarmah Bhatacharjea, Dina Mahi Debya, and Radha Nath Sarma, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 235-8-8, having been separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, in the name of Naba Darga Baidani, Mahessari Baidani, mother of Hara Nath Baida, and Kasi Nath Baida, to be sold for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 32. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 10-2-6 on account of the arrears of Government revenue; Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,067-11-5. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 383-1-7 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 31186.—Taluk Kurban, Raja Zemindar, of Purgunnah Jouar Baniachung; recorded proprietor, Aman Raza Zemindar; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,261-0-3. The shares of Syama Sundari Choudhurani, Dayalram Deb, Nazumun-nechha-banu, Mahomed Kalim, Sekh Arabdi, Sekh Samai, Mahomed Abdul Rahaman, Braja Kisor Saha, Mirza Hamid Ali, Tara Chand Dev, Kunja Mohan Saha, Nil Chandru Dhar, Baida Nath Dev, Kula Chandra Dutta, Tara Chand Dev, Sachuram Saha, Kalika Prasad Sarma, Mahomed Kamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Amil Choudhuri, Mahomed Chhamil Choudhuri, Mahomed Jehhahak Choudhuri, Ganga Gobind Dhar, Gupi Nath Sen, Ayn Ulla, Hiran Bibi, Pandab Ram Barai, Bhogirath Dev, Suntosh Ram Das, Ram Nath, Bharu Jugini, Nabin Chandra Sarmah, Sarna Bati Dasi, Jay Chandra Das, Pratinga Dasi, Lalita Dasi, Nihal Ram Das, Radhika Dasi, Mahes Chandra Dutta, Mirza Ibrahim Ali, Bisakha Dasi, Mufti Mahi, Jowda Ulla, Mussumut Sajina Banu, Arkan Uddin, Sekh Daim Ulla, Sekh Riaz Ulla, Pada Lochun Dutta, Manik Ram Dutta, Chandra Nath Datta, Rup Nath Dutta, Kadir Mahomed, Suruj Mia, Hamid Ulla, Sharif Mahomed, Harash Ram Nai, Hafiza Bibi, and Sekh Shamai, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 316-1-1, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded; Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Sarba Nand Saha and Sada Nand Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-6. This share will be sold for the recovery of Re. 1-10 on account of the arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 942-9-2. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 154-2-8 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 40981.—Taluk Chaitanya Chand of Pergunnah Chaitan Nagar; recorded proprietor Umed Narayan Das; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 992-10-3. The shares of Gaur Prasad Aditta, Guru Prasad Aditta, Krishna Prasad Aditta, Raj Gobind Aditta, Ram Sunder Gopta, Goluk Chandra Gopta, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 144-14-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 847-12-0. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 59-9-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54726.—Hissah Syad Ahamed Raza, Pergunnah Jaraf; recorded proprietor, Purusram and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,509.

The shares of Dolgavind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Govind Palit, Ram Charan Raut, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Deb, Ram Narayan Anda, Ram Gobind Das, Lalita Dasi, Gabardi Mahi, Chhabadi Mahi, Joahid Mahi, Muzed Mahi, Ohad Mahi, Radha Charan Das, Chaitam Charan Das, Jasada Bati Dasi, Mohan Nath, Surja Nath, Shaik Kaim-uddin, Shaik Abdul

Jabbar, Golak Chandra Singh, Abdul Aziz, himseaf and on behalf of his minor brother Abduchhchhobhan, Abdul Kadir, Mahomed Anwar, Sayeda Dhan Bibi, wife of Syed Saha Asraf Ulla, Sarat Chundra Dutta, Bharat Chundra Banika, Kunja Kisor Banika, Ram Sunder Banika, Ram Jay Banika, Ram Narayan Banika, Rajnarayan Banika, Ramlochan Banika, Syad Muzmil Hassan, Syada Alam Chand Banu, wife of Syad Saha Ahamed Ulla, Jugo Mohun Das, Sunatan Das, himself and on behalf of his minor brothers, Sudarsan Das, Badan Ram Das, Shaik Niamat Ulla, Shaik Ayat Ulla, Syad Nimber Ali, Syad Muzmil Husain, Mussumat Bhaba Chand Bibi, wife of Kamil Baks, Ichha Mahi Choudhurani, Mahamed Khatir Tarafdar, and Arsad Ulla, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 662-1-11, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jumma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Jasa Dasi, wife of Jharu Ram Saha, and Nila Bati Dasi, wife of Nilchand Shaha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 2-0-10.

This share will be sold for the recovery Rs. 1-8-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 844-13-3. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 142-10-0 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54727.—Hissa Syad Madan Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Ram Bullabh Dev and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,784-3-2. The shares of Jasadabati Dasi, Dolgobind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Har Gobind Palit, Mussumat Paran Jan Bibi, Rajkisor Dev, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Har Gobind Das, Mussumat Rabia Bibi, Sekh Abdul Aziz, Mussumat Nek Jan Bibi, Sekh Aynuddin, Mussumat Namiza Bibi, Mussumat Anchhar Bibi, Tarini Debya, wife of Kali Charan Sarmah, Parbati Nath Sarmah, Naba Chandra Sarmah, Ram Gobind Das, Achh Ali, Kali Kisor Gopta, Helim Ulla, Adil Mahamed, Chhabil Mohamed, Fazil Mohamed, Hazir Mohamed, Jasa Dasi, Nila Bati Dasi, Bhubanessari Dasi, widow of Munshi Raj Mohan Dev, Radha Mohan Dev, Jugul Kisor Das, Ram Kisor Das, Saday Gobind Nandi, Kalika Prasad Dev, Sarup Chandra Sarmah, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Choudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Mussumat Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussumat Ful Bibi, Fita Mahomed, Jasada Bati Dasi, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chandra Banika, Madhu Sudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjoy Banika, Siri Charan Banika, Ram Ruttan Banika, himself and on behalf of Bissambar Banika minor, Sekh Mahomed Hussain, Sekh Nyamat Ulla, Sekh Mohamed Arip, Gour Ram Chandra, Sumbhu Ram Chundra, Sekh Mohamed Chhami, Sekh Mulfat Ulla, Sekh Tarik Ulla, Sekh Anchhar, Sumbhoo Chandra Sarma, Jiban Krishna Das Choudhuri, Golak Chandra Das Choudhuri, Ram Kisor Das Chouduri, Kasi Chundra Dev, Kailas Chandra Dev, Inai Nigari, Mussamat Amir Chand Banu, wife of Sekh Amzad Ulla, Kirti Chandra Sarma, Pukai Ram Pal, Pran Krishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chandra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Mazumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 443-3, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded.

Sudder Jamma of a share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Brindabun Dutta, Kamal Charan Dev, Alizan Bibi, Sumbhu Nath Dutta, Kasi Nath Dev, Gopal Krishna Saha, Brindaban Saha, Dasarath Saha, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 49-6-7.

This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 6-8-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate, after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 2,291-9-7. This Mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 181-14-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54729.—Hissa Syad Kaim Raza, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Jay Gobind Ray and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 1,966-14-11. The shares of Hameda Bibi, on behalf of her minor sons Mohamed Rahich, Mohamed Idrich, Mussamat Mayn Chand Bibi on behalf of her minor son Mohamed Jachkim, Mohamed Abduchhamad, Mahamed Abdul Kadir, Dul Gobind Palit, Har Gopind Palit, Krishna Gobind Palit, Kali Suran Dutta, Syada Abchhar Nechha, Omaid Ulla, Tarini Dasi, Hari Charan Dev, Umatara Debya, Ram Gobind Das, Arnapurna Dasi, Mussamat Jarina Banu, wife of Shek Bachhir Mohamed, Saruf Chandra Sarma, Golak Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Dayal Chandra Das Chaudhuri, Chandra Nath Das Choudhuri, Lal Gobind Nandi, Jharu Ram Saha, Amina Bibi, Lalita Dasi, Mussamat Ful Bibi, Kasalya Dasi, Parbati Dasi, Har Kumar Dutta, Kudrat Ulla Choudhuri, Sumbhu Chandra Sarma, Hare Krishna Das, Jiban Krishna Das, Ram Kisor Das Choudhuri, Abdul Aziz, himself and on behalf of Mohamed Munsur; Abdul Subhan, Abdul Kadir, Subhadra Dasi, wife of Ratna Bullabh Das, Uttara Dasi, wife of Baida Nath Das, Naba Narayan Das, Kasi Nath Banika, Bharat Chundra Banika, Mudhusudan Banika, Sri Gobind Banika, Ramjay Banika, Siv Charan Banika, Ramrattan Banika, himself and on behalf of his minor brother Bisamber Banika, Kasi Ram Chung, Kirti Chundra Saha, Nitya Nanda Saha, Nimai Chand Saha, Dinno Nath Saha, Byda Nath Saha, Janaki Dasi, wife of Pran Krishna Gope, on behalf of her son Krishna Chandra Gope, Abdul Rasid on behalf of his minor son Abdul Maiz, Abdul Latif, Sarat Chandra Dutta, Sekh Jabulla, Sekh Sarafat Ulla, Sekh Ulfat Ulla, Sekh Mayrdi, Pran Kishna Muzumdar, Kamal Krishna Muzumdar, Isvar Chundra Muzumdar, Ishan Chandra Muzumdar, Grish Chandra Muzumdar, Pukairam Pal, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 429-2-10, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of a

share separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Tara Chund Kar, to be sold also for arrears of the Government demand thereon, Rs. 13-2-2. This share will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 9-7-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate after exclusion of all the above shares advertized for sale, Rs. 1,524-9-11. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 75-8-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 54937.—Taluk Saha Rezwan Uddin, Pergunnah Taraf; recorded proprietor, Syam Ram and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 722-3-2. The shares of Naba Kiser Deb, Jugal Kisor Deb, Ram Charan Pal, Abhoya Charan Deb, Amara Charan Deb, Uma Charan, Adyat Charan Deb, himself and on behalf of his brother Annada Charan Deb, minor, Ram Narayan Anda, Karuna Mayi Debya, Kalikisor Gopta, Rattana Bullath Das, Subhadra Dasi, Baidy Nath Das, and Uttama Dasi, Naba Narayan Das, Tas Mohamed, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 67-9-5, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 654-9-9. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 11-4-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

No. 56509.—Taluk Syad Badardi Hasan, Pergunnah Gada Husain Nagar; recorded proprietor, Babrul Hasan and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 733-3-2. The shares of Ram Charan Raut, Saheb Ram Deb, Har Gobind Pal, Ram Kumar Deb, Sukha Mayi Dasi, wife of Ram Charan Raut, and Daya Mayi Choudharani, wife of Bisnu Prasad Banika, bearing a gross revenue of Rs. 58-13-6, having been separated under Section 11, Act XI of 1859, are excluded. Sudder Jumma of the remainder of the parent estate advertized for sale, Rs. 674-5-8. This mehal will be sold for the recovery of Rs. 29-1-11 on account of the arrears of Government revenue.

H. C. SUTHERLAND, *Officiating Collector.*

SYLHET COLLECTORATE, the 10th November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned Estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of January 1874, corresponding with Monday, the 22nd Poos 1280, B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of October 1873.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 1-0.—Allumpore, Pergunnah Allumpore; recorded proprietors, Ramini Soondiree Chowdharani, and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 42,638-13-6, and Police Rs. 482-4-5. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 18,564-12-6 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 241-2-1½ on account of Police.

No. 17-0.—Dehi Alpha, Pergunnah Bugwan; recorded proprietors, Shantiram Rai and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 4,046-2-2½, and Police Rs. 44-14-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 159-3-1½ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 117-0.—Chandi, Pergunnah Pauznour; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 2,123-1-4, and Police Rs. 64-9-2. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 619-11-11 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 242.—Dehi Hejoolee, Pergunnah Mamjoani; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Cockrane, Assignee, and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 955-13-10, and Police Rs. 12. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 373-15-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue, and Rs. 6 on account of Police.

No. 338-0.—Turuf Majrhud, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Golnck Chandra Mookerjea and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 799-5-3¾. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 1-12-10¼ on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 438-0.—Turuf Ranaghat, Pergunnah Ranaghat; recorded proprietors, Issar Chandra Pal Choudhari and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 818-3-7, and Police Rs. 9-2-6. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 286-5-5 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 477-0.—Turuf Shampore, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Kala Chand Chakravarti and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 553-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 23-5-7 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estates.

No. 2179.—Chur Shamnuggur, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Mr. J. B. Mackintosh and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 523-9-8. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 43-10-9 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 2769-0.—Chur Notidanga, Pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors, Dinonath Mookerjee and others; Sudder Jumma, Rs. 517-3-10. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 5-13-10 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

No. 3165.—Mouzah Mooralidanga, Pergunnah Ookrah; recorded proprietors, Jebonnessa Bebee and others; Sudder Jumma Rs. 552-11-4. This mehal will be sold for recovery of Rs. 0-10-4 on account of arrears of Government revenue.

NUDDEA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 10th November 1873. C. C. STEVENS, *Collector.*

Government Horse Show—Calcutta 1874.

RULES.

1. *Opening of the Horse Show.*—The Horse Show will be formally opened by His Excellency the Viceroy on Monday, the 12th of January 1874, when the Judges will read their report and declare the awards; *but* the prizes will be delivered to the successful competitors by the Judges on the last day of the Show, which will close at sundown of Saturday, the 17th idem.

2. *Hours of Admission.*—From 7 A.M. to noon.
,, 2 P.M. to sundown.

The horses will be exercised on the premises morning and evening; and during some period of that time, to be fixed by the Judges, they will be without their clothing, for the purpose of inspection.

	Rs.	As.	P.
3. *Terms of Admission.*—Exhibition single tickets ...	8	0	0
Do. family do. ...	12	0	0
Single tickets for Monday	3	0	0
And Tuesday, 13th January	2	0	0
Single tickets for Wednesday the 14th and Thursday the 15th January	1	0	0
Single ticket for Friday, 16th January	0	12	0
Do. Saturday, 17th January	0	8	0

Children on Saturday *half price.*
Soldiers and their families *free* on pass from their Commanding Officers.
Owners and Exhibitors of Horses free.

	Rs.
For every six Mares	50
For every Stallion	16

Admission of Stock other than for competition.—By special permission of the Managing Committee, persons desirous of exhibiting horse stock (not intended to compete for prizes) will be permitted to do so on a payment of Rs. 16 per head, provided stabling can be found for them.

4. Intending Exhibitors must apply for stalls by post in an envelope addressed—

"TO THE JOINT SECRETARIES,
Calcutta Horse Show, 1874."

so as to be received by them not later than the 15th December 1873. On receipt of such applications printed forms will be furnished to the Owners or Exhibitors, to be filled in by them and returned at once to the Joint Secretaries, who will then allot stalls or boxes for the horses described.

5. *Superintendent.*—A Superintendent and four European Assistants will be appointed by the Managing Committee to undertake the stable management of the Show-yard. It will be his duty to point out the stalls allotted to the Exhibitors, and to see that all orders issued by the Committee are thoroughly and promptly carried out.

6. *Date of receipt of Horses.*—Horses sent for exhibition will be received by a Veterinary Surgeon and the Superintendent of the Horse Show on Wednesday, the 7th of January 1874, any time before *noon* of that day.

7. *Health Certificate.*—A health certificate, signed by a Veterinary Surgeon, must accompany every horse when first brought to the Horse Show lines. The Veterinary Surgeon attending on the part of Government will also inspect each horse before being finally admitted.

8. *Grooms.*—Exhibitors are required to engage a reliable groom (syce) for each horse, and it is expected that either the attendant or a substitute will remain night and day at his post.

9. *Attention to Regulations.*—All attendants must conform to the rules and regulations issued by the Managing Committee; copies will be furnished to the Exhibitors, and will also be posted on the walls of the stables.

10. *Complaints.*—Complaints may be lodged at any time at the office of the Superintendent, either verbally or in writing, in a book to be kept for the purpose.

11. *Complaint Book.*—Persons able to read and write will have to enter their complaints in the book; minor complaints will be settled by the Superintendent on the spot; those of a more serious nature will be treated by the Managing Committee.

12. *Illness of Horses.*—In case of illness of any horse the Owner or Exhibitor must provide medical attendance.

13. All the horses will be daily inspected by a Veterinary Surgeon.

14. All possible care will be taken of horses exhibited, but the Superintendent cannot be held responsible for any injury or accident which may occur.

15. *Forage and Grain.*—Forage, grain, and water for the stock will be provided by the Exhibitors.

16. *Smoking prohibited.*—Smoking is strictly prohibited in the stables; particular attention is requested to this rule, which is considered imperatively necessary for the safety of the cattle.

17. *Stabling.*—A loose stall or box will be provided for each animal so exhibited.

18. *Location of Mares.*—Every lot of six mares will be stabled close to each other.

19. *Inspection by Judges.*—The Judges will inspect and examine horses entered for prize competition on Thursday 8th, Friday 9th, and Saturday 10th, of January 1874.

20. *Exclusion of Visitors during inspection by Judges.*—Under no circumstances will any person be permitted to be within the precincts of the premises at the time of inspection, except grooms (syces) who will be appointed by the Judges to bring up each horse for examination.

21. *Owners and Exhibitors similarly excluded.*—Owners and Exhibitors are debarred from the privilege of being present as much as the public generally.

22. *Horses how to be inspected.*—The horses will be brought up without clothing, so that they may not be recognized by any initials or distinctive marks.

23. *Judges how guided in arriving at decision.*—Exhibitors are informed that Judges in arriving at their decision will be guided by the following points:—

1*st.*—That under the terms of Military Department Government Notification of the 4th of February last, no prize will be given unless the horses exhibited come up to a high standard of excellence. Importers and competitors are informed that the Judges will be considerably guided by good measurement of girth and leg and blood, combined with power; animals wanting in such essential points will have no chance of obtaining a prize.

2*nd.*—The horses will be judged as to their merits under the several heads of:—

A. Soundness.
B. Blood and power.
C. General conformation.
D. Action.
E. Condition.

The maximum number of marks being 100.

3*rd.*—"*The best horse*" must be perfectly sound, but any serious blemish, the result of accident, will be weighed by the Judges.

4*th.*—Each mare of every lot must be sound for all working and brood purposes.

5*th.*—If any mis-information is furnished by an Exhibitor in respect of the animals owned or exhibited by him, the whole of his stock will be disqualified for prizes, and will be at once removed from the Show premises. Admission to the Show will be refused to any person coming within the terms of this rule.

6*th.*—The decision of Judges to be final.

24. *Judges' Report.*—The Judges' report of their inspection will be prepared and printed by Saturday evening, the 10th of January 1874, but will be confidential until read to His Excellency the Viceroy on the formal opening of the Show.

25. *Necessity of Exhibitors' servants attending to Rules.*—Particular attention must be given by all Exhibitors to the necessity of their servants carrying out all the rules which may be laid down for efficient sanitary arrangements.

26. *Fire Engine.*—A fire engine, and a party to work it, will be on the premises during the Exhibition.

27. *Police arrangements.*—The Commissioner of Police will arrange with the Managing Committee (Judges) for such number of Police as may be requisite for the protection of property and the preservation of order.

28. *Lights other than those supplied by Committee prohibited.*—Stable lanterns will be provided by the Committee and placed under the orders of the Superintendent. Other lights or lanterns or fire of any kind will not be permitted within the stabling.

29. *Removal of horses if attacked with disease.*—The Managing Committee are empowered, if they deem it necessary, to direct the removal of a horse attacked with any contagious disease.

30. *Removal of horses when prohibited.*—No horse brought for exhibition, even in the event of its having been sold, will be allowed to be removed until the Exhibition is closed.

31. *Final removal from Show.*—Horses must be removed the day following the closing of the Exhibition.

32. *Objections.*—Any objection to horses exhibited must be made and proved to the satisfaction of the Stewards the day before the prizes are awarded.

33. *Objection made after award of prize.*—Objections made after the award of prizes will not be attended to during the present Show, but will be recorded against future exhibition of the horses objected to.

34. *Onus of proving objection.*—The onus of proving an objection will be wholly and entirely on the person making it. All objections must be made in writing.

By Order of the Committee,

M. J. TURNBULL, *Colonel*,
J. A. CRAWFORD, } *Joint Secretaries.*

1*st December* 1873.

Notice.

In addition to the Prizes already advertised to be given by the Government of India, at the Horse Show, to be held in Calcutta, on the 12th January 1874, the following Prizes will be given by

HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY AND GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, G.M.S.I.

	Rs.
For the best Arab Stallion for Stud purposes	1,000
For the second best ditto ditto	500
For the third best ditto ditto	250
For the best Country-bred or Country Horse, of either sex ...	700
For the second best ditto ditto ditto	300
For the third best ditto ditto ditto	150

No Arab over 10 years old will be allowed to compete.

The Country-bred and Country Horses must be between the ages of 4 and 7 years.

Horses exhibited for these Prizes will be subject to all the Rules as to right of pre-emption on the part of Government Entrances, &c., as published in the Notification of the Government of India, Military Department, dated 4th February 1873.

Applications for Stalls will be received up to the 1st January 1874, and should be addressed to

J. A. CRAWFORD, ESQ.,
Joint-Secy., Govt. Horse Show, Custom House, Calcutta.

A detailed descriptive Roll of the Horse to be exhibited, giving breed, sex, age, color, height pedigree, sire and dam, performances if any, and price, should accompany the application for Stalls.

In the event of the stock exhibited in either of the above classes not being considered of sufficient quality, power is reserved to the Judges to withhold the Prize or Prizes in such class.

M. J. TURNBULL, *Col.*,
J. A. CRAWFORD,
Joint Honorary Secretaries, Government Horse Show.

Notice.

TENDERS are invited for the immediate supply to Government of one hundred sets (more or less) of weights and scales.

2. Each set to consist of—

1 beam.
2 scales capable of weighing 2 to 4 maunds at a time.
1 iron weight of 2 maunds.
1 ,, ,, ,, 1 maund.
1 ,, ,, ,, ½ ,,
1 ,, ,, ,, ¼ ,,
1 ,, ,, ,, 5 seers.
1 ,, ,, ,, 3 ,,
1 ,, ,, ,, 2 ,,
1 ,, ,, ,, 1 seer.
1 ,, ,, ,, ½ ,,

3. Tenders are to be in the following form (in manuscript), and to be delivered to Mr. G. Toynbee, C.S., 39 Strand, on or before Thursday, 8th January, 1874:—

Name of firm or person tendering.	No. of sets tendered.	Price per set.	Time within which delivery can be made at 39 Strand, Calcutta.	Remarks (new or second-hand.)

4. Second-hand weights and scales will not be objected to if in good order.

G. TOYNBEE, C.S., *on Special Duty.*

Notice

Is hereby given that in consequence of the construction of the new road from Giridi on the Karharbari Branch of the East Indian Railway to Hazaribaugh, all goods can most conveniently be sent to Hazaribaugh by that route instead of by the railway to Barakar only. The undersigned therefore invites all Government officers, tradesmen and other gentlemen who may not be specially instructed to the contrary by their consignees, and who do not avail themselves of the Government parcel post, to send their consignments and goods to the care of the Station Master, Giridi

This request is made as the transport agency has been removed from the Barakar, and the route by Giridi is shorter and less expensive.

HAZARIBAUGH, the 9th December 1873. HENRY BEADON, *Offg. Dy. Commissioner.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the Jetties from the under-mentioned Ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under Section 72 of the said Act :—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Dec. 22nd ...	1 Case, A A S W, or addressed ...	A. Schillizi & Co. ...	S. S. Sultan.
,, 22nd ...	2 Bales, B A S G ,, ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	27 Cases, C B J R ...	C. Cowie & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	2 Cases, addressed ...	W. Ball, Lahore, care of G. Arbuthnot & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, [80 C] A. B. & Co. ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	3 Cases, [D S & A S] F. T. B. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, G G C D N ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, [G L B L] A. B. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd	1 Case, [H N M] ...	King, Hamilton & Co.	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	5 Cases, [H C] A. B. & Co. ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, [P U H B] P S H & H J	Finlay, Muir & Co....	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	451 Bales, Sheet Iron D & S C ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	110 Loose sheets & 8 bundles sheet iron S G C or no mark ...	S. Mackenzie & Co.	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	2 Cases, [J. A. & Co., J] ...	J. Anderson & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Cask, K. M. & Co. ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, L M S ...	Revd. J. E. Pyne ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, addressed ...	Mrs. Mann, care of Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, M K L ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, addressed ...	Charles Piercy Henderson, care of Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Bale, [R M] C ...	Ralli & Mavrojani ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	65 Packages, R S S G C ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	33 Packages, R S S A C S ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	5 Packages, [11] R W ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	8 Packages, addressed ...	S. O. B. Ridsdale, Hameerpur, N. W. P., F. T. Brooks & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, R & W ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, addressed ...	Col. Reid, B.C.S., care of C. Cowie & Co.	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, S. B. D. & Co. ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Case, [S & M C C I] A ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	2 Cases, T W ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	2 Packages, [W N] ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	4 Packages, [X] ...	Ahmuty & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Sample, Panel, addressed ...	L. Rennie & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 22nd ...	1 Sample, Panel, addressed ...	G. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	2 Cases, [A] Madras ...	Order ...	S. S. Othello.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, [341] A. B. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, B C ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Cask, addressed ...	C. H. W. Cox ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	25 Cases, C L S ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	4 Cases, C ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	45 Cases, E & O or no mark ...	E. & Oesterley ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	4 Cases, E O C or no mark ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	5 Cases, [114] E D J ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, E. C. J. H. J. K. & Co., Madras.	,, ...	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse. 1873.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
Dec. 23rd ...	2 Casks, addressed	... J. J. H. Gordon, 29th P. Infantry, care of K. Hamilton & Co.	S. S. Othello.
,, 23rd ...	2 Cases, G. C. B. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, Wills [J] Akyab	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	2 Cases, addressed	... A. James, Esq., care of Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	2 Cases, addressed	... Mrs. Knyvett, G. Arbuthnot & Co. ..	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	4 Packages, [M] Wills, Akyab	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	4 Bales, [M] C B	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	8 Cases, addressed	... Col. J. R. Meade, Chief Commissioner, Mysore ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	2 Cases, [M C] K H	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	5 Packages, [M. Co.] P L B D	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	2 Cases, M B	... M. Lyall & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, [M. Co.] B R T L	... Order	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Cask, [M C] T R P L	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, [M. & Co.] T R P R	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, [M & Co.] L L N G	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, [M G] L B C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	2 Packages, [M. & Co.] K T L C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Cask, M L, H. S. K. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, [M C] C E T L	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, addressed	... A. F. Miller, M. Lyall & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Cask, M D, H. S. K. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	7 Packages, no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, [N L] A. B. & Co.	... A Abendroth ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, no mark	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	3 Cases, [P.] S. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	11 Cases, addressed	... Colonel B. T. Reid, care of C. Cowie & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, ,,	... A G H Robertson, Surkab, care of J. Skinner & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	5 Packages, Wills [S] Akyab	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Bale, [S L M Madras	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, addressed	... R V Stoney, Esq. ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Case, ,,	... J. P. Sherriff, care of B. Dunlop & Co....	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	2 Cases, ,,	... Colonel Waddington, 28th Regiment ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	2 Cases, [G. W. W. & Co.]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	2 Cases, W. N. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 23rd ...	1 Cask, W. H. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	2 Cases, [B. S & Co.]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Case, [B] N M	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Case, [B I S N C] N	... M. Mackenzie & Co	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Case, [163]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	2 Cases, [114] E D J	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Case, J C C W	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Case, J C G	... Jessop & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Case, M B	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Case, no mark or V or A	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Case, W. K. & Co.	... W Keep & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Sample Panel, M P C or	... Graham & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 ditto, addressed	... J. Mackillican &Co...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Cask, [1] or addressed	... R. F. Stevens ...	Invaravon.
,, 24th ...	14 Packages [J P C] A	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	2 Cases, C	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	1 Bundle straw envelopes [J A F]	J. Anderson and Co.	Ditto.
,, 24th ...	2 Cases, [N C D] J. H. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	4 Cases, [C W Co.] W. P. or no mark	... ,, ...	Str. Scindia.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	No., Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1873.			
Dec. 27th ...	1 Cask, [C]	... Order ...	Str. Orion.
27th ...	2 Cases, [65] A. B. & Co.	... ,, ...	Duke of Argyle.
27th ...	5 Cases, 123	... ,, ...	Ditto.
27th ...	3 Cases, 143	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, 65	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	4 Bales, B A S G	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, A S P or	... A. Schillizi & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	28 Cases, addressed	... G. Bannister ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, addressed	... W. H. Brand ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, addressed	... G. Blake ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, addressed	... President, Band Committee, 85th Regiment, N. W. P., Meerut ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Captain R. C. Brooke, 40th Regiment, care of Grindlay & Co.	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	2 Bales, [C. & Co. B 60]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, [ ] first	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	3 Cases, E. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, 57] E D J	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, 114	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	10 Cases, G W S	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	2 Coils chain, no mark	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	8 Cases, [J B 701] B. B. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	10 Cases, [J M S]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	15 Cases, [J E K S L	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Cask, J D W	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, [ ] J N M	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	4 Cases, L. & Co. P B B	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	2 Cases, addressed	... Lt. J. W. Lay, 4th Hussars ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Cask, addressed	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	9 Cases, [M] W H Fitze & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	3 Cases, [M S N]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, [M O B] J. H. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	6 Cases, [M] Murray & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	15 Cases, addressed	... Captain Mitford, 14th Bengal Lancers ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Cask, addressed	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, addressed	... J. C. Morris, 16th Bengal Cavalry, care of Cox, Steel & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Capt. Manholl, care of Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, [M S] A B	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case. [M L]	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	18 Kegs	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	4 Kilderkins, [N L] A. B. & Co.	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, [N L] A. B. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, N C D] J. H. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	2 Cases, addressed	... Oldham, care of Grindlay & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	13 Cases, O & S C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	40 Cases, [A N] or addressed	... President, Canteen, 1-8th Regt., Cawnpore, care of Grindlay, Groom & Co.	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	9 Cases, [P W]	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	7 Rolls Lead, P C M or no mark ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case [R K] S	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	10 Packages, [R N] A. B. & Co. ...	,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, R T	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	3 Cases, S. & Co.	... ,, ...	Duke of Argyle.
,, 27th ...	6 Cases, S. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, S. B. D. & Co. A.	... ,, ...	Ditto.

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Dec. 27th ...	1 Case, addressed	... Secy., Bar Library, High Court ...	Duke of Ar
,, 27th ...	1 Case, S K C	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	4 Cases, addressed	... Dr. T. N. Shephard	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	3 Cases, W. N. & Co.	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Case, W. H. & Co.	... ,, ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	2 Packages, addressed	... J. W. Ward, Esq. ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	7 Packages, [X]	... Order ...	Ditto.
,, 27th ...	1 Sample Panel [O H B G] A B [ ] 5 O G	,, ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 27th December 1873. (487—1) W. D. BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

NOTICE.

List of Unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

Mark or Number of Packages.	Ships.
1 Parcel, [B] D V E	... Venetia.
2 Cases, N D	... Bates Family.
1 Case, C. H. Wood, Esq., Calcutta	... Hindostan.
10 China Cups, no mark	... Historian.
1 Paper Box, } 1 Fancy Box, } no mark	... Ditto.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 7th of January 1874.

4 Cases, B W 658	... The Bruce.

N.B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 14th day of February 1874.

CALCUTTA, CUSTOM HOUSE, the 24th December 1873. J. A. CRAWFORD, *Collector of Customs.*

Matabhangah River.

Weekly Report showing the Least Depth of Water from the Entrance of the Matabhangah River to Kissengunge, for the week ending on Friday, the 12th December 1873.

Names of Shoals.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance from the Ganges	2	6	
Tatarparah	2	0	
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia	2	0	
,, Hât Bolia to Cut No. 1	10	6	
,, Cut No. 1 to Boalmaree	2	6	
,, Boalmaree to Alickdeah	2	6	
,, Alickdeah to Kissengunge	2	6	
Jellinghy River.			
Entrance	5	0	
,, to Jellinghy	0	3	
From Jellinghy to Teakatta	0	6	
,, Teakatta to Nuddea	2	0	

H. T. FORBES, *Major, R.A., Exe. Engineer, Nuddea District.*

KISHNAGURH, the 16th December 1873.

Bhaugiruttee River.

Weekly Water Report showing the Least Depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee River for the week ending Friday, the 26th December 1873.

Names of places, &c.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
Entrance below Chourasea	12	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles	2	3	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	2	10	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	1	9	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles	2	4	
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles	2	1	

Height of water on guage at Berhampore on the 29th December 1873, above zero, 11 inches.

T. H. WICKES, C.E., *Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.*

BERHAMPORE, the 29th December 1873.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the bers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned ommunicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
6235	L/35 00330	100	H. F. Wilson.
6245	L/19 10411	50	Messrs. Pittamber Prolad Chunder Shaw.
6250	L/8 22711	100	Messrs. Juggobundho Nidho Churn Podar.
6242	A/32 04070	20	Jumnadas Madsing.
	L/13 66273	20	
	,, 83457	20	
	L/14 87229	20	
	L/5 61639	10	
	A/7 43226	10	
	L/6 17108	10	
	,, 63458	10	
	L/3 84957	10	
	L/32 18973	10	
	,, 27179	10	
6251	L/8 52894	100	The District Superintendent of Police, Beerbhoom.
6252	A/39 36951	500	Ramnarain Bhokutt.
6253	L/36 10151	100	Shavak Chandra Mukhopadhya.
6257	L/19 37521	50	J. N. Coan.
6260	L/35 44871	20	C. D. Linton.
6261	L/2 23038	10	The Officiating Magistrate, Dacca.
6267	L 62956	100	Chidam Das.
6268	A/94 74262	100	Muddun Mohun Nundy.
	,, 30771	100	
	,, 32825	100	
	L/8 81787	100	
	L/38 06813	100	
	,, 06812	100	
	,, 08152	100	
	A/92 85975	50	
	,, 93005	50	
6269	L/19 39090	50	Sheosahai.
	L/14 46450	20	
	,, 76811	20	
	,, 76813	20	
6270	A/87 99827	1,000	Jeetmull Hersamull.
6273	L/38 06817	100	Nundololl Dutt.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

6237	A/80 98548	10	Hurry Mohun Bannerjee.
	,, 98549	10	
6238	A/56 94830	50	Bhurut Chunder Ghose.
	A/41 43408	10	
	A/62 78162	10	
	L/10 26246	5	
6239	A/66 27270	10	Sreedhur Mookhopadhya.
6241	L/11 84551	5	Umbica Churn Roy.
	,, 84552	5	
	,, 84553	5	
	,, 84554	5	
6247	L/4 29697	10	Lieutenant James Wallace.
6248	L/83 86355	10	O. W. Palmer.
	L/15 19825	5	
6249	L/2 40840	5	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation, Calcutta.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Names of Claimant
		Rs.	
6255	L/10 12874	5	The Collector of Nuddea.
	,, 12792	5	
	,, 12873	5	
6259	L/7 06341	20	Colonel F. A. Willis.
6262	A/87 93859	1,000	Debnath Borua.
	,, 93860	1,000	
6263	L/6 74944	10	Chunder Coomar Goomi.
6265	L/10 75505	5	Srihory Proshad Dass.
6266	A/96 06630	50	Trilochun Neogee.
6274	A/73 85139	20	Ramloll Mookerjee.

Wrongly joined.

5254	L/1 37691	10	Sib Chunder Seal.
	,, 37692		
6236	L/14 11345	20	Mothoora Das Nalorbhoy.
	,, 11349		
6240	A/6 64347	10	Ramkisto Goopto.
	,, 64492		
6246	L/8 74832	10	F. C. Rogers.
	,, 74842		
6249	A/97 23749	10	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation, Calcutta.
	,, 23746		
6256	L/9 79429	5	T. Smith.
	,, 79428		
6264	A/92 38832	50	Salig Ram Moonshi.
	,, 90192		

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
The 29th December 1873.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Notice.

IT is notified for general information that a fair will be held at Dutma in the Eastern Dooars in the month of February next (1874). It will be opened on the 5th, and continue for five days, and, if desirable, its duration will be lenghened by as many days as circumstances may render necessary. Sheds and accommodation will be provided. On the north bank of the Berhampooter there is a road leading straight on to Dutma. This road is now under repairs, and will be open for traffic for wheeled conveyance. On the road huts will be erected for shelter to travellers and every possible arrangement made to facilitate traffic.

During the continuance of the mela, prizes will be offered to the winners in elephants, horses, foot-races, &c.

POORNANUND BORODAH, *Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge.*

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, GOALPARA, the 10th December 1873.

Notice.

THE Annual Chutia Fair will be held at Chutia near Ranchi, Chota Nagpore, commencing from 15th February 1874, and continuing for 15 succeeding days.

The 5th December 1873.

G. C. MITTER, *Personal Asst. to Commr.*

Notice

Is hereby given that 13 Cashiers are required for Relief Works in the Purneah District at 40 rupees per mensem each. None need apply who are unacquainted with English. Cashiers are required to furnish security at 1,000 rupees each.

PURNEAH, the 23rd December 1873.

F. WYER, *for Collector.*

Wanted

A CLERK who has a competent knowledge of English and Bengali, can draft letters, &c., and writes a good hand. Salary Rs. 30. But if promotion be given to the juniors in the office, Rs. 20 per mensem. Applications to be received up to 31st December 1873 by the undersigned.

RAM COOMAR BOSE, *Deputy Magistrate, Culna.*

SUB-DIVISIONAL OFFICE, CULNA, the 15th December 1873.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 22nd December 1873.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.		Rs. A. P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000 0 0	Government Securities		1,25,07,907 1 0
Reserve Fund		15,44,821 3 5	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		55,51,083 8 6
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,48,96,102 10 4	3,52,64,025 3 2	Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		36,45,880 6 0
General Treasury Balance at Branches ... ,,	2,03,67,922 8 10		Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,13,39,082 15 11
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		2,96,04,266 9 1	Dead Stock		11,60,744 11 8
Bank Post Bills, &c.		4,38,131 13 11	Stamps		16,039 8 6
Sundries		7,83,574 10 6	Balances with other Banks		9,59,253 8 11
			Sundries		60,456 4 0
			Bullion		1,40,722 0 10
					4,53,74,170 1 4
			Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,21,35,229 11 8	4,42,60,649 6 9
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... ,,	3,21,25,419 11 1	
Total ...		8,96,34,819 8 1	Total ...		8,96,34,819 8 1

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 24th December 1873.

F. A. GILLIAM,
Offg. Chief Accountant & Deputy Secretary.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(488—1)

Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

THE Transfer Register of this Company will be closed from the 26th instant to the 1st January, both days inclusive.

An *ad-interim* dividend will be payable on and after the 2nd proximo, at the rate of 2 per cent., or Rs. 5 per share, for the half-year ended 31st August last, as declared at the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, held on the 29th ultimo.—By order of the Directors.

CALCUTTA, the 19th December 1873. (482—2) A. DONALDSON, *Acting Secretary.*

New Beerbhoom Coal Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Half-Yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 14, Old Court House Street, on Wednesday, the 31st day of December 1873, at noon.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company are closed for 15 days from this date.

STEEL, MCINTOSH AND COMPANY, *Managing Agents.*

CALCUTTA, the 23rd December 1873. (483—2)

Bishnauth Tea Company, "Limited."

WE beg to give notice that a further dividend at the rate of 2½ per cent. on the paid-up capital was declared at the meeting of the Directors held yesterday, and will be payable at the office of the Company, No. 7, New China Bazar Street, on or after the 15th January 1874.

Shareholders are requested to send in their scrip for examination as usual.

By order of the Board,

CALCUTTA, the 24th December 1873. (485—3) WILLIAMSON, MAGOR & CO., *Secretaries.*

Administrator-General's Office.

THE under-mentioned estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned:—

Cæsar Augustus Vosso of the Town of Calcutta, a Stable-keeper, died at Calcutta on the 17th November 1873.

Mrs. Charlotte Amelia Dunbar of Jullundur in the Punjab, a widow, died at Jullundur on the 19th September 1872.

John Walter O'Donnell, Executive Engineer in the Public Works Department, Lucknow, died in London on the 14th October 1873.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON, *Administrator-General.*

HIGH COURT, CALCUTTA, the 20th December 1873. (484—1)

Abstract Statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the half-year ending 30th April 1873, compared with the corresponding half-year of the year 1871-72.

PARTICULARS.	In the half-year ending 30th April 1873.	In the half-year ending 30th April 1872.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance at credit of the Fund in the Government Books at the end of the previous half-year	39,35,964 15 7	36,52,807 7 4	2,83,157 8 3	0 0 0
ADD RECEIPTS.				
Subscriptions from November 1872 to April 1873 in the Widows' Fund	1,54,954 7 0	1,36,339 12 6	18,614 10 6	0 0 0
Subscriptions from November 1872 to April 1873 in the Children's Fund	1,01,832 10 1	94,646 0 6	7,186 9 7	0 0 0
Fees, &c., from November 1872 to April 1873 ...	1,235 1 0	982 8 0	252 9 0	0 0 0
Amount received from Government of India for sums advanced to Widows and Children on account of the late Mutiny	3,794 11 3	3,952 6 1	0 0 0	157 10 10
Divisible Surplus, W. F. and C. F., and interest on Reserve Fund by transfer to debit of Subscribers ...	0 0 0	192 8 0	0 0 0	192 8 0
Amount transferred to the Widows' Fund by a debit to suspense account on account pensions formerly debited to the Fund, but not paid	0 0 0	7,900 0 0	0 0 0	7,900 0 0
Amount transferred to the Children's Fund by a debit to suspense account on account pensions formerly debited to the Fund, but not paid	1,205 10 0	1,344 0 0	0 0 0	138 6 0
Total ...	2,63,022 7 4	2,45,357 3 1	26,053 13 1	8,388 8 10
Total Receipts ...	41,98,987 6 11	38,98,164 10 5	3,09,211 5 4*a*	8,388 8 10
DEDUCT PAYMENTS.				
Pensions paid to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	83,840 0 9	77,319 9 9	6,490 7 0	0 0 0
Ditto ditto Children's Fund ...	57,492 15 11	54,792 1 2	2,700 14 9	0 0 0
Interest on Reserve Fund paid in adjustment of account of one subscriber under old Rule	0 0 0	24 9 0	0 0 0	24 9 0
Cost of establishment, including house-rent and contingencies	19,218 0 1	15,607 6 5	3,610 9 8	0 0 0
Total Payments ...	1,60,551 0 9	1,47,773 10 4	12,801 15 5	24 9 0
Net balance in favor of the Fund, exclusive of interest upon capital	40,38,436 6 2	37,50,391 0 1	2,96,409 5 11*b*	8,363 15 10
Proportion of interest on Reserve Fund payable to Subscribers over five years' standing	36,552 6 0	35,445 0 0	1,107 6 0	0 0 0
Proportion of divisible surplus as per votes of Subscribers	33,284 8 0	33,473 10 0	0 0 0	189 2 0
Total ...	69,836 14 0	68,918 10 0	1,107 6 0*c*	189 2 0

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of Subscribers	967	670	917	649	50	21	.....	...
Ditto Incumbents	223	330	215	327	8	3	.....	...
Ditto sharing in interest on Reserve Fund ...	608	371	478	354	130	17	.....	...
Ditto sharing in divisible surplus ...	635	443	605	436	30	7	.....	...

	Rs. A. P.
a.—Net increase	3,00,822 12 6
b.—Net increase	2,88,045 6 1
c.—Net increase	918 4 0

E. E.

H. ANDREWS,
Accountant and Collector.

E. W. HOLLINGBERY, } *Auditors,*
E. W. K[illegible]LNER, } *U. S. F. P. F.*

Published by order of the Directors,

W. H. RYLAND, *Secretary.*

FUND OFFICE,
The 17th November 1873.

(490—1)

Notice.

MR. WILLIAM PEDDIE ALEXANDER has been admitted a partner in our firm as from 1st May 1873.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE AND CO.

16, STRAND, CALCUTTA, the 17th December 1873.

(474—2)

Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Bank will be closed from 2nd to the 15th January 1874, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

CALCUTTA, the 29th December 1873. (489—1) R. HARDIE, *Secy. and Treasurer.*

Army List—Reduced Price.

The price of the next and subsequent Numbers of the Bengal Official Quarterly Army List will be reduced from Rs. 5 to Rs. 4 per copy for town subscribers, and from Rs. 5-8 to Rs. 4-8 for copies sent by post.

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Will be ready on 1st January.

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A Report on the Expedition to Western Yunan *via* Bhamo. By John Anderson, M.D., Medical Officer and Naturalist to the Expedition. *Price Rs. 8. Apply at the Office of Superintendent Government Printing Calcutta.*

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THE Acts of the Government of India, and those of the Government of Bengal, will, after publication in the *Bengalee Government Gazette*, be printed, in pamphlet form, for sale to the public, at a price which will be fixed in each instance to cover the cost of printing and paper. The first of the series will be the Criminal Procedure Act, now *ready*, the price of which is Rs. 1-4 per copy.—Postage 5 annas.

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Administration Report of 1870-71	,,	0	4	,,
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CALCUTTA, the 22nd September 1873.

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Madras and Ceylon ...	7 P.M. ...	31st Dec. ...	*Delhie.*
Madras, Ceylon, and Coast Ports ...	7 ,, ...	2nd Jan. 1874	*Satara.*
Akyab ..	7 ,, ...	4th ,, ...	*Arabia.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	7 ,, ..	4th ,, ...	*Agra.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ..	7 ,, ...	5th ,, ...	Extra *Busheer.*
Port Blair and Camorta	7 ,, ...	7th ,, ...	*Scotia.*
Ceylon and Australian Colonies ...	7 ,, ..	7th ,, ...	*From Bombay.*

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CALCUTTA, the 30th December 1873. E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post-Master of Calcutta.*

List of Remaining and Unclaimed Letters accumulated in the Calcutta Post Office during the week ending 27th December 1873.

Auskins, Mrs.
Abbot, G.
Brown, C. J.
Browne, H.
Carter, G. M.
Cones, A. G.
Cook, Mrs.
Dunnett, Mrs. E.
Ebrahim.
Forbes, A. H.
Fletcher, H.
Frewin, Mrs. C. R.
Hayes, A.
Hoyle, G. H.
James, Miss L.
Kennedy, Mrs. M.
King, Mrs.
Lambert, Mrs.
Langahdo, Miss D. M.
Macdonald, I.
Madge, Mrs. D. C.
Manuk, T. Z.
Meller, J. F.
McDonald, Mrs. G.
McLesfield, Sergt. Major.
O'Brien, Mrs. E.
Parker, G. E.
Ponton, Miss L.
Richardson, A.
Stirling, J. B.
Thompson, O.
William, Mr.
Wright, A.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

Bowhay, C. E.
Browning, Miss.
Dumphy, Mr.
Grimberg, T.
Kimm, Mrs.
Johnson, Mr.

E. C. GEORGE, *Offg. Post-Master of Calcutta.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of ARRATOON JOHANNES SARKIES and GREGORY ARRATOON SARKIES, Insolvents.

On Monday, the 15th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

M. Camell, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 16th December 1873.

IN the matter of DUDERICK GREGORY HERKLOTS, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 18th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Smith and Chatterjee, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's office, the 22nd December 1873.

INSOLVENCY NOTICE.

IN the event of the following Dividends remaining unclaimed for six months from this day the same will be paid into Court :—

In the matter of CHARLES MACKAY, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 37 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
8	Murrum Ayah	16	0	0	5	14	9
2	Nobinchunder Ghose	100	0	0	37	0	0
9	Ramgolam Bearer	12	0	0	4	7	0
4	Shaik Mokun	25	0	0	9	4	0

In the matter of THEODORE ZORAB MANUK, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 16 per cent., 4th April 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
24	Arrakiel, S.	22	8	0	3	9	7
19	Baker and Catliff	20	0	0	3	3	2
26	Babooram Ghose	67	12	0	10	13	6
28	Calcutta Municipality	25	0	0	4	0	0
22	Edmond and Co., J. M.	114	0	0	18	3	10
14	Great Eastern Hotel	80	5	0	12	13	7
20	Greeschunder Day and Co.	35	0	0	5	9	7
3	Longmuir, T. (Delhi and London Bank) ...	1,500	0	0	240	0	0
7	Minas Senior, J. P. ...	700	0	0	112	0	0
25	Mendieta, J. M.	48	12	8	7	12	11
5	Peters, G.	800	0	0	128	0	0
23	Ramsay and Co., Francis	78	12	0	12	9	7
9	Stewart and Co.	300	0	0	48	0	0
16	Smith and Stanistreet	100	0	0	16	0	0
21	Sarkies and Son, A. J. ...	300	0	0	48	0	0

In the matter of HURRYNARAIN DUTT, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 9 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
24	Aubhoyram, Mudden Gopaul	56	13	6	5	1	10
10	Boistomchurn Shaw	625	0	0	56	4	0
20	Bhooput	35	9	0	3	3	2
30	Benodebeharry Shaw	71	0	0	6	6	3
37	Bhoobun Mohun Audicarry	17	11	0	1	9	6
41	Bhoom Sing	17	11	6	1	9	6
6	Chumroo Sing and Modoosoodun Sing ...	693	12	0	62	7	0
43	Cohn Brothers	1	1	0	0	1	6
4	Dabee Sing, Lall Sing	36	5	6	3	4	4
16	Dwarkadoss Banarossy Doss	24	0	0	2	2	7
7	Gunnes Sing, Bhugwan Sing	53	3	6	4	12	8
28	Gobinchund Doss and Co.	12	8	0	1	2	0
42	Heeralall Mitter	30	10	3	2	12	1
9	Gourchunder Buddynauth Shaw	35	2	6	3	2	8
23	Joytroo Chuney Laul	151	8	0	13	10	2
44	Justice of the Peace (Chairman)	25	0	0	2	4	0
38	Khetter Mohun Baboo	87	14	3	7	14	7
22	Luckeynarain, Ghunnessam Doss ...	28	0	0	2	8	4
14	Muddoo Sing, Narain Sing	5	15	3	0	8	7
29	Monohur Doss, Sewnarain and Fuckeerchund ...	293	1	9	26	6	1
18	Nicka Mull	32	14	0	2	15	4
25	Netychurn Day	94	12	6	8	8	6
8	Rajkisto, Nobinchunder Shaw	23	13	0	2	2	3
12	Ramchunder Shaw	2,400	0	0	216	0	0
32	Ramchunder Ghose	8	2	0	0	11	8
34	Ramanauth Gossai	26	10	0	2	6	4
36	Ramdoss, Kissen Doss	8	8	9	0	12	4
39	Rakhaldoss Ghosaul and Chundeechurn Mitter ...	46	0	9	4	2	4
15	Sagore Dutt of Messrs. William Keep and Co. ...	31	5	0	2	13	1

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 9 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
17	Sittanauth Seal	49	13	9	4	7	10
21	Shookdeb Sodasook	95	1	9	8	8	11
26	Sittanauth, Baboo	140	0	0	12	9	7
3	Tarra Sing	9	11	0	0	13	11
35	Woomachurn Sing	6	11	9	0	9	8

In the matter of HURROSUNKER GHOSE, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 4 per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
21	Alexander, Robert	12,000	0	0	60	0	0
20	Bindabun Ghose	250	0	0	1	4	0
43	Bhoyrubchunder Takoor	10,000	0	0	50	0	0
57	Bulloy Law	3,700	0	0	18	8	0
59	Buddynauth Dutt	250	0	0	1	4	0
64	Bhugoban Ghuttopadhia	2,100	0	0	10	8	0
67	Barretto and Sons, J.	2,100	0	0	10	8	0
68	Brightman, Edward	7,000	0	0	35	0	0
73	Bhuggobuttychurn Gangooly	1,000	0	0	5	0	0
83	Bhoyrubchunder Chuckerbutty	186	0	0	0	14	11
2	Comullochun Bysack	10,000	0	0	50	0	0
5	Chundercoomar Takoor	6,000	0	0	30	0	0
15	Cossynauth Gooye and Juggernauth Dutt ...	750	0	0	3	12	0
38	Cossinauth Bhuttacharjee	1,700	0	0	8	8	0
60	Commollochun Bhuttacharjee	600	0	0	3	0	0
75	Collymohun Mookerjee	500	0	0	2	8	0
82	Comulmoney Raur	1,100	0	0	5	8	0
87	Cossynauth and Gooroopersaud Biswas ...	69	14	0	0	5	7
23	Debnauth Chattopadhia	1,600	0	0	8	0	0
61	Doorgapersaud Pundit	700	0	0	3	8	0
88	Doorga Dossee	2,000	0	0	10	0	0
53	Gungagobindo Gungopadhia	1,200	0	0	6	0	0
81	Goluckchunder Bundopadhia	500	0	0	2	8	0
9	Hurrakissen Hazrah	4,000	0	0	20	0	0
52	Joychunder Gangooly	1,075	0	0	5	6	0
70	Johnson, Captain	5,000	0	0	25	0	0
13	Kangally Sing	1,000	0	0	5	0	0
46	Khettermohun Dhur	2,500	0	0	12	8	0
48	Keerpamoye Dabee	1,900	0	0	9	8	0
35	Kallachund Mookerjee	100	0	0	0	8	0
49	Kissen Mohun Sen	1,500	0	0	7	8	0
51	Kaulachund Mookerjee	1,600	0	0	8	0	0
56	Kissen Mohun Ghose	1,000	0	0	5	0	0
6	Lallchund Hingunloll	3,500	0	0	17	8	0
42	Larruletta and Co.	28,574	3	9	142	13	11
8	Meerja Jaffer	3,000	0	0	15	0	0
3	Nilmoney Chottopadhia	1,400	0	0	7	0	0
4	Nundoram Budeenauth	25,399	7	6	126	15	11
	Additional for costs	1,999	7	6	9	15	11
44	Nilmoney Chuckerbutty	3,000	0	0	15	0	0
1	Obhoychurn Bhuttacharjee	10,000	0	0	50	0	0
39	Omaputty Chuttopadia	1,000	0	0	5	0	0
62	Punchanund Gangooly	400	0	0	2	0	0
17	Ramjoy Sill	500	0	0	2	8	0
30	Ram Mohun, Ghaut Manjee	300	0	0	1	8	0
34	Rogoonauth Coondoo	350	0	0	1	12	0
37	Ramnarain and Sib Chunder Bysack ...	15,000	0	0	75	0	0
40	Ram Mohun Bundopadhia	12,000	0	0	60	0	0
41	Ramnarain and Ramanund Mitter ...	9,145	5	4	45	11	7
47	Ramnarain Naug	2,000	0	0	10	0	0
66	Romony Dossee	1,700	0	0	8	8	0
72	Ramrutton Bose	700	0	0	3	8	0
77	Ramchunder Bhuttacharjee	350	0	0	1	12	0
80	Rajeeblochun Mookerjee	800	0	0	4	0	0
48	Ram Mohun Bhuttacharjee	81	0	0	0	6	6

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	As.	P.	2nd Dividend at 4 per cent., 5th April 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
7	Sibnarain Sein and others	8,000	0	0	40	0	0
21	Sreenibass Sircar	1,600	0	0	8	0	0
14	Shibchunder Moitry	800	0	0	4	0	0
22	Sreemutty Rassmoney Dabee	6,000	0	0	30	0	0
36	Shibnarain Ghose	15,000	0	0	75	0	0
59	Sumboochunder Mitter	1,500	0	0	7	8	0
78	Tarrachund Dutt	100	0	0	0	8	0
86	Takoordoss Paul	80	0	0	0	6	5

In the matter of MANUK MALCOLM MANUK, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	As.	P.	3rd Dividend at 15 per cent., 5th April 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
19	Brett, F. H.	1,453	9	0	13	10	10
16	Carr, Tagore and Co.	4,242	12	0	39	12	4
12	Eglinton, McClure and Co.	6,588	1	11	61	12	3
2	Gillon, J. R.	15,200	0	0	142	8	0
9	Gervain and Co.	345	3	0	3	3	9
14	Hamilton and Co.	741	11	6	6	15	3
18	Hutteman, G. H.	66	4	0	0	9	10
5	Isserchunder Mookerjee	3,895	8	3	36	8	4
10	Lattey and Co., A. P.	542	0	0	5	1	4
4	Malchus, P. J.	909	13	3	8	8	6
6	Militus Paul, and another	4,501	2	1	42	3	2
7	Martin, C.	85	0	0	0	12	9
13	Moore Hickey, and Co.	2,712	8	8	25	6	10
15	Manuk, J. M.	39,600	0	0	371	4	0
17	Mackenzie Lyall, and Co.	303	14	0	2	13	6
20	Muller, and Co.	6,401	7	3	60	0	3
1	Sonatun Mullick and Co.	603	12	0	5	10	6

In the Matter of DAVID WINTER FRASER, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of Claim. Rs.	A.	P.	1st Dividend at 2½ per cent., 5th April 1873. Rs.	As.	P.
13, 14, 15	Agra Bank	7,368	14	5	165	12	10
41	Abbott, W. H.	1,500	0	0	33	12	0
44	Adam and Co.	84	2	0	1	14	3
11	Browne and Co., F. W.	29	6	0	0	10	7
27	Bathgate and Co.	10	8	0	0	3	9
33	Bengal Club Secretary	183	15	6	4	2	3
37	Burkinyoung, and Co.	49	6	0	1	1	9
42	Brown and Castle	5	0	0	0	1	10
45	Boudet, J.	50	0	0	1	2	0
47	Burn and Co.	1,362	12	9	30	10	8
20	Cook and Co.	405	10	8	9	2	0
1	Gibson and Co.	432	8	0	9	11	8
30	Gervain and Co.	571	7	0	12	13	8
36	Groser and Co.	26	8	0	0	9	6
38	Gould, Mr.	28	0	0	0	10	1
7	Hume, James	99	1	0	2	3	8
49	Hunter and Co.	16	0	0	0	5	9
48	Joteepersad	1,000	0	0	22	8	0
5	Lattey Brothers and Co.	523	12	0	11	12	7
8	Mars Testelin	67	8	0	1	8	4
10	Monteith and Co., James	53	12	0	1	3	4
15	Mackenzie Lyall and Co.	3,300	11	0	74	4	3
23	Mohun Sing	1,000	0	0	22	8	0
24	Modhnarain Sing Bahadoor Rajah ...	2,500	0	0	56	4	0
43	Nisbitt and Co.	16	0	0	0	5	9
21	Pitt, John	100	0	0	2	4	0
39	Perry and Co.	117	8	0	2	10	4
46	Rowland, G. H.	600	0	0	13	8	0

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st Dividend at 2½ per cent., 5th April 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
16	Samuel Smith and Co.	65	8	0	1	7	7
17	Spence and Co., J.	538	6	0	12	1	10
31	Scott, Thomson and Co., R.	119	12	0	2	11	1
32	Shaw Brothers and Co.	260	13	0	5	13	11
34	Swinhoe, T. B.	48	8	6	1	1	5
6	Thomson and Co.	136	0	0	3	1	0
26	Thacker and Co.	5	12	0	0	2	1
19	Wilson and Co., D.	25	0	0	0	9	0
29	Watson, Messrs.	10,850	2	0	244	2	1

In the matter of RAJENDER DUTT, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 2½ per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
76	Chunder Coomar Chatterjee	519	0	0	14	12	0
79	F. W. Browne and Co.	150	0	0	3	12	0

In the matter of CHARLES MOTTLEY, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 21 per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
2	Colvin, Ainslie, Cowie and Co.	500	0	0	105	0	0
24	Cursetjee and Co.	772	0	0	162	1	11
12	Dhunjee, Shroff	341	2	0	71	10	2
7	Kirk and Co.	351	0	0	73	11	4
13	Koorsetjee, Merchant	400	0	0	84	0	0
4	Mackenzie, Lyall & Co.	165	2	0	34	10	10
11	Mootecram, Shroff	266	4	0	55	14	7
16	Munro and Co.	130	0	0	27	4	10
20	Sook, Shroff	375	0	0	78	12	0
25	Woller and Co.	203	0	0	42	10	1

In the matter of JOHN CURRIE (MACFARLANE AND Co.) Insolvents.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 12½ per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
3	Andrews, D. R.	3,273	11	8	409	3	5
2	Burst, George	2,250	0	0	281	4	0
120	Bell, Wm.	1,600	0	0	200	0	0
9	Cossypersaud Ghose	300	0	0	37	8	0
1	Davis, Alexander	3,375	0	0	421	14	0
8	Holmes, P. H.	160	0	0	20	0	0
118	Juggernauth Sing	28	0	0	3	8	0
119	Joomun, Butcher	600	0	0	75	0	0
17	Keyland, John	84	14	0	10	9	9
6	Mothoor Mohun Soor	164	8	0	20	9	0
18	Tulloh, Adam and Co.	46	1	3	5	12	2

In the Matter of C. R. LACKERSTEEN AND Co., Insolvents.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 4½ per cent. 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
24	Bryve, C. G. (Estate)	102	10	2	4	9	11
20	Demello, A. A.	38,351	11	10	1,725	13	3
21	Dos Remedios, J. J.	898	7	2	40	6	10
39	Gobin Chunder Sein	52,055	13	10	2,342	8	3
36	Lackersteen, Miss	497	6	0	22	6	1
9	Holmes, P. H.	2,027	7	10	91	3	10
5	Locket, W. J.	5,432	7	0	244	7	4

In the matter of CHARLES DUPRE RUSSELL, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd Dividend at ¼ per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	R.	A.	P.
14	Arthur Pittar, Lattey and Co.	2,328	2	0	5	13	2
30	Bathgate and Co.	100	2	6	0	4	0
33	Burkinyoung and Co.	630	8	0	1	9	3

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd Dividend at 4 per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
46	Best, James	2,286	5	0	5	11	5
4	Currie and Co.	7,552	8	6	18	14	1
15	Cameron, C. and J.	1,060	0	0	2	10	5
16	Mrs. Carbery	704	0	0	1	12	2
37	Cook and Co.	100	0	0	0	4	0
45	Davis, John	50,000	0	0	125	0	0
6	Gibson and Co.	2,817	10	8	7	0	8
25	Huttman, G. H.	541	6	9	1	5	8
39	Hunter and Co.	679	0	0	1	11	2
28	Macnaghten, R. A.	198	1	0	0	7	11
48	Monteith and Co., James	1,221	0	0	3	0	10
56	Modoosoodun Mitter and others ...	1,953	14	0	4	12	2
7	Nesky and Co.	1,109	1	0	2	12	4
20	Ostel, Lepage and Co.	516	10	8	1	4	8
52	Pittar and Co.	669	11	6	1	10	9
3	Robinson, W. W.	1,416	0	0	3	8	8
41	Rainey, W. H. S.	1,114	0	0	2	12	7
58	Roy Greedhareeloll	1,16,266	10	8	290	10	8
1	Sreemutty Susseemookee Dassee... ...	11,302	3	7	28	4	1
2	Spence and Co.	2,250	15	0	5	10	1
29	Smith, Samuel, and Co.	423	0	0	1	0	11
9	Twentyman, W. H. (Executor)	13,812	9	9	34	8	6
19	Thacker and Co.	525	3	11	1	5	0
3	Thompson and Co., R. S.	104	4	0	0	4	2
35	Thompson and Co.	1,104	8	0	2	12	2

In the matter of THOMAS PAYNE AND SONS, Insolvents.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd Dividend at 1½ per cent., 3rd May 1873.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1	Ausoory and Moozarally, Butchers ...	352	0	0	5	4	6
2	Anundchunder Mookerjee and Co. ...	874	15	9	13	2	0
3	Agra and United Service Bank ...	391	1	8	5	13	10
5	Auction Company, Limited	640	3	0	9	9	8
6	Bathgate and Co.	70	5	6	1	0	11
7	Bhuggobutty Churn Ghuttuck	86	11	6	1	4	10
8	Baptist, S. G.	101	1	6	1	8	3
16	Burkinyoung and Co.	183	10	0	2	12	1
18	Bissonauth Law, pd. A. T. Smond ...	2,900	0	0	43	8	0
15	Burkinyoung, P. pd., T. E. Carter ...	10,009	8	6	150	2	3
20	Cutler and Co.	527	7	6	7	14	7
21	Colvin, Cowie and Co.	2,326	14	3	34	14	5
22	Cuthbertson and Harper	90	0	0		5	7
23	Doyalchund Mullick	26	8	0	0	6	4
25	"Englishman" Press	103	11	0	1	8	11
26	Eshanchunder Chatterjee	1,079	5	3	16	3	0
28	Gopalchunder Bose	2,391	9	1	35	14	0
29	Gupeenauth Ghose	262	8	0	3	15	0
30	Gladstone, Wyllie and Co.	1,153	0	0	17	4	9
34	Gillham, J.	5,647	11	9	84	11	5
36	Ganges Steam N. Co.	351	0	0	5	4	3
37	Gupeenath Singhee	16	0	0	0	3	10
85	Gulky (Fisherwoman)	32	0	0	0	7	8
60	Hurrumbo Chunder Doss	125	0	0	1	14	0
43	Jonadun Shaw Brothers	500	4	0	7	8	1
96	Jennings, F.	97	15	0	1	7	6
44	Khetter Mohun Ghose	40	0	0	0	9	7
45	Lalloo, Shaik	234	0	0	3	8	7
46	Mohila, Shaik	653	6	0	9	12	10
47	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co.	947	0	6	14	3	4
48	Munglokotick (Pigman)	204	0	0	3	1	0
49	Mohonachunder Doss and Co.	255	0	0	3	13	2
50	Maudhub Chunder Dutt	191	15	6	2	14	1
52	Osmond, A. P.	500	0	0	7	8	0
53	Palmer, and Co.	773	13	0	11	9	8
54	Pittar and Payne	233	9	0	3	8	2

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	2nd Dividend at 2½ per cent., 3rd May 1873. Rs.	A.	P.
69	Puddolochun Singhee ...	400	0	0	6	0	0
70	Punuwoollah ...	7	8	0	0	1	9
71	Pittumber Singhee ...	66	0	0	0	15	10
57	Ramchund Doss and Co. ...	2,227	14	3	33	8	8
58	Radamohun Doss and Co. ...	1,668	4	3	25	0	5
59	Russickloll Dutt ...	40	0	0	0	9	7
60	Ramkissen Biswas ...	140	0	0	2	1	7
61	Ramdhone Shaw ...	52	4	3	0	14	3
90	Ramlochun Shaw ...	30	0	0	0	7	2
91	Radhakissen Bose ...	56	0	0	0	13	5
63	Sreemout Day ...	135	7	3	2	0	6
64	Smith and Stanistreet ...	51	8	0	0	12	4
65	Solim, Butcher ...	225	0	0	3	6	0
98	Sumbhoo Chunder Day and Co. ...	2,386	7	0	35	12	9
74	Tarrachund Nundey ...	212	8	0	3	3	0
77	Tarracknauth Dutt ...	26	7	9	0	6	4
78	Wahed, Shaik (Butcher) ...	5,188	0	0	77	13	1
79	Woomachurn Ghose ...	70	0	0	1	0	10
80	Waldie, Dr. ...	53	10	0	0	12	10
86	McCheyne and Co. ...	136	6	7	2	0	9

In the matter of MUTTYLOLL DAY, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	1st Dividend at 5 per cent. 3rd May 1873. Rs.	A	P.
5	Beerchaund Burraul ...	2,306	12	0	115	5	5
8	Chunderseekur Gangooly and Kadumbinee Dabey ...	449	10	0	22	7	8
20	Chundernauth, Brijonauth Shaw ...	569	6	6	28	7	6
25	Chintaram, Nooderchund Shaw ...	332	15	0	16	10	4
3	Dwarkanauth Seal ...	2,073	5	9	103	10	8
33	Dykes and Co. ...	483	0	0	24	2	5
9	Fuckeerchund Poddar ...	139	8	3	6	15	7
11	Gobindchund Doss ...	919	10	0	45	15	11
18	Gour Buddinauth Shaw ...	584	2	3	29	3	4
14	Hurrynauth Shaw and Juggobundoo Poramanik ...	32	15	9	1	10	5
6	Joykissen Mitter ...	1,000	0	0	50	0	0
24	Kissenchund Bhoom Sing ...	467	3	0	23	5	9
1	Muddenmohun and Rajchunder Haldar ...	400	14	5	20	0	8
4	Mothoormohun Mookerjee ...	745	0	3	37	4	0
7	Modoosoodun Day ...	1,641	13	6	82	1	6
22	Mothoorakanto Shaw ...	545	6	3	27	4	4
27	Mohunloll Poorunchund Shaw ...	2	1	6	0	1	8
32	Mackintosh, A. B. ...	1,000	0	0	50	0	0
35	Mackenzie, Lyall and Co. ...	461	6	0	23	1	1
13	Pearymohun Roy ...	34	0	0	1	11	2
30	Purrier and Co. ...	2,485	14	7	124	4	9
10	Ralli and Mavrojani ...	1,003	8	2	50	2	10
23	Radanauth Shaw ...	2,830	8	6	141	8	5
26	Setulchunder Shaw ...	288	4	9	14	6	8
29	Shibchunder Seal ...	31	2	0	1	8	10
31	Scotney Miss. ...	2,350	0	0	117	8	0
2	Woomachurn Mitter ...	65	7	0	3	4	4
34	Watts and Co. ...	125	0	0	6	4	0

In the matter of SAMUEL JOHN SAUNDERS, an Insolvent.

Nos.	Names of Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	2nd Dividend at 14 per cent., 3rd May 1873. Rs.	A.	P.
30	Ahmuty and Co. ...	38	8	6	5	6	4
1	Brazier, J. ...	402	7	9	56	5	7
18	Bathgate and Co. ...	112	12	6	15	12	8
13	Cook and Co. ...	155	9	0	21	12	6
26	Cook, Mr. (Hair Dresser) ...	72	0	0	10	1	3
8	Dobson, J. ...	445	0	0	62	4	10
3	Gibson and Co. ...	1,746	10	0	244	8	5
16	Greenway and Co. ...	106	0	0	14	13	5

No.	Names of Creditors.			Amount of Claim.			2nd Dividend on 14 [illegible], 3rd May 1873.		
				Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
33	Gattie, Perry and Co.	...	...	45	0	0	6	4	10
54	Hansi Court of Requests	...	...	462	15	10	64	13	1
28	Juggobundo Sen	...	...	48	[illegible]	[illegible]	6	11	6
45	Ives and Co.	...	...	254	9	[illegible]	35	10	4
22	Kirk and Co., John	...	...	116	0	[illegible]	16	3	10
34	Myjoodee, Tailor	...	...	200	0	0	28	[illegible]	0
9	Ostel and Lepage	...	...	92	1	4	1[illegible]	[illegible]	3
4	Pittar, Lattey and Co., A.	...	...	927	12	0	129	[illegible]	2
44	Peterson, F.	...	...	130	0	0	18	3	2
6	Samuel Smith, Larimour and Co.		...	205	4	0	28	11	9
7	Stagg and Co.	...	...	580	4	1	81	3	9
17	Statham, and Co.	...	...	69	0	0	9	10	7
43	Solarbux	...	...	67	11	0	9	7	7
10	Thacker and Co.	...	...	36	8	0	5	0	8
42	Tuttle, and Charles	...	...	231	2	1	32	5	9
14	Wilson, and Co., D.	...	...	41	8	0	5	13	0

CALCUTTA, the 15th December 1873. (475—2) J. C. MACGREGOR, *Official Assignee.*

INSOLVENT COURT.

OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE'S OFFICE.

Pursuant to Act No. XXVII of 1841.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the event of no claim being established to the unclaimed dividends hereunder mentioned within twelve months from this date, such dividends will be distributed amongst such of the creditors of the undermentioned Insolvent estates as have established their in claims against such estates :—

Estate JOHN BRIGHTMAN VANDENBERG, 1st Insolvency.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 50 per cent., 18th April 1873.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Angier and Co., of Cossitollah, Gunsmiths	120	0	0	60	0	0
Aubrey, R., of ditto, Tailor	40	0	0	20	0	0
Bourkey, L. F., of ditto, ditto	70	0	0	35	0	0
Cook, Captain of the brig *Sir Archibald Campbell* ...	150	0	0	75	0	0
Chunder Coomar Shaw, of Radhabazar, Wine Merchant ...	20	0	0	10	0	0
Dupouis, G., of Kyd Street, Dancing Master	50	0	0	25	0	0
Esserchunder Shaw and Co., of Radhabazar, Shop-keeper ...	8	0	0	4	0	0
Edmonds and Co., of Nulpooker, Cooks ...	6	0	0	3	0	0
Gourmohun Roy and Co., of New China Bazar, Jewellers ...	20	0	0	10	0	0
Gopeenauth Chatterjee, of ditto Hawker ...	16	0	0	8	0	0
Modoosoodun Shaw and Co., of Waterloo Street, Wine Merchants.	25	0	0	12	8	0
Mullock, D. E., of Mango Lane, Shop-keeper	10	0	0	5	0	0
Martin, C and E., of Cossitollah, Book-binders ..	6	0	0	3	0	0
Nothoram Ghose of Terrata Bazar, Butterman	10	0	0	5	0	0
Odeychurn Day and Co., of China Bazar, Shop-keeper ...	12	0	0	6	0	0
Phillips and Co., F., of Lall Bazar, Shoe-makers ...	10	0	0	5	0	0
Ram Chunder Roy and Co., of Radhabazar, Shop-keepers ...	6	0	0	3	0	0
Russickloll Dutt and Co., of China Bazar, ditto ...	6	0	0	3	0	0
Stuart, J. G., of Beghie and Co., Shoe-makers	107	5	9	53	10	10
Spence and Co., of Spence's Hotel, Confectioners ...	50	0	0	25	0	0

Estate LOUIS ALBERT DECROYER.

Creditors.	Amount of claim			1st dividend at 22 per cent., 4th July 1863.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
DeRozario and Co., of Tank Square, Book-sellers ...	9	6	0	2	1	0
Swinhoe and Law, Attorneys-at-law	200	0	0	44	0	0
Toolseedoss Dutt, of Old China Bazar, Money-lender ...	390	0	0	85	12	2

Estate JOHN SAMUEL WOODWARD.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 24 per cent., 4th July 1863.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Bell, Mr., of Hare Street, Shop-keeper	110	0	0	26	6	5
Brown, F. W., of Old Court House Street, Wine Merchant	14	8	0	3	7	8
Cohen, J. H., of Writers' Buildings	63	0	0	15	2	7
Hewick and Co., of Tank Square, Tailors	80	0	0	19	3	2
Hay and Co., of Cossitollah, Book-sellers	16	0	0	3	13	5
Maintain, J., of Government Place, Gilder	10	0	0	2	6	4
Ramjoy Seal and Co., of Radha Bazar	24	0	0	5	12	2
Radhamohun Pyne and Co., of Old Court House Street, Shop-keepers.	43	0	0	10	5	1
Spence and Co., of Government Place, Hotel-keepers	10	0	0	2	6	5
Smith, H., of Dhurrumtollah, Wine Merchant... ...	115	0	0	27	9	7
Taylor, W. B. G., C.S....	100	0	0	24	0	0

Estate EDMOND GEORGE COLLINET.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd dividend at 8 per cent., 3rd October 1863.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Buljoor, of Umballah, Bearer	5	0	0	0	6	4
Bohea, of ditto, Mehter	4	0	0	0	5	1
Bhowanideen of ditto, Grass-cutter	5	0	0	0	6	4
Baluck, of ditto, Garrywan	4	0	0	0	5	1
Bhistee, of ditto	5	0	0	0	6	4

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd dividend at 8 per cent., 3rd October 1868.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Collinet, Madam, of Paris	400	11	0	32	0	10
Chuckim of Umballah, Mussalchee...	5	0	0	0	6	4
Goonaie, of ditto, Mate Gardener	4	0	0	0	5	1
Macdonald and Co., P., of ditto, Merchants	254	0	0	20	3	1
Meerain, of Umballa, Syce	5	0	0	0	6	4
Moonesah, of ditto, Ayah	7	0	0	0	8	11
Nubbee Bux and Co., of Umballa, Shop-keepers ...	104	0	0	8	5	1
Necknoo, of ditto, Cooly	4	0	0	0	5	1
Oproopandy, of ditto, Chuprassee	6	0	0	0	7	8
Oorchail, of ditto, Grass-cutter	4	0	0	0	5	1
Persaud Dhoby, of Umballa	9	0	0	0	11	6
Runjeet Sing, of ditto, Chuprassee	5	0	0	0	6	4
Ramdeen, of ditto, Syce	5	0	0	0	6	4
Mohomed Khan, of ditto, Khansamah	8	0	0	0	10	2
Mallee, of ditto	4	0	0	0	5	1

Estate BEHAREELOLL DHEECHUT.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 10 per cent., 4th July 1863.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Ashburner and Co., of Calcutta, Merchants	225	10	0	22	10	7
Auskurrun and Umeerchund, of Burra Bazar, Cloth Merchants	66	3	0	6	9	11
Annundram and Juggurnauth, of Amratollah Gully, Brokers	137	2	0	13	11	4
Bisseshurpersaud, of Burra Bazar, Cloth Merchant ...	138	0	0	13	12	9
Buctawar Mull and Beejranj, of ditto, ditto ...	46	4	3	4	10	0
Golaupchund and Bedechund, of ditto, ditto ...	47	8	0	4	12	0
Heeranund, and Choutmull, of ditto, ditto ...	61	0	0	6	1	4
Jadoonauth Sircar, of Hogulcooreah ...	41	14	6	4	3	0
Ramprotaub and Ramloll, of Hanspooker, Merchants ...	184	5	9	18	7	7
Ruggoonauthprosad's Cootee, of Burra Bazar	265	14	0	26	9	6

Estate ASSARAM AND SOOKLOLL.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 6½ per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Bhoory, of Burra Bazar, in Calcutta	400	0	0	22	0	0
Basde Baish, of ditto, ditto	450	0	0	24	12	0
Ghasseeram Mirzamull, of ditto, ditto	135	8	0	7	7	4
Jugulkissore Ramrutton, of ditto, ditto	125	0	0	6	14	0
Lutchmeychundoss Lamtee, of ditto, ditto	175	0	0	9	10	0
Luchmychund Radhakissen, ditto, ditto	3,060	4	0	168	5	0
Mosley and Hurst, of Calcutta, Merchants	1,254	0	0	68	15	6
Recknauth Jhamur, of Burra Bazar, in Calcutta ...	384	13	3	21	2	8
Sewaram Khosalchund, of ditto, ditto ...	40	0	0	2	3	2
Sejmull Rangha, of ditto, ditto ...	393	9	9	21	10	5

Estate JOHN BRIGHTMAN VANDENBERG, 4th Insolvency.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 18 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Andrews, J., of Cossitollah, Calcutta, Shop-keeper ...	12	0	0	2	2	6
Auction Company, Calcutta	4	8	0	0	12	11
Bhogoban Biswas, of Bow Bazar, Shop-keeper... ...	17	0	0	3	0	11
Bonomally Naun and Co., of Old China Bazar, ditto ...	85	0	0	15	4	10
Bell, W., of Hare Street, Agent to Messrs. Maxwell ...	50	0	0	9	0	0
Cook and Co., of Dhurrumtollah, Stable-keepers ...	8	0	0	1	7	0
Dunkhin Chinaman, of Cossitollah, Shoe-maker ...	12	0	0	2	2	6
D'Vos, J., of Park Street, St. Xavier's College ...	50	0	0	9	0	0
Damoo, of Jaun Bazar, Shop-keeper	15	0	0	2	11	3
Floyd, J., of Alipore, Provisioner	6	0	0	1	1	3
Hay and Co., G. C., of Esplanade Row, Book-sellers ...	10	0	0	1	12	9
Hurro Chunder Day and Co., of Old China Bazar, Shop-keeper	6	0	0	1	1	3
Koyam and Co., of Free School Street, Shop-keeper ...	16	0	0	2	14	1
Loretto Convent, Lady Superioress	50	0	0	9	0	0
Meah Khodabux, of Taltollah, Landholder	50	0	0	9	0	0
Mackenzie, Lyall and Co., of Calcutta, Merchants ...	10	0	0	1	12	9

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 18 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Moddock and Douglas, of Waterloo Street, Hotel-keepers ...	9	0	0	1	9	11
Muttyloll Sircar and Co., of Old China Bazar, Shop-keepers	16	0	0	2	14	1
Madarryloll, of Wood Street, Garreewallah	10	0	0	1	12	9
Marco Garreewallah, of Sudder Street	20	0	0	2	2	7
Narain Sing and Co., China Bazar, Shop-keepers ...	25	0	0	4	8	0
Roe, Captain William, of Dhurrumtollah	9	0	0	1	6	11
Solomons and Co., of Hare Street, Opticians	12	0	0	2	2	7
Shaik Matahdeen, of Sooterkin's Lane, Provisioner ...	100	0	0	18	0	0
Tarreychurn Roy, of Armenian Ghaut	140	0	0	25	3	2
Thompson & Co., of Waterloo Street, Hotel-keepers ...	30	0	0	5	6	5
Thomson & Co., T. E., Esplanade, Hardware Merchants ...	10	0	0	1	12	9
Toorun, of Old China Bazar, Shop-keeper	10	0	0	1	12	9

Estate GEORGE RIPLEY OR BIRRELL & Co.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 2 per cent.			2nd dividend at 3 per cent.			3rd dividend at 14 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Barker, James, of Moulmein ...	7,000	0	0	140	0	0	210	0	0	87	8	0
Bryant, Davies and Co., of Nicholas Lane.	21,592	14	0	0	0	0	617	12	7	279	14	7
Beghie and Co., of Rangoon ...	22,700	0	0	454	0	0	681	0	0	283	12	0
Campbell, Major James, of Pegu	251	0	0	5	0	4	7	8	5	3	2	2
Frith, Sands and Co., of Austin Friars, London.	19,555	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	244	7	0
Griffiths, J., of Rangoon ...	2,000	0	0	40	0	0	60	0	0	25	0	0
Hawkins, Major	500	0	0	10	0	0	15	0	0	6	4	0
Hicks, Sim and Co., of Bombay	437	8	0	8	12	0	13	2	0	5	7	6
Hall, West and Co., of Rangoon	2,420	0	0	48	6	5	72	9	7	30	4	0
Jardine, Skinner and Co., of Calcutta.	15,397	10	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	192	7	6
Lloyd, Captain H., of Rangoon ...	3,317	0	0	66	5	5	99	8	2	41	7	5
Mercantile Bank of India ...	72,973	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	912	2	8
Molyneux, Major, of Rangoon ...	599	8	0	11	15	10	17	15	9	7	7	11
Osborne, G. W., of Nagpore ...	711	0	0	14	3	6	21	5	3	8	14	2
Sichell, Alexander and Co., of Liverpool.	19,000	0	0	380	0	0	570	0	0	237	8	0
Smith and Co., R., of Calcutta ...	8,669	8	6	173	6	3	260	1	4	108	5	10
Trever, Lieutenant	324	0	0	6	7	8	9	11	6	4	0	10

Estate THOMAS EDMOND MICHELL TURTON.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			5th dividend at 11 as. per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Burkinyoung and Co., Music Sellers, Calcutta ...	136	12	0	0	15	0
Chance, J., Watch-maker, Calcutta	55	0	0	0	6	0
Dingmall, Solicitor, London	2,680	0	0	18	6	9
East India Company	773	15	0	5	4	6
Graham Thomas *Mitre Court* Temple, London ...	3,000	0	0	20	10	0
Harvey, Denton and Co., of London, Silversmiths .	3,240	0	0	22	4	5
Purvis, G. and M. Cardozo (estate William Smith) ...	490	0	5	3	6	6
Smyth and Co., B., Wine Merchants, Calcutta ...	95	0	0	0	10	3
Thomson and Co., T. E., Hardware Merchants, ditto ...	730	0	0	5	0	3
Spence and Co., Hotel keeper, ditto	265	13	2	1	13	3

Estate GEORGE HODGES.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 5 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Ahmuty and Co., of Church Lane, Calcutta, Provisioners ...	568	11	6	28	6	5
Bissonath Law and Co., of New China Bazar, Shop-keepers	188	5	9	9	6	8
Baptist and Co., of Dhurrumtollah, Bazar Supplier ...	6	0	0	0	4	10
Calcutta Auction Company, of Tank Square ...	151	0	0	7	8	10
Cutler and Co., of Old Court House Street, Wine Merchants	35	0	0	1	12	0
Ghose, H. C., of China Bazar, Tea Merchant ...	10	0	0	0	8	0
Greedhur Sein, of Mission Row	50	0	0	2	8	0
Muttyloll Dutt and Co., of Old China Bazar, Cloth Merchants	127	3	0	6	5	9

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 5 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Phœnix Newspaper, of Loll Bazar	52	14	0	2	10	4
Shaw, and Co., K. C. M., of Chinsurah, Shop-keepers ...	198	0	0	9	14	4
Scott, Thomson and Co., of Old Court House Street, Chemists	48	4	0	2	6	7
Toolsee Doss Brothers and Co., of Old China Bazar, Cabinet-makers.	104	0	0	5	3	9

Estate WILLIAM MUSGRAVE (MUSGRAVE AND ORD.)

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 14 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Burnett, Messrs. of Etawah ...	500	0	0	70	0	0
Billings, G., Deputy Collector, Meerut	35	5	3	4	15	2
Campbell, Colonel, J. D., Engineer, of Meerut... ...	14	6	6	2	0	3
Cline, E. A., Deputy Collector, Benares	62	12	6	8	12	3
Peaser, W. T., of London	1,132	0	0	158	7	8
Gudgee, Sadler, of Meerut	58	8	0	8	5	0
Hurpershaud, Petty Broker, Meerut	14	6	6	2	0	3
Hart, G., Subordinate, Medical Department, of Agra ...	11	11	3	1	10	2
Hawthorn, Major, in England	13	8	0	1	14	3
Hobson, W., Clerk, Cawnpore	24	5	0	3	6	5
Jonadun Shaw and Co., Wine Merchants, Meerut ...	109	5	9	15	4	11
Jones, J. L., of Meerut	122	3	0	17	1	8
Keep and Co., of Calcutta	505	9	0	70	12	5
Knight, W., of Meerut	7	0	0	0	15	8
Kurreembux, Native Merchant, Meerut	20	0	0	2	12	10
Nayler, R. D., Telegraph Department, Meerut	13	15	3	1	15	3
Noorbux, Carpenter, of Meerut	76	1	0	10	10	5
Mess, H. M.'s 52nd Regiment, Jhansie	237	13	3	33	4	8
Palmer and Co., of Calcutta	41	10	6	5	13	4
Peer Bux, Petty Broker, Meerut	208	12	0	29	3	7
Powell, Colonel, late 28th Native Infantry, England ...	550	8	3	77	1	2
Poorkhun, Mason, of Meerut	193	0	0	27	0	4
Roxton, H., of Meerut	85	8	0	11	15	6
Ramdiall, Petty Broker, ditto	4	11	6	0	10	7
Stathert, Captain, late 4th Native Infantry, England ...	63	0	0	8	13	1
Stewart, Captain, C. E., Engineer, of Meerut	93	9	8	13	1	8
Swah Mahomed, Native Merchant, ditto	21	3	0	2	15	5
Turnbull, G. D., C.S., of ditto	494	1	6	69	2	9
Tonnachy, Captain V., of ditto	32	3	0	4	8	1
Fuddy, Captain, late 29th Native Infantry, England ...	292	7	0	40	15	1
Thornton, J. L., late Deputy Collector, Cawnpore ...	49	0	9	6	13	10
Tonnachy, T.	60	5	9	8	7	2

Estate JAMES WILLIAM HENDRY CAMPBELL.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 6¼ per cent.			2nd dividend at 12 per cent.		
				Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Gungaram Roy, Sircar, Calcutta	850	0	0	55	4	0	120	0	0

Estate WATSON AND CO. AND GIBBON AND CO.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd dividend at 4 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Agricultural and Horticultural Society, Punjab	1,406	12	6	56	4	4
Burnett, Ensign, J. C.	9	6	0	0	6	0
Blundell, Hon'ble G. A., Singapore	1	8	9	0	1	0
Burn, Lieutenant J., 40th Native Infantry	3	0	6	0	1	11
Byrub, Calcutta	65	10	0	2	10	0
Black, Isabella Cullen, Scotland	2,000	0	0	80	0	0
Crombie and Co., James, Cotall Hills, near Aberdeen ...	752	14	6	30	1	10
Cloete, J. P., Cape of Good Hope...	222	6	10	8	14	5
Clarke, Major J., Goojranwallah	44	8	3	1	13	5
Cock, James, Shanghai	827	0	0	33	1	4
Cook, C. W., estate, J. Gibbons, Executor	105	4	0	4	2	1
Cosserat Lewis, Tirhoot	675	14	9	27	0	7
Corbett, Major Stewart	19	9	0	0	8	9
Cooper, G., East Indian Railway Company	38	13	0	1	9	6

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd dividend at 4 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Chapman, W., Calcutta	3,000	0	0	120	0	0
Cook, James (Estate)	20,858	11	9	814	5	4
Davidson and Petrie, London	2,215	10	0	88	10	0
Edgar, Lieutenant F. J., 15th Native Infantry... ...	56	12	10	2	4	4
Essenchunder Chatterjee, Calcutta	30	13	6	1	3	9
Fergusson, Mrs. J., Meerut	5	2	6	0	3	5
Fleming, Dr. F., England	830	4	9	33	3	5
Pitzpatrick, D., Indigo Planter	16	0	0	0	10	3
Gibbon, Senior, James (Estate)	115	2	7	4	9	8
Garden and McAndrew, London	267	4	4	10	11	1
Hathaway, Dr. C., Lahore	1	8	2	0	1	0
Koch, J. D., Port Natal, Africa	99	6	0	3	15	7
Lahore Chronicle Press, Lahore	954	8	6	38	2	11
Lambert and Brumm	850	15	9	34	4	8
Munro and Co., late of Agra	41	10	1	1	10	8
Molison, James, Sydney	1,619	10	0	64	12	7
Mackenzie, James T., London	7	5	8	0	4	8
Mason, Captain G. H. M.	7	2	0	0	4	7
Mitchell, A. (Estate)	1,000	8	3	40	0	4
Mills, Major S.	61	2	0	2	7	1
Nation, S., Merchant, Rampore Boolya	696	10	2	27	13	10
Ramchunder Doss and Co., Calcutta	24	0	0	0	15	4
Robson, James	2	7	0	0	1	7
Rogers, Captain T. E., Europe, Mr. R. Eames, Attorney ...	9,683	15	2	387	5	7
Ruthnew, Captain, the Hon'ble W. Hore, deceased, 25th Native Infantry.	47	6	5	1	14	4
Shank, A., C.S., London	190	10	4	7	10	0
Skene, Captain A., Jhansi	22	5	0	0	14	3
Sutherland, Major, Arracan Battalion, Akyab	18	0	0	0	11	6
Takoordoss Sen and Co., Calcutta	16	0	0	0	10	3
Williamson, Captain J., Calcutta	143	15	4	5	12	2
Wild, Lieutenant E. J., 40th Native Infantry, Dinapore ...	853	5	11	34	2	2
Williamson, Lieutenant George, Sinnimara, Assam ...	818	2	0	32	11	7
Allan, J. H., Manager, N.-W. Dawk Co., Calcutta ...	9	0	0	0	5	9
Athanas, John (Estate) Administrator-General ...	979	14	9	39	3	2
Bogson (Estate)	84	14	0	3	6	4
Bryson, A. (Estate)	9	8	0	0	6	1
Bromby, Lieutenant, H. M.'s 52nd Native Infantry, Jubbulpore	4	12	0	0	3	0
Cossinnath, Cloth Merchant	3,000	0	0	120	0	0
Elhie Bux, Shop-keeper, Meerut	130	6	0	5	3	5
Fleming, Dr. F.	270	0	0	10	12	10
Grant, G., C.S., Mozuffernuggur	5	0	0	0	3	2
Gubbins, M. R., C.S., Agra	36	5	8	1	7	3
Greenway, W., Manager, Inland Transit Company ...	9	0	0	0	5	9
Gamble and Co.	10	13	0	0	6	11
Hafiz Ghose, Shop-keeper, Meerut...	2	8	0	0	1	7
Hungerford, Captain T. J. W., Artillery, Agra ...	10	14	0	0	6	11
Higgins, Miss, Benares	2	8	6	0	1	7
Kay, J. C.	2	1	0	0	1	4
Mess Serjeants, H. M.'s 29th Foot	28	9	9	1	2	4
Macdonald and Co., P., formerly of Umballah... ...	8	4	0	0	5	3
Morrison, Lieutenant, 57th Native Infantry	9	4	0	0	5	11
Moore, E. P., late Editor of the "Citizen," Calcutta ...	15	10	0	0	10	0
Momrage or Boodoo, Bricklayer, Meerut	162	12	0	6	8	2
Montgomerie, Captain	6	3	0	0	3	11
Mussooree Bank, Mussooree	62	7	0	2	8	0
Neff, Lieutenant R. M., 64th Native Infantry, Peshawur ...	35	2	0	1	6	6
Rimmell, T., Perfumer, London	131	4	4	5	4	0
Smyth, F., Merchant, Dinapore	2	12	0	0	1	9
Scott and Co. Printers, Calcutta	3	14	8	0	2	6
Scott, H. G., Mussooree	16	11	6	0	10	8
Williams, J. B., Overseer, Government School of Industry, Jubblupore.	11	11	0	0	7	5
Walker, Lieutenant E., Engineers, formerly of Roorkee ...	18	1	7	0	11	7
Wright, Joseph, Portsmouth, England ...	166	7	5	6	10	6

Estate CALLYCOOMAR MULLICK ROY.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 30 per cent.			2nd dividend at 8 per cent.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Bissonath Mistry, of Narcoldangah, Bricklayer	200	0	0	60	0	0	16	0	0
Cassinath Banerjee, of Nimtollah... ...	600	0	0	180	0	0	48	0	0
Charycary, of Sindooreahputty, Fruit Seller ...	50	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
Hullodhur Ghose, of Simlah, in Calcutta ...	2,000	0	0	600	0	0	160	0	0
Modooseodun Muddack, of Bowbazar ...	50	0	0	15	0	0	4	0	0
Rajkissen Banerjee, Chundreeka Press, Colootollah	34	0	0	10	3	2	2	11	6
Rajnarain Pundit, of Benares	150	0	0	45	0	0	12	0	0
Smith W. (Estate)	2,500	0	0	0	0	0	200	0	0
Seton and Co., Coach-Builders, Calcutta ...	225	0	0	67	8	0	18	0	0
Wright and Co., Madames (Milliners, Chowringhee)	200	0	0	60	0	0	16	0	0

Estate ROWLAND ALLPORT.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd dividend at 18 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
E. M. Daniell, Captain, of London...	7,959	5	6	1,432	10	11
Richard, Winter, deceased	1,736	14	0	312	10	2
James Hill, of Calcutta	2,034	15	6	366	4	9
Moses Griffiths, of Bombay	1,789	1	0	322	0	3
John Turner, deceased....	2,466	5	6	443	14	10
John Shephard, Captain, of England	552	13	9	99	8	0
A. D. Maingy, of Mergui	478	11	0	86	2	6
Tom Hunter, of England (late of Calcutta)	352	2	0	63	6	0
Frederick Halliburton, of England	219	11	4	39	8	8
Owners, Ship "Aurora," London	300	0	0	54	0	0
Pringle John and Mary, of Wales	437	11	5	78	12	6
Robert Buchan, deceased	493	5	4	88	12	9
P. MacPherson, Captain, deceased...	7	2	3	1	4	6
P. W. Hardwick, Lieutenant, 10th Native Infantry Regiment, Cawnpore	4	8	1	0	13	0
A. L. Barretto and Company, of Macao	10,534	6	6	1,896	3	2
Owners of the "Zoroaster"	19	11	0	3	8	8
Joseph Clarke, of Sydney	86	11	9	15	12	9
William Anderson, Lieutenant, 1st Brigade, 1st Troop, Horse Artillery	8	1	2	1	7	3
Byramjee Cowasjee, of Bombay	7	3	0	1	4	7
Francis Ferrao, of Calcutta	12	6	3	2	3	8
Elizabeth Shaw	363	3	0	65	5	10
Owners, Brig "Margaret"	104	13	0	18	13	9
Doyle, Ensign N. M.	271	0	6	48	12	6
Seward, Lieutenant, J. P. (died at Cawnpore)	207	14	6	37	6	9
P. Forbes, deceased	1,589	2	0	286	0	6
Jackson and Wilson, of London	228	6	4	41	1	9
Madeira, Per "Zoroaster"	453	6	8	81	9	9
Owner, "Hero Malown," Captain Garrick, deceased ...	933	13	5	168	1	10
Philip Maughan, Indian Navy, England	30	0	0	5	6	4
J. H. Johnson, Captain (last of Bombay)	476	1	0	85	11	0
John Ludlow, Captain, on furlough to England ...	95	11	0	17	3	6
Edward Sunderland, Lieutenant, of Cawnpore	44	14	0	8	1	2
Robert Low, of London	33	11	0	6	1	0
Daniel Ross, deceased	453	10	9	81	10	0
J. Mitchinson, Captain, England	176	5	8	31	11	9
Francis Desgrouges	15,680	0	0	2,822	6	4

Estate FREDERICK WILLIAM BIRCH.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd dividend at 14 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Augier and Company, Gunsmith, Cossitollah	68	0	0	0	13	7
Adam and Company, Auctioners, Tank Square	589	8	9	7	5	10
Balkissen, Baboo, Merchant, Burrabazar	500	0	0	6	4	0
Chapman, Griffiths, and Company, Hastings Street, Calcutta	150	0	0	1	14	0
Chaunce, J., Watchmaker, Calcutta	33	0	0	0	6	7
Carey and Mendes, Printers, Lallbazar	36	8	0	0	7	4
DeRozario and Co. P. S., Book-sellers, Lallbazar ...	26	0	0	0	5	2

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd dividend at 14 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Dadabhoy Cowasjee, worker in ivory	67	0	0	0	13	0
Dwarkanath Mullick, of Jorasanko, Banian	1,500	0	0	18	12	0
Ditto ditto ditto	281	0	0	3	8	2
Edmond, J. M., Cabinet Maker, Cossitollah	83	0	0	1	0	7
Gourmohun Sing, Tank Square, Calcutta	21	12	0	0	4	3
Gervain and Co., Milliners, Tank Square, Calcutta ...	65	8	0	0	13	0
Golaub Sing, Banker, Burrabazar	460	0	0	5	12	0
Gopaul Chunder Mookerjee, Banian, Simlah	500	0	0	6	4	0
Gungadhur Seal, Banian, Burra Bazar	1,000	0	0	12	8	0
Hughes, Mrs., Executrix of John Hughes	426	0	0	5	5	2
Hunter and Company, Livery Stable-keepers, Calcutta ...	85	0	0	1	1	0
Juddonauth Biswas, of Calcutta	5,236	11	5	65	7	5
Issurchunder Ghose, of Calcutta	1,093	1	3	13	10	7
Kylas Chunder Bose, of Sobabazar	586	0	0	7	5	2
Long, J. for "Mofussilite"	122	13	3	1	8	7
Low, Mrs., of Government Place, Calcutta	163	0	0	2	0	7
Martin, C., Bookbinder, Cossitollah	47	8	0	0	9	7
Molloy, Mackintosh and Poe, Attorneys, Calcutta ...	454	7	3	5	10	10
Mohes Chunder Dutt, of Hautkollah, Banian	2,000	0	0	25	0	0
Mohes Chunder Sircar, of Hautkollah, Banian ...	66	0	0	0	13	2
Nunderam Pertaubmull, Banker, Burrobazar ...	1,800	0	0	22	8	0
O'Shaughnessy, W. B., of Calcutta	336	0	0	4	3	0
Perry, H., Hair Dresser	50	0	0	0	10	0
Punchanund Dhur, Bowbazar, Banian	3,432	0	0	42	14	5
Purrooram Sing, of Hautkollah	53	2	0	0	10	7
Rajchunder Mookerjee, Banian, of Shampooker ...	500	0	0	6	4	0
Raujkisto Bysack, of Calcutta	1,200	0	0	15	0	0
Spence and Company, Confectioners, Government Place ...	726	11	6	9	1	4
Stewart and Co., Coach-builders, Calcutta	582	8	0	7	4	6
Scott, Thompson and Co., R., Chemists, Calcutta ..	297	8	0	3	11	6
Soodersun Sein, of Burrabuzar, Banian	2,601	1	4	32	8	0
Smith and Stanistreet, Chemists, Calcutta	20	0	0	0	4	0
Sreedhur Bolianut Thokeah, of Benares	700	0	0	8	12	0
Williamson Brothers, Wine Merchants, Calcutta ...	42	0	0	0	8	5
Walton and Evans' late firm	43	0	0	0	8	7

Estate JOHANNES CATCHICK MICHAEL.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 7 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Ahmuty and Co., of Church lane, Merchants	500	0	0	35	0	0
Amzud Serang, of Taltollah	70	0	0	4	14	5
Bheem Lall Sein, of Colootollah	130	0	0	9	1	7
Bycaunt Nauth Dutt, of Clive Street, Merchant ...	700	0	0	49	0	0
Collins, B. S., of Calcutta, Coach-Builder	150	0	0	10	8	0
Chicken, N., Mate, of Seebpore	157	0	0	10	15	10
Dinobundoo Dutt and Co., of Putturea Ghatta, Copper Merchant.	650	0	0	45	8	0
Eastman and Co., of Calcutta, Coach-Builders... ...	680	0	0	47	9	7
Gobind Chunder Sein, of Colootollah, Banian	3,000	0	0	210	0	0
Ditto ditto	1,700	0	0	119	0	0
Ditto ditto	2,000	0	0	140	0	0
Ditto ditto	500	0	0	35	0	0
Ditto ditto	2,000	0	0	140	0	0
Ditto ditto	2,000	0	0	140	0	0
Ditto ditto	1,000	0	0	70	0	0
Grees Chunder Ghose, of China Bazar, Merchant ...	947	[illegible]	10	66	5	2
Gooroochurn Poramanick, Proprietor, Caledonia Dock ...	155	0	0	10	13	7
Gomes, L., of Bowbazar	200	0	0	14	0	0
Gladstone, Wyllie and Co., of Calcutta, Secretaries, Insurance Office	150	0	0	10	8	0
Heramohun Roy, of Baliaghattah, Lime Merchant ...	100	0	0	7	0	0
Harton and Co., of Calcutta, Merchants	900	0	0	63	0	0
Hurrakisto Shye, of China Bazar, Shopkeeper.. ...	500	0	0	35	0	0
Khettermohun Pundit and Rameomul Mitter	1,300	0	0	91	0	0
Kallydass Mundle, of Clive Street, Merchant	200	0	0	14	0	0

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 7 per cent.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Kaddar Nath Dutt and Mohundro Lall Day, of Calcutta ...	500	0	0	35	0	0
Lallah Joteepersaud, Banker	500	0	0	35	0	0
Lallah Bungseedhur Abeerchand, of Burrabazar, Shroff. ...	2,200	0	0	154	0	0
Manickjee Rustomjee, of Calcutta, Sun Insurance Office ...	500	0	0	35	0	0
Modoosoodun Mookerjee, of Armenian Ghat, Marine Store-shop.	893	6	0	56	3	4
Meer Ally, of 24-Pergunnahs	150	0	0	10	8	0
Nilmoney Goondoo, of Dhurmotollah, Paint Vendor ...	280	0	0	19	9	8
Newville and Co., of Bowbazar, Merchants	80	0	0	5	9	7
Owen Brothers, of Clive Row, ditto	500	0	0	35	0	0
Pezaruddee Wasee, of Ballygunge	30	0	0	2	1	7
Pearychund Mitter, Secretary, Public Library	200	0	0	14	0	0
Ramchurn Mullick, of Colootollah, Banian	200	0	0	14	0	0
Ramcoomar Roy, Clerk in the Police	631	8	3	44	8	4
Sooruthnath Mullick, of Tuntuneah, Zemindar ...	2,200	0	0	154	0	0
Shaik Nassir, of Terettee Bazar	100	0	0	7	0	0

Estate CAMPBELL LIMOND.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd dividend at 11 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Cuthbertson and Harper, of Government Place, Boot-makers	17	0	0	1	13	11
Hunter and Co., Livery Stable-keepers	200	0	0	22	0	0
Leslie and Co., A., of Tank Square, Boot-makers ...	20	0	0	2	3	2
Wight, G. J., Attorney	1,419	6	0	156	2	1

Estate JOHN BABINGTON.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 33-5-4 per cent.			2nd dividend at 13 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Bennett and Co., Tailors, Maddock Street ...	637	7	0	0	0	0	82	12	11
Birtles, Mr., Cabinet Maker, Madras ...	90	0	0	30	0	0	11	11	2
Dick and Co., Boot-makers, London ...	49	0	0	0	0	0	6	5	11
Dunhill and Co., Store-keepers, Madras ...	95	8	0	31	13	4	12	6	8
Gordon and Co., Jewellers, ditto ...	1,400	0	0	0	0	0	182	0	0
Hart, H., Army Tailor, London	970	0	0	0	0	0	126	1	7
Jookoo Chinaman, of Penang	228	0	0	76	0	0	29	10	4
Patulls, Mr., Merchant, Hongkong ...	250	0	0	83	5	4	32	8	0
Ramsammee of Trichonopoly, Banian ...	215	0	0	71	10	8	27	15	2
Seaton, Miss, of London	169	0	0	56	5	4	21	15	6
Taylor, Mr., of Madras, Livery Stable-keeper ...	91	4	0	30	6	8	11	13	10
Wilson and Martin, Clothiers, Edinburgh ...	275	0	0	91	10	8	35	12	0
Wight, G. J., Attorney, Calcutta	51	0	0	17	0	0	6	10	1
Xavier, Mr., of Madras, Tailor	633	9	7	0	0	0	82	5	10

Estate EDWARD DAVEY FABIAN.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd dividend at 30 per cent.			3rd dividend at at 50 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Bright and Company, Wine Merchants, Calcutta	23	0	0	6	14	5	11	8	0
Callachand, of Free School Street, Matman ...	22	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0
Harrow of Jaun Bazar Street, Tailor ...	50	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0
Leslie and Co., of Tank Square, Shoe-makers ...	10	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
Mackray, N., of Europe ...	22	0	0	6	9	7	11	0	0
Owen, J. C., Executor of Mr. Thomas ...	130	0	0	39	0	0	65	0	0
Rose and Co., William, of Colvin's Ghant ...	50	0	0	15	0	0	25	0	0
Samuel Smith and Co., of *Hurkaru* Press ...	18	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0
Sumboo Chunder Bose, of Old China Bazar, Shop-keeper.	22	8	0	6	12	0	11	4	0
Smith, H., of Dhurramtollah, Wine Merchant ..	26	0	0	7	12	10	13	0	0
Sreedhur of Jorratollao, Moodee	23	0	0	6	14	5	11	8	0
Wood, Thomas, of Elliott's Road Coach, builder	46	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0

Estate GOBERDHONE MULLICK.

Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	1st dividend at 1½ per cent. Rs	A.	P.
Baney Maudub Mitter and Co., of Mullickghant, Merchants	756	4	0	11	5	6
Bissumber Doss, of Jorabagan, ditto ...	106	9	3	1	9	1
Brijomohun Law, of Jorasanko, ditto ...	137	4	3	2	0	11
Bhootnath Doss, of Soorteebagan, Trader	21	10	0	0	5	3
Brijomohun Doss, of Sib Thakoor's Lane, Weighman ...	53	4	0	0	12	9
Bolloram Mitter, of Pattuldangah, Mohurir	40	0	0	0	9	7
Cossee Nauth Mundle, of Postah, Merchant	475	0	0	7	2	0
Chooneeloll Kannoria, of Banstollah Lane, Merchant ...	1,600	14	9	24	0	3
Connoy Lall, Baboo, of Banstollah Lane, Merchant ...	1,107	4	0	16	9	9
Callachund Dey, of Burrabazar, ditto	139	0	0	2	1	4
Cohim Sirdar of Sealdah, Head Cooly	200	10	0	3	0	2
Carr, Tagore and Co., Secretaries, Bengal Coal Company ...	187	8	0	2	13	0
Eastman and Co., of Dhurmutollah, Coach-builders ...	110	0	0	1	10	5
Goluck Chunder and Ramkisto Law, of Jorabagan, Merchants.	471	14	0	7	1	3
Gunganarain Poramanick, of ditto ditto	725	0	0	10	14	0
Hurrymohun Law, of Pattooreaghattah, ditto	300	0	0	4	8	0
Jeetnarain Law, of ditto ditto	50	0	0	0	12	0
James Hossack and Co., of London, ditto	1,879	0	0	28	3	0
Juggotanund Mullick, of Colootollah, Banian	62	11	6	0	15	1
Koochill Mundull, of Nimtollah, Merchants	983	2	0	14	12	1
Khettermohun Dass and Maudub Chunder Dutt, of Clive Street, ditto	200	0	0	3	0	0
Kelsall and Co, of London, Merchants	4,300	0	0	64	8	0
Luchmun Dass, of Burrabazar, ditto	583	4	0	8	12	2
Lemiere, Ganges and Company of Mauritius, Merchants ...	2,875	0	0	43	2	0
Mothoormohun Mitter, deceased	598	2	0	8	15	7
Mohanund Bhuttacharjee, of Puttariaghatta, Merchant ...	73	5	9	1	1	7
Muckrum Meah, of Burrabazar, ditto	553	2	0	8	4	9
Malchus, G., Secretary, Cargo Boat Association ...	72	0	0	1	1	3
Malchus, M. C., of Old China Bazar, Merchant ...	167	9	0	2	8	3
Manickchund Kissorychund, of Burrabazar, Jarofts ...	500	0	0	7	8	0
Neelmoney Pyne, of Colootollah, Trader	581	6	0	8	11	6
Nanjee Jaycurn and Sons, of Bombay, Merchants ...	3,375	0	0	50	10	0
Noskey and Co., E., of Lall Bazar, Apothecaries ...	12	8	0	0	3	0
Petumber Bullub, of Mullick's Ghaut, Merchant ...	181	8	6	2	11	7
Praunkissen Law, of Colootollah, Banian	650	0	0	9	12	0
Ramjeebun Ghose, of Mullick's Ghaut, Merchant ...	871	7	0	13	1	2
Ramdhone Mundull, of ditto ditto	257	13	0	3	13	11
Ramtonoo Law, of Hautcollah, ditto	1,250	0	0	18	12	0
Ramnarain Singhee, of ditto, ditto	156	12	0	2	5	7
Ramrutton Ruckit, of Patooreaghattah, ditto	466	2	0	7	0	0
Rupnnram Rukhit and Soyumber Bukhet of Burrabazar, ditto	1,681	8	3	25	3	7
Roopnarain Roy, of Hautcollah, ditto	155	0	0	2	5	2
Rajnarain Dholl and Co., of Hautcollah, Merchants ...	298	8	0	4	7	8
Ramgutty Chell's Estate	637	0	6	9	8	11
Ramchunder Mullick of Machuabazar, Trader	432	0	0	6	7	8
Rajnarain Pyne, of Old China Bazar, Shop-keeper ...	14	0	0	0	3	4
Robert Bullen and Co., of Mauritius, Merchants ..	1,065	12	0	16	0	7
Sadoochurn and Bunkoololl Singhee, of Hautcollah, Merchants	462	4	0	6	14	11
Surroopchunder Chowdry, of Siboo Thakoor's Lane, ditto ...	203	9	0	3	0	10
Sibchurn Loll and Sewsaw Loll, of Burrabazar, ditto ...	192	7	0	2	12	7
Soobul Bustabund, of Soorah, Packerman	290	2	0	4	5	8
Seetaram Toolseeram, of Burrabazar Merchants ...	791	12	0	12	14	0
Shaik Alibux, of Colootollah, Tailor	14	0	0	0	3	4
Shearman, Mullins and Co., of Calcutta, Merchants ...	2,550	0	0	38	4	0
Tropic Insurance Company	625	0	0	9	6	0
Thacoorlall Mullick, of Soortybagan, Merchant ...	18,518	8	9	277	12	5

Estate WILLIAM DICKSON.

Creditors.	Amount of claim. Rs.	A.	P.	3rd dividend at 1 Re. 10 ans per cent. Rs.	A.	P.
Bissumber Sircar, of Calcutta	3,400	0	0	55	4	0
Ditto, ditto	1,870	13	6	30	6	5

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			3rd dividend at 1 Rs. 10 ans. per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Cameron, Mrs. E., of Calcutta	6,300	0	0	102	6	0
Gobindchunder Dhur, of ditto	1,200	0	0	19	8	0
Hurrochunder Sircar, of ditto	1,700	0	0	27	10	0
Hampton, Mrs. M., of ditto	300	0	0	4	14	0
Kingdom, Mrs. S. E., of ditto	8,500	0	0	138	2	0
Lackersteen, Mark, of ditto	1,000	0	0	16	4	0
Muddoosoodun Dey, of ditto	700	0	0	11	6	0
Soorjoo Narain Baboo, of ditto	850	0	0	13	13	0
Fraser, J. R., of ditto	6,806	11	4	110	9	9

Estate WILLIAM SAMUEL PALMER.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 2½ per cent.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Adams, Lieutenant F., of Berhampore	24	13	3	0	9	11
Anley, William, Solicitor, Calcutta	41	9	6	1	0	7
Berkeley, H. J. F., Deputy Collector, Bareilly	13	0	0	0	5	2
Homanjee Ruttonjee's Sons, Merchants, Mooltan ...	1,418	0	11	35	7	2
Barter, R. K., of Saugor	31	4	3	0	12	6
Beake and Co., Tailors, Calcutta	22	0	0	0	8	9
Badham Brothers, Tailors, Calcutta	32	0	0	0	12	10
Charles Walker, Merchant, Benares	12	9	4	0	5	0
Calcutta Auction Company	800	0	0	20	0	0
Conners, Charles, Oude, Upper Provinces	0	7	0	0	0	2
Callydoss Dutt, Store-keeper, Radabazar	35	0	0	0	14	0
Choommun and Golaub, Shroffs, Patna	500	0	0	12	8	0
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China ...	375	0	0	9	6	0
Ditto ditto, ditto ...	360	0	0	9	0	0
Delhi Gazette Press Proprietor, Agra	309	12	0	7	11	10
Delhi Bank, Delhi	400	0	0	10	0	0
Fitzpatrick, W., Monghyr	461	1	8	11	8	5
Francis Ramsay and Co., Milliners, Calcutta	37	8	0	0	15	0
Hutchison, Captain W., late of Rangoon	36	0	0	0	14	5
Johnson, A. W., Collector of Customs, Delhi	14	6	3	0	5	9
Jellum Sing Jesraj, of Hatcollah, Calcutta	432	12	0	10	13	1
Juggun Sohoi, Shroff, Patna	1,500	0	0	37	8	0
Jessop and Co., Iron Founders, Calcutta	72	14	0	1	13	1
Kand, J., Overseer, of Oude	638	7	6	15	15	2
Kissen Sing, of Hautcollah, Calcutta	136	0	0	3	6	4
Khasialchund Set, Shroff, Jubbulpore	1,000	0	0	25	0	0
Kusolall, ditto ditto	500	0	0	12	8	0
Kallydoss Dutt and Co., of Calcutta	100	0	0	2	8	0
Lalloo Baboo and Calloo Baboo, Shroffs, Patna ...	4,000	0	0	100	0	0
Monohur Misser, ditto, ditto	1,500	0	0	37	8	0
Moonshee Hulleeloodee, Screw Houses, Moorgyhattah ...	83	8	0	2	1	5
Nobodeep Bisessur Bhur, of Hautcollah, Calcutta ...	561	12	2	14	0	8
Narain Doss, Shroff, Patna	1,000	0	0	25	0	0
Oojoodheeapersaud Guggodurloll, Hautcollah, Calcutta ...	2,000	0	0	50	0	0
Petumber Pyne and Co., of Calcutta	478	15	8	12	15	6
Rajcoomar Doss, Cloth Dealer, Radabazar	75	0	0	1	14	0
Ramput and Byjnauth, Shroffs, Patna	2,000	0	0	50	0	0
Ramkissen and Futtickchund, Shroffs, Patna	500	0	0	12	8	0
Ramput Doss Baugmul, ditto, ditto	1,000	0	0	25	0	0
Sreekanto, of Hautcollah, Calcutta	74	2	9	1	13	8
Sempi and Company, H., Merchants, Bordeaux ...	1,680	0	0	42	0	0
Thurburn, Captain T. A. V., late of Oude	18	0	0	0	7	2
Thacker, Vining and Co., of Bombay	230	0	0	5	12	0
Veerasamy Naidoo and Co., N., Merchants, Jubbulpore ...	83	8	5	2	1	4
Wittcoll, Clerk, J. A., Saugor	183	3	8	4	9	4

Estate RAMCHUNDER and RAJCHUNDER BURDEUS.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 12 per cent.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Cassinauth Chunder of Radhabazar, Shopkeeper ...	28	7	0	3	6	8
Luckeynarain Chowdry, of ditto, ditto	36	0	0	4	5	2
Mothoora Doss and Kissen Doss of Burrabazar, Merchants	20	0	0	2	6	5
Sadoochurn Dutt, of Chinabazar, Shopkeeper... ...	18	12	0	2	4	2

Estate HURRYNARAIN DAY.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.	1st dividend at 50 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balgovindchund Manickchund, of Burrabazar ...	243 4 3	121 10 1
Debnauth Bose, Rice Dealer, of Kidderpore	12 2 0	6 1 0
Sreenauth Sicdar, of Surveyor-General's Office ...	61 4 0	30 10 0

Estate HENRY BUTLER.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.	1st dividend at Rs. 33-5-4 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Fowler, Boyd and Co., of Calcutta, Marine Store-keepers ...	13 0 0	4 5 4
Gopaulchunder Mitter and another, of China Bazar, Shop-keepers.	10 0 0	3 5 4
Modoosoodun Mullick, of China Bazar, Shop-keeper ...	19 0 0	6 5 4

Estate NILRUTTON HALDAR, 2nd Insolvency.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.	2nd dividend at 10 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
Burrodacaunt Roy Rajah, of Jessore, Zemindar ...	930 0 0	93 0 0
Munnahlall, of Burra Bazar	100 0 0	10 0 0
Rammohun Mookerjee, of Jorasanko, Broker	143 0 0	14 4 9

Estate JOHN HAWKINS COCKBURN.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.	1st dividend at 18 per cent.	2nd dividend at 16 per cent.
	Rs. As. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cossy Ooddeen, of Cossitollah, Biscuitman ...	60 0 0	0 0 0	9 0 7
Koocheel, Tailor, of Cullingah ...	30 0 0	5 6 4	4 12 10
Noor Khan, of Calcutta	120 0 0	21 9 7	19 3 2
Nobin Doss, of Calcutta	40 12 0	0 0 0	6 8 4
Pearymohun Doss, of Old China Bazar ...	10 0 0	1 12 10	1 9 7

Estate ANDREW HERVEY, 2ND Insolvency.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.	1st dividened at 33-5-4 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
Browne and Co., F. W., of Calcutta, Confectioners ...	84 0 0	28 0 0
Greig, Mr., of Mussoorie, Shop-keeper	37 5 5	12 7 1
Wright, Miss, of Russell Street	180 0 0	60 0 0

Estate GIBSON AND CO.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.	2nd dividend at 2 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mrs. LeBlanc, formerly Mrs. Stacy, of St. John's Wood, near London	41,600 0 0	832 0 0
Welch, C., of Old Broad Street, London	6,000 0 0	120 0 0
D. Smith's Trustees	14,161 10 8	283 3 0

Estate CHARLES MARTIN.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.	1st dividend at 1-14 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
Martin (Book-binder), Cossitollah	50 0 0	0 15 0
Nisbett and Co., D., of Calcutta	205 0 0	3 13 6

Estate WILLIAM WALTER LEFEVER.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.	1st dividend at 27 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Hamilton and Co., J. K., of Wellesley Street, Druggists ...	27 0 0	7 4 8
Khettermohun Doss of Copallytollah	40 0 0	10 12 10

Estate WOOMES CHUNDER GHOSE.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 27 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Buddinauth Biswas, late of Strand, Gunny Merchant ...	105	0	0	28	5	9
Ramchund Seekdar of Hautcollah, Sugar Merchant ...	1,092	0	0	294	13	6
Shaw Brothers and Co., of Tank Square, Wine Merchants ...	99	0	0	26	11	3

Estate JOHN CAMERON, 2nd Insolvency.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			1st dividend at 50 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Clark, J. A., of Strand	24	2	0	12	1	0
Gas Company, of Bankshall Street	25	0	0	12	8	0
Hume, Lieutenant W. W., Meerut, 11th Native Infantry ..	67	0	0	33	8	0

Estate JAMES FRANCIS CORCORAN.

Creditors.	Amount of claim.			2nd dividend at 40 per cent.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Agra Savings Fund	400	0	0	160	0	0
Chedie, Tailor, of Gorah Bazar, Agra	18	0	0	7	3	2
Carpenter, Mr., Livery Stable-keeper, Garden Reach ...	5	0	0	2	0	0
Gobindchunder Dutt, of Old China Bazar	244	0	0	97	9	7
Hurrochunder and Co., of Berhampore, Merchants ...	200	0	0	80	0	0
Hurrakisto Addy, of Oriental Seminary, Calcutta ...	100	0	0	40	0	0
Jumna Doss, of Agra, Jeweller	74	0	0	29	9	7
Jadub Inderkissen Bahadoor's Estate, of Sobba Bazar ...	50	0	0	20	0	0
Revd. Dr. Keezan, Rector, St. Peter's College, Agra ...	31	4	0	12	8	0
Meerkyrath Ally, of Agra, Merchant	252	4	0	100	14	5
Martin, C., Book-binders, Calcutta	44	12	0	17	14	5
Murphy, C., of Agra	36	0	0	14	6	5
Meeajaun Jemadar, of Elliott's Road	60	0	0	24	0	0
Poe, W. H., Calcutta, Solicitor	16	0	0	6	6	5
Roy Boycauntnauth Chowdry, of Boranagore	100	0	0	40	0	0
Shaik Nazeemoodeen, Tailor, of Garden Reach ...	66	9	0	26	10	0

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PART III.

Acts of the Bengal Council.

Government of Bengal.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

THE following Act passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, received the assent of His Honor on the 2nd December 1873, and having been assented to by His Excellency the Governor General on the 20th idem, is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. VI OF 1873.

An Act to amend the law relating to Embankments and Watercourses.

WHEREAS it is expedient that provision should be made for the better construction, maintenance, and management of embankments and watercourses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows :—

PART I.

Preliminary.

1. This Act may be called "The Bengal Embankment Act, 1873."

It extends to the whole of the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the province of Orissa and the Soonderbuns as defined under the provisions of Clause 2, Section 13, Regulation III of 1828.

And it shall come into force on the day of the passing thereof.

Repeal of former Acts.

2. From such day Act No. XXXII of 1855 (*relating to embankments*) and Bengal Act No. VII of 1866 (*to make better provision for the acquisition of land for embankments and other matters relating thereto*) shall, except so far as relates to the province of Orissa and the said Soonderbuns, be repealed.

Interpretation.

3. The following words shall, for the purposes of this Act, have the meanings hereby declared, save where, from the context, a contrary intention appears :—

"Estate."

"Estate" means—(1) Any land or share in land subject to the payment to Government of an annual sum, in respect of which the name of a proprietor is entered on the register, known as the general register of all revenue-paying estates, or in respect of which a separate account may, in pursuance of Section 10, or Section 11 of Act XI of 1859, have been opened;

(2) Any land entered in the register of revenue-free tenures;

(3) Any land acquired under any rules issued by or under authority of Government for the sale, grant, or clearance of waste lands.

"Embankment."

"Embankment" includes every bank, dam, wall, and dyke, made or used for excluding water from, or for retaining water upon, any land, and every sluice, spur, groyne, training wall, or other work annexed to or portion of any such embankment, and every bank, dam, dyke, wall, groyne or spur made or erected for the protection of any such embankment or of any land from erosion or overflow by or of rivers, tides, waves, or waters; and also all buildings intended for purposes of inspection and supervision.

"Watercourse."

"Watercourse" includes a line of drainage, weir, culvert, pipe, or other channel for the passage of water, whether natural or artificial.

"Zemindar."

"Zemindar" means all or any of the holders of an estate; and where two or more zemindars are jointly holders thereof, they shall be jointly and severally liable under this Act.

"Tenure." "Tenure" includes all interests in land other than estates as above defined, held permanently at a fixed rental, or held lakhiraj.

"Proprietor." "Proprietor" means the holder of a tenure.

"Public Embankment." "Public Embankment" means an embankment maintained by the officers of Government.

"Public watercourse." "Public watercourse" means any watercourse under the charge of the officers of Government.

"The Engineer." "The Engineer" means the District Engineer or any Engineer specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of an Engineer under this Act.

"Collector." "Collector" means any Collector, Deputy Collector or other Revenue Officer in independent charge of any district or portion of a district, or specially appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to perform the functions of a Collector under this Act.

"District." "District" means the portion of territory throughout which any person vested with the powers of a Collector is authorized to exercise such powers.

"Land." "Land" includes interests in land and benefits arising out of land and things attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth.

PART II.

Powers of Collector and procedure thereon.

Powers of Collector. 4. Under the conditions and in the manner hereinafter provided—

Power to take charge of embankments. (1.) The Collector may cause any embankment which connects public embankments, or forms, by junction with them, part of a line of embankments, or any embankment or watercourse which is necessary for the protection or drainage of the neighbouring country, to be taken charge of and maintained by the officers of Government.

Power to remove embankments and obstructions. (2.) The Collector may cause to be removed or altered any embankment which endangers the stability of a public embankment, or any obstruction of any kind which interferes with the general drainage of any tract of land.

Power to change line of embankment. (3.) The Collector may, when necessary, change the line of or lengthen any public embankment; or make a new embankment in the place of or renew any public embankment; or make an embankment in any place in which he may deem such embankment required for the protection of any lands, or for the improvement of any watercourse; or make a sluice in any public embankment.

Power to improve drainage. (4.) The Collector may construct any sluice or watercourse, or effect any alteration in any public watercourse, when such construction or alteration may be required for the improvement of the health, or for the protection of any village or cultivable land.

Power to alter roads and construct watercourses. (5.) The Collector may call upon the person in charge of any road which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land to alter such road, or to construct any watercourse under or through such road. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Collector shall prescribe, the said Collector may cause the road to be altered, or a watercourse to be constructed. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the person in charge of the said road, so far as the same shall have been incurred on account of insufficient provision having been made at the time of the construction of the said road for the natural drainage then existing.

Applications for sluices to be made to Collector. (6.) If any landholder, farmer, or cultivator be desirous of having a sluice made in any public embankment for the purpose of drainage or irrigation, he shall make an application in writing to the Collector of the district in which such embankment is situate. The application shall contain such particulars of the land to be drained or irrigated as may enable the Collector to judge of the advantage which may be derived from the work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Application for new embankment or drainage to be made to Collector. (7.) Whenever any person is desirous that any new embankment be erected, or that any new watercourse be made, or that any watercourse be obstructed or diverted, if such work is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede any public embankment or any public watercourse, he shall apply to the Collector, and at the time of making such application shall deposit with him a statement of the proposed work. The Collector shall decide whether it is expedient that such application shall be granted.

Procedure. 5. When it shall appear expedient to the Collector that any of the works specified in the last preceding section should be executed, he shall cause to be prepared plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the villages of the various estates likely to be affected by the said works, and he shall cause a proclamation to be issued giving notice of his intention to cause such works to be executed. Such proclamation shall be in the form, and state the particulars mentioned in Schedule (A) annexed to this Act; and the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as aforesaid, shall be kept at the office of the Collector and shall be open to the inspection of any interested persons who shall be allowed to take copies thereof. The Collector shall not commence any of such works until final order made in respect thereto under the provisions of Sections 8, 59, and 60 of this Act.

Publication of proclamation. 6. Every such proclamation shall be published by affixing the same at the cutcherry of the Collector, and in the manner provided in the third clause of Section 57.

Proclamation to be published for thirty days. 7. Every such proclamation shall be published not less than thirty days before the day appointed for hearing the persons interested.

Hearing of objections to works.

8. The Collector shall, on the day appointed for the hearing, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing shall be adjourned, hear the objections of any persons who may appear, and, after recording any evidence which they may adduce, shall pass an order in regard to the execution of the proposed works. Notice of such order shall be served on such persons as may have appeared in pursuance of the proclamation.

Authority to take proceedings where lands likely to be affected by the works are in different districts.

9. If the lands, which are likely to be affected by any such proposed works, are situated within the limits of different districts, the Collector of any district, within which any portion of such lands is situated, shall apply to the Commissioner of the division for authority to proceed in such matter; and the Commissioner of the division, if all the lands are situated within his division, may give authority to such Collector, or to any other Collector within whose district any portion of such lands is situated, to proceed in respect of all the lands likely to be affected by such works.

or different divisions.

If the districts, within which the lands likely to be affected by any such works are situated, are subject to the Commissioners of different divisions, the Collector shall apply to the Commissioner of the division within which his district is situated, and such Commissioner may, with the concurrence of the Commissioner to whom the other district is subject, give authority to proceed in such matter.

The Collector may delegate certain powers to Engineer.

10. All the powers vested in the Collector by Section 4 of this Act, may be exercised by the Engineer in cases referred to him by the Collector subject to the general orders of the Collector.

PART III.

Procedure in cases of imminent danger to life or property.

Proceedings in emergencies.

11. Whenever the Collector shall be of opinion that the proceedings commenced by notice under Sections 5 to 8 of this Act would cause delay in the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon him by Clauses 2, 3, and 4 of Section 4, likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to commence to exercise such powers. Provided that he shall forthwith cause to be prepared the plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed works, together with a copy of the survey map as provided in Section 5, and shall cause a proclamation to be issued as provided in that section giving notice that the work mentioned therein has already been commenced, and thereupon such proceedings and inquiries shall be had as in and by Part II of this Act are directed.

Power to take possession of land.

12. Whenever any land, or earth from any land the property of any person, is required for the purposes of any works commenced in pursuance of the provisions of the last preceding section, or for the purposes of Section 18 in cases where the Collector shall be of opinion that proceedings for the acquisition of such land according to the provisions hereinafter contained in Section 25, would cause delay as aforesaid, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (B) annexed to this Act, giving notice thereof at convenient places in the locality in which such land is situated, and he may at the same time take possession of the same for the said purposes.

Compensation for standing crops and trees.

13. The Collector shall ascertain and record the nature and estimated value of the crops and trees (if any) standing on such land, and shall offer adequate compensation to the persons interested. If such offer is not accepted, the value of such crops and trees shall be allowed for in awarding compensation for the land under the provisions of Section 29.

Power to Engineer to act in absence of Collector.

14. The Collector may depute to the Engineer the powers described in Sections 11, 12, and 13 subject to his own general orders, and in that case when the Collector is not present the Engineer may, if he shall be of opinion that delay for the purpose of obtaining the orders of the Collector would be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, exercise the powers conferred on him by the Collector.

Power to restore embankments, &c.

15. Whenever, upon an inquiry had under the provisions of this Part, it has been determined in the final order to be passed on such inquiry that anything done by the Collector, or by the Engineer under the last preceding section was unnecessary, the land or the embankments or drainage shall, so far as any alteration thereof shall appear to be unnecessary, be at the expense of the Government restored as nearly as possible to the state in which they were when the Collector commenced to act under the provisions of this Part; and any person who shall have sustained loss, damage, or injury by the execution of such works, shall receive compensation from the Government to be assessed according to the provisions contained in Part V of this Act.

Section 9 to apply to proceedings under this Part.

16. The provisions of Section 9 shall be applicable to proceedings taken under this Part.

PART IV.

Powers of Engineer.

Engineer subject to control of Collector.

17. The power conferred on the Engineer under this Part shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Collector.

Power to make repairs.

18. The Engineer may make any repairs in, and may do all acts necessary and proper for the maintenance of any public embankment, public watercourse, or other work executed or taken charge of under the provisions of this Act, or of any of the Acts repealed by this Act.

Power to alter railroads or construct watercourses.

19. The Engineer may call upon the manager, or other person in charge of any railroad which interferes with the drainage of any tract of land, to alter such railroad or or to construct any watercourse under or through such railroad. In the event of such person failing to comply with such requisition in such manner and within such time as the Engineer shall prescribe, the Engineer may thereupon, with the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, cause the said railroad to be

altered, or a watercourse to be constructed in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct. The expenses of such alteration or construction shall be borne by the said manager, or other person in charge of the said railroad, so far as the same shall have been incurred on account of insufficient provision having been made at the time of the construction of the said railroad for the natural drainage then existing.

Power to make temporary roadway, watercourse or dam.

20. Whenever any person is desirous that a temporary roadway should be made over, or that a temporary watercourse should be made through, any public embankment, or that a temporary dam should be constructed in any embanked river or public watercourse, he shall apply to the Engineer, who shall communicate the application to the Collector, and the Collector shall pass such orders thereon as he shall think fit. If the proposed work is to be executed by an officer of Government, the applicant, before the commencement of the work, shall deposit the amount estimated by the Engineer to be necessary to defray the expenses of, and incidental to, making and removing such roadway, or of, and incidental to, making and closing or removing such watercourse or dam. If the amount deposited is found insufficient, the Engineer shall recover from the said applicant the further amount required; and if it exceeds the amount required, such excess shall be returned to the said applicant.

Power to remove houses.

21. Whenever the Engineer shall be of opinion that the removal of any trees, houses, huts, or other buildings, situated between a public embankment and the river, is necessary, he shall make a report to that effect, accompanied by a detailed statement of the trees, houses, huts, or other buildings to be removed, to the Collector of the district in whose jurisdiction the land on which such trees, houses, huts, or other buildings stand, is situated; and the Collector shall report the same to the Lieutenant-Governor in order that proceedings may be taken, in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870," or other law for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes, for obtaining possession of such trees, houses, huts, and buildings. Provided always that in case the Collector be of opinion that the delay required by such proceedings is likely to be attended with grave and imminent danger to life or property, it shall be lawful for him forthwith to cause such trees, houses, huts, or buildings to be removed, and in such case the compensation due therefor shall be ascertained and paid in the manner hereinafter provided.

Sluices to be opened or shut under authority of the Engineer.

22. Sluices constructed in any public embankment shall be opened or shut only by or with the general or special permission of the officer in the immediate charge of the embankment, under such orders, either general or special, as he may receive from the Engineer.

Power to appropriate land or earth for embanked towpath.

23. In any case where an embanked towpath has heretofore been maintained by Government alongside any canal, river, khal, or channel, the Engineer shall be entitled to appropriate without payment, as heretofore, land or earth for the maintenance, repair, or re-construction of such embanked towpath. If in any case the Engineer shall consider it necessary for the purposes of towing to enlarge an existing towpath, or to construct a new towpath, proceedings shall be taken in accordance with the subsequent provisions of this Act relating thereto.

Power to enter and survey land, &c.

24. It shall be lawful for the Engineer, or any person whom he may authorize in that behalf, in order to carry out any of the purposes of this Act,

to enter upon, and survey, and take levels of any land;

to dig or bore into the sub-soil;

to do all other acts necessary to ascertain whether the land is adapted to the purpose projected by such Engineer; or by the Collector;

Power to mark out line.

to set out the boundaries of the land proposed to be taken, and the intended line of the work proposed to be made thereon;

to mark such levels, boundaries, and line, by placing marks and cutting trenches;

Power to clear land.

and, where otherwise the survey cannot be completed or the levels taken, to cut down and clear away any part of any standing crop, fence, or jungle.

Previous notice of entry.

Provided that no person shall enter into any building or upon any enclosed court or garden attached to a dwelling-house (unless with the consent of the occupier thereof) without previously giving such occupier at least seven days' notice in writing of his intention to do so.

Payment for damage.

The Engineer or other person so authorized shall at the time of such entry pay or tender payment for all necessary damage to be done as aforesaid, and, in case of dispute as to the sufficiency of the amount so paid or tendered, he shall at once refer the dispute to the decision of the Collector, and such decision shall be final.

PART V.

Acquisition of lands.

Acquisition of land.

25. Whenever in the course of proceedings under this Act, save in those cases in which the Collector has proceeded under the provisions of Part III, it appears that land is required for any of the purposes thereof, proceedings shall be forthwith taken for the acquisition of such land in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being for the acquisition of lands for public purposes.

When land taken, proclamation to be published.

26. Whenever any land shall have been taken or used under the provisions of Part III, the Collector shall cause a proclamation to be issued in form in Schedule (C) annexed to this Act at convenient places on or near the land so taken, stating that Government has taken possession of the land, and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land shall be made to him. Thereupon the land shall vest absolutely in the Government free from all incumbrances, subject, however, to the claims for compensation to be ascertained in manner as in this Part is provided.

Contents of proclamation.

27. Such proclamation shall state the particulars of the land so taken, and shall require all persons interested in the land to appear personally or by agent before the Collector at a time and place therein mentioned (such time not being earlier than fifteen days after the date of issuing the proclamation), and to state the nature of their respective interests in the land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interest.

Further notice to be served on certain parties.

28. The Collector shall also serve notice to the same effect on the occupier (if any) of such land, and on all such persons known or believed to be interested therein, or to be entitled to act for persons so interested, as reside, or have agents authorized to receive service on their behalf, within the revenue district in which the land is situate.

Proceedings after notice.

29. After service of such notice proceedings shall be had and taken to determine the amount of compensation to be payable in respect of such land, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Compensation for consequential damage.

30. Whenever any land other than land required or taken by the Engineer, or any right of fishery, right of drainage, right of the use of water, or other right or property, shall have been injuriously affected by the due exercise of the powers or provisions of this Act, the person in whom such property or right is vested may prefer a claim by petition to the Collector for compensation.

Application to be made within two years.

31. No claim shall be entertained which shall be made later than two years next after the completion of the work by which such right is injuriously affected.

Procedure for such compensation.

32. When any such claim is made, proceedings shall be taken in view to determine the amount of compensation, if any, which should be made, and the person to whom the same should be payable, in accordance with the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, X of 1870, or any other law for the time being in force for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

Matters to be considered in determining compensation.

33. In determining the amount of compensation to be awarded in such cases, the Judge and Assessors shall take into consideration—

First, the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land;

Secondly, the damage sustained by the claimant by reason of such acquisition injuriously affecting the property or right;

Thirdly, the consequent diminution of the market value of the property or right injuriously affected at the time of acquiring the land.

Matters not to be considered in determining compensation.

But the Judge or Assessors shall not take into consideration—

First, the degree of urgency which has led to the acquisition;

Secondly, any damage sustained by the claimant, which, if caused by a private person, would not in any suit instituted against such person justify a decree for damages.

Land, &c., taken possession of to vest in Government.

34. All buildings, land, earth, pathways, sluices, gates, bermes, hedges, belonging to, or forming part of, any embankment or water-course, of which charge has been or may hereafter be taken by the officers of Government, shall vest in the Government, and shall be held on behalf of the Government in respect of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) annexed to this Act, and in respect of other works on behalf of the persons interested in the lands to be protected or benefited by such embankment or watercourse, subject to the provisions of Section 63; and all monies received on account of such lands shall be payable to the Engineer and credited to the cost of the construction and maintenance of such works respectively.

PART VI.

COST OF WORKS, PROCEEDINGS, &C.

1. *Ascertainment thereof.*

Embankments in Schedule (D).

35. The provisions in this Part contained shall not apply to any of the embankments mentioned in Schedule (D) to this Act annexed, save so far as any works or repairs are executed therein or in relation thereto under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act; or to any of such embankments as may hereafter be erected for the protection of lands which at the time of the passing of this Act are protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule, save so far as the erection of such embankments may protect lands not protected by the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule. All sums payable in respect of any works or repairs executed therein, or in relation to the embankments mentioned in the aforesaid Schedule except under the provisions of Section 4, Clause 7, or Section 20 of this Act, shall be paid by the Government.

Exclusion from Schedule.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II of this Act, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interests to retain any embankment mentioned in Schedule (D), the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that the same shall be no longer included in the said schedule. Provided that the Lieutenant-Governor may restore the same to the said schedule if on any subsequent inquiry similarly conducted it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor that it is necessary so to do.

Addition to Schedule.

The Lieutenant-Governor may at any time after the passing of this Act, by a notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that any embankment not mentioned in Schedule (D) be included in the said schedule, and the provisions of this section shall apply to such embankment.

Contribution of public money towards the maintenance of the embankments in the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (F) to be continued.

36. In accordance with the custom heretofore in force in respect of the pergunnahs entered in Schedule (E) annexed to this Act, the Government shall continue to contribute annually the sum noted therein for each pergunnah respectively towards the maintenance of the embankments thereof.

If the embankments maintained in any such pergunnah shall at any time be declared to be public embankments under the provisions of Section 4, the Collector shall, from the date of such declaration, keep a separate account for such pergunnah, in which the aforesaid sum shall be credited at the commencement of each financial year. The unexpended balance at the close of each year shall be carried on to the credit of the account in the next succeeding year, and shall be available for the cost of repairing or erecting all the embankments which it may be deemed necessary to maintain in such pergunnah.

If such embankments are declared to be public, Collector to keep a separate account.

If at any time after the passing of this Act, on an inquiry made by the Collector as far as possible in accordance with the provisions of Part II, it shall be found that it is unnecessary for the public interest to retain any embankment in either of the said pergunnahs, the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that such contribution shall cease in respect of such pergunnah. Provided that such contribution shall again be made in accordance with the provisions hereinbefore contained, if it shall appear to the Lieutenant-Governor, on the report of an inquiry similarly conducted, that the maintenance of any embankment in such pergunnah has again become necessary for the public interest.

Contribution may be discontinued if it be found unnecessary for the public interest to maintain the embankments.

37. Specifications of any works or repairs to be executed under the provisions of this Act, and estimates of the expenses to be incurred therein or relating thereto, including such proportion of establishment charges as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, shall be prepared by the Engineer as soon after the month of October in each year as may be practicable. And whenever it appears that the actual expenses to be incurred will exceed the amount mentioned in the said estimates by one-tenth, the Engineer shall forthwith prepare further estimates, and, if necessary, further specifications. Copies of all specifications and estimates shall be transmitted to the office of the Collector, together with vernacular translations thereof, or such abstracts thereof as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time direct, and may be examined by any person interested in such works or repairs. Notice of the receipt of specifications and estimates shall be served for all estates chargeable for, or likely to be affected by, the said works or repairs; and should any objection in regard to the amount of such expenses be preferred by any such person within a period of one month from the date of such notice, the Collector shall pass such orders as may appear to him reasonable and proper. Such order shall be subject in any case to an appeal by the person making such objection to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Estimates and specifications to be prepared.

38. The accounts of the actual expense incurred in executing any works or repairs shall be prepared as soon as possible after the completion thereof. The Engineer shall sign a certificate stating the true amount of all such expenses, and the names of the estates chargeable for, and of the estates and villages affected by, the said works and repairs. Copies of the said accounts and certificates shall be forwarded to the office of the Collector, and may be there examined by any person interested. Notice of the receipt thereof shall be served for the said estates and villages, and such others as in the opinion of the Collector are liable to contribute to the payment of the said amount; and if, within thirty days from the service of such notice, any interested person shall object to the accounts on the ground either that the work charged for has not been performed, or that the whole sum charged has not been expended, or that the rates of charge are higher than those mentioned in the estimates, the Collector shall inquire into such objection, and may pass any order thereon subject in any case to an appeal by the objector to the Commissioner of division whose decision shall be final.

Preparation and settlement of accounts.

39. The Collector shall add to the amount appearing in the said certificate all sums which have been paid or have become payable in respect of compensation, costs and expenses under and incidental to any proceedings taken or directed to be taken under Parts II and V of this Act, including costs of all surveys and plans. He shall thereupon make an order specifying the total sum found payable, and in respect of works done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the persons by whom, or in respect of other works the estates in respect of which, the same is payable to him. If the order is made in respect of work done under Section 4, Clause 5, and Sections 19 and 20, the same shall forthwith be served upon the party or parties liable to pay; otherwise the Collector shall proceed under the provisions in the next chapter contained.

Total sum payable.

Interest may be charged upon any sum paid as compensation from the date of payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding 5 per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct.

Interest.

40. The said total sum, save so far as is otherwise provided in this Act, shall be paid to the Collector by the zemindars of the estates in which are situated the lands benefited or protected by the repairs or works executed. Provided that where any specific sum has hitherto been annually demanded in respect of any embankment not included in Schedule (D), and when the said embankment is at the time of this Act coming into operation being maintained by Government, then such special payments shall, after the passing of this Act, thenceforth cease and determine.

Parties liable to pay.

Every zemindar, who is liable under this rule for the payment of the whole or a portion of such total sum, shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of every tenure which is declared to be a part of his estate, the sum apportioned to such tenure by the Collector, under the provisions of Section 45. And similarly, every proprietor shall be entitled to recover from the proprietor of any subordinate tenure which is declared to be a part of his tenure, the sum apportioned to such subordinate tenure by the Collector, under the said provisions.

2. *Apportionment thereof.*

41. So soon as the total sum payable as aforesaid has been ascertained, the Collector shall cause a notice to be served for every one of the said estates and villages mentioned in Section 38. Every such notice shall specify

Notice to be given before apportionment.

the estates and villages aforesaid, and that an inquiry will be held at a day and place therein named for the purpose of apportioning amongst the zemindars and proprietors the said total sum, with interest and the costs of apportionment.

Mode of inquiry as to the proportion chargeable to each estate.

42. On the day fixed in the said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days later than the date of any service of such notice, the Collector shall proceed to make the said inquiry. In making this inquiry he shall receive such evidence as may be tendered by, or on behalf of, the said zemindars and proprietors, and by, or on behalf of, any other persons who may claim to be interested therein.

Names of proprietors.

43. In any such inquiry the Collector shall take down in writing the names of all persons who may claim, or who may be alleged by any party interested, to be proprietors of tenures within any of the estates mentioned in such notice. In default of appearance of any such person, the Collector shall issue and serve a notice calling on him to appear at a date and place therein mentioned, and to show cause against being included in the order of apportionment to be made therein, and shall adjourn the inquiry till such date.

Apportionment amongst zemindars.

44. At such or any subsequently adjourned inquiry, the Collector, if there be only one estate liable, shall charge the zemindar thereof with the total amount payable; and if there be two or more estates, he shall apportion the same amongst the zemindars thereof, rateably in proportion to the respective benefits derived by such estates from such works or repairs; or in proportion to the areas of the lands benefited or protected thereby, and comprised within such estates respectively; or with the sanction of the local Government in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates, if, before the passing of this Act, such proportion has been usually adopted.

Provided that the said total amount payable in respect of the embankments on the right bank of the river Gunduk shall be chargeable, in accordance with the custom in force for such estates, to the zemindars of all the estates situated in the district of Sarun, in proportion to the amount of revenue respectively payable for such estates.

Proviso in respect of the pergunnahs in Schedule (E.)

Provided also that the sum standing to the credit of a pergunnah in Schedule (E) in the account kept by the Collector, at the time when the total amount payable is fixed under the provisions of Section 39, shall be deducted from the total amount payable in respect of such portion of any embankment as is situated in such pergunnah; and that the zemindars of the estates situated therein shall be charged only with the balance of the amount (if any) which may remain payable.

Apportionment amongst proprietors.

45. The Collector shall, in like manner, apportion, except in respect of the said Gunduk embankments, the amount payable in respect of each estate amongst all the tenures therein rateably in the proportion of benefit so received or area so benefited or protected, first deducting therefrom such sum as, on the like principle of proportion, is payable in respect of such portion of the estate as is not included within any tenure.

Apportionment where the lands held without payment of rent, not being estates on the register of revenue-free tenures.

46. All lands held without payment of rent not being estates entered in the register of revenue-free tenures, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to form a part of the tenure within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any tenure, then to be a part of the estate within the local boundaries of which they are included; and, if they are not included within the local boundaries of any estate, then to be a part of such conterminous estate as the Collector, in whose district such conterminous estate is situated, shall, by an order under his seal and signature, declare.

Amount apportioned payable by instalments.

47. The amount apportioned to any estate or tenure shall be payable in equal instalments on such days as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, provided that no instalment shall exceed four annas for every acre of land in respect of which the same is payable, and that not more than four instalments shall be payable in any one year.

Interest.

Interest shall be charged on the unpaid portion of the said amount from the date of the same becoming due until payment thereof at such rate, not exceeding five per centum per annum, as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time determine.

Final order of apportionment.

48. On the completion of the apportionment the Collector shall make an order specifying the estates and tenures, and the several sums payable in respect thereof, the instalments of such sums, and the dates on which the same are payable.

3. *Recovery thereof.*

Orders for payment.

49. The Collector shall, within thirty days from the final order of apportionment, make and serve for every estate therein mentioned an order, stating the amount with interest due in respect thereof, and that the same is payable to him, and the date or dates at which such amount or instalments thereof shall become payable to him.

Recovery from zemindars.

50. If such sum or any instalment thereof be not, pursuant to the said order, paid, the same with interest shall be recoverable as arrears of a demand under the provisions of Bengal Act VII of 1868 (*to make further provision for the recovery of arrears of land revenue and public demands recoverable as arrears of land revenue*).

Recovery by zemindars or proprietors.

51. Every zemindar or proprietor to whom any sum or instalment thereof is payable under the said order, may recover the same with interest as aforesaid in the manner provided for the recovery of arrears of rent in respect of putnee tenures by the provisions of Clauses 2 and 3 of Section 8, Sections 9, 10, 14, 15, and Clauses 1, 2, and 3 of Section 17 of Regulation VIII of 1819, as amended by Bengal Act VIII of 1865; provided that the right or interest of any person holding from the proprietor of such tenure shall not be affected by any sale held under these provisions.

PART VII.

Miscellaneous.

Penalty for obstructing persons in exercise of powers of Act.

52. Whoever wilfully obstructs any person duly authorized under this Act in removing or levelling any embankment, house, hut, or other building, or in the lawful exercise of any of the powers in this Act conferred, shall, in case such obstruction shall not amount to an offence within the provisions of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for any period not exceeding six months, at the discretion of the Magistrate, or to fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, commutable, if not paid, to a period of imprisonment not exceeding six months.

Penalty on unauthorized interference with embankments or drainage.

53. Every person who, without the previous permission of the Engineer, shall erect, or cause or wilfully permit to be erected, any new embankment, or shall obstruct or divert, or cause or wilfully permit to be obstructed or diverted, any watercourse, if such embankment or watercourse is likely to interfere with, counteract, or impede, any public embankment or any public watercourse, or shall abet any such act, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or in default of payment, to imprisonment of either description for a period not exceeding six months.

Penalties for injuring works under Act.

54. No person shall, without due authority, cut through, or attempt to cut through, any public embankment, or destroy, or attempt to destroy any such embankment, or open or shut, or obstruct any sluice in any such embankment, or any public watercourse; and every person who shall commit any breach of the provisions of this section shall, in case the act shall not amount to mischief within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding one month, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Penalties for diverting rivers or permitting cattle to graze on embankments.

55. Every person who shall make any dam or other obstruction for the purpose of diverting or opposing the current of a river, wherein or whereon there are public embankments, without the permission of the officer in immediate charge of the embankments, or shall refuse or neglect to remove any such dam or obstruction when so required by the Engineer, or shall cut or otherwise alter the banks of any embanked river, or shall remove the earth from any public embankment, or shall drive stakes into it, or by any other wilful act destroy or diminish the efficiency of such embankment; and every person who shall cause or knowingly and wilfully permit any cattle to graze upon any such embankment, or shall tether, or cause or wilfully permit any cattle to be tethered upon any such embankment, or who shall root up any grass or other vegetation growing on any such embankment, shall be liable to imprisonment of either description for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees.

Obstructions to be removed and damage repaired.

56. Whenever any person is convicted of an offence under either of the three last preceding sections, the convicting Magistrate may order that he shall remove the embankment or obstruction, or repair the damage, in respect of which the conviction is held, within a period to be fixed in such order. If such person neglects or refuses to obey such order within the fixed period, the Engineer may remove such embankment or obstruction or repair such damage, and the cost of such removal or repair shall be levied from such person in addition to any other penalty in the manner provided in Section 307 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Service.

57. Every proclamation, notice or order in said by this Act required to be served may, unless when otherwise provided, be served—

(1) by delivering a copy of the same to the person to whom it is directed, or on failure of such service by posting a copy on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person resides, or by delivering a copy to any agent authorized to appear generally for the person to whom such proclamation, notice or order is directed; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing a copy of such proclamation, notice or order directed to the said person at his usual place of abode, or at the place where he may be known to reside; or

(3) by posting a copy of the proclamation, notice or order at the mal-cutcherry of the estate, village or tenure to which the same relates; or if no such mal-cutcherry be found, on some conspicuous place on the said estate, village or tenure, and by delivering, in the case of estates paying their annual revenue by four instalments, another copy thereof to the agent who shall have paid an instalment of revenue next before or after the preparation of such proclamation, notice or order. In all cases where two or more persons are holders of an estate, village or tenure service under this clause shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service on each and all of such persons.

No proceedings to be impeached for want of form.

58. No proceedings under this Act shall be impeached or affected by reason of any mistake in the name of any person thereby rendered liable to pay any sum of money, or in the description of any estate or tenure or land in respect of which he is rendered liable to pay; provided the directions of this Act be in substance and effect complied with; and no proceedings under this Act shall for want of form be quashed or set aside in any Court of Justice.

Appeal from orders made on objection.

59. Every order passed by the Collector in respect to applications under Section 4, Clauses 6 and 7, or under Sections 8, 39, and 48, shall be appealable to the Commissioner of Revenue, and every order of the Commissioner, except when otherwise directed by this Act, shall be appealable to the Board of Revenue, but no appeal shall lie under this section against any order unless the same be presented within one month from the date of the order.

Orders to be final.

60. Subject to the right of appeal above-mentioned and to the order and control of Government, every order passed under the provisions aforesaid shall be final, and shall not be open to revision by any Civil Court.

Powers on inquiry and appeal.

61. In any inquiry or appeal held under this Act, the Collector and the Commissioner shall respectively have the same powers

as those conferred on Courts by the Code of Civil Procedure of summoning and examining witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

General control of Commissioner and Government.

62. All the powers of a Collector under this Act shall be exercised under the general control and orders of the Commissioner of the Division, and all the powers of Collectors and Commissioners shall be exercised subject to the general control and orders of the Board of Revenue and of the Government.

Disposal of lands no longer required for embankments.

63. Whenever the maintenance of any public embankment, or the retention of any land appropriated to the purposes thereof, may no longer be required, and the permanent relinquishment of the same may be deemed expedient, such land shall be conveyed by the Collector to the proprietor of the land, within the limits of which it may be situated, on payment of the compensation, if any, which was paid for such land when the same was taken for the purpose of the embankment. If the proprietor of such lands refuse or neglect to pay such price within a reasonable time after demand, the same shall be sold by the Collector for such price as he can obtain for the same. All sums obtained for the conveyance of lands under the provisions of this section shall, after the payment of all expenses incurred on account of the same, be applied to the payment of the cost of any new embankment or drainage works affecting the said lands, and in such case the residue only of the cost of such new works shall be charged upon the zemindars of estates benefited as hereinbefore provided.

Collector may delegate any of his powers to a Deputy Collector.

64. A Collector may delegate any of his powers under this Act to a Deputy Collector, but from any order passed by a Deputy Collector to whom powers have been so delegated, an appeal shall lie to the Collector if presented within thirty days of the date of the order.

Jurisdiction.

65. All offences created by this Act shall be inquired into and tried by a Magistrate of the first or second class.

Saving of Bengal Act V of 1871.

66. Nothing in this Act shall affect the provisions of "the Hooghly and Burdwan Drainage Act 1871."

SCHEDULE OF FORMS.

SCHEDULE A.—(*Referred to in Section* 5.)

All persons interested are hereby required to take notice that it is my intention to [*here state the nature of the work to be undertaken*] for the purpose of [*state the purpose*]. For the execution of this work the undermentioned land will be required to be taken up:—

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Area of land.

Plans, specifications, and estimates of the proposed work, together with a copy of the survey map showing the boundaries of the villages of the various estates likely to be affected by the said work, are open for inspection by any interested person at this office who is allowed to take copies thereof.

The total probable cost of such work will be the sum of Rs. , and the rate per acre of the area benefited or protected by the said work is estimated at Rs.

The following estates and villages will probably be affected by the work proposed [*here set out a list of the estates and villages*]:

Any person interested and desirous of showing cause against the execution of the works specified, is hereby required to appear before the Collector for that purpose on the day of

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE B.—(*Referred to in Section* 12.)

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the land hereunder specified has been taken up and notice thereof has been given to the Collector of

1	2	3
Pergunnah in which land is situated.	Name of village in which land is situated.	Approximate boundaries and area of land.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE C.—(*Referred to in Section* 26.)

All persons interested are required to take notice that under the provisions of Section 11 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1873, the Collector of has taken possession on account of the Government of [*here state particulars of the land taken*], and that claims to compensation for all interests in such land must be made to the Collector. All persons having any such claims are therefore required to appear personally or by agent on day of at , and to state the nature of their respective interests in such land, and the amount and particulars of their claims to compensation for such interests.

The day of

A. B.,
Collector of

SCHEDULE D.—(*Referred to in Sections* 34, 35, *and* 40.)

No. 1.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Isnagore to Kola.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 3 miles 4,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Isnagore of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kola in the said pergunnah.

No. 2.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Chota Roopram to Narcoa.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 4 miles 770 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Chota Roopram of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Narcoa in the said pergunnah.

No. 3.

Right Embankment on the Selye River from Sriampore to Ganchia.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Selye River, 7 miles 2,686 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sriampore of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ganchia in the said pergunnah.

No. 4.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Kursi to Kulakuri.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 6 miles 5,265 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Kursi of Pergunnah Bogree, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kulakuri in the said pergunnah.

No. 5.

Left Embankment of the Selye River from Bagputta to Radhachuck.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Selye River, 20 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bagputta of Pergunnah Chanderkona, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Radhachuck of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 6.

Left Embankment of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Darkissur and Sankra Rivers, 5 miles 250 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Ramnagur of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gasna of Pergunnah Jehanabad.

No. 7.

Right Embankment of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Darkissur and Jhoomee Rivers, 6 miles 3,200 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Digra of Pergunnah Byra, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sowey of Pergunnah Barda.

No. 8.

Left Embankment on the Bukhshi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Bukhshi Khall, 6 miles 4,330 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bukhshi of Pergunnah Kanjee Mundleghaut, and near the junction of the Roopnarain River and Bukhshi Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Gyghattee in the said pergunnah where the Gyghattee Khall leaves the Damoodah.

No. 9.

Right Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the River Roopnarain, 29 miles 2,373 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground distant 57 feet south-east by compass from the Machnan masonry sluice on the right bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, in the village of Machnan of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the zero mile-post on the bank of the Tidal Canal, Reach 1. This mile-post bears 500 feet south-west by compass from the Canal Toll-house, in the village of Camalpore of Pergunnah Mysadul.

No. 10.

Right Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,410 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 187 feet west of a temple on the Tumlook Road, in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 11.

Left Embankment on the Pyratoongee Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Pyratoongee Khall, 4,370 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the ground in the village of Pyratoongee of Pergunnah Tumlook, and on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Barpadoobasun in the said pergunnah.

No. 12.

Right Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 3,430 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soodhapore of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 675 feet east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice, in the village of Syedpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 13.

Left Embankment on the Gungakhally Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Gungakhally Khall, 3 miles 1,670 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Mysda of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 170 feet north-east of the Rogonathpore masonry sluice

on the right bank of the Gungakhally Khall, in the village of Rogonathpore, in the said pergunnah.

No. 14.

Right Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 3,990 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar, in the village of Jasamnathpore in the said pergunnah.

No. 15.

Left Embankment on the Soadiggi Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Soadiggi Khall, 2 miles 1,690 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Soadiggi of Pergunnah Tumlook, on the Roopnarain embankment, right bank, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Hugla in the said pergunnah.

No. 16.

Right Embankment on the Doobachutty Khall.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Doobachutty Khall, 1 mile 3,510 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at a distance of 550 feet north north-east of the Bhoodah Factory Chimney in the village of Bhoodah of Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar distant 57 feet south-east of the Machuan masonry sluice, in the village of Machuan in the said pergunnah.

No. 17.

Mohunkhally Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 28 miles 3,258 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the village of Kooltigree where the Mohunkhally River runs into the Roopnarain River, and passing along the right bank of the Mohunkhally River through the villages of Joligunsain, Seetapore, Manoo to Basantopore, where the Mohunkhally and Doobachutty Rivers bifurcate, thence skirting the left bank of the Doobachutty River it passes through the villages of Shahpore, Bosorepore, and Barmogria to Kachara, thence skirting the Roopnarain, right bank, it passes through the village of Doodcoura and Bagchina, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 18.

Pannah Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 9 miles 3,640 feet more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its junction with the Cossye River near a temple, in the village of Bargobindoo, Pergunnah Barda. It passes through the villages of Baramdi and Raneebazar on the left bank of the Selye River and then along the right bank of the Kanta Khall through the villages of Bhaugadow, Parna, Baramdijheel, Tubli and Dhurmpore, and terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 19.

Ghattal Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 16 miles 1,850 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Selye River at its bifurcation with the Argor River, and passing along the *left* bank of the Selye River and through the villages of Srirampore, Bassodebpore, and Singpore, it skirts the right bank of the Argora Khall through the villages of Ramchunderpore, Rogonathchuck and others, and terminates at the masonry pillar aforesaid.

No. 20.

Sheikpore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 5,103 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the bifurcation of the Rivers Sankra and Jhoomee in the village of Sheikpore of Pergunnah Boyrah, and passing along the left bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Srimantpore, Anandopore, and Thakooranchuck, thence along the right bank of the Sankra River through the villages of Nursingchuck, Koolat, Goozrat, and others, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 21.

Khasbar Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 5 miles 5,240 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the point of bifurcation of the Jhoomee and Amada Rivers in the village of Lalchuck, Pergunnah Barda, and passing along the right bank of the Jhoomee River through the villages of Parbuttichuck, Prosadchuck, and Joybag, and thence along the left bank of the Amada River through the villages of Khasbar, Sowoi, and Lalchuck, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 22.

Chetooa Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 45 miles 1,420 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and Mohunkhally Khall in the village of Moishgatta, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and passing along the left bank of the Mohunkhally Khall through the villages of Dukinbar, Gowreechuck, Gobindnuggur, and Bosuntopore, thence along the left bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Kola, Mohesbpore, Gocoolnuggur and Islampore, thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the villages of Soorutpore, Rogonathpore, and Konagore to the junction of the Selye and Roopnarain Rivers at Protabpore, and thence along the right bank of the Roopnarain River through the villages of Hurrishpore, Joleconaram, Raneechuck, and Gopeegunge, it terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 23.

Doosaspore Circuit Embankment.

This is a circuit embankment 18 miles 2,350 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the right bank of the Cossye River, distant 704 feet and bearing 20° from the Doosaspore sluice in the

village of Doosapore of Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the right bank of the Cossye River through the villages of Nobinhasdeopore, Koonjpore, Mohespore, Talondee, and Brickobanupore, thence passing along the left bank of the Petooa Khall through the villages of Futtehpore, Godyepore, and Dhamkola, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Kritibaspore, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 24.

Narajole Embankment.

This is an embankment 7 miles 1,735 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye river in the village of Samat, Pergunnah Chetooa, and passing along the left bank of the Cossye River to the village of Mudummohunpore, and thence along the right bank of the Selye River through the village of Ramdebpore, it terminates at another masonry pillar in the village of Chandikhally, Pergunnah Chetooa.

No. 25.

Bindabunchuck Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Bindabunchuck, Pergunnah Kharijee Mundleghaut, and running along the *right* bank of the Doorbachatti Khall, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 26.

Dhangaria Embankment.

This is an embankment 2 miles 2,520 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Dhangaria, Pergunnah Jehanabad, and running along the *left* bank of the Roopnarain River, terminates at another masonry pillar in the same village.

No. 27.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 7 miles 3,980 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Gourbazar of Pergunnah Sheregarh, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Toomnee Khall with the Adjai River in the village of Kejladee of Pergunnah Shanpaharee.

No. 28.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 4 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground near a masonry sluice near the junction of the Toomnee and Balpaharee Khalls in the village of Bistopore of Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Urjunboonee in the said pergunnah.

No. 29.

Right Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Adjai River, 11 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Satkonea, Pergunnah Shanpaharee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Sagurposta of Pergunnah Gopeebhoom.

No. 30.

Left Embankment on the Adjai River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Adjai River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Singhee of Pergunnah Azmutshahi, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bameonea in the said pergunnah.

No. 31.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 4,488 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sadipore of Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 32.

Left Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the Damoodah River, 107 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Sillia, Pergunnah Champanuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Allipore of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 33.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Lakea, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Bergang in the said pergunnah.

No. 34.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 3,328 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Bulrampore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 35.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 1 mile 528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the villlage of Zangirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Srekistopore in the said pergunnah.

No. 36.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 18 miles,

more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Gozirpore, Pergunnah Habalee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Dehi Barsut of Pergunnah Barsut.

No. 37.

Right Embankment on the Damoodah River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Damoodah River, 29 miles 3,560 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Gyghattee Khall with the Damoodah River in the village of Gyghattee, Pergunnah Aysa, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Roopnarain and Hughli Rivers at the 32nd milepost on the Roopnarain left embankment in the village of Magrapathur of Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 38.

Left Embankment on the Roopnarain River.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Roopnarain, 31 miles 3,762 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground at the junction of the Roopnarain River and the Bakhsee Khall in the village of Bakhsee, Pergunnah Mundleghaut, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the junction of the Hughli and Roopnarain Rivers at the 32nd milepost of the Roopnarain embankment in the village of Magrapathur, Pergunnah Mundleghaut.

No. 39.

This is a continuous line of embankment, 41 miles and 155 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Khodalgobra, Pergunnah Birkul, and running generally parallel with the coast line of the Bay of Bengal, terminates at a masonry pillar on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal.

No. 40.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the Contai and Kedgeri Road on the right bank of the Russulpore River in the village of Shamchuck, Pergunnah Kowramal, and running along the right bank of the Russulpore River as far as the Contai and Tumlook Road, and thence along the right bank of the Serpai River, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta.

No. 41.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Russulpore River, 2 miles 4,868 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Sanberia, Pergunnah Bahirimutta.

No. 42.

This is a continuous line of embankment 30 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Atlagori, Pergunnah Majnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Serpai River as far as the village of Kessoorkunda on the Contai and Midnapore Road, and thence in a northerly direction to Chowmook on the Bagdah River, and thence along the right bank of the Balliaghye Khall to the east of the Dhoobda Jheel, terminates at a masonry pillar on the sand ridge in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi.

No. 43.

This is a continuous line of embankment 17½ miles, more or less, in length. It commences at the great sea dyke, east of the Peechabunnee sluice, on the left bank of the Peechabunnee Khall, and running along the said bank as far as the masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Madhubpore, Pergunnah Bhograi, and thence along the right bank, terminates at the great sea dyke west of the Peechabunnee sluice.

No. 44.

This is a circuit embankment on the right bank of the Bagdah River, 3 miles 2,528 feet, more or less, in length. It commences and terminates at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Astichuck, Pergunnah Paharpore.

No. 45.

This is a continuous line of embankment 95 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the left bank of the Ikhtarpore Khall to its junction with the Madakhally River, thence running along the left bank of the Madakhally River to the Chowdachoolee Inspection Bungalow at the confluence of the Russulpore River and the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall, thence running along the left bank of the Koonjapore or Thalputti Khall to its embouchure in the Bay of Bengal, thence running parallel to the coast line as far as the mouth of the River Huddee, thence following the right bank of this river as far as the junction of the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers, and lastly running along the right bank of the Kaliaghye River, terminates at a masonry pillar at the village of Nilkantapore, Pergunnah Jalamutta.

No. 46.

This is a continuous line of embankment 5 miles, more or less, in length on the right bank of the Kaliaghye River. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Kharan, Pergunnah Pataspore, and terminates at another masonry pillar in the said village.

No. 47.

This is a circuit embankment 34 miles 1,009 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground near the Barju Ghaut in the village of Barju, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the right bank of the Madakhally River, the left bank of the Bagdah River, and the right bank of the Chackbowani Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Barju, Simulbari, Dismila, Khamgara, Idalpore, Kaluratharl, Lischintar, Ullalbara, Koniabar, Bhastagara, Khada Kalkadari, Sundarpore, Mallickpore, Ballabpore, Sukakhola, Udaypore, Gopalpore, Baro Adapore, Tamlapura, Chakbata, Calsai, Culbaria, Chakmathuri, Chakahabani Bhayrabdari, South Chando, Manglepore, Dakhindara, Partabdigi, Bamanbasan, Sitadigi, Kistanuggur, Pomesoori, Sardabar, Mathura, Chakrosal Khaeura, Mangalchuck,

Tonabila, Aganeggur, Poulia, Mahesda, Khamgara, Malda, Barjee, and Pergunnahs Narnaroulli, Kismat Pataspore, Kismat Dauto, Kharaig, Partabpur, Pataspore, and Ghatgar.

No. 48.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,541 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Udbadal Khall in the village of Naturea, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and passing through the villages of Udbadal, Champainuggur, Conasdigi, Nathara, Khatmari, Etabaria, Naudigi, Manikjar, Hasgoria, Manikjor Basdebbaria, Patarbara, Pergunnah Narnamutta, terminates at the aforesaid pillar.

No. 49.

This is a circuit embankment 11 miles 1,525 feet, more or less, in length, lying between the Iktiarpore Khall, Madakhally River, and Udbadal Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Madakhally River and Iktiarpore Khall in the village of Rogonathchuk, Pergunnah Narnamutta, and running along the left bank of the Madakhally River, left bank of the Udbadal Khall, and right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Udbadal, Patna, Dumurdari, Podutardi, South Biada, Ichhapore, Pauchgaria, Bhupatinuggur, Rogonathchuck, Nandichuck, Khormet, Gobindapore, Jogomohunpore, Champainuggur, Kanjadapore, Udbadal, and the Pergunnahs of Narnamutta and Koaal.

No. 50.

This is a continuous line of embankment 3 miles 3,255 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground in the village of Ramchuck, Pergunnah Sugamutta, and running along the right bank of the Iktiarpore Khall, terminates at a pillar in the village of Radhapore, Pergunnah Erinch.

No. 51.

This is a circuit embankment 7 miles 2,735 feet, more or less, in length, between the Kaliaghye River and the Bagui Khall. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the Kaliaghye River with the Bagui Khall in the village of Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, and passing through the villages of Gocoolpore, Gholahat, Daropatna, Pergunnah Pataspore, terminates at the aforesaid masonry pillar.

No. 52.

This is a circuit embankment 20 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the south side of the junction of the Thalput Khall with the Russulpore River in the village of Gumgar, Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee, and running along the left bank of the Russulpore River to its confluence with the sea, then following the coast line to the embouchure of the Thalputti Khall in the Bay of Bengal, and thence running along the south bank of the Thalputti Khall, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Gorabar, Debichuck, Dandchuck, Katka, Sampore, Baga, Padurbaria, Neuapata, Mohendranuggur, Kolagachia, Paschbari, Oulchuck, Honabaria, Gruhbaria, Salconda, Sahibchuck, Bamunchuck, Barabari, Pirulbari and Muichuck, all in the Pergunnah Kasba Hidgellee.

No. 53.

This is a continuous line of embankment 60 miles 4,110 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground on the left bank of the Cossye River in the village of Bargoda, Pergunnah Tumlook, and running along the left bank of the Cossye and Huldee Rivers to the confluence of the latter with the River Hooghly, and thence along the right bank of the Hooghly and Roopnarain Rivers, terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Banka, about one-fourth of a mile north of a Hindu temple, on the left bank of the Banka Khall.

No. 54.

This is a circuit embankment 12 miles 2,550 feet, more or less, in length, situated between the Kaliaghye and Cossye Rivers. It commences at a masonry pillar built in the ground at the junction of the said rivers, and running along the left bank of the Kaliaghye River and the right bank of the Cossye River, terminates at the aforesaid pillar. It passes through the villages of Purso, Nonakhari, Lachanpore, Narkuldi, Soonabhoy, Asnan, Chaundibarya, Machodal, Kholakhally, Kalkadari, Pauchpukhiria, Kistochuck, and Salugaria, all in the Pergunnah Tumlook.

No. 55.

Rampore Beauleah old Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 17,700 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kasbpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar to be fixed at the village Tallia-muree, Pergunnah Laskarpore.

No. 56.

Rampore Beauleah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the left bank of the River Ganges, 8,130 feet in length, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Bolanpore, Pergunnah Ghurreehath, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kudulkuttee, Pergunnah Ghurreehata, where it joins the road to Dinagepore.

No. 57.

Maldah Embankment.—This is a continuous line of embankment on the right bank of the Mahanuddy River, 11,519 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar to be fixed in the ground at the village of Kootubpore, Pergunnah Ameerabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Moheshpore, Pergunnah Vatra.

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No. 58.

Left Embankment on the River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the River Hooghly, 5 miles 4,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at

Munneekhallee Khall at a masonry pillar fixed in the ground in the village of Juggonnathnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Meeighur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of the Hooghly River and Churrial Khall.

No. 59.

Right bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Churrial Khall, 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Meeighur, on the north side of Churrial Khall, near the junction of Hooghly River and Churrial Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Ghurbanmonea, on the north bank of Churrial Khall near the junction of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road.

No. 60.

Left bank of Churrial Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Churrial Khall, 3,280 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore near the junction of left bank of Churrial Khall and the Calcutta and Atcheepore Road, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the said village of Joychundeepore near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall.

No. 61.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 19 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Joychundeepore, near the junction of River Hooghly and Churrial Khall, and continues along the left bank of Hooghly River to Poojallee Khall, on both sides of Poojallee Khall, between the River Hooghly and the road leading from Calcutta to Atcheepore, and again down the left bank of the River Hooghly to the right bank of Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 62.

Right bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Fulta, on the north side of the khall near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Fulta Khall in the village of Soharah.

No. 63.

Left bank of Fulta Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Fulta Khall, 2 miles 1,360 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Fulta Khall, in the village of Losoodeapore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall.

No. 64.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 12 miles 2,780 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Taragunge near the junction of River Hooghly and Fulta Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemoolgunge, on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River.

No. 65.

Right bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 3,500 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Seemulgunge on the right bank of Kholakhalee Khall near its junction with Hooghly River, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the khall in the village of Durree Govindpore.

No. 66.

Left bank of Kholakhalee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, 4,800 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Kholakhalee Khall, in the village of Jungalparah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Ramchunderpuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall.

No. 67.

Left bank of Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 3 miles 2,260 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Ramchunderpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Kholakhalee Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 68.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 7 miles 3,100 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Hajeepore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the right bank of Diamond Harbour Creek in the village of Dearnah.

No. 69.

Left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, 6 miles 680 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Dearnah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhubpore, near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek.

No. 70.

Left bank of the Hooghly River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of River Hooghly, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Madhulpore near the junction of Hooghly River and Diamond Harbour Creek, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 71.

Right bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Mosamaree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Janikeemaree.

No. 72.

Left bank of Culpee Nuddee.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, 1 mile, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Gourypore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee.

No. 73.

Left bank of River Hooghly.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Hooghly River, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Culpee Nuddee, in the village of Durganuggur, near the junction of Hooghly River and Culpee Nuddee, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore.

No. 74.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 8 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Chulamooree, near Chulamooree semaphore, and terminates at a masonry pillar near the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore.

No. 75.

Right bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of the Sreerampore Khall, 6 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Budinathpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah.

No. 76.

Left bank of Sreerampore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, 9 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Kontahenneah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee.

No. 77.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 26 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Sreerampore Khall, in the village of Taktipore Dighee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant.

No. 78.

Right Bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 602 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Kharee Khall, in the village of Gularchant, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, near a drainage sluice.

No. 79.

Left bank of Kharee Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Kharee Khall, 3 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Megheeber, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of the khall, in the village of Kamaratha.

No. 80.

Soonderbun Embankment.

This is a continuous embankment in the Soonderbuns, 19 miles, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of the Kharee Khall, in the village of Kamaratha, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee.

No. 81.

Right bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Pealee River, 3 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Tulpee, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee.

No. 82.

Right bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Soorjipore, or Puschunbahum Khall, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Pealee River, in the village of Chorodakaitee, and terminates at Puschunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah.

No. 83.

Left bank of Soorjipore Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Soorjipore or Puschunbahum Khall, 4 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a Puchunbahum sluice in the village of Bulbuleah, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall, in the village of Ramunggur.

No. 84.

Right bank of the Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left side of Pealee River, 9 miles 2,160 feet, more or less. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Soorjipore Khall in the village of Ramnuggur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Saungur, near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 85.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 8 miles 3,960 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River in Soonderbun lot, No. 45, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the Baugmaree Khall, in the village of Jullerath, near the junction of Pealee River with Baugmaree Khall.

No. 86.

Left bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Baugmaree Khall, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences from a masonry pillar in the village of Julierath, near the junction of Pealee River and Baugmaree Khall, and terminates at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Ath Ramdhur.

No. 87.

Right bank of Baugmaree Khall.

This is a continuous embankment on the right side of Baugmaree Khall, 1 mile 1,320 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar at the side of Mutlah Road in the village of Koolauree, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe.

No. 88.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of the Pealee River, 4 miles 2,460 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the left bank of Pealee River, in the village of Kist Kalaboroe, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the village of Povan, about a quarter of a mile north of the Calcutta and South-Eastern Railway.

No. 89.

Left bank of Pealee River.

This is a continuous embankment on the left bank of Pealee River, 2 miles 2,640 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar in the village of Shrikishenpore, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 90.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree River.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 8 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, in the village of Balleahpore, and terminates in a masonry pillar on the right bank of the same river near the junction of Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers.

No. 91.

Right bank of Biddiadhuree.

This is a continuous embankment on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, 2 miles 3,120 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar near the junction of the Biddiadhuree and Pealee rivers, in the village of Saungur, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River near its junction with Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggur.

No. 92.

South side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous embankment on south side of Tolly's Canal, 10 miles, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the right bank of Biddiadhuree River, near the junction of Biddiadhuree River and Tolly's Canal, in the village of Pertabnuggor, and terminates at a masonry pillar on the south side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Kurramabad.

No. 93.

North side of Tolly's Canal.

This is a continuous line of embankment on the north side of Tolly's Canal, 2 miles 4,020 feet, more or less, in length. It commences at a masonry pillar on the north side of Tolly's Canal, in the village of Nowabad, and terminates at a masonry pillar in the jungle in the village of Tehooraha.

No. 94.

Bhagiruttee Embankments.

This is a line of disconnected embankment on the left bank of the Bhagiruttee River, extending from Plassey Bazar, Pergunnah Plassey, District Nuddea, to Dadmootee, Pergunnah Rokunpore, district Moorshedabad, a distance of about 93 miles.

No. 95.

Kaicheekuta Embankment.

This is a continuous line of embankment about 4,000 feet in length on the right bank of the Matabhanga River. It commences in the village of Luckimpore, Pergunnah Bajpore, District Nuddea, and terminates at the bottom of the new cut opposite the village of Radhakantpore, in the same pergunnah and district.

SCHEDULE E.—*(Referred to in sections 36 and 44.)*

Pergunnah.	District.	Amount of contribution.
		Rs. A. P.
Futtehsingh ...	Moorshedabad ...	1,706 10 8
Rokunpore ...	Ditto ...	1,466 2 0

H. MILLETT,

Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Judicial and Legislative Departments.

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Seventh Publication.]

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in a month :—

A Bill to provide for the Voluntary Registration of Mahomedan Marriages and Divorces.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the voluntary registration of Mahomedan marriages and divorces within the provinces under the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; and whereas it is expedient that Registrars of such marriages and divorces should be recognised and licensed by the Local Government, it is enacted as follows :—

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to issue a license to any person being a Mahomedan, either by name or as holding any office for the time being, authorising him to act as Registrar of Mahomedan marriages and divorces.

2. Such licenses may be given on the recommendation of the Magistrate of the district, or in Calcutta, of the Commissioner of Police, to any member of any Mahomedan sect who can show that he is usually resorted to as a professional witness in such cases by his co-religionists, or that he has practised the duties of Kazi, and that he is well versed in Mahomedan law, provided always that satisfactory evidence is produced of his being a person of good moral character.

3. No Mahomedan marriage or divorce which would otherwise be valid shall be held to be invalid merely by reason of its not having been registered before a Registrar licensed under this Act.

4. Each licensed Registrar under this Act shall keep a Register Book in a form to be laid down by the Local Government in which he shall enter all marriages and divorces,—the parties to which shall desire to have them so registered. He shall also, if requested at the time, give an extract of any entry affecting them to either of the parties to such entry.

5. The entry of any marriage or divorce in the Register Book shall be signed by the Registrar, and signed, sealed, or marked by the persons married or divorced, and shall be attested by at least two credible witnesses who were present at the ceremony, and every such entry shall be made in order from the beginning to the end of the book, and any extract of any entry given to the parties shall be numbered to correspond with the number of the entry in the Register Book, and shall be authenticated by signature of the Registrar.

6. The Registrar shall keep safely the said Register Book until the same shall be filled, and shall then, or if he shall leave the district, make over the same to the District Registrar of Assurances for safe custody.

7. Any Registrar who shall discover any error to have been committed in the form or substance of any such entry may, within one month next after the discovery of such error, in the presence of the parties married, or divorced, or in case of their death or absence, in the presence of two other credible witnesses, who shall respectively

attest the same, correct the erroneous entry according to the truth of the case by entry in the margin without any alteration of the original entry, and shall sign the marginal entry, and add thereunto the day of the month and year when such correction shall be made, and shall if possible give or cause to be delivered a corrected copy of the extract to the parties to the original entry.

8. Every Registrar shall at all reasonable times, and on the payment of such fees as may be agreed upon, search or permit search to be made in any such Register Books, and shall give a copy under his hand of any entry or entries in the same.

9. Every certified extract of any entry in any Register Book purporting to be signed by the licensed Registrar, shall be received as evidence of the marriage or divorce purporting to be so entered or of the facts purporting to be so certified therein, without further proof of such Register Book or extract, unless and until the genuineness of such entry or extract or the truth of the facts set out in it be disproved.

10. Whoever shall wilfully destroy or injure or cause to be destroyed or injured any such Register Book or any part thereof, or any such authenticated extract as aforesaid, or shall wilfully insert or cause to be inserted any false entry in any such Register Book or authenticated extract, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to seven years, and shall also be liable to fine.

11. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to draw up rules and prescribe forms for giving effect to the provisions of this Act, and to charge a fee not exceeding Rs. 2 for each license granted under the Act, provided always that no rule shall be laid down to interfere with the taking by any licensed Registrar from the parties to any marriage or divorce of any fee, which custom or his position may entitle him to demand.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The attention of the Government has for some time past been drawn to the increasing number of offences against marriage shown in the criminal returns, especially in the eastern and Mahomedan districts. The remarkably small number of convictions obtained in such cases taken together with their increasing numbers, seemed to indicate the existence of a grievance which the Criminal Courts are at present unable to redress. Inquiry has proved that this is in fact the case. The loose notions regarding the marriage tie prevalent among the lower orders of Mahomedans lead to the frequent institution of criminal charges, while the absence of any authorized system of registration of marriage and divorce (since the office of Kazi ceased to be recognized by law) makes it difficult to furnish the amount of proof which the Criminal Courts require to warrant their taking action.

It appears to the Government that the legal recognition of an authorized system of registering Mahomedan marriages and divorces will go far to supply the existing want, and this Bill provides such a system. The Registrar will, as regards such registration, take the place which was filled by the old Kazis, and certified copies of extracts from his register are made *primâ facie* proof of the facts recited therein. But the registration of marriages and divorces is left optional with the parties concerned, and all questions of remuneration are left to be settled between the Registrar and the parties who avail themselves of his services.

H. L. DAMPIER.

The 29th November 1873.

H. MILLETT,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Judicial and Legislative Depts.

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EXEMPLARY LIBERALITY OF THE RANI OF BOBBILI, OF VIZAGAPATAM.

THE following papers are published with an expression of the Lieutenant-Governor's hope that the zemindars of Bengal will emulate the example of this liberal lady of Madras, who is giving 40,000 maunds of rice for gratuitous distribution in the famine-stricken districts of Bengal :—

No. 1364, dated Fort St. George, the 6th December 1873.

FROM—D. F. CARMICHAEL, ESQ., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department.

No. 1363, dated the 6th December 1873.

I AM directed to submit, for the information of the Government of India, copy of the Proceedings of this Government desiring the Collector of Vizagapatam to ship to Calcutta 40,000 maunds of paddy, which the Rani of Bobbili, a zemindar in that district, has offered to deliver about the middle of February as her contribution to the sufferers from the famine in portions of Bengal.

No. 1818, dated Vizianagram, the 26th November 1873.

FROM—J. R. DANIEL, ESQ., Acting Collector of Vizagapatam,

To—D. F. CARMICHAEL, ESQ., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George.

THE Rani of Bobbili has addressed me a letter in which she expresses her intention of placing at the disposal of Government, for gratuitous distribution in the famine-stricken districts of Bengal, 40,000 maunds of paddy. I have therefore the honor to solicit the orders of Government in regard to this munificent offer on the part of the Rani. Should

Government be pleased to accept it, the Rani wishes me to state that the paddy can be ready any time after the 15th February 1874, and can then be taken for shipment at either the port of Bimlipatam or Calingapatam.

No. 1363, dated the 6th December 1873.

Order thereon by the Government of Madras.

THE Governor in Council accepts with cordial thanks the very liberal and benevolent offer which has been made by the Rani of Bobbili. The Collector will arrange for the conveyance of the paddy to port and shipment to Calcutta at Government expense as soon as may be. The bills of lading should be forwarded to the Master Attendant, Calcutta, to whom a telegram should be sent as the shipments are completed.

2. Copy of these proceedings will be furnished to the Government of India.

No. 669, dated Calcutta, the 23rd December 1873.

From—A. P. HOWELL, Esq., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Revenue and Commerce,

To—The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.

IN reply to your letter No. 1364, dated 6th instant, I am directed to request that the acknowledgments of the Governor-General in Council may be conveyed to the Rani of Bobbili for her benevolent contribution to the relief of sufferers from the threatened scarcity in Bengal. Should there be any difficulty in the matter of freight, possibly the Collector of Vizagapatam can arrange to have the paddy husked prior to shipment.

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS AND SALT IN THE UNDER-MENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL ON THE 27TH DECEMBER 1873.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in the

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bengal Millet—Chenna, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Mutwa, and Cheena.		
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* In the interior best rice ranges from seers 12-8 to 14-6, and common rice from seers 14 to 16 per rupee.
† New rice.
In the interior best rice ranges from 13 to 15 seers, and common rice from 14 to 16 seers per rupee.
Common rice in the interior ranges from 13 to 18 seers per rupee.
In the interior.
No returns received.

...ndermentioned Districts of Bengal on the 27th December 1873.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.																		AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									
MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIRE-WOOD.			SALT.			ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON, CARPENTER OR BLACKSMITH.			DISTRICT.
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F. In the interior best rice ranges from seers 13-4 to 18, and common rice from seers 17 to 22 per rupee.
G. In the interior best rice ranges from 8 to 20 seers, and common rice from 18 to 24 seers per rupee.
H. Old.
I. In the interior best rice ranges from 16 to 18 seers, and common rice from 16 to 22 seers per rupee.
a. Bundles.
† Return for week ending 20th December received after publication of last *Gazette*.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains and Salt in the undermentio

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Mun and Cheena.		
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J Common rice in the interior ranges from 11-4 to 15 seers per rupee.
K In the interior best rice ranges from 9 to 24 seers, and common rice from 10-3 to 27 seers per rupee.
* Return not received.
† Return for week ending 20th December received after the publication of the last *Gazette*.

CALCUTTA,
The 30th December 1873.

Districts of Bengal on the 27th December 1873.—(Continued.)

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Rainfall, Weather and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 27th December 1873.

	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sadder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.			
	Western Districts.		
1	Burdwan, 30th* Dec. 1873.	Nil	Weather cold and occasionally cloudy. Late rice nearly reaped in Cutwa. Boro paddy is being transplanted from seed beds. Prospects of sugarcane and winter crops fair. Exports as before. Price of rice little higher. Fever stationary.
2	Bancoorah, 27th „ „	Nil	Weather dry and cold. Rice crop nearly reaped. No change in prices since last week. Cold weather crop doing well in the extreme north of the district and wherever water has been obtainable. Rice is being both imported and exported, but the importations are reported to be in excess of the out-goings.
3	Beerbhoom, 27th „ „	Nil	Dry, bright weather. No change since last report; rice harvest nearly home. Export by rail of week ending 20th December, 7,600 maunds to Bhaugulpore and Patna divisions.
4	Midnapore, 27th „ „	Nil	Fine and dry weather. *Boro* rice is being sown over a wider area than usual. A great deal will depend on indigo crop for the ensuing year, which is at present sown in a very few places, and on the next mulberry crop. Exportation is going on over the whole district, and prices are now entirely regulated by the Calcutta market, and the cost of carriage from the place of purchase to Calcutta. This exportation threatens serious consequences in the west of the district where the crop is worse than in other places, and no stocks of last year's crop are held to any appreciable extent. The late rain unfortunately did not extend to this portion of the district where it would have been most useful.
5	Hooghly, 27th „ „	Nil	Clear and dry weather; heavy dews. Wind north and north-east. Ploughing and sowing for the cold weather crops are still going on. Rice crop is being reaped.
	Howrah, 27th „ „	Nil	Fair weather everywhere. There is an average eight-anna late rice crop throughout the district. Outturn of the cold weather crop is expected to be very scanty this year. Seedlings of boro paddy are yet in their nursery.
	Central Districts.		
6	24-Pergunnahs, 30th† Dec. 1873.	Nil.	Pretty cold, with winds blowing from the north. There has been no change since last report. The harvest of the late rice crop is going on rapidly. Tobacco and other cold weather crops where sown progressing fairly. Fever prevails in some parts of Dum-Dum, and continues in parts of Baseerhaut. It is reported to be decreasing in Barriepore, Sudder, and Bazaset. A few cases of cholera reported at Diamond Harbour.
7	Nuddea, 27th „ „	Nil	Fine throughout the week. No alteration in the prospects of the crops. Prices nearly the same as last week. There is considerable importation of rice from Jessore.
8	Jessore, 27th „ „	Nil	Clear, bright and cold. Boro paddy is favorably reported on. There is no change in the prospects of the winter crops since last week, nor has any rise of price of rice worth mentioning occurred. The estimated outturn of the rice crop is as before reported.
9	Moorshedabad, 27th Dec. 1873.	Nil	No rain; cool and pleasant weather. No improvement since last week. From personal observation the Collector thinks that the cold weather crops in the south-eastern thannahs are better than he had been led to believe. The chief food-grains, however, such as wheat, barley, and gram, are scanty and very backward from want of rain. Urhur (pulse) is very good. Prices are almost stationary. Small-pox continues in Suti and in parts of the sudder sub-division.
10	Dinagepore, 27th „ „	Nil	Every part of the week cloudy. On the 27th December the north-west wind, dry and cold, was blowing stronger than ever. A fall of rain reported some days ago to the east. Prospects remain unchanged. The yield in some places is said to fall below the expected outturn. Prices stationary.
11	Maldah, 27th „ „	Nil	The weather remained unchanged during the week; a few drops of rain, nothing to speak of, fell in one or two places on the 22nd December, after which the weather was clear and cold; wind westerly, mornings foggy. Rain fell on the night of the 27th December, and the weather was very threatening, with rain. The winter rice crop is almost harvested; the outturn is not expected to be more than previously estimated. The pulse crop has been fairly good on moist lands. Mustard is also fairly good in places. The cold weather crops, such as wheat, barley, &c., still look well near the Ganges, but require rain. Prices stationary. Supplies plentiful; grain coming in and being stored for relief works. Works on district roads going on. The rain which began falling at the end of the week will do much good to the young crops and not much harm to mustard which is ripening in most places.

* Telegram of the 30th December received on the same day. Shows rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

† Report of the 30th December received on the same day. Shows rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Stations in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.—(Contd.)		
	Central Districts.—(Contd.)		
	RAJSHAHYE DIVN.—(Contd.)		
12	Rajsuahye, 27th Dec. 1873	Nil	There was very slight rain in Beauleah and to the westward on the 22nd December, insufficient to do any good to the crops. In the Bhurind tract, the young plants of boro paddy are suffering a good deal through want of moisture. The sugarcane and maskalai (pulse), the cutting of which is now going on, have yielded a good outturn. The mustard crop is less extensive than usual, but such as there is has grown well and is of good quality. Urhur (pulse) is safe to be a good average crop, rain or no rain, but the same cannot be said of the following crops which are affected by the continued drought: barley, wheat, peas, gram, and khesaree (pulse). This does not apply equally to dearah lands on which all the above are thriving better than elsewhere. Cheena (millet) is being sown. Prices are generally stationary, and there has been a rise in two places only during the last fortnight. In Poothea (the town) the price of rice has fallen to the extent of four and half seers, probably owing to the operation of a private relief association which has been organized there.
13	Rungpore, 27th „ „	Small amount of rain fell on the 22nd December.	Small amount of rain fell on the 22nd in the sudder, but the fall was greater towards the west and has done good. Days becoming colder, with fogs occasionally. The late rice has all been harvested, the general outturn is from three to four annas. The winter crops are looking fair. Prices of rice continue much the same, if any thing rather higher, from Rs. 3 to 4 per maund. No special cases of distress known, but more are coming to the relief works than before.
14	Bogra, 27th „ „	Nil	Pretty cool. Late rice is being cut. Potatoes and maskalai (pulse) are being gathered. Mustard in Dhunat and Panchbibi is ripening, and motor and khesaree (pulses) are growing up, but they are in need of rain. Mulberry is doing pretty well still. Sugarcane very good; urhur (pulse) in Panchbibi and Modhupur is reported to be looking fair. Common rice at sudder station, 12 seers 12 chittacks per rupee.
15	Pubna, 27th „ „	Nil	Sky clear; weather cold; no rain; heavy fogs in the morning. The harvesting of the late rice is not yet ended. The teel (oil-seed) is being reaped, and the gathering of the mash and moog (pulses) and reaping of sugarcane have begun. The long and continued drought is making it unfavorable for wheat, barley, linseed, and moshuree (pulse). Cheena (millet) is being sown to considerable extent. The young plants look well, but the prospect of a good yield depends upon a heavy fall of rain at an early period.
	COOCH BEHAR DIVN.		
16	Darjeeling, 27th „ „	Nil	Foggy and very cloudy; a fall of snow may be looked for soon. The greater portion of the rice crop has been harvested; the outturn throughout the district has been an average of ten annas in the rupee. The price of common rice and bhoota (millet), the chief articles of consumption, continue much the same as last week, viz. Rs. 4 per maund for the former, and Rs. 2 for the latter.
17	Julpigoree, 27th „ „	Nil	The last few days cloudless, with north-easterly wind, more like the usual weather at this time of year. A fall of ·15 inches of rain on the night of the 28th December has since been telegraphed. There is no change to report. The greater portion of the hymunti or late rice is cut, and, as far as can be known, is much as was estimated. Of old paddy, there is little, if any, in this district; all has been exported. New rice is now generally being eaten; the poorer people already commencing to eat the new late rice as it is cut. New rice is coming into the markets and being rapidly bought up for exportation. The people are so short-sighted that they willingly part with what they have got for a small temporary profit, and it is feared that the rate at which export goes on may cause distress where there was no reason before to anticipate it. Kyas and traders in cloth in this district, who never before thought of grain, have now gone into the grain market. Biparies (traders) from Kishengunge in Purneah, from Rungpore, Dinagepore, and Darjeeling, are to be found at all the marts buying up whatever rice is for sale, and by outbidding those, who usually at this time purchase and lay in a stock, they are rapidly reducing the resources of the district. Tobacco and other cold weather crops promising well, but in the south of the district these crops need rain.
	Cooch Behar, 27th „ „	Nil	No rain. Not so cold as in other years. Crops same as last week.
	Eastern Districts.		
	DACCA DIVISION.		
18	Dacca, 30th* „ „	Nil	Weather cooler than last week; heavy dews; clouds on the 29th December. Prospects of crops fair. Fever abating at Manickgunge.
19	Furreedpore, 27th „ „	Nil	Bright and sunny throughout the week; the want of rain is seriously affecting the winter crops which have not improved, and the absence of moisture in the soil will, it is feared, make them a poor one under any circumstances. All over the district about 13,400 beegahs have been sown with boro paddy, and it is expected that the outturn next March, at the rate of 4 maunds per beegah, will be, say, 53,600 maunds. Besides the above about 3,000 beegahs have been also sown with early paddy on recently formed chur lands, which will come to maturity in April, and will yield about 15,000 maunds, at 5 maunds per beegah. New rice and paddy are now selling in all the markets; prices of the former range from 16 to 20 seers per rupee, and of the latter from 45 to 80 seers, according to situation. In places inland, whence rice cannot easily be exported by boat, the rates are low and prices cheap; the same holds good in regard to pulses, which sell from 16 to 25 seers per rupee according to quality, meong being 16 seers per rupee, and khesaree and other coarser kinds 25 seers, inland.

* Telegram of the 30th December received on the same day. Shows rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(Contd.)			
	Eastern Districts.—(Contd.)		
DACCA DIVN.—(Contd.)			Fish this season everywhere, excepting at Gopalgunge and Kotralipara, where large inland fisheries exist, is neither cheap nor abundant, but in some parts of the district skirting the large rivers, it is good, but dear; fishermen having combined as a set-off to charge high prices for the enhanced rates of rice and other food-grains which prevail. This is given as a reason for the high prices of fish, but I believe the rates to be attributable principally to there not having been any great flood this year. Fish are always abundant in proportion as the inundation is high. The only fruit now obtainable is plantain, which however is not plentiful, as the drought has greatly affected the outturn. The usual area sown with cucumber, melons, and pumpkins has been laid down; the plants have everywhere germinated and as yet promise well, but rain is wanted to give them a start and to make them yield their usual produce. The area devoted to these crops is very limited, and the soil required by them being sandy, they are generally grown on alluvial land and places affording facilities for irrigation as banks of rivers. A general feeling of anxiety pervades all classes of the people on account of the high prices ruling for all kinds of food and edibles, and in consequence of the prospects of the winter crops being far from satisfactory at present. The ryots, in tracts where the late rice harvest was fair, tempted by the high prices of rice, are parting with all surplus grain after reserving sufficient for their own consumption; this state of things prevails especially in the southern part of the district where the late rice is grown.
	20 Backergunge, 27th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Weather cold. About one-third of the late rice crop has been reaped. The transplantation of *boro* paddy has been finished, but this crop is of little importance in this district.
	21 Mymensing, 27th „ „	Nil	No present signs of rain, and the weather is considerably colder than last week. Accounts of the cold weather crops are generally favorable from all parts of the district. Cutting of the rice crop is nearly completed. Price of food in the sudder station has risen during the week, but not in the interior. Fever is still prevalent in the Atica sub-division.
	22 Sylhet, 20th „ „	Nil	Not so cold as it ought to be at this time of the year. About 4 to 5 annas of the late rice crops remains to be cut. Boro paddy ready for transplantation next month. Nearly 5,000 maunds of rice exported last week, of which about 2,000 maunds have gone to Cachar and Shillong. In the 32 pergunnahs of Zillah Latu the outturn is estimated at just over 6,00,000 maunds, of which 70,000 maunds will be available for exportation, not including nearly 30,000 maunds of last year's store. The outturn in Latu has been a full ten-anna crop. Price of rice fallen in the district. A little cholera and small-pox about the district. Telegram of the 29th.—Rainfall ·64, will benefit cold weather crops. Weather stormy.
	23 Cachar, 20th „ „	Nil	A good deal cooler, especially at night, the mornings are occasionally foggy. No prospect of rain. Almost half the paddy has been cut. It has turned out well so far. Price of rice in the sudder station about the same. It has fallen a good deal in Hylakandy. At the thannah bazar it sells for Rs. 1-4 per maund. The outturn of the crop is now estimated at twelve annas of an ordinary crop throughout the district.
CHITTAGONG DIVISION.	24 Chittagong, 20th „ „	Nil	Fine and seasonable weather. Paddy cutting rapidly progressing. Insects have disappeared from Sudder Sub-division. Cold weather crops promising well. Cholera reported from Town, Potia, Raojan, and Rangonia stations.
	25 Noakhally, 20th „ „	Nil	Clear and seasonable weather. In Sudharam, Bamni, Hatea, Ramgunge, and Luckipore, the greater part of the standing crop has now been reaped. The prospects of the remainder are favorable. Complaints of damage by insects have ceased. The ordinary cold weather crops, such as khesary and kalai (pulses), are doing well. Prices vary with the demand for rice for exportation, but are a little lower on the whole.
	26 Tipperah	.....	Return not received.
	27 Chittagong Hill Tracts, 20th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Cool, both night and day; foggy in the morning. About three-fourths of the cotton crop has been gathered; the outturn has not been so good as was expected. The prospects of the mustard and other cold weather crops are good. There is no fear of any distress.
	Hill Tipperah, 20th „ „	Nil	Cold and bright, with northerly wind. No change to report. The paddy crop has nearly been harvested. Only that on very low lands remains. Mustard, chillies, &c., are fair. Prices have a tendency to fall.
BEHAR.			
PATNA DIVISION.	28 Patna, 29th* „ „	·03	Exceedingly cold; clouds hanging about; a slight shower of rain on the night of the 27th December. Report of the spring crops most promising, though rain is wanted. Health of the district good.
	29 Gya, 27th „ „	Nil	Weather cool. There was a shower of rain in the Jehanabad sub-division on the 20th and in the Aurungabad sub-division on the 21st December. The rice crop is being reaped. The outturn is estimated at 6 annas. The prospects of the cold weather crops are good. In the tract of the country between the Soane and the Panpun, where about 20,847 beegahs have been irrigated, the yield is expected to be more than an average one. Sowings of barley and cheena (millet) continue in this tract. Health of the district good.

* Telegram of the 29th December received on the 30th. Shows rainfall during the seven days including the 24th inst.

	No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)				
PATNA DIVISION.—(*Contd.*)	30	Shahabad, 27th Dec., 1873	Nil	Slight rain reported from all parts of the district except Sasseram sub-division, on the 21st December. The rain has done a certain amount of good to the cold weather crops, but in most parts it was too slight to have much effect. The reports mention the country near Chowsa as receiving the heaviest fall, and at Durgantee it is said to have moistened the soil to the depth of an inch; the dews have also been very heavy lately. A slight rise in prices at Sasseram. Near Chand in Bhuboosh sub-division, the poorer classes are said to be using unripe cold weather crops for food.
	31	Tirhoot, 27th " "	Nil	Cold and seasonable, and at times cloudy. It was reported on the 27th December that there has been heavy rain near Seraiah, in the Paro thannah jurisdiction. The weather very cloudy, with every appearance of rain. The rice crop is now nearly all gathered in. The outturn is not more than two to three annas as previously estimated. The cold weather crops are very badly in want of rain, especially in the Madhubani sub-division, and of late they have made very little progress indeed.
	32	Sarun, 27th " "	A little rain on the night of the 21st December, hardly enough to lay the dust.	Weather clear and cold during the week, west wind prevailing; a little rain on the night of the 21st December, pretty general over the district, but not enough to do much good. The irrigated crops are still doing well. Poppy has germinated satisfactorily, the crops in the unirrigated fields are suffering severely from drought, and the water supply from which lands have been hitherto irrigated has begun to fail in many parts. There seems to be no scarcity of supplies in the bazar. Prices of food-grains stationary. People are being largely employed on relief works.
	33	Chumparun, 27th " "	Nil	Weather cool. West wind and cloudy; every appearance of rain on the 27th instant. The continued drought is acting injuriously on the cold weather crop; that on the high lands is dying for want of moisture.
BHAGULPORE DIVN.	34	Monghyr, 27th " "	Nil	The cold weather crops are generally looking well, and if rain falls soon a good crop generally is expected. The jenera (millet) now being cut is a good one, but bears a very small proportion to the other crops, probably not more than one per cent. The rice is nearly all cut and carried; the outturn has been not more than was expected.
	35	Bhaugulpore, 30th* " "	·35	Slight rain has fallen in many parts of the district, but not enough to be of much good except in the sudder sub-division. To the south of the Ganges the cold weather crops promise well still. Koorthi reaped, and kalai (pulses) being now gathered. General health remarkably good.
	36	Purneah, 27th " "	Nil	No change in the weather. ·37 inches of rainfall telegraphed on the 28th December and more expected. The late rice crop is now nearly all cut. Mustard is looking well in all parts, but tobacco, wheat, pulse, and linseed require rain. Insects are attacking the wheat, and the pulses are said to be stunted in growth. Rice is more plentiful in the hâts. Prices are a little lower than last week, and distress is not yet felt.
	37	Sonthal Pergunnahs, 27th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Dry and fairly cold everywhere till the evening of the 26th December, when clouds with thunder and lightning came up from the south. A few drops of rain fell in the sudder station on the morning of the 27th instant, but there must have been heavy rain in the hills to the south-west. The rice is nearly all cut about Doomka. It seems to be as good a crop as has been reported up to this.
ORISSA.				
ORISSA DIVISION.	38	Cuttack, 30th* " "	Nil	Weather very cool. Crops excellent. Public health generally good.
	39	Pooree, 20th " "	Nil	Fair and cool for the most part of the week; latter part rather warm. The harvest of the laghu or second rice crop has been completed, and has yielded a good outturn. The reaping of the late rice crop is proceeding rapidly with a fair yield. One-fourth of the dolwa rice crop has been sown. The cold weather crops are growing well. Rice market has been stationary, though purchases for export still continue on the same scale as before. The exporting merchants are buying large quantities of the new loghu rice which has not yet found its way into the regular market. The supply is equal to the demand. Prices are yet moderate in the mofussil. The mustard crop has been very poor.
	40	Balasore, 27th " "	Nil	Seasonable weather. The reaping of paddy continues. Cold weather crop promises well. Coarse rice is selling at 32 seers per rupee in Pergunnah Sosoh, where there has been a total failure of crops.
CHOTA NAGPORE.				
		South-West Frontier Agency.		
	41	Hazareebaugh, 27th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Cloudy during the first portion of the week; cold and clear during the latter portion. At Padumba heavy wind accompanied by a little rain. Ploughing put in hand at once for sugarcane. The prospect of the crops has in no respect improved since last report. Christmas has passed without its usual rain, and the cold weather crop is reported everywhere to be suffering from drought. The price of grain has slightly improved.

* Telegram of the 30th December received on the same day. Shows the rainfall during the seven days immediately preceding.

No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
CHOTA NAGPORE.—(*Contd.*)			
	South-West Frontier Agency.—(*Contd.*)		
42	Lohardugga, 27th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Clear and bright weather, but warm for the season. Still no rain, and what cold weather crops there are are suffering accordingly. There will scarcely be a four-anna crop now. The outturn of the rice crop in the south and eastern parts of the Palamow sub-division has been better than was expected. It is feared that the cold weather crop will be entirely lost if rain does not come soon.
43	Singbhoom, 20th „ „	Nil	Cool and very pleasant weather; some rain also fell last week in the west of the district which must have benefited the gram crop. In other respects the same as last week. Prices stationary.
44	Maunbhoom, 27th „ „	Nil	Cloudy in the mornings of the 22nd and 23rd December last; since then the weather has been clear; mornings and evenings cold. Since the 24th bright sun during the day. No material change in the prospects of crops since last week; wheat and barley are still looking well, but require rain soon. Common rice is being sold at the rate of 16 to 18 seers to the rupee. Public health good.
ASSAM AND ADJACENT HILLS			
45	Goalparah, 20th „ „	Nil	Seasonable weather; days clear; mornings generally foggy. No change in the state of the crops except that the cold weather crops are somewhat improved by the heavy dews. Telegram of 29th.—Slight showers on 18th, ·11 at head-quarters, and ·65 at Dhoobree; will benefit millets, but harm mustard and pulses.
46	Kamroop, 29th* „ „	Nil	Days more or less clear, with cold north-west wind. Late rice is being reaped; the outturn will probably be below the average. Sugarcane and mustard do not promise well for want of rain. Public health good.
47	Durrung, 20th „ „	Nil	Frequent fogs, little north-east breeze, and heavy dews. No change in the condition of the crops. The mustard crop is greatly in want of rain. In some parts of the district the late rice of the current year is being brought out into the markets; the average for the district will give about an eight-anna crop.
48	Nowgong, 20th „ „	Nil	Weather cold and seasonable, with very heavy dews at night and foggy mornings. The late rice crop nearly all cut. The heavy night dews benefiting the pulse and mustard crops. Sugarcane doing well. Tea operations closed, and pruning of bushes actively carried on. General health good; a fresh case of small-pox in the town.
49	Seebsaugor, 20th „ „	Nil	Nights and mornings are cold; the latter are also foggy. No indication of rain. The reaping of the paddy continues. Owing to want of rain the mustard crop will be a poor one. Sugarcane tolerable.
50	Luckimpore, 20th „ „	Nil	The weather has been dry and cold, with hot sun in the day time. The rice crops are being fast got in. Rain looked for very much as the excessive drought is very unseasonable. Public health good.
51	Naga Hills, 13th „ „	Nil	Warm and dry in the day, but cold at night. All the rice crops in the hills are gathered and cotton is now being got in, which is not a very good one. The rice crop, however, has been a very good one on the hills, but bad on the plains.
52	Khasi & Jynteah Hills, 20th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Bright sun. Prospects of the murwa (millet) crop continue good. All other food-crops have been reaped.
53	Garo Hills, 20th Dec. 1873.	Nil	Seasonably cold. On Monday a few drops of rain. Hazy throughout the week. During Friday and Saturday a few clouds collected over Tura range, but no rain fell. Jooming is going on. A small portion of cotton remains uncollected.

* Telegram of the 29th December received on the 30th. Shows rainfall during the seven days including the 29th idem.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Division.	District.	Station.	Rain from 7th to 13th Dec. 1873.	Rain from 14th to 20th Dec. 1873.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1873. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	1873.	
	WESTERN DISTRICTS.						
PUTNAH.	Burdwan	Burdwan	1·15	Nil	57·67	20th Dec.	
		Cutwa	Nil	Nil	39·37	ditto.	
		Culna	Nil	Nil	46·18	ditto.	
		Bood-Bood	0·19	Nil	48·19	ditto.	
		Raneegunge	Nil	Nil	44·85	ditto.	
		Jehanabad	0·49	Nil	44·51	ditto.	
	Bancoorah	Bancoorah	0·07	Nil	47·34	ditto.	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	Nil	Nil	53·45	ditto.	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	0·04	Nil	44·91	ditto.	
		Tamlook	1·14	Nil	48·57	ditto.	
		Gurbetta	0·50	Nil	46·86	ditto.	
		Contai — Dy. Collr.'s Office	0·80	Nil	47·25	ditto.	
		Contai — Exe. Engr.'s Office	1·20	Nil	53·10	ditto.	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	0·75	Nil	39·64	ditto.	
		Serampore	1·26	Nil	44·60	ditto.	
	Howrah	Howrah	0·78	Nil	47·57	ditto.	
	CENTRAL DISTRICTS.						
PRESIDENCY.	24-Pergunnahs	Saugor Island	0·10	Nil	49·73	ditto.	
		Calcutta	0·82	Nil	45·21	ditto.	
		Alipore — Dispensary	0·41	Nil	45·88	ditto.	
		Alipore — Jail	0·50	Nil	44·21	ditto.	
		Busseerhaut	Nil	Nil	43·02	ditto.	
		Baraset	0·52	Nil	40·39	ditto.	
		Diamond Harbour	0·05	Nil	51·18	ditto.	
		Barripore	0·03	Nil	52·32	ditto.	
		Satkheera	0·02	Nil	47·86	ditto.	
		Barrackpore	1·42	Nil	47·46	ditto.	
		Dum-Dum	[illegible]	Nil	39·41	ditto.	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	Nil	Nil	46·80	ditto.	
		Boogong	Nil	Nil	42·26	ditto.	
		Meherpore	Nil	Nil	52·41	ditto.	
		Chooadangah	Nil	Nil	46·02	ditto.	
		Kooshtiah	Nil	Nil	38·66	ditto.	
		Ranaghat	Not rec.	Nil	34·51	ditto	Not rec. 7th to 13th Dec.
	Jessore	Jessore	0·08	Nil	44·59	ditto.	
		Nurail	Not rec.	Nil	66·71	ditto	Not rec. 23rd Nov. to 13th Dec.
		Khoolnea	Nil	Nil	59·46	ditto.	
		Jenaidah	Nil	Nil	4[illegible]·15	ditto.	
		Bagirhaut	Nil	Nil	56·03	ditto.	
		Magoorah	Nil	Nil	47·72	ditto.	
	Moorshedabad	Berhampore	Nil	Nil	31·61	ditto.	
		Rampoorhaut	Nil	Nil	28·71	ditto.	
		City Moorshedabad	Nil	Nil	27·21	ditto.	
		Jungipore	Nil	Nil	36·42	ditto.	
		Azimgunge	Nil	Nil	35·38	ditto.	
		Lalgolla	Nil	Nil	41·51	ditto	From 1st Feb.
RAJSHAHYE.	Dinagepore	Dinagepore	Nil	Nil	43·21	ditto.	
	Maldah	Maldah	Nil	Nil	27·02	ditto.	
	Rajshahye	Beauleah	Nil	Nil	32·13	ditto.	
		Nattore	Nil	Nil	43·78	ditto.	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	Nil	Nil	44·26	ditto.	
		Bhowanigunge	Nil	Nil	47·28	ditto.	
		Titalya	Nil	Nil	52·72	ditto.	
	Bograh	Bograh	Nil	Nil	26·74	ditto.	
	Pubna	Pubna	Nil	Nil	43·18	ditto.	
		Serajgunge	Nil	Nil	35·26	ditto	Not. rec. 26th Oct. to 18th Nov.
COOCH BEHAR.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling — Telegraph Office	Not rec.	Not rec.	93·60	15th Nov.	
		Darjeeling — Hospital	Nil	Nil	77·74	20th Dec.	Not rec. 9th to 22nd Nov.
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	Nil	Nil	89·20	ditto.	
		Fallacotta	Nil	Nil	106·39	ditto.	
		Bodah	Nil	Nil	66·67	ditto.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State	Cooch Behar	Nil	Not rec.	115·55	13th Dec.	
	Bhooteah Dwars	Buxa	Nil	Nil	175·64	20th Dec.	Not rec. 23rd to 29th Nov.

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BENGAL—(*Continued.*)			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
	EASTERN DISTRICTS.						
DACCA.	Dacca	Dacca { Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	61·33	20th Dec.	
		Dacca { Hospital	Nil	Nil	59·24	ditto.	
		Moonshegunge	Nil	Nil	63·47	ditto.	
		Manickgunge	Nil	Nil	48·86	ditto.	
	Furreedpore	Furreedpore	Nil	Nil	50·57	ditto.	
		Goalundo	Not rec.	Not rec.	42·08	6th Dec.	
	Backergunge	Burrisaul	Nil	Nil	61·71	20th Dec.	
		Perozepore	Nil	Nil	57·18	ditto.	
		Madaripore	Nil	Nil	60·73	ditto.	
		Patoakhally	Nil	Nil	61·73	ditto.	
		Dowlut Khan	Nil	Nil	101·08	ditto.	
	Mymensing	Mymensing	Nil	Nil	61·30	ditto.	
		Jamalpore	Nil	Nil	48·69	ditto.	
		Attcah	Nil	Nil	44·11	ditto.	
		Kishoregunge	Nil	Nil	67·94	ditto.	
	Sylhet	Sylhet	Nil	Nil	126·72	ditto.	
	Cachar	Cachar	Nil	Nil	102·97	ditto.	
		Hylakandy	Nil	Not rec.	88·61	13th Dec.	
		Koyah	Not rec.	ditto.	86·13	6th Dec.	
CHITTAGONG.	Chittagong	Chittagong { Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	85·50	20th Dec.	
		Chittagong { Jail	Nil	Nil	86·38	ditto.	
		Cox's Bazar	Nil	Not rec.	152·99	13th Dec.	
	Noakhally	Noakhally	Nil	Nil	118·10	20th Dec.	
	Tipperah	Comillah	Nil	Nil	73·00	ditto.	
		Brahmanbariah	Nil	Nil	58·44	ditto.	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts	Rungamatee Hill	Nil	Nil	73·85	ditto	Not received 30th Nov. to 6th Dec.
	Hill Tipperah	Hill Tipperah	Nil	Nil	58·35	ditto.	
BEHAR.							
PATNA.	Patna	Patna	Nil	Nil	30·49	ditto.	
		Behar	Nil	Nil	38·14	ditto.	
		Bihar	Nil	Nil	38·33	ditto.	
		Dinapore { Jail	Nil	Nil	34·16	ditto.	
		Dinapore { Cantonment	Nil	Nil	34·75	ditto.	
	Gya	Gya	Nil	Not rec.	35·51	13th Dec.	
		Nowadah	Nil	ditto.	41·23	ditto.	
		Aurungabad	Nil	ditto.	33·04	ditto	Not rec. 23rd to 29th Nov.
		Obanabad	Nil	ditto.	38·73	ditto.	
	Shahabad	Arrah	Nil	Nil	37·72	20th Dec.	
		Sasseram	Nil	Nil	34·93	ditto.	
		Buxar	Nil	Nil	32·28	ditto.	
		Bhuboeah	Nil	Nil	36·71	ditto.	
	Tirhoot	Mozufferpore	Nil	Not rec.	29·03	13th Dec.	
		Durbhangah	Nil	ditto.	34·16	ditto.	
		Hajeepore	Nil	ditto.	35·36	ditto.	
		Mudhubani	Nil	ditto.	27·61	ditto.	
		Seetamarce	Nil	ditto.	37·10	ditto.	
		Tajpore	Nil	ditto.	31·11	ditto.	
	Sarun	Chuprah	Nil	Nil	33·88	20th Dec.	
		Sewan	Nil	Nil	32·29	ditto.	
	Chumparun	Motechari	Nil	Nil	41·04	ditto.	
		Bettiah	Nil	Nil	32·69	ditto.	
BHAGULPORE.	Monghyr	Monghyr	Nil	Nil	38·22	ditto.	
		Begooserai	Nil	Nil	35·95	ditto	Not rec. 30th Nov. to 6th Dec.
		Jamooie	Nil	Not rec.	43·99	13th Dec.	Not rec. 23rd to 29th Nov.
	Bhaugulpore	Bhaugulpore	Nil	Nil	28·68	20th Dec.	
		Soopool	Nil	Nil	26·73	ditto.	
		Mudheypoorah	Nil	Nil	34·54	ditto.	
		Baaka	Nil	Nil	30·42	ditto.	
		Sunborsa	Nil	Nil	27·45	ditto.	
	Purneah	Purneah	Nil	Nil	39·86	ditto.	
		Kishengunge	Nil	Nil	37·69	ditto	Not rec. 23rd to 29th Nov.
		Arrareah	Nil	Nil	35·00	ditto	ditto ditto.
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Deoghur	Nil	Nil	44·04	ditto.	
		Jamtara	Nil	Nil	34·27	ditto	Not recorded 1st June to 5th July.
		Rajmehal	Nil	Nil	23·00	ditto.	
		Moheshpore	Nil	Nil	25·24	ditto	From 15th June, and not recorded 21st Sept. to 4th Oct.
		Nya-Doomka	Nil	Nil	58·00	ditto.	
		Godda	Nil	Nil	35·81	ditto.	

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ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1873.	
Orissa.	Cuttack	Cuttack — Telegraph Office	0·10	Nil	33·90	20th Dec.	
		Cuttack — Hospital	0·23	Nil	38·61	ditto.	
		Jajipore	1·05	Nil	36·58	ditto.	
		Kendrapara	0·10	Nil	57·63	ditto.	
		Jugut Singpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	41·38	1st Nov.	Not recorded from 1st Nov.
		False Point	0·30	Nil	59·90	20th Dec.	
	Pooree	Pooree	0·89	Nil	57·72	ditto.	
		Khurdah	0·34	Nil	49·92	ditto.	
	Balasore	Balasore	0·60	Nil	48·47	ditto.	
		Bhudruck	0·07	Nil	35·75	ditto.	
		Jellasore	Nil	Nil	48·75	ditto	From 1st April.
		Soorah	0·60	Nil	37·15	ditto	Ditto.
		Chandbally	Nil	Nil	35·25	ditto	Ditto.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals	Sarobalpore	Not rec.	Not rec.	51·25	22nd Nov.	
CHOTA NAGPORE.							
South-Western Frontier Agency.							
	Hazareebaugh	Hazareebaugh — Jail	Nil	Nil	59·04	20th Dec.	
		Hazareebaugh — Dispensary	Nil	Nil	53·01	ditto.	
		Pachumba	Nil	Nil	51·80	ditto.	
	Lohardaggah	Ranchee	Nil	Nil	49·95	ditto.	
		Palamow	Nil	Nil	39·08	ditto.	
	Singbhoom	Chyebassa	0·25	Nil	38·79	ditto.	
	Manbhoom	Purulia	0·26	Nil	40·96	ditto.	
		Gobindpore	Nil	Nil	49·62	ditto.	
ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.							
	Goalparah	Goalparah	Nil	Not rec.	68·21	18th Dec.	Not received 9th to 15th Nov.
		Dhoobree	Nil	ditto	81·42	ditto	Ditto.
	Kamroop	Gowhatty	Nil	Nil	40·11	20th Dec.	
		Barpettah	Nil	Nil	70·78	ditto.	
	Durrung	Tezpore	Nil	Not rec.	65·89	13th Dec.	
		Mungledye	Nil	ditto	53·96	ditto.	
	Nowgong	Nowgong	Nil	Nil	70·61	20th Dec.	
	Seebsaugor	Seebsaugor	Nil	Not rec.	72·71	13th Dec.	
		Golaghat	Nil	ditto	66·79	ditto.	
		Jorehaut	Nil	ditto	59·52	ditto.	
		Nazeerah	Nil	ditto	75·27	ditto.	
	Luckimpore	Dehroogbur	Nil	ditto	90·64	ditto.	
		North Luckimpore	Nil	ditto	101·55	ditto.	
		Sudiya	Nil	ditto	83·19	ditto.	
	Naga Hills	Samoogoodting	Not rec.	ditto	43·74	29th Nov.	
	Khasi and Jyntenh Hills	Shillong	Nil	ditto	53·57	13th Dec.	
		Jaowai	Nil	ditto	74·40	ditto.	
		Cherrapoonjee	Nil	ditto	293·84	ditto.	
	Garo Hills	Tura	Nil	Nil	85·22	20th Dec.	
		Benares	Not rec.	Not rec.	35·83	6th Dec.	
		Akyab	Nil	Nil	202·60	20th Dec.	

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CALCUTTA,
The 27th December 1873.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 21st to 27th Dec. 1873.

Station	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Thermometers. Dry.	Thermometers. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather intensity.
Calcutta	Dec. 21st	10	30·137	30·155	72·5	64·3	62	N E	...	...	...	b
		16	30·001	30·019	76·5	63·5	44	N E	...	...	...	b
	22nd	10	30·141	30·160	69·0	60·0	55	N E	...	...	...	b
		16	30·024	30·042	75·7	62·8	44	N N W	...	...	...	b
	23rd	10	30·133	30·167	69·0	61·0	60	N E	...	...	...	b
		16	29·999	30·007	74·5	63·2	47	N E	...	...	...	b
	24th	10	30·087	30·086	69·5	61·5	60	N E	...	...	...	b
		16	29·933	29·951	75·8	61·7	51	N E	...	...	...	b
	25th	10	30·073	30·097	70·0	61·7	60	N E	...	...	...	b
		16	29·955	29·973	76·0	64·0	48	N E	...	...	...	b
	26th	10	30·087	30·100	70·9	62·0	57	E	...	...	...	b
		16	29·958	29·976	76·5	64·5	48	E	...	...	...	b
	27th	10	30·057	30·076	70·4	63·0	63	E by S	...	...	...	b
		16	29·902	29·920	77·9	66·4	51	S W	...	...	...	b
Saugor Island	Dec. 21st	10	30·154	30·160	72	63	53	N N E	5·7	...	...	b
		16	30·019	30·025	77	65	49	N N W	7·4	...	...	b, m
	22nd	10	30·154	30·160	71	63	61	N	4·7	...	...	b, m
		16	30·033	30·039	76	64	48	N	9·7	...	...	b, m
	23rd	10	30·149	30·155	71	64	66	N	9·3	...	...	b, e
		16	30·001	30·007	75	65	65	N N W	11·4	...	...	b
	24th	10	30·086	30·092	69	62	65	N	7·0	...	...	b
		16	29·957	29·963	76	64	48	N N W	5·4	...	...	b, m
	25th	10	30·092	30·028	71	63	61	N	8·2	...	...	b
		16	29·977	29·983	76	66	56	S W	7·7	...	...	b, m
	26th	10	30·095	30·101	72	66	71	N N W	3·1	...	C	b, e
		16	29·981	29·987	77	70	68	S S W	7·9	...	...	b, m
	27th	10	30·069	30·075	79	68	80	N N W	4·0	...	...	b, e
		16	29·933	29·944	76	71	77	S W	6·2	...	...	b, e
Chittagong	Dec. 21st	10	30·064	30·161	71	64	66	N	5·3	...	K	b, e
		16	29·912	30·008	78	66	49	W S W	2·1	...	...	b, e
	22nd	10	30·014	30·108	74	67	67	N	3·4	...	C	b, e
		16	29·922	30·016	78	67	53	W S W	4·7	...	...	b, e
	23rd	10	30·014	30·109	72	66	71	N	2·3	...	...	b, e
		16	29·885	30·079	77	67	56	W	21·6	...	...	b, e
	24th	10	29·986	30·061	70	61	70	N	2·1	...	...	b, e
		16	29·875	29·960	75	66	55	W S W	2·0	...	...	b
	25th	10	29·973	30·073	69	64	74	N	5·2	...	...	b
		16	29·888	29·982	77	65	50	W S W	4·7	...	...	b, e
	26th	10	30·024	30·119	68	64	79	N	3·4	...	...	b, e
		16	[illegible]	[illegible]	77	66	53	W	4·7	...	...	b, e
	27th	10	29·930	30·028	67	62	74	N N W	8·6	...	...	b, e
		16	29·843	29·937	75	63	47	N	7·7	...	...	b, e
Madras	Dec. 20th	10	30·016	30·048	81	71	59	N by E	8	...	...	b, e
		16	29·915	29·945	80	70	58	N N E	12	...	...	e
	21st	10	30·056	30·086	78	73	73	N by W	9	...	...	e
		16	29·957	29·987	81	72	62	N by E	15	...	...	e
	22nd	10	30·067	30·097	76	70	72	N by W	11	...	...	b
		16	29·974	30·004	79	68	54	N by E	16	...	...	e
	23rd	10	30·049	30·079	80	70	58	N by E	17	...	...	b, e
		16	29·930	29·960	80	69	54	N N E	17	...	...	b, e
	24th	10	30·027	30·057	80	71	62	N	11	...	...	b, e
		16	29·909	29·939	80	69	54	N by E	17	...	...	b, e
	25th	10	30·039	30·069	79	68	54	N N E	13	...	...	b
		16	29·944	29·974	80	69	54	N	14	...	...	b
	26th	10	30·046	30·076	79	67	60	N N W	8	...	...	b
		16	29·944	29·974	79	68	54	N by E	10	...	...	b
Cuttack	Dec. 21st	10	30·062	30·145	76	64	48	N N E	0·3	...	...	b
		16	29·941	30·024	80	63	34	N N E	3·2	...	CK. S	b
	22nd	10	30·085	30·169	72	62	53	W N W	0·2	...	...	b
		16	29·931	30·014	80	63	34	E N E	1·5	...	...	b
	23rd	10	30·075	30·164	74	62	47	N E	0·5	...	...	b
		16	29·934	30·017	79	63	36	N N W	2·1	...	...	b
	24th	10	30·007	30·091	72	62	53	N	0·1	...	...	b
		16	29·927	29·970	79	63	36	E N E	1·1	...	...	b
	25th	10	30·05	30·089	74	60	39	N E	0·2	...	...	b
		16	29·877	29·980	80	64	37	N N E	1·1	...	...	b
	26th	10	30·003	30·091	73	64	58	W	0·4	...	...	b
		16	29·874	29·967	81	65	38	N	1·7	...	...	b
	27th	10	29·985	30·069	74	65	59	W	0·1	...	...	b
		16	29·834	29·916	83	66	36	N	2·9	...	...	b
Akyab	Dec. 21st	10	30·050	30·162	74	71	85	N E	2·5	...	...	b
		16	29·974	29·996	80	75	78	E	4·6	...	...	b
	22nd	10	30·073	30·095	77	74	86	N E	2·1	...	...	b
		16	30·062	30·084	79	73	73	W	5·5	...	...	b
	23rd	10	30·050	30·072	77	69	64	N	2·2	...	...	b
		16	29·922	29·944	80	67	47	W N W	5·0	...	...	b
	24th	10	30·06	30·08	74	68	72	N E	2·2	...	...	b
		16	29·910	29·932	78	64	42	N W	6·5	...	...	b
	25th	10	30·018	30·040	73	65	62	E N E	2·2	...	...	b
		16	29·884	29·906	78	67	53	W	2·8	...	...	b
	26th	10	30·011	30·033	73	68	67	E E	2·5	...	...	b
		16	29·917	29·939	78	67	53	W	5·3	...	...	b
	27th	10	30·016	30·038	70	64	70	E N E	3·1	...	...	b
		16	29·900	29·922	77	66	53	W S W	4·8	...	...	b

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

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CALCUTTA,
The 27th December 1873.

Meteorological P[illegible]

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th December 1873, on 158¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total traffic receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week ...	29,576	24,869 10 6	2,003 16 11	1,08,457 14	57,001 8 10	5,225 2 10	7,228 19 9
Or per mile of railway	187	138 2 3	12 13 3	685 0	360 3 2	33 0 5	45 13 8
For previous 23 weeks of half-year	667,991	4,25,714 9 9	39,024 5 2	26,73,780 0	9,07,680 2 5	83,204 1 11	122,228 7 1
Total for 24 weeks	697,567	4,47,575 4 3	41,028 2 1	27,82,237 14	9,64,681 14 3	88,429 4 9	129,457 6 10
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	28,970	20,442 12 5	1,873 18 5	67,246 14	21,637 10 4	1,983 9 0	3,857 7 5
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	185	130 10 0	11 19 6	429	138 4 2	12 13 5	24 12 11
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,176,749½	4,22,077 9 4	38,699 8 8	34,84,984 6	9,84,441 7 8	90,240 9 4	128,930 18 0

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th December 1873, on 28 miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. Srs.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	8,736	1,156 0 0	115 12 0	10,367 0	339 0 0	33 18 0	149 10 0
Or per mile of railway	312	41 8 0	4 8 0	370 0	12 0 0	1 4 0	5 7 0
For previous 24 weeks of half-year...	132,634	20,549 0 0	2,054 19 0	4,03,664 0	13,405 0 0	1,340 10 0	3,395 8 0
Total for 28 weeks	141,370	21,705 0 0	2,170 10 0	4,14,031 0	13,744 0 0	1,374 8 0	3,544 18 0
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,283	1,058 7 0	105 18 11	25,998 0	1,021 10 0	102 3 3	208 2 2
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	258	37 13 0	3 15 8	1,068 0	36 8 0	3 13 0	7 3 8
Total to corresponding date of previous year	139,007	21,520 10 1	2,152 1 5	3,63,668 1	11,501 15 9	1,150 4 0	3,302 5 5

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